

Figure S1. **NCAM binds to immobilized FGFR1 and promotes FGFR-mediated cell adhesion.** (A) The binding of NCAM to FGFR1-Fc was studied by using a Biacore 2000 instrument. FGFR1-Fc (10 μ g/ml in 10 mM sodium acetate buffer, pH 4.3) was immobilized on a CM5 sensor chip via amine coupling kit (Biacore) according to the manufacturer's instructions. As a control, 10 μ g/ml human Fc (EMD) in 5 mM maleate buffer, pH 6.0, were immobilized on a separate flow cell. Two blank surfaces were also prepared for reference curve subtraction. The binding experiments were performed at 25°C in HBS running buffer (10 mM Hepes, pH 7.4, 150 mM NaCl, and 0.005% Tween 20). A 5 μ M solution of HA-Myc-His-tagged NCAM ectodomain in PBS, 1 mM CaCl₂, 1 mM MgCl₂, and 3 mM NaN₃ was passed over the flow cells coupled to FGFR1-Fc or Fc with a flow rate of 30 μ l/min. (B) Solid phase-binding assay. The Fc-tagged ectodomain of FGFR1- α (isoform IIIc; R&D Systems) was immobilized on 96-well plates (0.3 pmol/well) precoated with 0.67 pmol/well of goat anti-human Fc (Sigma-Aldrich). The human Fc fragment alone was also immobilized as a negative control. 0, 5, or 6 μ M HA-Myc-His-tagged NCAM ectodomain in PBS was added in the presence of 1 mM CaCl₂ and 1 mM MgCl₂. The positive control consisted of a Myc-tagged scFv raised against

the ectodomain of FGFR1 (Francavilla et al., 2007) used at 30 nM. The binding of NCAM or anti-FGFR1 scFv to FGFR1 was revealed using anti-Myc monoclonal antibody (9E10) and europium-conjugated goat anti-mouse antibody (PerkinElmer). Europium was revealed using enhancement solution (DEL-FLA; PerkinElmer), and the fluorescence was read at 615 nm in a plate reader (Victor; PerkinElmer). Background signal was determined by omitting the anti-Myc antibody, whereas specific binding was measured by subtracting the values obtained in Fc-coated wells. Data are expressed as mean \pm SD of two experiments performed in triplicate. *, $P < 0.05$. Both surface plasmon resonance and solid phase-binding assays confirmed the binding of NCAM ectodomain to immobilized FGFR1-Fc. (C) NCAM^{-/-} β -tumor cells were stimulated for 10 min with NCAM-Fc, Δ FN2-Fc, or FGF-1. The latter was used because these cells are more responsive to FGF-1 than FGF-2 (Cavallaro et al., 2001). After the treatment, cells were subjected to adhesion assays on collagen IV-coated wells as described previously (Cavallaro et al., 2001). (D) L cells transfected with either an empty vector (L-mock) or with NCAM (L-NCAM; Francavilla et al., 2007) were subjected to adhesion assays on collagen IV either in the presence or in the absence of PD173074. (E) L cells were stimulated for 10 min with FGF-2, NCAM-Fc, Δ FN2-Fc, FGL, or FGL_{mut}. When needed, cells were preincubated with PD173074 or DMSO alone for 2 h before the stimulus. (C–E) Adherent cells were counted and are indicated as a percentage of the control (untreated cells \pm SEM). Results refer to three experiments performed in triplicate. *, $P < 0.005$. (F) HeLa cells were transfected with an empty vector (mock) or NCAM. After serum starvation, cells were stimulated with FGL or NCAM-Fc for 10 min either in the absence or presence of PD173074 before cell lysis and immunoblotting for NCAM (top), phospho-Erk1/2 (middle), and total Erk1/2 (bottom).

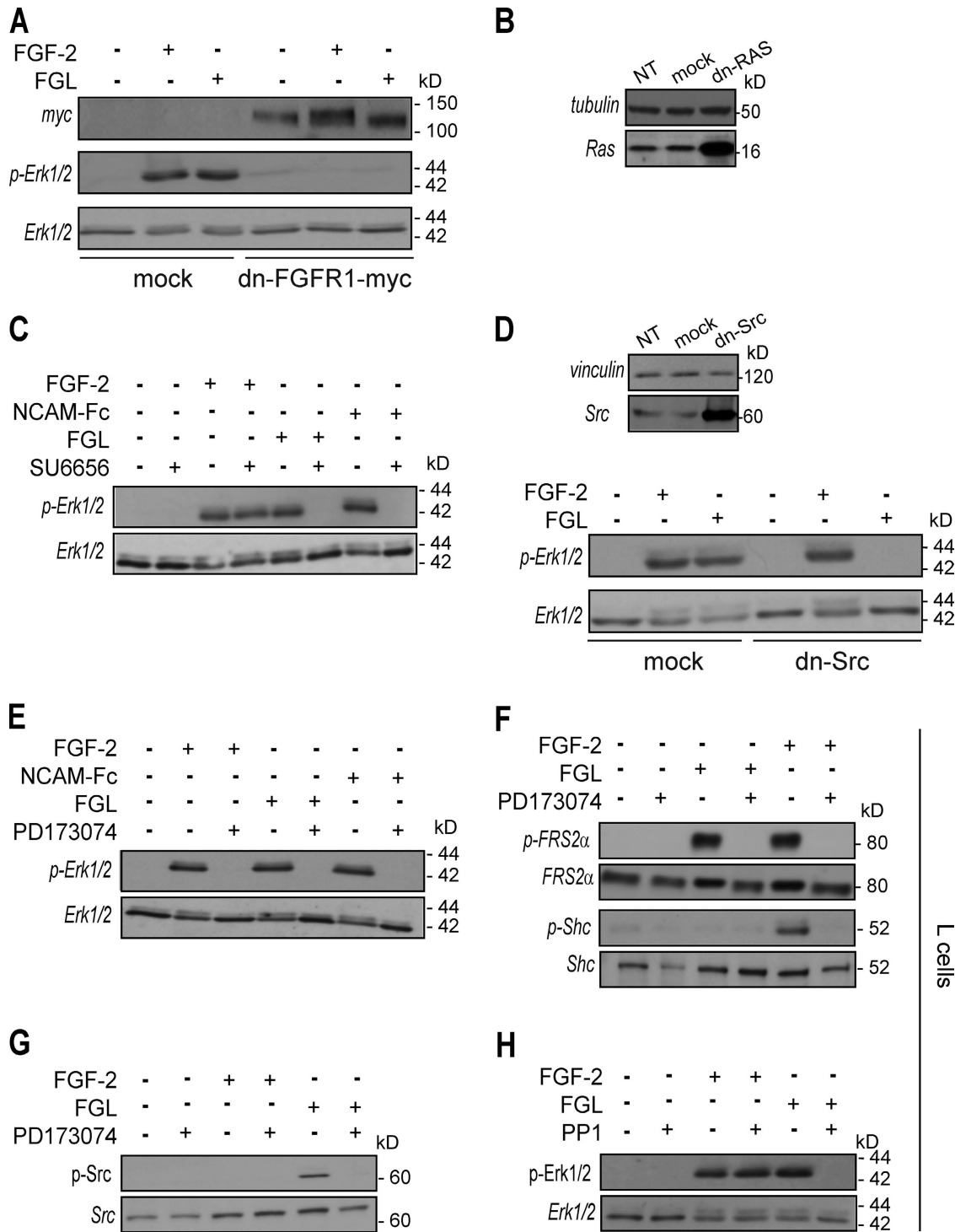


Figure S2. **NCAM and FGF activate distinct FGFR-mediated signaling pathways.** (A) HeLa cells were transfected with an empty vector (mock) or with Myc-tagged dn-FGFR1 (dn-FGFR1-Myc) and stimulated for 10 min with either FGF-2 or FGL. Cells were lysed and immunoblotted for Myc to confirm the ectopic expression of dn-FGFR1-Myc (top) and for phospho (middle)- or total Erk1/2 (bottom). (B) HeLa cells transfected with dn-Ras or with an empty vector (Fig. 1 B) were lysed and immunoblotted for Ras or tubulin. NT, nontransfected. (C) HeLa cells were stimulated for 10 min with FGF-2, FGL, or NCAM-Fc with or without a pretreatment with 20 μ M SU6656. Cells were lysed and immunoblotted for phospho (top)- or total Erk1/2 (bottom). (D) HeLa cells were left untransfected (NT) or transfected either with an empty vector (mock) or dn-Src. Cell extracts were probed for Src to confirm the ectopic expression of dn-Src and vinculin to verify equal loading (top). Cells were stimulated for 10 min with either FGF-2 or FGL followed by immunoblotting for phospho- or total Erk1/2 (bottom). (E–H) L cells were stimulated for 10 min with FGF-2, FGL, or NCAM-Fc with or without a pretreatment with PD173074 for 2 h (E–G) or with PP1 for 30 min (H). Cells were lysed and immunoblotted for phospho-FRS-2 α , phospho-Shc, phospho-Src, and phospho-Erk1/2. The same lysates were immunoblotted for total FRS-2 α , Shc, Src, and Erk1/2 as indicated.

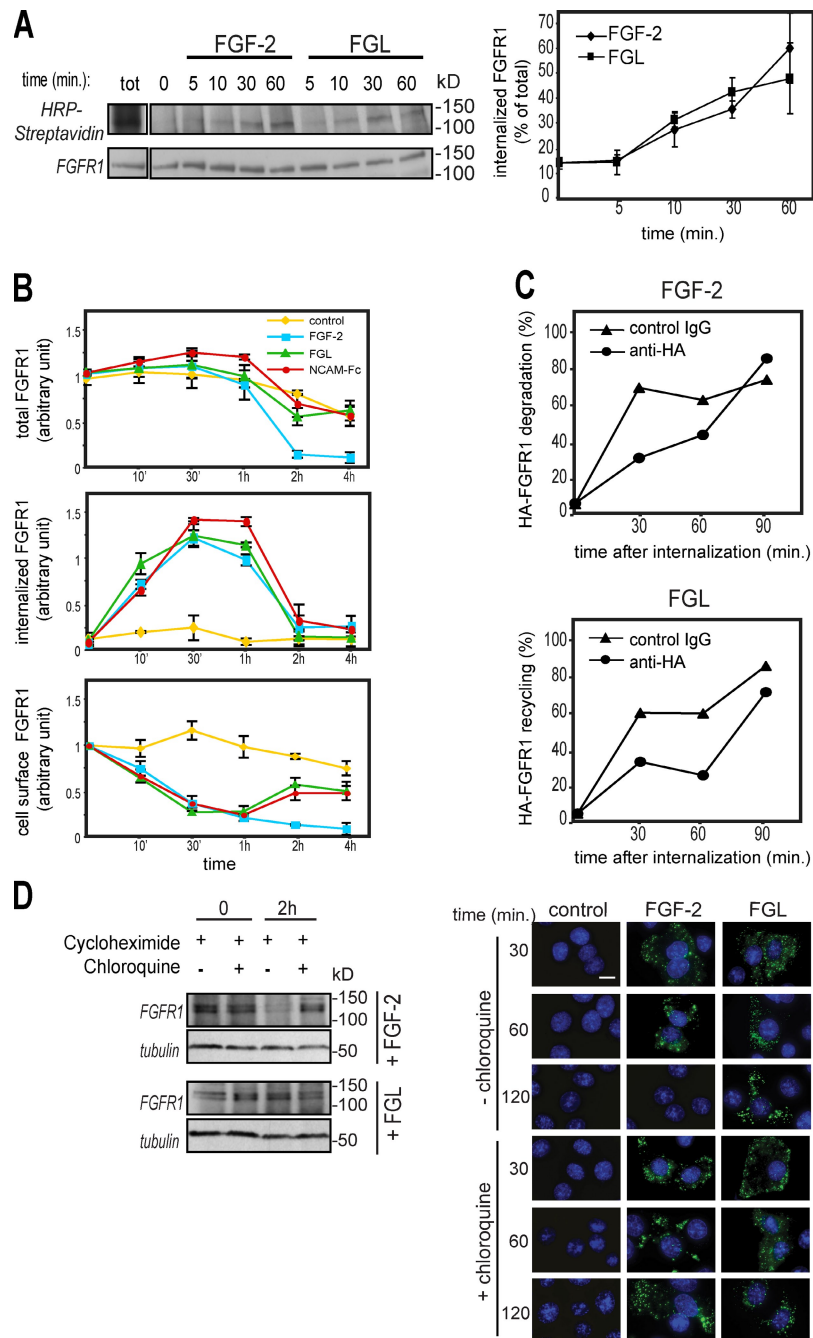


Figure S3. Internalization, degradation, and recycling of FGFR1. (A) The internalization of FGFR1 in cells stimulated with FGF-2 or FGL was measured after cell surface biotinylation, as described in Materials and Methods. The results of a representative experiment (left) and the mean \pm SD from three independent experiments, where the rate of FGFR1 internalization is expressed as a percentage of total FGFR1 (right), are shown. (B) The presence (top), internalization (middle), and recycling (bottom) of HA-FGFR1 in HeLa cells stimulated for the indicated time lengths were quantified as described in Materials and Methods. Values represent the means \pm SD from three independent experiments. (C) HA-FGFR1-transfected HeLa cells were subjected to surface biotinylation and preincubated with the anti-HA antibody or with a control, isotype-matched antibody before stimulation with FGF-2 (top) or FGL (bottom). FGFR1 degradation (top) and recycling (bottom) were determined as described in Materials and Methods and Fig. 3 C. (D, left) HeLa cells were treated with cycloheximide for 2 h in the presence or absence of 0.5 mM chloroquine and stimulated with FGF-2 or FGL for 2 h. Cell lysates were immunoblotted for FGFR1 and tubulin. FGF-2-induced FGFR1 degradation was blocked by chloroquine, whereas no degradation and no effect by chloroquine were observed in FGL-stimulated cells. (right) HA-FGFR1-transfected HeLa cells were treated with anti-HA antibody as described in Fig. 3 A and stimulated with FGF-2 or FGL in the presence or absence of 0.5 mM chloroquine for 30, 60, or 120 min. Cells were acid washed, fixed, permeabilized, and stained with Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated secondary antibody to visualize the internalized HA-FGFR1 (green). After 120 min of FGF-2 stimulation, HA-FGFR1 was no longer detectable in cells not pretreated with chloroquine, whereas it accumulated in chloroquine-treated cells, supporting the notion of lysosomal degradation of FGFR1 upon FGF-2 stimulation. Bar, 10 μ m.

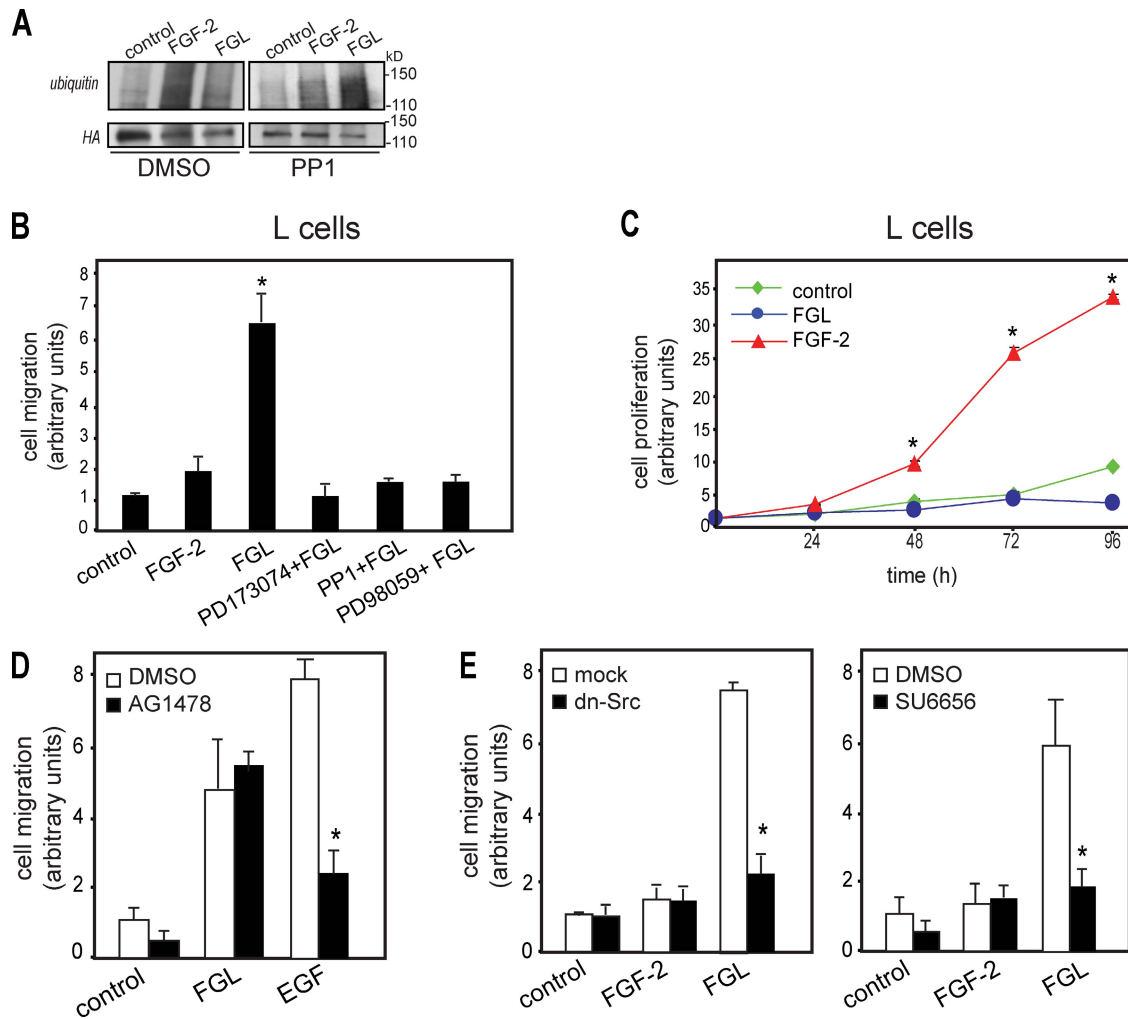


Figure S4. FGF promotes cell proliferation, whereas NCAM induces cell migration via FGFR1, Src, and Erk1/2. (A) HeLa cells transfected with HA-FGFR1 were pretreated with either DMSO or PP1 before stimulation with FGF-2 or FGL. Cell extracts were immunoprecipitated with anti-HA antibody and immunoblotted for ubiquitin (top) or HA (bottom). Src inhibition resulted in FGL inducing ubiquitination of FGFR1 to a comparable level as FGF-2. (B) L cells were stimulated with FGF-2 or FGL alone or in the presence of PD173074, PP1, or PD98059 and subjected to migration assays in modified Boyden chambers as described in Materials and methods. (C) L cells were treated with FGF-2 or FGL for 0–96 h and subjected to cell proliferation assay as described in Materials and methods. (B and C) *, $P < 0.005$ relative to untreated cells. (D) HeLa cells were pretreated with DMSO or AG1478 before migration assays. *, $P < 0.005$ relative to DMSO-treated cells stimulated with EGF. (E, left) HeLa cells were transiently transfected with an empty vector (mock) or dn-Src. (right) Alternatively, cells were pretreated with DMSO or SU6656. Cells were stimulated with FGF-2 or FGL and subjected to migration assay in modified Boyden chambers for 16 h as described in Materials and methods. *, $P < 0.005$ relative to mock-transfected or DMSO-treated cells stimulated with FGL. Src activity was required for FGL-induced cell migration. Data represent the mean \pm SEM from three independent experiments.

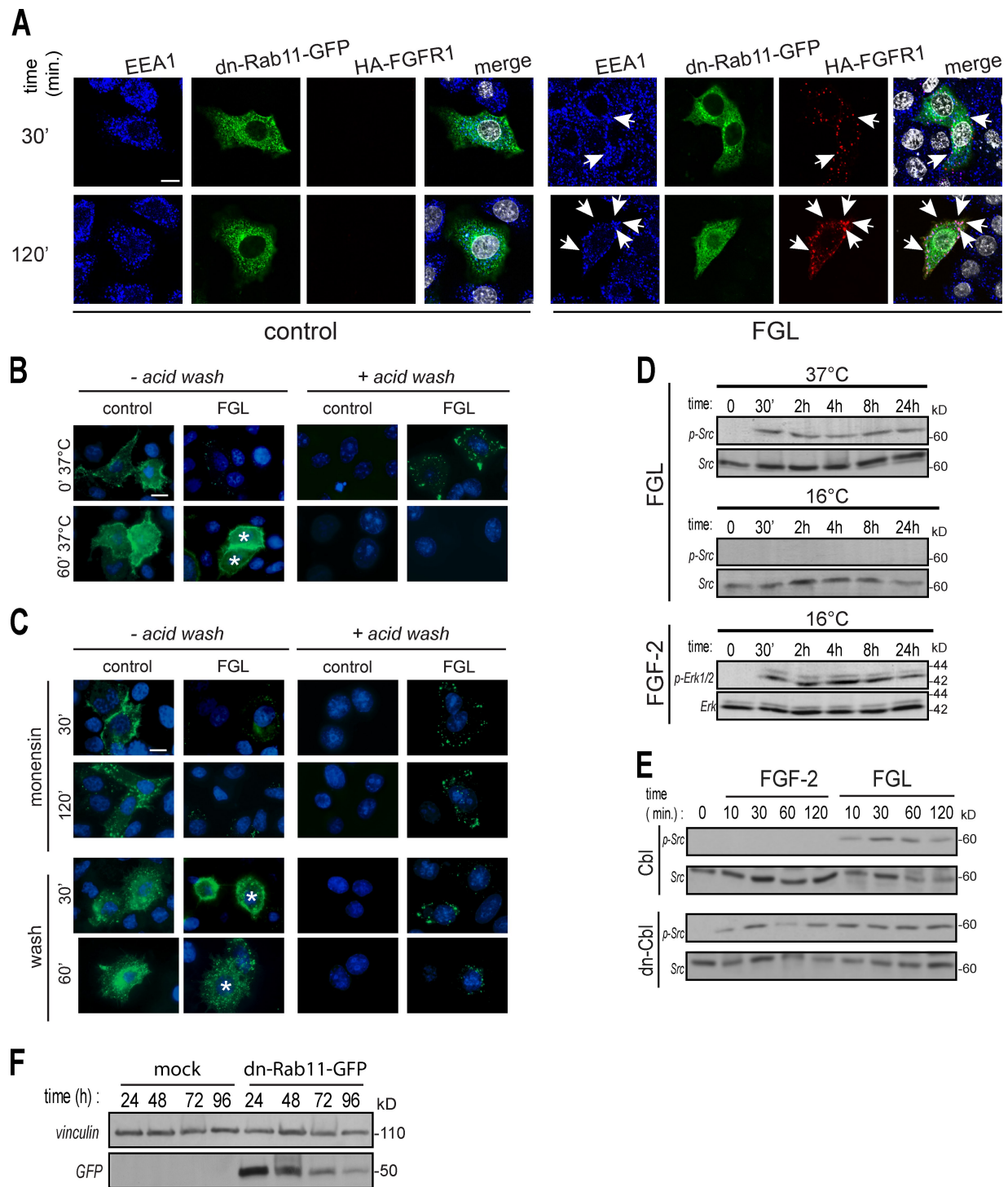
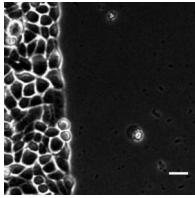
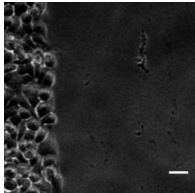


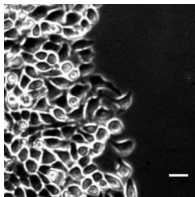
Figure S5. FGFR1 recycling is required for NCAM-induced cell migration. (A) HeLa cells were cotransfected with HA-FGFR1 (red) and dn-Rab11-GFP (green). Cells were stimulated with FGL for 30 or 120 min followed by acidic wash, permeabilization, fixation, and staining for EEA1 (blue). In dn-Rab11-expressing cells, HA-FGFR1 is retained in EEA1-positive early endosomes even at late time points, as revealed by the merge of red and blue staining (arrows). (B) HA-FGFR1-transfected HeLa cells were incubated with anti-HA as described, stimulated with FGL, and incubated at 16°C for 4 h. Half of the samples were either fixed immediately (–acid wash) or acid washed, fixed, and permeabilized (+acid wash), before staining with Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated secondary antibody. The other half was incubated at 37°C for 1 h to allow FGFR1 recycling and either fixed or acid washed, fixed, and permeabilized. FGFR1 recycling was observed only upon reincubation of cells at 37°C (asterisks). (C) HA-FGFR1-transfected HeLa cells were treated with anti-HA as described and stimulated with FGL for 30 or 120 min in the presence of 100 μ M monensin. The samples were either fixed (–acid wash) or acid washed, fixed, and permeabilized (+acid wash) before staining with Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated secondary antibody (monensin). Part of the samples treated for 120 min with FGL was extensively washed with medium and put back at 37°C for an additional 30 or 60 min to allow FGFR1 recycling (wash). Cells were either fixed or acid washed, fixed, and permeabilized before staining with Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated secondary antibody. FGFR1 recycling was observed only upon removal of monensin (asterisks). Thus, both temperature shift and monensin treatment blocked HA-FGFR1 recycling. (D) HeLa cells were incubated either at 37 or at 16°C and stimulated with FGL or FGF-2 for the indicated time intervals. (top and middle) Cell lysates were immunoblotted for phospho- or total Src. (bottom) Cells incubated at 16°C were also stimulated with FGF-2 for the indicated time intervals followed by cell lysis and immunob-



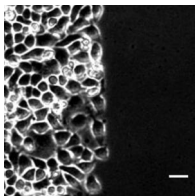
Video 1. **Migration of control HeLa cells.** HeLa cells were subjected to monolayer-wounding assays. Phase-contrast time-lapse video microscopy was performed at the wound edge. Frames were taken every 15 min for a total of 24 h. The display rate is 12 frames per second. Bar, 30 μ m.



Video 2. **Migration of FGF-2-stimulated HeLa cells.** HeLa cells were subjected to monolayer-wounding assays and stimulated with FGF-2. Phase-contrast time-lapse video microscopy was performed at the wound edge. Frames were taken every 15 min for a total of 24 h. The display rate is 12 frames per second. Bar, 30 μ m.



Video 3. **Migration of FGL-stimulated HeLa cells.** HeLa cells were subjected to monolayer-wounding assays and stimulated with FGL. Phase-contrast time-lapse video microscopy was performed at the wound edge. Frames were taken every 15 min for a total of 24 h. The display rate is 12 frames per second. Bar, 30 μ m.



Video 4. **Migration of NCAM-Fc-stimulated HeLa cells.** HeLa cells were subjected to monolayer-wounding assays and stimulated with NCAM-Fc. Phase-contrast time-lapse video microscopy was performed at the wound edge. Frames were taken every 15 min for a total of 24 h. The display rate is 12 frames per second. Bar, 30 μ m.

lotting for phospho- or total Erk1/2. NCAM-induced sustained activation of Src was lost at 16°C. In contrast, FGF-2 retained its ability to induce Erk1/2 activation, confirming that the temperature shift had no effect on FGFR intrinsic activity. (E) HeLa cells stably transfected with either Cbl or dn-Cbl were stimulated with FGF-2 or FGL for the indicated time intervals. Cell lysates were immunoblotted for phospho- or total Src. In dn-Cbl-expressing cells, FGF-2 induced the sustained activation of Src. (F) HeLa cells were transfected with an empty vector or GFP-tagged dn-Rab11, and the expression of the transgene at the indicated time points was monitored by immunoblotting of cell lysates for GFP using vinculin as a loading control. The expression of dn-Rab11 was maintained throughout the 96-h period. Bars, 10 μ m.

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