

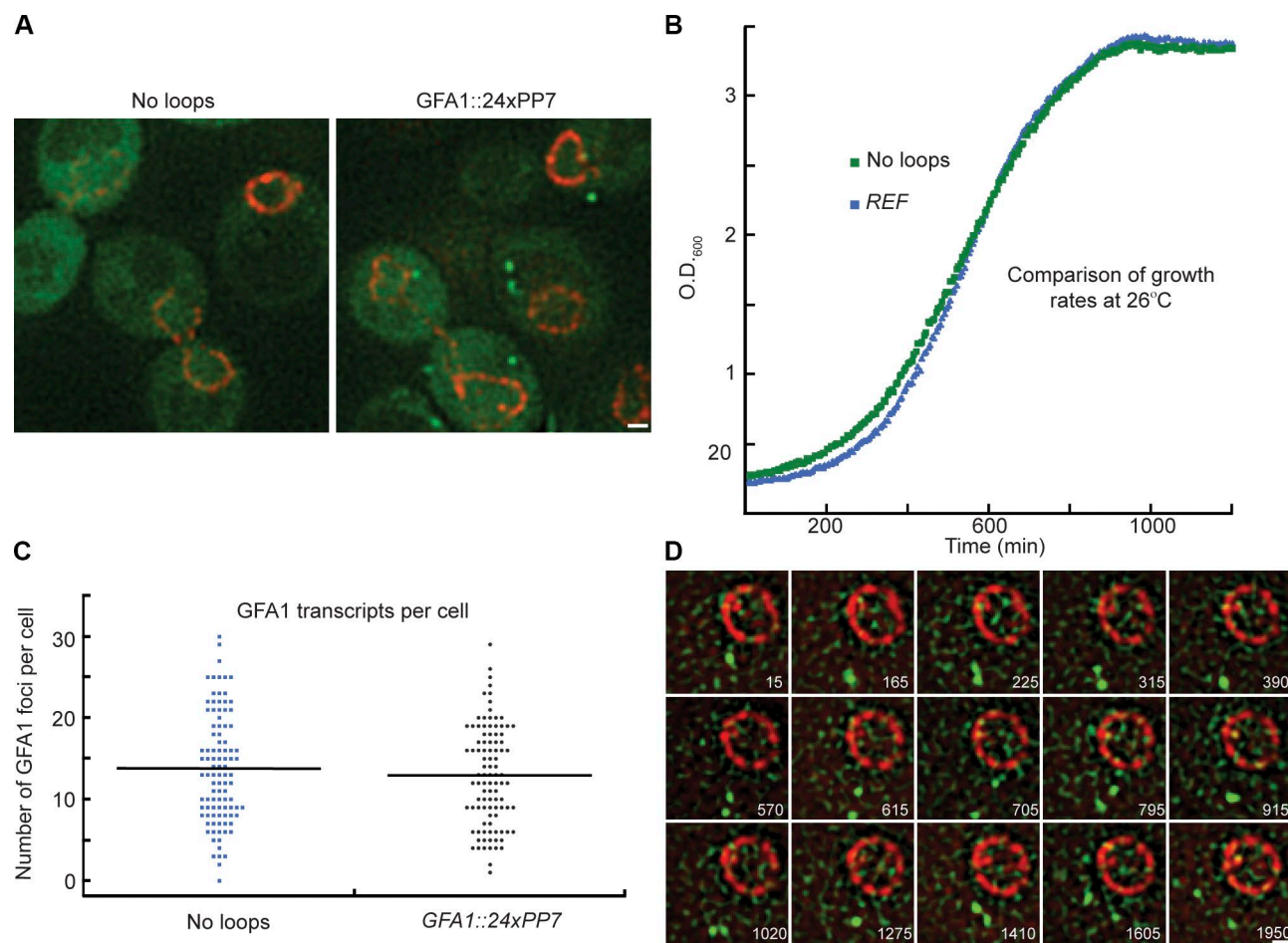
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Figure S1. **REF strain characterization.** (A) Comparison of PP7-CP-3xYFP localization in a strain with no PP7 stem loops (BMY642) and the REF strain with GFA1-24xPP7. (B) Growth curves of a control strain with no PP7 stem loops (BMY642) and the REF strain with GFA1-24xPP7 at 26°C. The data shown are from a single representative experiment out of three repeats. (C) Dot plot shows the number of GFA1 mRNAs per cell observed using single-molecule FISH probes against GFA1 in a strain with no PP7 stem loops (BMY642) and the REF strain at 26°C, with the mean denoted by a black line ($n = 100$ cells). (D) Selected nonconsecutive frames showing the splitting and merging of cytoplasmic particles in a REF cell (see Video 1) with the time from the start of the event given in the bottom right of each image in milliseconds. Bars, 1 μ m.

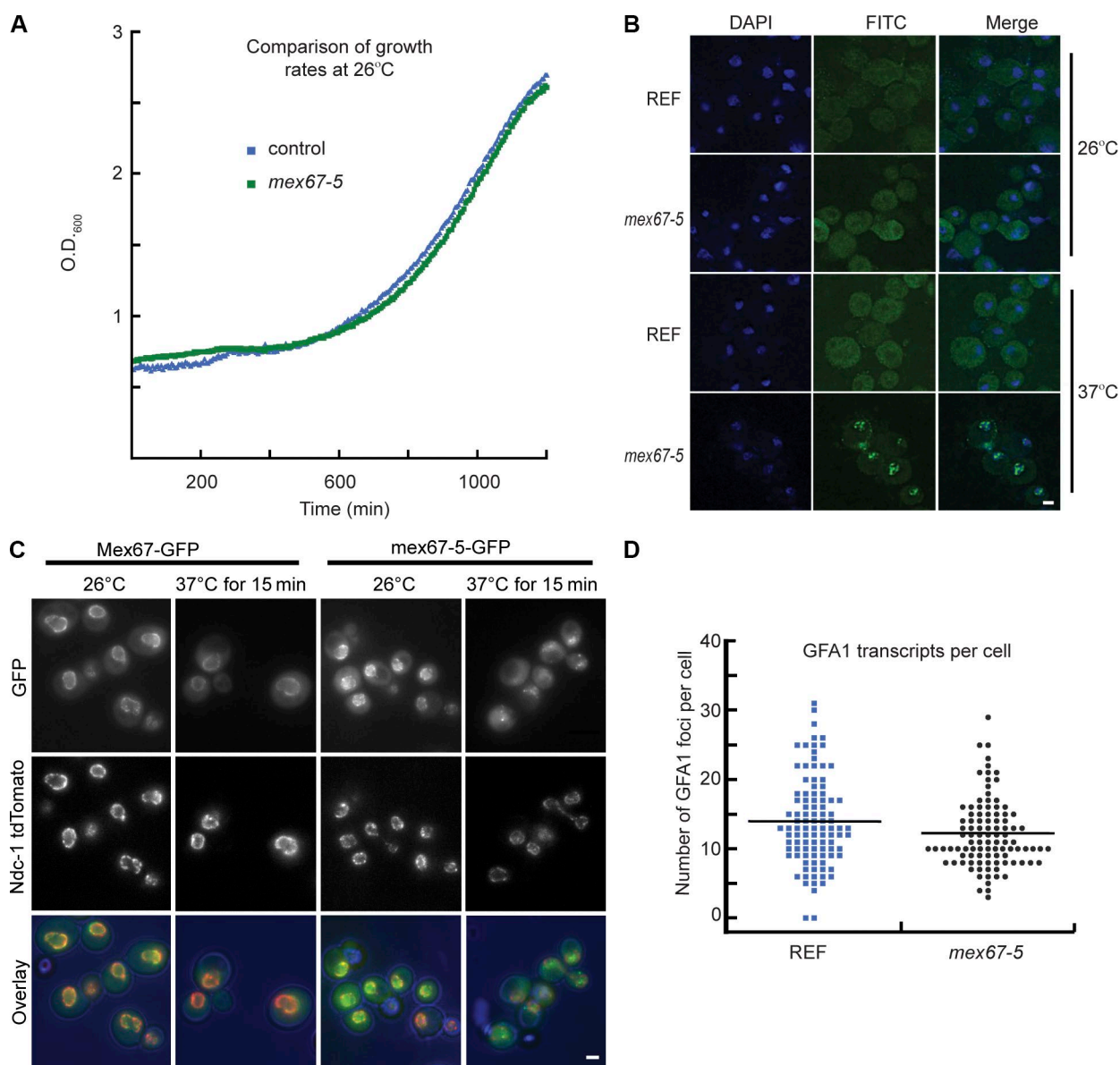
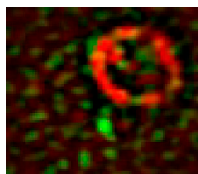
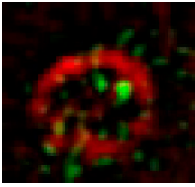


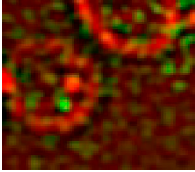
Figure S2. ***mex67-5* strain characterization.** (A) Growth curves of control (BMY129) and *mex67-5* (BMY135) strains at 26°C. The data shown are from a single representative experiment out of five repeats. (B) Representative images showing poly(A)-RNA localization in the *REF* and *mex67-5* strains at 26°C and 37°C. FISH was performed using a FITC-labeled oligo-(dT) probe, and DNA was stained with DAPI. (C) GFP-tagged Mex67 localization in control (KWW5566) and *mex67-5* (KWW5567) strains at 26°C and 37°C as compared with Ndc1-tdTomato. Overlay displays the green and red channels as well as the bright field image. (D) Dot plot shows the number of *GFA1* mRNAs per cell in logarithmically growing *REF* (14 ± 6) and *mex67-5* (12 ± 5) strains at 26°C determined by single-molecule FISH with the mean denoted by a black line ($n = 100$ cells). Bars, 1 μ m.



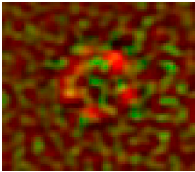
Video 1. ***GFA1* mRNP observed to split and merge.** Video shows a cytoplasmic *GFA1* mRNP with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green) in *REF* cells. The particle splits and merges, suggesting that multiple *GFA1* mRNAs can assembly together. NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNP export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji. Data for Fig. S1 D were taken from this event.



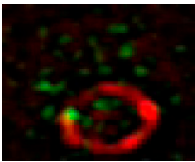
Video 2. **Successful *GFA1* mRNP export event in *REF* cells.** Video shows an example of a successful export event based on tracking of a *GFA1* mRNP with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green). NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNP export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji. Data for Fig. 2 A were taken from this event.



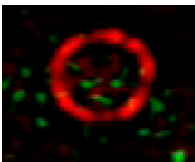
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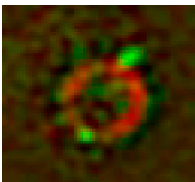
Video 4. **Successful *GFA1* mRNP export event in *REF* cells.** Video shows an example of a successful export event based on tracking of a *GFA1* mRNP with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green). NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNP export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji.



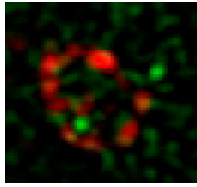
Video 5. **Local NE scanning.** Video shows an example of a *GFA1* mRNP with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green) docking with the same local area of the NE. NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNP export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji. Data for Fig. 2 B were taken from this event.



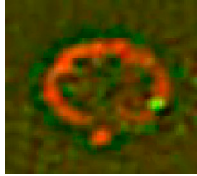
Video 6. **Distributive NE scanning.** Video shows an example of a *GFA1* mRNP with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green) docking with the NE distributed over a large area. NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNP export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji. Data for Fig. 2 C were taken from this event.



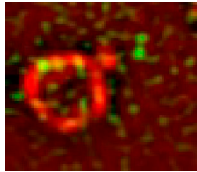
Video 7. **Extended mRNP interactions with the NE in *mex67-5*.** Video shows two *GFA1* mRNPs with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green) engaged with the NE that persists for the entire length of the 7.5-s video in a *mex67-5* cell. NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNP export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji. Data for Fig. 3 B were taken from this event.



Video 8. **Successful GFA1 mRNA export event in *mex67-5* cells.** Video shows an example of a successful export event based on tracking of a GFA1 mRNA with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green) from the nucleus to the cytoplasm. NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNA export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji. Data for Fig. 4 A were taken from this event.



Video 9. **Successful GFA1 mRNA export event in *mex67-5* cells.** Video shows an example of a successful export event based on tracking of a GFA1 mRNA with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green) from the nucleus to the cytoplasm. NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNA export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji.



Video 10. **Failed mRNA export in a *mex67-5* cell.** Video shows a retrograde transport event based on tracking of a GFA1 mRNA with 24xPP7 loops in the 3' UTR bound by PP7-CP-3xYFP (green) from the cytoplasmic side of the NE back to the nucleus. NPCs are marked by Ndc1-tdTomato (red). Images were acquired using a custom dual channel setup (see Materials and methods section Live cell imaging of mRNA export and image processing) at a frame rate of 67 Hz, equaling a time resolution of 15 ms. Video is provided at a 5x reduced rate (13 Hz). Image processing for visual analysis was performed using Fiji. Data for Fig. 4 C were taken from this event.

Table S1. **Summary of dwell time analysis for successful mRNA export events**

	REF (n = 43)	<i>mex67-5</i> (n = 9)
Mean export time—dwell time analysis	188 ± 27	ND
Mean export time—MLE	215 ± 33	ND
Mean nuclear docking time during export—dwell time analysis	32 ± 5	362 ± 121
Mean nuclear docking time during export—MLE	39 ± 6	202 ± 67
Mean transition time during export—dwell time analysis	87 ± 13	406 ± 135
Mean transition time during export—MLE	99 ± 15	383 ± 128
Mean cytoplasmic docking time during export—dwell time analysis	62 ± 10	1,258 ± 419
Mean cytoplasmic docking time during export—MLE	77 ± 12	943 ± 314

All times reported in milliseconds. Reported errors are the SEM.

Table S2. **Yeast strains used in this study**

Name	Genotype	Reference
BMV008	BY4743 (MATa/Matr his3Δ1/his3Δ1 leu2Δ0/leu2Δ0 LYS2/lys2Δ0 met15Δ0/MET15 ura3Δ0/ura3Δ0)	Brachmann et al., 1998
BMV083	BY4743 (MATa/Matr his3Δ1/his3Δ1 leu2Δ0/leu2Δ0 LYS2/lys2Δ0 met15Δ0/MET15 ura3Δ0/ura3Δ0) GFA1-24xPP7/GFA1-24xPP7 NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX/NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX + [pBM242]	This study
BMV129	BY4743 (MATa/Matr his3Δ1/his3Δ1 leu2Δ0/leu2Δ0 LYS2/lys2Δ0 met15Δ0/MET15 ura3Δ0/ura3Δ0) NAT MX::DBP5/NATMX::DBP5 GFA1-24xPP7/GFA1-24xPP7 NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX/NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX + [pBM242]	This study
BMV135	BY4743 (MATa/Matr his3Δ1/his3Δ1 leu2Δ0/leu2Δ0 LYS2/lys2Δ0 met15Δ0/MET15 ura3Δ0/ura3Δ0) <i>mex67-5</i> ::NATMX/ <i>mex67-5</i> ::NATMX GFA1-24xPP7/GFA1-24xPP7 NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX/ NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX + [pBM242]	This study
BMV642	BY4743 (MATa/Matr his3Δ1/his3Δ1 leu2Δ0/leu2Δ0 LYS2/lys2Δ0 met15Δ0/MET15 ura3Δ0/ura3Δ0) NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX/NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX + [pBM242]	This study
KWY5566	BY4741 (MATa his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 ura3Δ0) MEX67-EGFP::HIS3MX GFA1-24xPP7 NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX	This study
KWY5567	BY4741 (MATa his3Δ1 leu2Δ0 met15Δ0 ura3Δ0) <i>mex67-5</i> EGFP::HIS3MX GFA1-24xPP7 NDC1-tdTomato::KanMX	This study

Table S3. **Plasmids used in this study**

Name	Description	Reference
pKT178	<i>pFA6a-link-tdimer2-KanMX</i> (integrative plasmid, SP6 promoter for C-terminal tdimer2 protein fusion with KanMX-based selection)	Sheff and Thorn, 2004
pBM242	<i>pRS313-P_{MET}-PP7-CP-3xYFP</i> (HIS3 CEN plasmid, MET17 promoter for PP7-CP-3xYFP expression)	This study
pDZ417	<i>pDZ417-24xPP7-loxP-KanMX-loxP</i> (integrative plasmid, T7 promoter for 24xPP7-loxP-KanMX-loxP cassette integration)	Hocine et al., 2013
pYM28	<i>pFA6-yEGFP-HIS3MX</i> (integrative plasmid, SP6 promoter for C-terminal yEGFP protein fusion with HIS3MX-based selection)	Janke et al., 2004
pSH47	<i>pRS416-GAL1-Cre</i> (URA3 CEN plasmid, GAL1 promoter for Cre recombinase expression)	Güldener et al., 1996

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