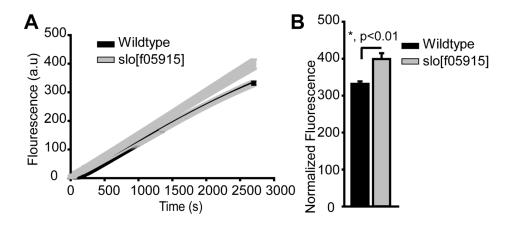
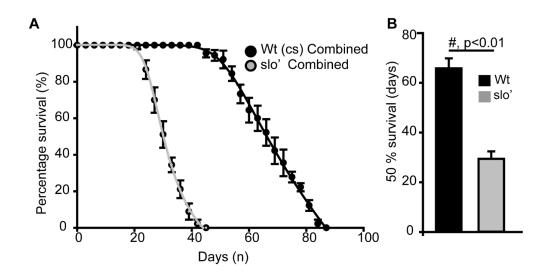
slo^{f05915} **mitochondria produce increased ROS.** The graphs show isolated wild-type (black) and *slo*^{f05915} mitochondria (gray) with increased ROS produced by complex II/III, in the presence of succinate as substrate (**A**). Histograms show a significant increase in ROS in *slo*^{f05915} mitochondria (**B**).



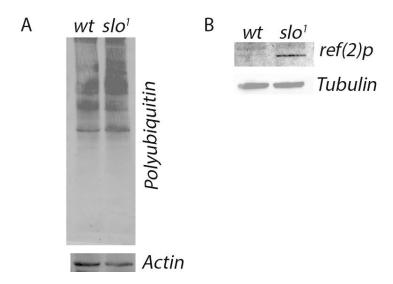
Supplementary Figure. S2

slo¹ mutants result in accelerated aging when males and females are grown together.

Drosophila BK_{Ca} (slo^1) mutants show significantly reduced lifespan of males and females by approximately 50% compared to wt flies (A). The inset shows 50% survival for wt (black) and slo^1 (gray), which was reduced significantly for slo^1 (B).

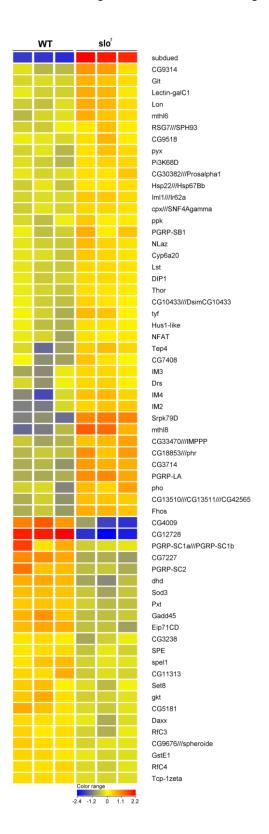


Increased levels of protein aggregates in slo^1 mutants. **A**. Western blot with Anti-Poly (Ubq) antibodies indicating increased ubiquitination of proteins in slo^1 mutants. Actin was used a control. **B.** Ref(2)p levels in wt and slo^1 mutants lysates. Tubulin was used a control.



Heat map of oxidative stress-related genes altered in *slo*¹ mutants in comparison to wt flies.

The color range indicates a fold change in gene expression.



Females overexpressing human (Hs) BK_{Ca} do not show a change in life span as compared to control flies (**A**). (**B**) Bar graph showing 50% survival of control and Hs BK_{Ca} overexpressing female flies.

