

Supporting information

Macroscale pseudo-spheroids fabricated using methacrylated collagen-coated cells

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Table S1. The weight of the total and removed 40% of tibialis anterior (TA) muscle in C57BL/6 mouse.

Number of mice	TA muscle weight (g)	Removed 40% of the TA muscle weight (g)
1	0.0441	0.0176
2	0.0449	0.0180
3	0.0411	0.0164
4	0.0458	0.0184
5	0.0439	0.0176
6	0.0452	0.0181
7	0.0501	0.0200
8	0.0442	0.0177
9	0.0442	0.0177
10	0.0398	0.0159
11	0.0407	0.0163
12	0.0445	0.0178
13	0.0414	0.0166
14	0.0426	0.0170
15	0.0392	0.0157
16	0.0431	0.0172
Mean \pm SD	0.0434 \pm 0.0027	0.0174 \pm 0.0011

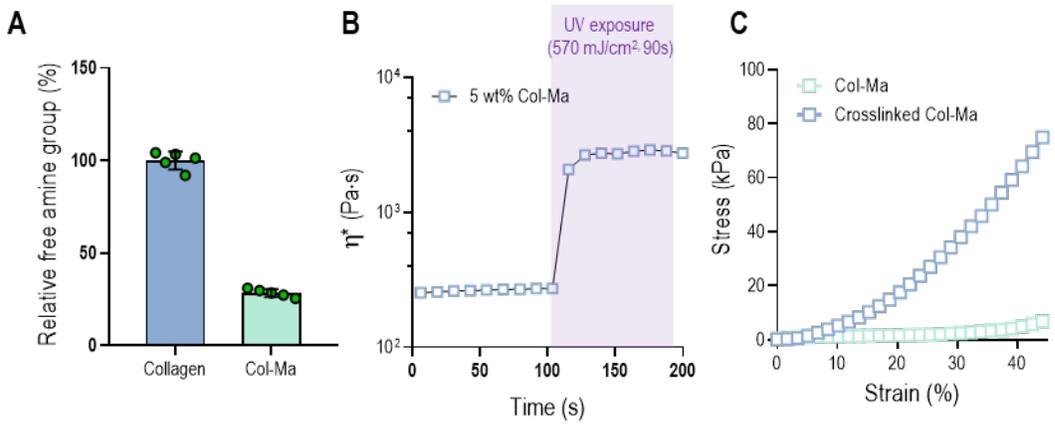


Figure S1. (A) Relative free amine group evaluated using ninhydrin assay. (B) Complex viscosity (η^*) and (C) stress-strain curve of 5 wt% Col-Ma and after UV photocrosslinking.

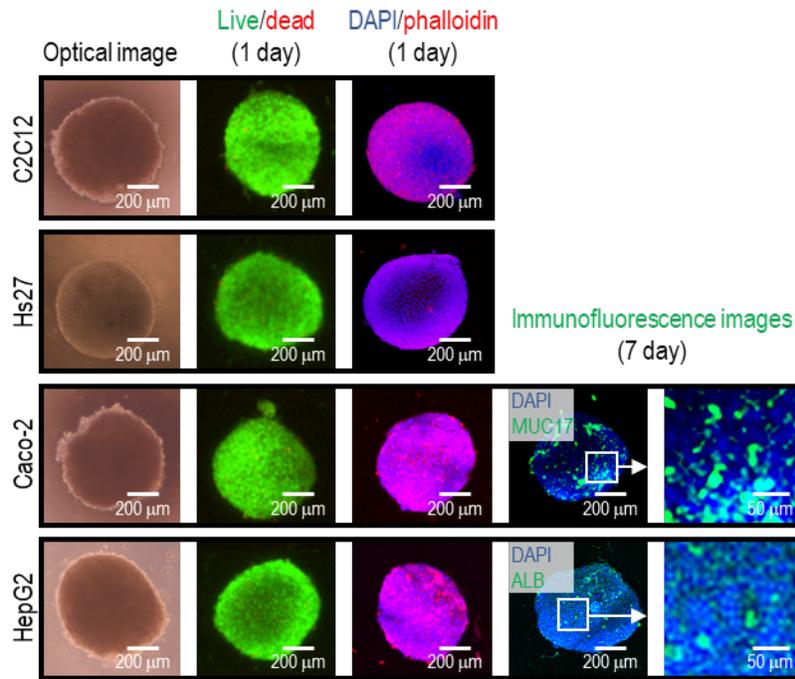


Figure S2. Pseudo-spheroids fabricated with Col-Ma-coated C2C12, Hs-27, Caco-2, and HepG2, which were obtained with the same fabrication condition of hASCs-aggregates.

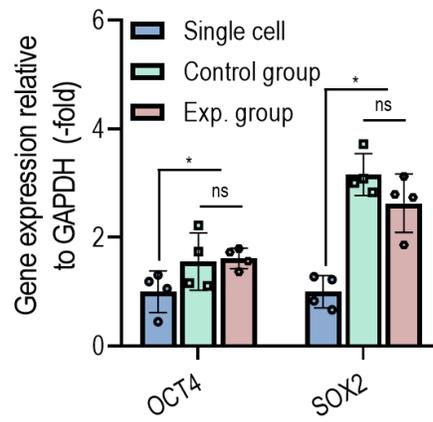


Figure S3. Relative gene expressions of stemness-related genes (OCT4 and SOX2) for a single cell, control, and experimental group after 1 day of cell culture. ($n = 4$, ns = no significance, * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.005$, *** $p < 0.001$, and **** $p < 0.0001$).

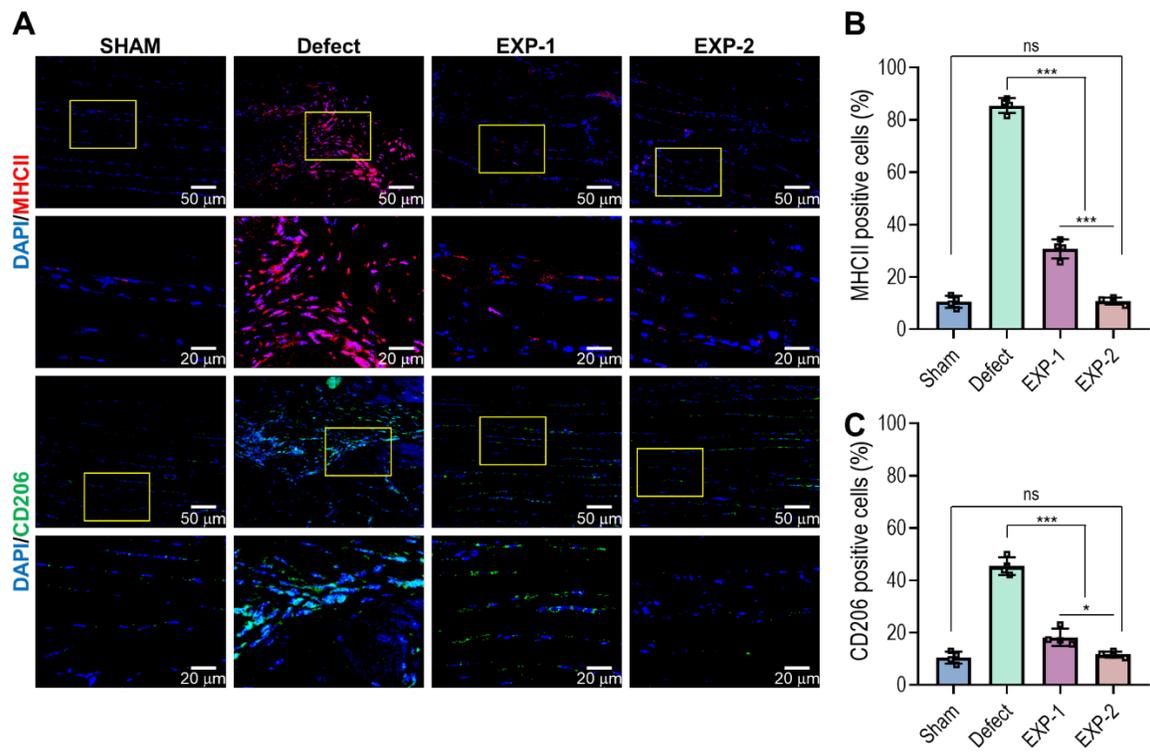


Figure S5. Immunochemical staining of (A) DAPI (blue)/MHCII (red) and DAPI (blue)/CD206 (green). Percentage of cells with positive (B) MHCII and (C) CD206. ($n = 4$, ns = no significance, * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.005$, *** $p < 0.001$, and **** $p < 0.0001$).