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Supplemental Figure Legends

Figure S1: Cell cycle distribution of HCT-116 wt, p53 ^{-/-}, and p21 ^{-/-} after doxorubicin treatment and of MCF-7 cells after Nutlin-3 treatment. Cell cycle profiles of the experiments shown in Figure 2 B, C and D as analyzed by flow cytometry (A) HCT-116 wt and p21 ^{-/-} cells were treated with 1 μ M doxorubicin for 2 hours and analyzed at the indicated time points. (B) MCF-7 cells were treated with 4.3 μ M Nutlin-3 for 24 hours (C) HCT-116 wt and p53 ^{-/-} cells were treated as described in A.

Figure S2: Gene expression and pattern of LINC-binding to the promoters of G2/M genes after DNA damage. Analysis of additional genes and time points from the experiment shown in Fig. 3 (A) HCT-116 p53^{+/+} (black bars) or p53^{-/-} cells (red bars) were treated with 1 μ M doxorubicin for 2 hours. Gene expression was analyzed by quantitative real-time PCR and normalized to S14. (B) Crosslinked chromatin HCT-116 wt and p53 ^{-/-} cells from cells 24 hours after doxorubicin-treatment was immunoprecipitated with the indicated antisera. Promoters were detected by real-time PCR. GAPDH serves as a control. (C) ChIP assays 48 hours after doxorubicin-treatment. Analysis of additional promoters in the experiment shown in Figure 3B. (D) Cell cycle distribution of doxorubicin treated p53^{+/+} and p53^{-/-} cells from the experiments shown in B), C) and Fig. 3B was determined by FACS analysis.

Figure S3: DNA-damage induced downregulation of G2/M genes and increased binding of E2F4 and decreased binding of B-MYB to the cyclin B1 promoter in human BJ fibroblasts. (A) BJ fibroblasts were treated with 0.34 μ M doxorubicin for the indicated time periods. Cell cycle distribution was analyzed by FACS. (B) BJ cells were treated as in A. Expression of the indicated genes was analyzed by real-time PCR. (C) Chromatin from

untreated or doxorubicin-treated BJ cells was immunoprecipitated with the indicated antisera. Nonspecific IgG was used as a control. The cyclin B1 promoter was detected by real-time PCR. Binding is expressed relative to input DNA.

Figure S4: DNA-damage induced downregulation of G2/M genes and increased binding of E2F4/p130 and decreased binding of B-MYB to G2/M promoters in MCF-7 cells

(A) MCF-7 cells were treated with 1 μ M doxorubicin for 2 hours. 48 hours later, expression of the indicated genes was analyzed by quantitative RT-PCR and normalized to GAPDH. (B) Chromatin from doxorubicin-treated (red bars) and untreated (black bars) MCF-7 cells was immunoprecipitated with the indicated antisera. Nonspecific IgG was used as a control. Promoters of the indicated genes were detected by real-time PCR. Binding is expressed relative to input DNA and to IgG.

Figure S5: Binding of LINC to the promoters of G2/M genes upon activation of p53 by Nutlin-3.

(A) MCF-7 cells were treated with 4.3 μ M Nutlin-3 for 24 hours. Cell cycle distribution was analyzed by FACS analysis. (B) Chromatin of Nutlin-3-treated and untreated MCF-7 cells was immunoprecipitated with the indicated antisera. Bound promoters were analyzed using real-time PCR and are expressed relative to input DNA.

Figure S6: LIN9 and B-MYB are required for the DNA-damaged mediated activation of G2/M genes in p53 mutant cells.

Analysis of additional genes from the experiment shown in Figure 4 A and B. (A) HCT-116 p53^{+/+} and p53^{-/-} cells transfected with a B-MYB specific siRNA or a control siRNA were treated with doxorubicin for 2 hours. RNA was isolated 24 or 48 hours later as well as from untreated cells as a control. The expression of the indicated genes was analyzed by real-time RT-PCR and normalized to S14 (B) HCT-116 p53^{-/-} cells transfected with a control siRNA or with siRNAs specific for LIN-9 or B-MYB were treated

with doxorubicin for 2 hours. 48 hours later the expression of the indicated genes was analyzed by real-time RT-PCR. The expression of S14 was analyzed as a control.

Figure S7: Model summarizing the findings.

A) In p53^{+/+} cells, DNA-damage or direct activation of p53 by Nutlin-3 switches LINC from B-MYB to p130/ E2F4. This results in dissociation of B-MYB from promoters of G2/M genes and in association of p130/E2F4 and it contributes to the repression of G2/M genes. This could contribute to a stable cell cycle arrest. B) In p53^{-/-} cells B-MYB does not dissociate from LINC upon DNA-damage and remains associated with G2/M promoters. B-MYB/LINC enhances the expression of G2/M gene in p53^{-/-}-cells and promotes escape from the G2 checkpoint.