

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS

Table S1. Yeast strains

Strain	Genotype	Source
OCSC1601	<i>mat a, his3Δ1 leu2ΔO met15Δ0 ura3ΔO pRS316 [URA3 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1602	<i>mat a, his3Δ1 leu2ΔO met15Δ0 ura3ΔO sub1::HIS3 [URA3 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1605	<i>mat a, his3Δ1 leu2ΔO met15Δ0 ura3ΔO sub1ΔCT::HIS3 [URA3, TRP1 CEN]</i>	This study
MGSC339	<i>mat α ade2-1 can1-100 his3-11,15 leu2,3 trp1-1 ura3-1 spt4::URA3</i>	A. Aguilera
OCSC1739	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 sub1::KAN [URA3 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1740	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 sub1::KAN [SUB1-6HA::TRP1 HIS3 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1712	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 sub1::KAN [SUB1-ΔCT-6HA::TRP1 HIS3 CEN]</i>	[2]
OCSC1742	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 sub1::URA3 [SUB1-FRN54-56AGG-6HA::TRP1 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1743	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 sub1::URA3 [SUB1-K45A-6HA::TRP1 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1744	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 sub1::URA3 [SUB1-Y66A-6HA::TRP1 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1434	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 Sub1-6HA::TRP1</i>	This study
OCSC2055	<i>mat a ade2-1 his 3-11,15 leu2-3,112 trp1-1 ura3-1 SUB1-ΔCT-6HA::TRP1</i>	[2]
GHY611	<i>mat a his4-912δ leu2Δ1 trp1Δ63 lys-128δ SPT5-MYC</i>	[3]
GHY94	<i>mat a his3Δ200 leu2Δ1 trp1Δ63 ura3-52 lys-128δ spt5-194</i>	G. Hartzog
OCSC1658	<i>mat a his3Δ200 leu2Δ1 trp1Δ63 ura3-52 lys-128δ spt5-194 [URA3, HIS3 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC181	<i>mat a his3Δ200 leu2Δ1 trp1Δ63 ura3-52 lys-128δ spt5-194 sub1::URA3 [HIS3 CEN]</i>	[1]
OCSC1660	<i>mat a his3Δ200 leu2Δ1 trp1Δ63 ura3-52 lys-128δ spt5-194 sub1::URA3 [SUB1-6HA::TRP1 HIS3 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1663	<i>mat a his3Δ200 leu2Δ1 trp1Δ63 ura3-52 lys-128δ spt5-194 sub1::URA3 [SUB1-Y66A-6HA::TRP1 HIS3 CEN]</i>	This study
OCSC1661	<i>mat a his3Δ200 leu2Δ1 trp1Δ63 ura3-52 lys-128δ spt5-194 sub1::URA3 [SUB1-ΔCT-6HA::TRP1 HIS3 CEN]</i>	This study
MGSC339	<i>mat α ade2-1 can1-100 his3-11,15 leu2,3 trp1-1 ura3-1 spt4::URA3</i>	[1]
GYLR-3A	<i>mat a, his3Δ1 leu2ΔO met15Δ0 ura3ΔO TRP1::HISG URA3::GAL1-YLR454w (FMP27)</i>	[4]
OCSC1768	<i>mat a, his3Δ1 leu2ΔO met15Δ0 ura3ΔO TRP1::HISG URA3::GAL1-YLR454w sub1::KAN</i>	[1]
OCSC1769	<i>mat a, his3Δ1 leu2ΔO met15Δ0 ura3ΔO TRP1::HISG URA3::GAL1-YLR454w sub1ΔCT::KAN</i>	This study

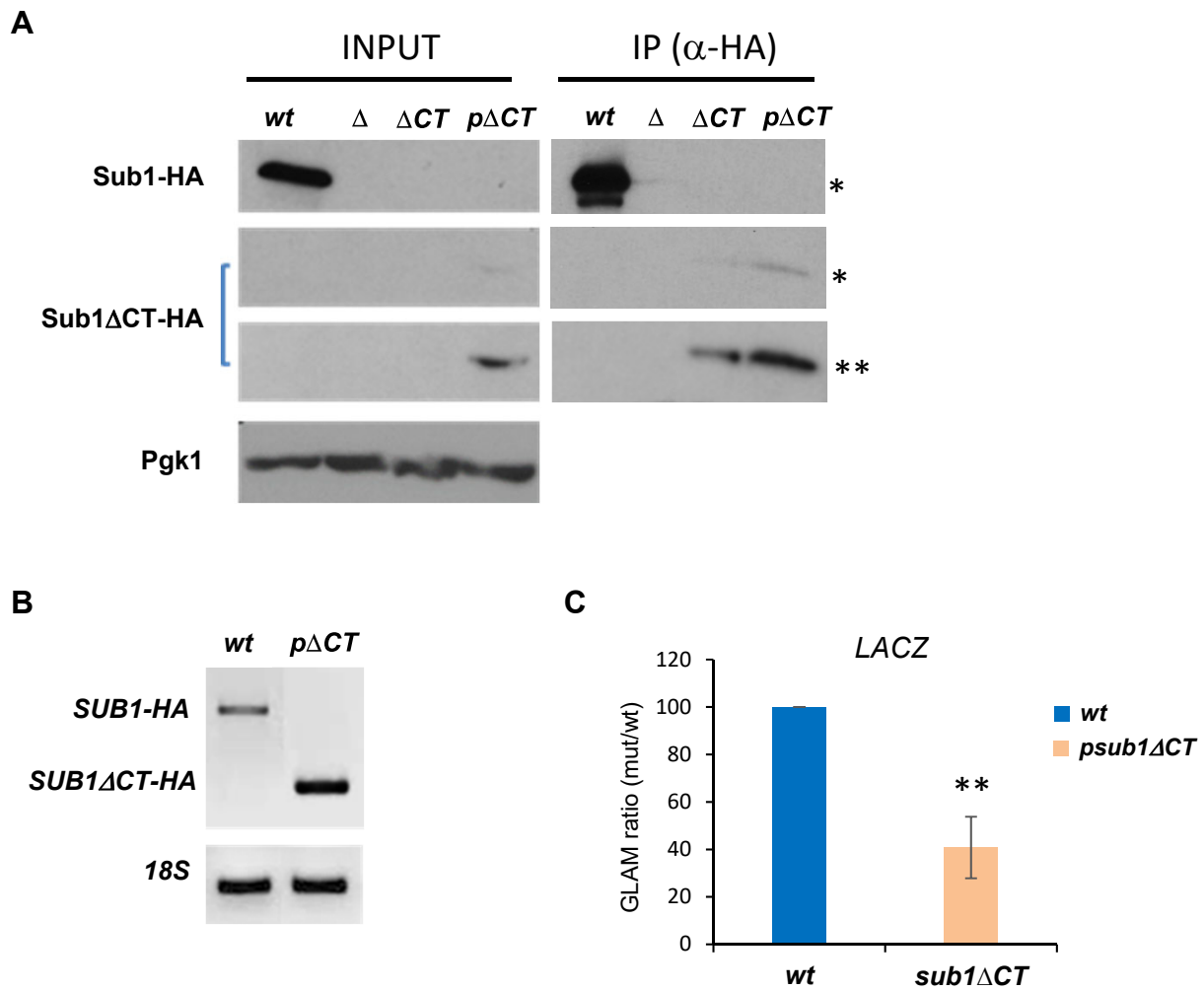


Figure S1. The deletion of Sub1-CT severely affects Sub1 protein levels. (A) Sub1-HA CoIP. Left panel: analysis of Sub1-6HA levels in *wt* and *sub1\Delta CT-6HA*, expressed either from the chromosomal copy (ΔCT) or from a centromeric plasmid (*p\Delta CT*) in whole cell extracts (INPUT); *sub1\Delta* cells were used as negative control and levels of Pgk1 as a loading control. Right panel: Immunoprecipitation of Sub1-HA (**) using anti-HA antibody and WCE from the indicated strains. Two exposure of the same blot are shown: (*) indicates same time of exposition, and (**) it is and over-exposure to detect Sub1 Δ CT protein. (B). Analysis of *SUB1*-HA expression by RT-PCR in *wt* and *sub1\Delta CT* cells, expressing *SUB1* from a plasmid, and using primers annealing at the 5' region of *SUB1* and downstream at the HA epitope. 18S rRNA expression was used as a control. (C) **Increasing Sub1 Δ CT protein levels does not improve transcription elongation efficiency.** GLAM ratio of the *wt* strain, and the *sub1\Delta* strain expressing several copies of Sub1 Δ CT-HA protein from a centromeric plasmid (*p\Delta CT* in (A)). Relative values of acid phosphatase activity from the *PHO5-LACZ* long transcript are shown, where *wt* values has been set as 100. The GLAM ratio for the *sub1\Delta CT* strain is significantly lower than for *wt* cells. Significant level ** = $p < 0.01$.

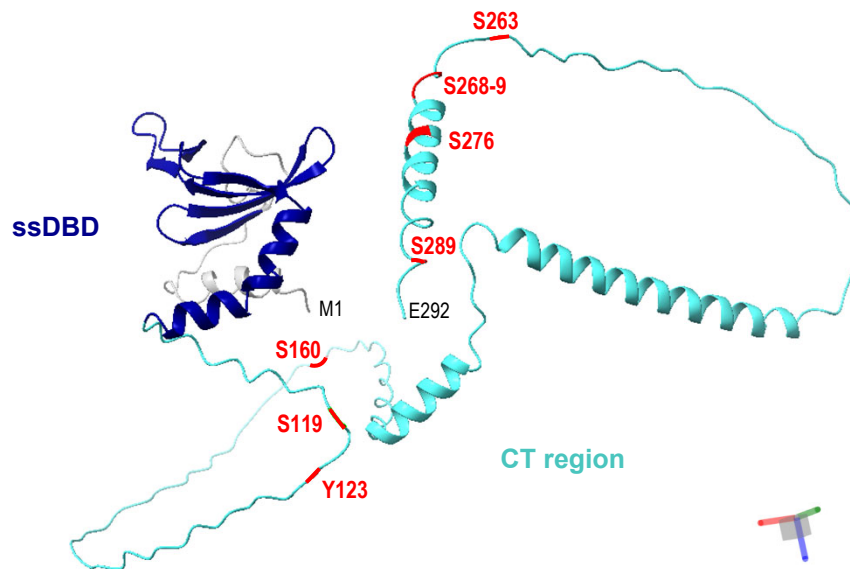


Figure S2. Phosphorylation of Sub1-CT could be important for Sub1 function regulation. ScSub1 structure as predicted by the AphaFold2 program [36] (<https://alphafold.ebi.ac.uk/entry/P54000>). The ssDBD is shown in dark blue, and the CT region in light blue. Phosphorylation sites described in proteomic studies [59–67] are indicated in red.

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