

Figure S1. Original western blot used in Figure 1I.

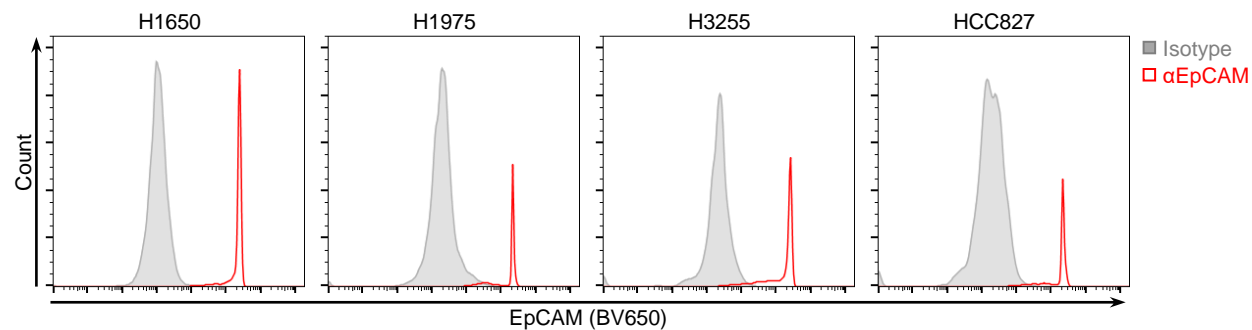


Figure S3. EpCAM expression in poorly metastatic lung cancer cell lines. FACS data showing EpCAM expression on poorly metastatic lung cancer cell lines with EGFR mutation, including H1650, H1975, H3255, and HCC827. Data are representative of three independent experiments with similar results.

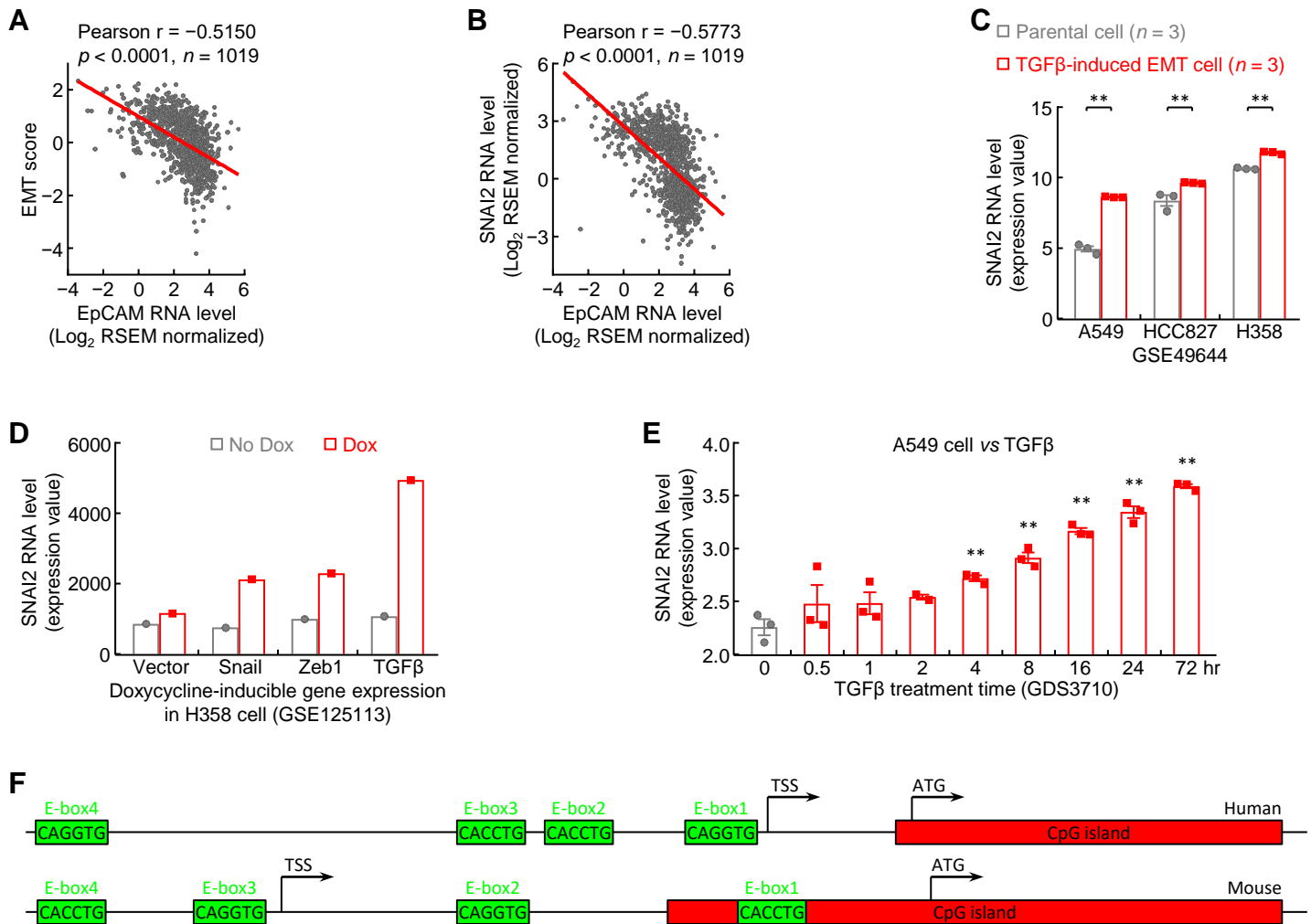


Figure S4. EMT signaling may contribute to EpCAM repression. (A) TCGA LUNG data showing negative association between EpCAM expression and EMT status. (B) TCGA LUNG data showing negative association between EpCAM and SNAI2. (C) GSE49644 data showing increased SNAI2 expression in TGFβ-transformed human lung cancer cells. (D) GSE125113 data showing increased SNAI2 expression in H358 cell overexpressing TGFβ. (E) GDS3710 data showing increased SNAI2 expression by TGFβ in A549 cell. (F) Promoter analysis showing four putative SNAI2 binding sites (E-box) and one CpG island in both human and murine *epcam* gene. Student's *t* test (two tailed, unpaired) was performed. Data represent means \pm SEM. ** $P < 0.01$.

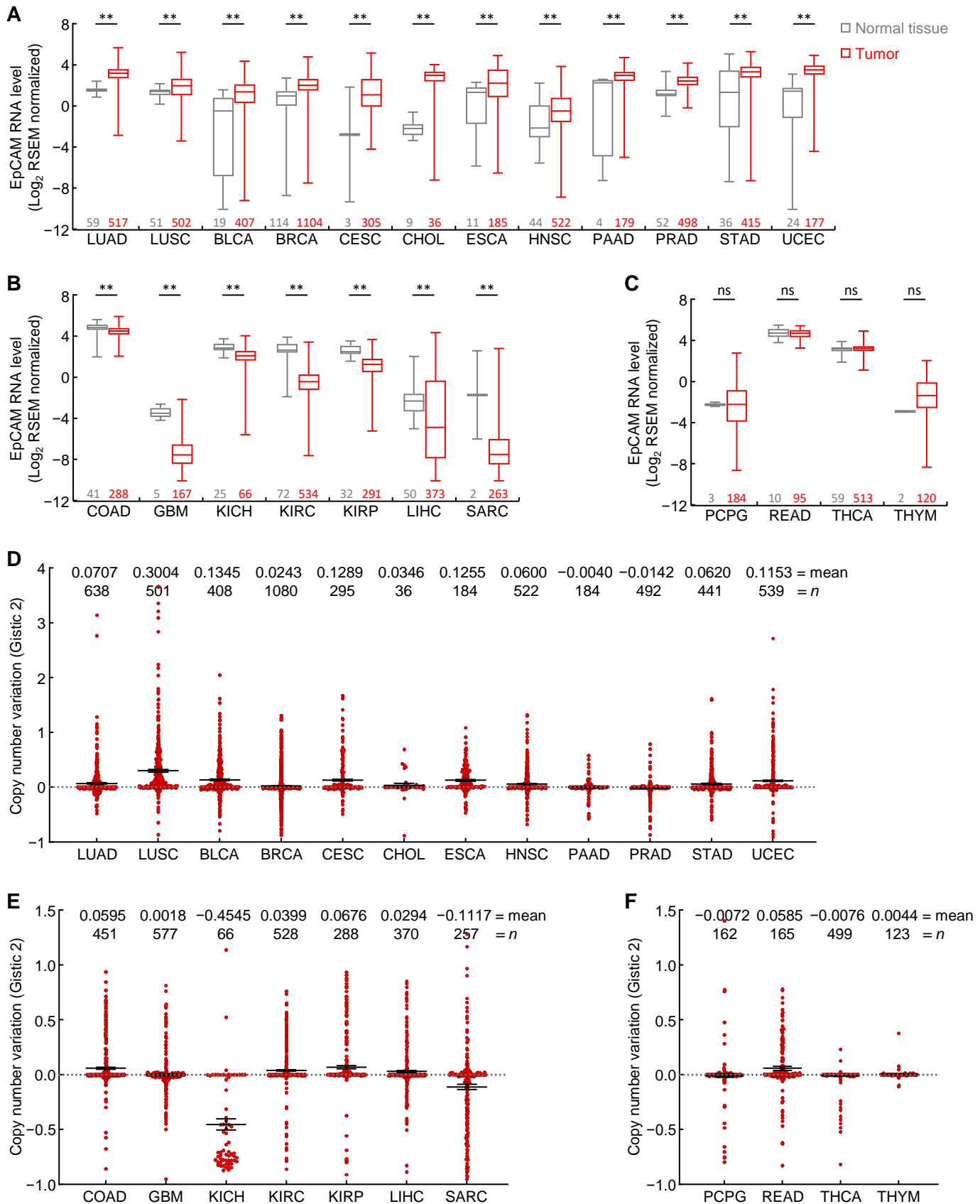


Figure S5. The expression and copy number of EpCAM in human primary cancers. (A-C) TCGA data showing increased (A), decreased (B) and comparable (C) EpCAM RNA expression in human primary tumors (Tumor: red box) compared to normal tissues (NL: grey box). Patient numbers are indicated below. **(D-F)** TCGA data showing copy number variation of *epcam* gene in human primary tumors. Mean value and patient numbers are indicated above. Student's *t* test (two tailed, unpaired) was performed. Data represent as Box and Whiskers (min to max). ***P* < 0.01; ns, not statistically different.

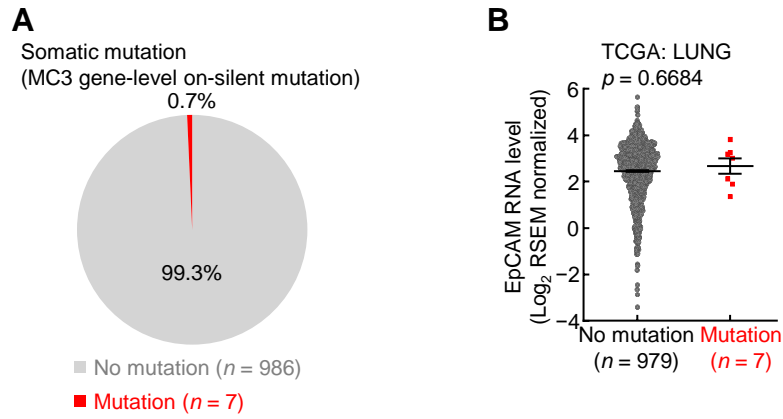


Figure S6. Gene mutation has minimal impact on EpCAM expression in human primary lung cancer. (A) TCGA somatic mutation data showing low mutation rate of *epcam* in human primary lung cancer. **(B)** TCGA data showing comparable EpCAM RNA expression in *epcam* WT and Mutation groups in human primary tumors. Student's *t* test (two tailed, unpaired) was performed. Data represent means \pm SEM. ns, not statistically different.

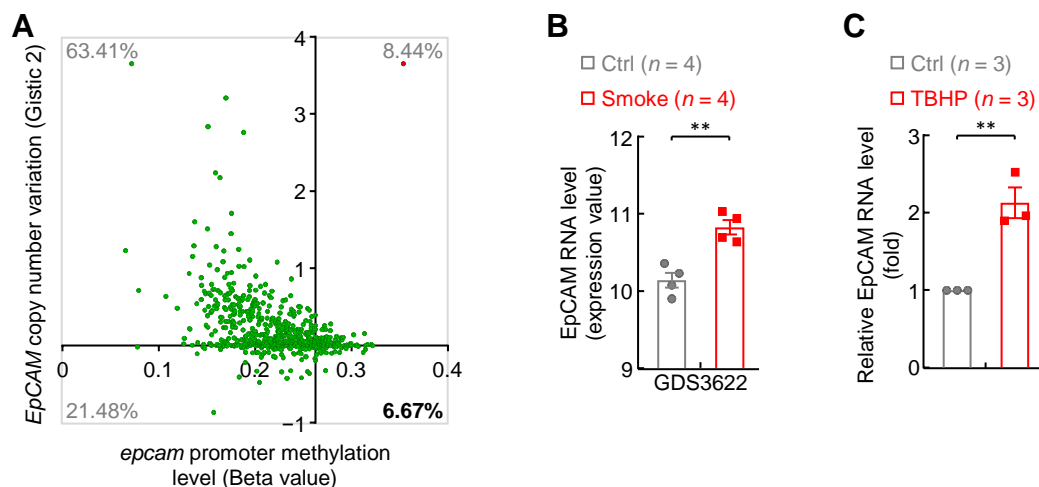


Figure S7. Smoking induces ROS to upregulate EpCAM expression. (A) TCGA LUNG data showing about 6.6% of lung cancer with low gene amplification and high promoter methylation in *EpCAM*-upregulated patients. Axis x and y cross at mean value (0.26, 0) of *EpCAM* promoter methylation level and copy number variation in normal lung. (B) GDS3622 data showing increased *EpCAM* RNA expression in lung tissue by smoking. (C) qPCR data showing increased *EpCAM* RNA expression in TBHP-treated cancer cells. Data are representative of three independent experiments with similar results (C). Student's *t* test (two tailed, unpaired) was performed. Data represent means \pm SEM. ** $P < 0.01$.

Table S1. Antibody list

Antibody	Clone	Cat. No.	Company	Usage	Purpose
Anti-mouse CD16/CD32	93, Rat IgG2a, λ	14-0161-85	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Waltham, MA, USA	1.0 μ l per sample	FACS
Anti-mouse CD45 FITC	30-F11, Rat IgG2b, κ	103107	Biolegend, San Diego, CA, USA	0.5 μ l per sample	FACS
Anti-mouse EpCAM PE	G8.8, Rat IgG2a, κ	12-5791-82	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Waltham, MA, USA	0.625 μ l per sample	FACS
Rat IgG2a κ Isotype Control, PE	eBR2a, Rat IgG2a, κ	12-4321-80	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Waltham, MA, USA	0.625 μ l per sample	FACS
Human TruStain FcX (Fc Receptor Blocking Solution)		422302	Biolegend, San Diego, CA, USA	5 μ l per sample	FACS
Anti-human CD45 AF700	HI30, Mouse IgG1, κ	304024	Biolegend, San Diego, CA, USA	2 μ l per sample	FACS
Anti-human EpCAM BV650	9C4, Mouse IgG2b, κ	324226	Biolegend, San Diego, CA, USA	5 μ l per sample	FACS
Mouse IgG2b, κ Isotype Contrl, BV650	MPC-11, Mouse IgG2b, κ	400351	Biolegend, San Diego, CA, USA	5 μ l per sample	FACS
Anti-EpCAM	Rabbit polyclonal IgG	PA5-19832	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Waltham, MA, USA	1:1000	IB
Anti-GAPDH	14C10, rabbit mAb	2118	Cell Signaling Technology, Danvers, MA, USA	1:1000	IB
Goat anti-Rabbit HRP		sc-2054	Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Dallas, TX, USA	1:5000	IB

Table S2. Primer list

Gene	Species	Accession number	Forward (5' to 3')	Reverse (5' to 3')	Purpose
<i>gapdh</i>	human	NM_002046.3	CCGAGCCACATCGCTCAGACAC	GTGACCAGGCGCCCAATACGAC	RT-PCR
<i>gapdh</i>	mouse	NM_008084.2	AGTGCCAGCCTCGTCCCGTA	CAGGCGCCCAATACGGCCAA	RT-PCR
<i>epcam</i>	human	NM_002354.3	ACTGGATCATCATTGAACTA	GCCACATCAGCTATGTCCAC	RT-PCR
<i>epcam</i>	mouse	NM_008532.2			