

Supplemental Information For

**SMC translocation is unaffected by an excess of nucleoid associated proteins
in vivo**

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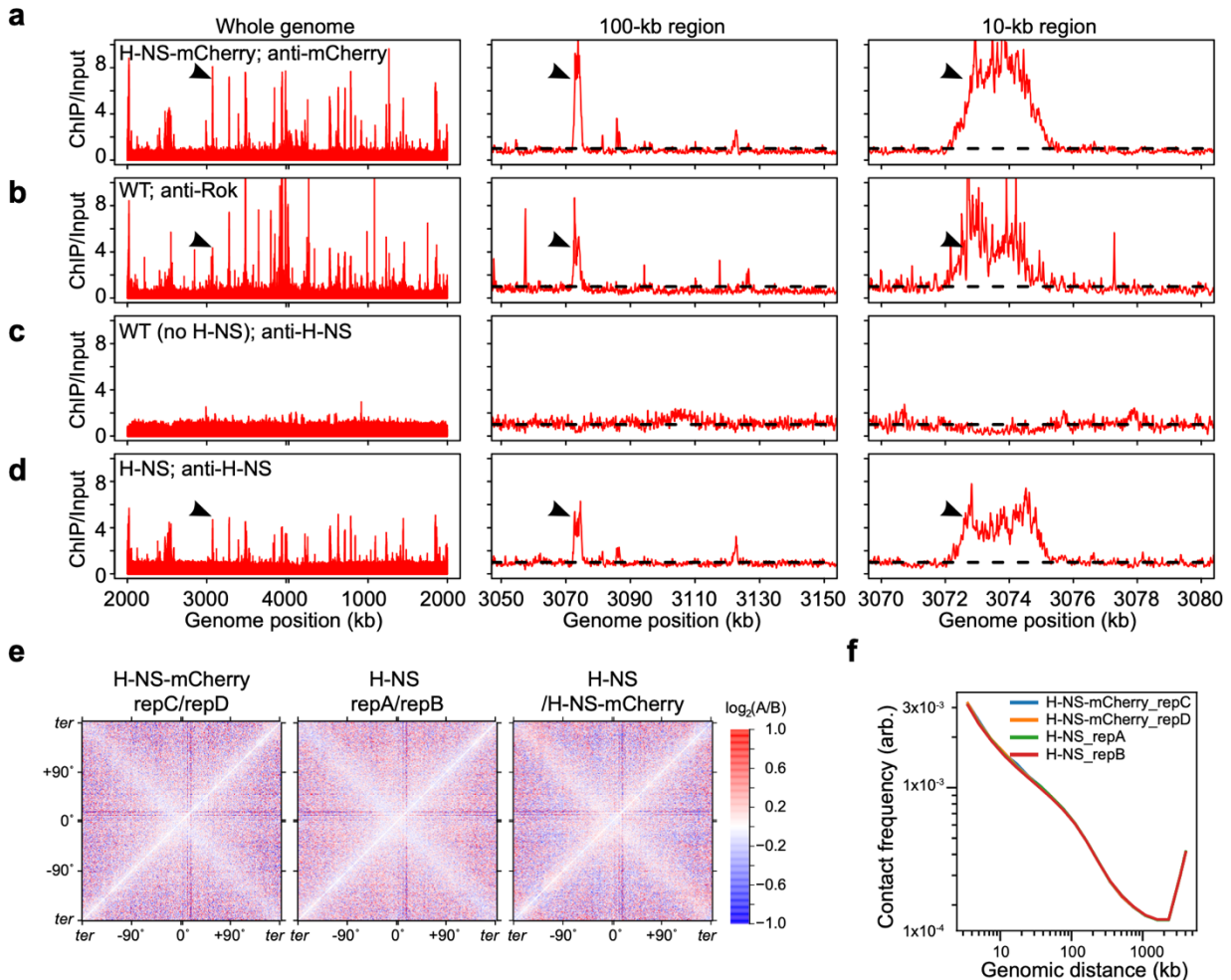


Figure S1. mCherry tag does not affect H-NS function.

(a-d) ChIP-seq results of indicated strains. The x-axis shows genome positions, and the y-axis indicates ChIP enrichment (ChIP/input). Sequencing reads from ChIP and input samples were normalized to the total number of reads before plotting. Left panel: ChIP-seq profiles of the whole genome in 1-kb bins. Middle and right panels: High-resolution plots of a 100-kb region (3150-3150 kb) and a 10-kb region (3070-3080 kb), both of which were plotted in 100-bp bins. **(a)** Anti-mCherry ChIP-seq on H-NS-mCherry (BW5256). H-NS-mCherry expression was induced using 0.5% xylose for 90 min. **(b)** Anti-Rok ChIP-seq on WT *B. subtilis* PY79. **(c)** Anti-H-NS ChIP-seq on WT *B. subtilis* PY79, which did not express the H-NS protein. **(d)** Anti-H-NS ChIP-seq on *B. subtilis* PY79 expressing H-NS (BW5864). H-NS expression was induced using 0.5% xylose for 90 min. **(e)** Log₂ ratio plots comparing different Hi-C matrices. Log₂(matrix 1/matrix 2) was calculated and plotted in the heatmaps. Identities of matrix 1/ matrix 2 are shown at the top of each plot. The color scale is shown at the right of panel **(e)**. **(f)** Contact probability decay $P_c(s)$ curves of H-NS-mCherry (BW5490) and H-NS (BW5864). Two biological replicates of each strain were analyzed.

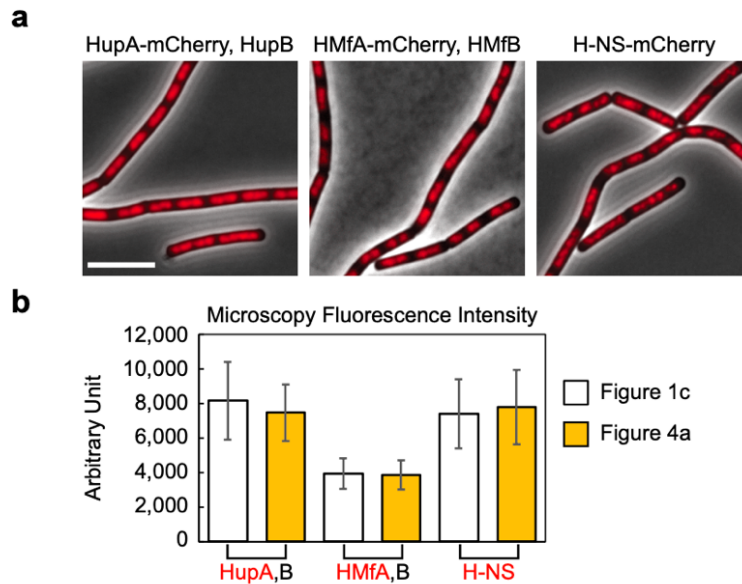


Figure S2. Exogenous DNA-binding proteins localize to the nucleoid.

(a) Fluorescence microscopy of *B. subtilis* expressing the indicated proteins in the strains that were used to measure SMC translocation rates in **Figure 4**. The HupA-mCherry/HupB heterodimer (BW5602), the HMfA-mCherry/HMfB heterodimer (BW5603), and H-NS-mCherry (BW5663) were induced with 0.5% xylose for 90 min. The scale bar represents 4 μ m. **(b)** Comparison of fluorescence intensity. Fluorescence intensities of the HupA-mCherry/HupB heterodimer (BW5598 and BW5602), the HMfA-mCherry/HMfB heterodimer (BW5600 and BW5603), and H-NS-mCherry (BW5256 and BW5663) were quantified. BW5598, BW5600 and BW5256 were used in Figure 1; BW5602, BW5603 and BW5663 were used in Figure 4. Red writing indicates the proteins that are tagged with mCherry. The mean pixel intensities were plotted as histograms. Error bars indicate the standard deviation of pixel intensity.

Table S1. Strains used in this study

Strain	Genotype	Reference	Figures
BWX523	<i>sacA::hbsu-mcherry Kan</i>	This study	1bcd, 2b
BWX5269	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hupA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1bcd, 2c
BWX5271	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hupB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1bcd, 2d
BWX5598	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hupA-mcherry phleo, yuxG::Pxyl hupB erm</i>	This study	1bcd, 2e, S2b
BWX5256	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hns-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1bcd, 2f, S1a, S2b
BWX5427	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hmfA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1bcd, 2g
BWX5429	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hmfB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1bcd, 2h
BWX5600	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hmfA-mcherry phleo, yuxG::Pxyl hmfB erm</i>	This study	1bcd, 2i, S2b
BWX5560	<i>yhdG::Pxyl mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1c
BWX5947	<i>yhdG::Pxyl nbhmfA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1c
BWX5949	<i>yhdG::Pxyl nbhmfB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	1c
PY79	<i>wild-type</i>	¹	2a, S1bc
BWX5492	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., -1° parS no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hupA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	3a
BWX5494	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., -1° parS no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hupB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	3a
BWX5496	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., -1° parS no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hmfA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	3a
BWX5498	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., -1° parS no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hmfB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	3a
BWX3370	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., wt parS in spo0J no a.b.</i>	²	3a-c
BWX5556	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., -1° parS no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hupA-mcherry phleo, yuxG::Pxyl hupB erm</i>	This study	3a-c
BWX5558	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., -1° parS no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hmfA-mcherry, yuxG::Pxyl hmfB erm</i>	This study	3a-c
BWX5490	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., -1° parS no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hns-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	3a-c, S1ef
BWX4070	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., Δspo0J spec (no loxP), wt parS in spo0J, yvbJ::Pspank (optRBS) spo0J ΔparS cat</i>	³	4ab
BWX5602	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., Δspo0J spec (no loxP), wt parS in spo0J, yvbJ::Pspank (optRBS) spo0J ΔparS cat, yhdG::Pxyl hupA-mcherry phleo, yuxG::Pxyl hupB erm</i>	This study	4ab, S2ab
BWX5603	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., Δspo0J spec (no loxP), wt parS in spo0J, yvbJ::Pspank (optRBS) spo0J ΔparS cat, yhdG::Pxyl hmfA-mcherry phleo, yuxG::Pxyl hmfB erm</i>	This study	4ab, S2ab
BWX5663	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., Δspo0J spec (no loxP), wt parS in spo0J, yvbJ::Pspank (optRBS) spo0J ΔparS cat, yhdG::Pxyl hns-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	4ab, S2ab
BWX5864	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., wt parS in spo0J no a.b., yhdG::Pxyl hns phleo</i>	This study	S1def
Strains used to build strains			
BWX5502	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., Δspo0J spec, wt parS in spo0J, yvbJ::Pspank (optRBS) spo0J ΔparS cat, yhdG::Pxyl hupA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	
BWX5506	<i>parSΔ9 no a.b., Δspo0J spec, wt parS in spo0J, yvbJ::Pspank (optRBS) spo0J ΔparS cat, yhdG::Pxyl hmfA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study	
BWX5549	<i>yuxG::Pxyl hupB erm</i>	This study	
BWX5551	<i>yuxG::Pxyl hmfB erm</i>	This study	
BWX5843	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hns phleo</i>	This study	

Table S2. Plasmids used in this study

Plasmid	Description	Reference
pWX722	<i>yvbJ::Pspank (optRBS) spo0J ΔparS cat</i>	³
pWX981	<i>ycgO::PftsW hns-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX991	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hns-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX993	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hupA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX994	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hupB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX1001	<i>ycgO::PftsW hupA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX1002	<i>ycgO::PftsW hupB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX1072	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hmfA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX1073	<i>yhdG::Pxyl hmfB-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX1180	<i>yuxG Pxyl hupB erm</i>	This study
pWX1181	<i>yuxG Pxyl hmfB erm</i>	This study
pWX1182	<i>yhdG::Pxyl mcherry phleo</i>	This study
pWX1252	<i>yuxG::Pxyl hns erm</i>	This study
pWX1270	<i>yhdG::Pxyl nbhmfA-mcherry phleo</i>	This study
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Table S3. Oligonucleotides used in this study

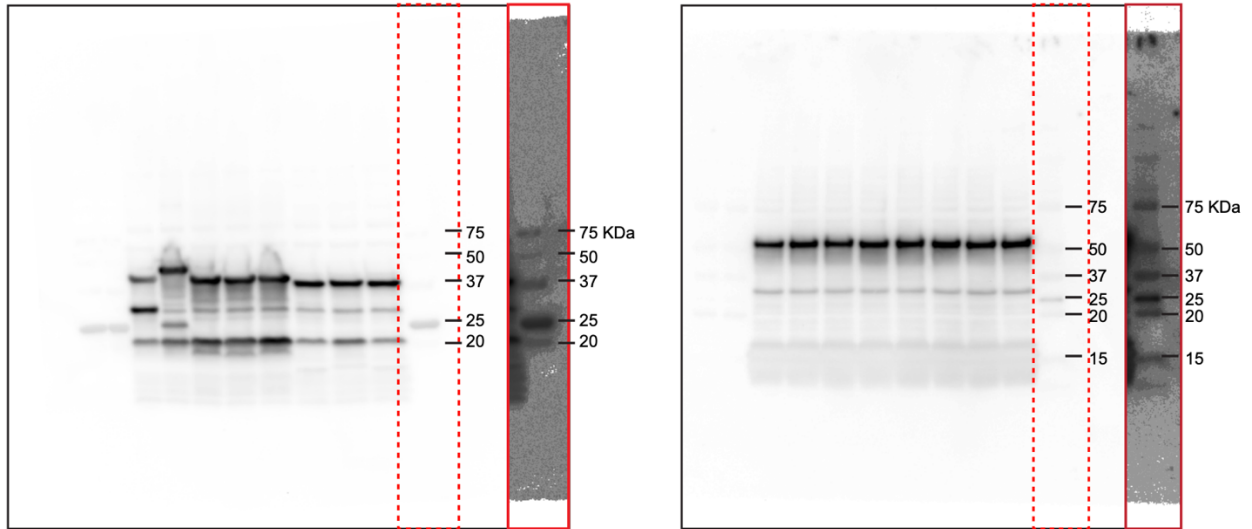
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odr829	CATCAAATCTTACAAATGTAG	sequencing
oML87	CCAGAAGTTTCTCAGAGTCGG	sequencing
oWX486	GCCGCTCTAGCTAAGCAGAAGGC	sequencing
oWX1894	ACATAGTACATAGCGAATCTTCCC	sequencing
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oWX3650	GAGCTCGAGGCCTGATCCGCCAGATCCTTCTTGAAACGGCGAACT GCCAAC	pWX1271

Table S4. Next Generation Sequencing samples used in this study

Sample name	Figure	Reference	Identifier
Wang_ChIP_antiHBSu_BWX523	2a	This study	GSM8326547
Wang_ChIP_antimCherry_BWX523	2b, S1a	This study	GSM8326548
Wang_ChIP_antimCherry_BWX5269	2c	This study	GSM8326550
Wang_ChIP_antimCherry_BWX5271	2d	This study	GSM8326551
Wang_ChIP_antimCherry_BWX5598	2e	This study	GSM8326552
Wang_ChIP_antimCherry_BWX5256	2f, S1a	This study	GSM8326549
Wang_ChIP_antimCherry_BWX5427	2g	This study	GSM8326553
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Wang_WGS_BWX5427	2g	This study	GSM8326561
Wang_WGS_BWX5429	3h	This study	GSM8326562
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Wang_HiC_BWX5864_repB	S1e	This study	GSM8326600

Supplementary Uncropped Gels



Left gel: Western Blotting using anti-mCherry antibodies

Right gel: Western Blotting using anti-SigA antibodies

Lanes:

- ladder
- ladder
- BWX523
- BWX5256
- BWX5269
- BWX5271
- BWX5598
- BWX5427
- BWX5429
- BWX5600
- ladder

To label the molecular weight of the bands, we adjusted the image contrast of the right-most lane containing the protein ladder (regions in the red-dotted boxes) to generate the images in the red solid boxes on the right. The protein ladder was Precision Plus Protein Dual Color Standards (Bio-Rad 161-0347).

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