

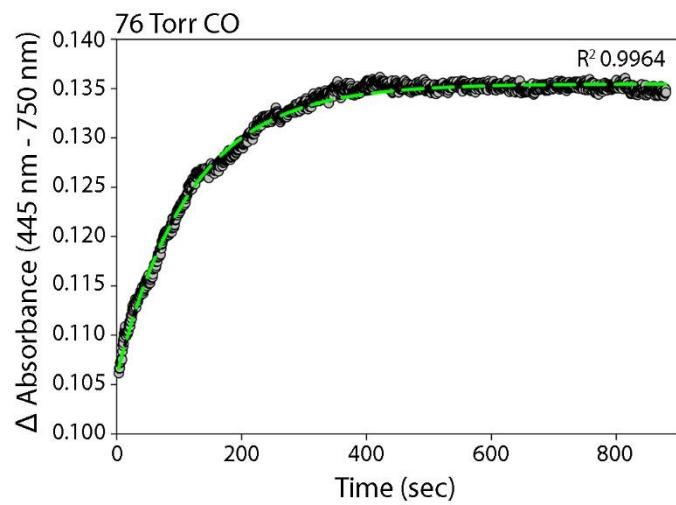
**Supplemental Table S1. Antibodies used in this study.**

Antibody	Type	Concentration	Supplier, reference no.
$\alpha$ -Globin	Polyclonal	10 $\mu$ g/mL (histology)	Abcam, Ab92492
$\alpha$ -Globin	Polyclonal	(Western blot)	Home-made
eNOS	Monoclonal	1 $\mu$ g/mL (histology) 0.2 $\mu$ g/mL (Western blot)	BD 610297
CyB5a	Polyclonal	4 $\mu$ g/mL (histology) 0.4 $\mu$ g/mL (Western blot)	Proteintech, 12365-1-AP
CyB5b	Polyclonal	2.5 $\mu$ g/mL (histology) 0.25 $\mu$ g/mL (Western blot)	Proteintech, 15469-1-AP
CyB5R3	Polyclonal	0.4 $\mu$ g/mL (histology) 0.2 $\mu$ g/mL (Western blot)	Proteintech, 10894-1-AP
Goat anti-rabbit IgG	HRP conjugate	0.05 $\mu$ g/mL	Jackson ImmunoResearch Laboratories, 111-035-003
Goat anti-mouse IgG	HRP conjugate	0.05 $\mu$ g/mL	Jackson ImmunoResearch Laboratories, 115-035-003

**Supplemental Table S2. Oligonucleotide primers used for RT-qPCR.**

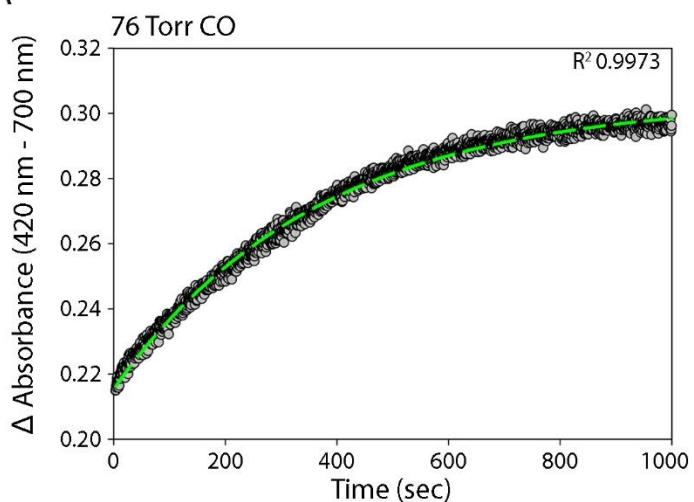
GENE	ACCESSION	FORWARD PRIMER, 5'→ 3'	REVERSE PRIMER, 5'→ 3'
<i>HBA</i>	NM_008218	GCTCTCTGGGAAGACAAAA	GCCGTGGCTTACATCAAAGT
<i>HBB</i>	NM_001278161	TGTTGACTCACAAACCCCAGA	CTGGGTCCAAGGGTAGACAA
<i>NOS3</i>	NM_008713	GCACCCAGAGCTTTCTTG	GTCAACCGAACGAAGTGACA
<i>CYB5A</i>	NM_025797	CTGGGTGATCCTGCATCATA	ACAGTTCTCGTGCATCCGTA
<i>CYB5B</i>	NM_025558	CTGCGATGAGAGGGAGGAGAC	CTCTGGCGGATGAAAGACTC
<i>CYB5R3</i>	NM_029787	GGAAGAGAGAGGGAGGGAGA	GGCAGGTAGGTGGTTAGGTG
<i>CYGB</i>	NM_030206	GAGTTGGGTGAGTCAGCTT	CCGTGGAGACCAGGTAGATG
<i>ACTB</i>	NM_007393	CCATCTACGAGGGCTATGCT	TTTGATGTCACGCACGATT

*HBA*, α-globin; *HBB*, β-globin; *NOS3*, eNOS; *CYB5A*, cytochrome *b*<sub>5</sub> type A; *CYB5B*, cytochrome *b*<sub>5</sub> type B; *CYB5R3*, cytochrome *b*<sub>5</sub> reductase 3; *CYGB*, cytoglobin; *ACTB*, β-actin

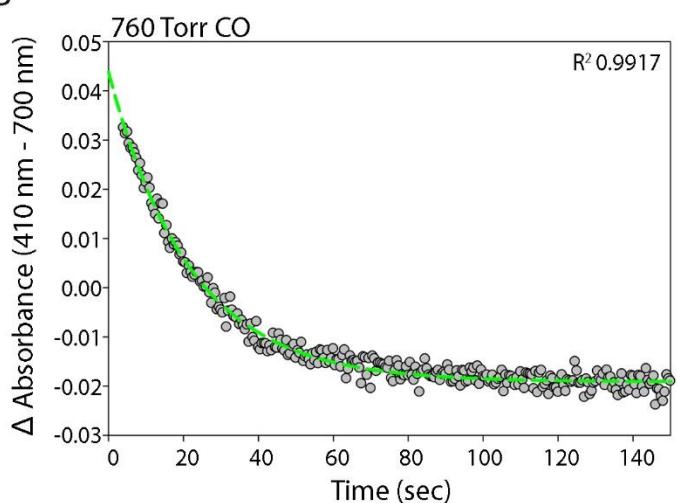


**Supplemental Figure S1. eNOS reduction.** eNOS reduction kinetics after mixing NADPH under 76 Torr of CO. The dashed lines represent the exponential rise fit, with the associated determination coefficient ( $R^2$ ).

A



B



**Supplemental Figure S2.  $\alpha$ -Globin reduction.**  $\alpha$ -Globin–AHSP reduction kinetics, after mixing with CyB5R3/CyB5a (A) or eNOS (B) pre-incubated under anaerobic conditions in the presence of NADH or NADPH, respectively, under CO. The dashed lines represent the exponential rise or decay fits, with the associated determination coefficient ( $R^2$ ).