

Supplemental Figures and Tables

Cullin-3 Regulates the Renal Baroreceptor Machinery that Controls Renin Gene Expression

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Supplemental Tables and Figures

Table S1: Kidney Function

Kidney Function	Control; n=10*	S-CUL3KO; n=15	P values
Diuresis, ml/day	0.67±0.13	0.49±0.05	0.2513
Na, mmol/day	0.15±0.02	0.15±0.03	0.9539
K, mmol/day	0.20±0.02	0.20±0.04	0.8759
Na/Creatinine	37±4	44±6	0.3408
K/Creatinine	52±7	57±4	0.5914
Albumin, mg/day	0.48±0.10	0.29±0.08	0.1469
Albumin/Creatinine	0.77±0.20	0.74±0.19	0.8938

*Control group – SMC-CRE+Tx or S-CUL3KO+corn oil

Table S1: Kidney function was measured six weeks after tamoxifen. P values are from a two-tailed T-test.

Table S2: Transcutaneous Glomerular Filtration Rate

Kidney Function	Control; n=11*	S-CUL3KO; n=11	P value
tGFR, μ l/min	1067 \pm 76	1083 \pm 93	0.8893

Control group – SMC-CRE+Tx or S-CUL3KO+corn oil

Table S2: Transcutaneous glomerular filtration rate (tGFR) was measured three weeks after tamoxifen.

Table S3: Food and Water Intake.

Intake	Control; n=10*	S-CUL3KO; n=15	P value
Water, ml/day	3.69±0.33	4.03±0.39	0.4960
Food, mg/day	2.95±0.15	3.15±0.23	0.4807

*Control group – SMC-CRE+Tx or S-CUL3KO+corn oil

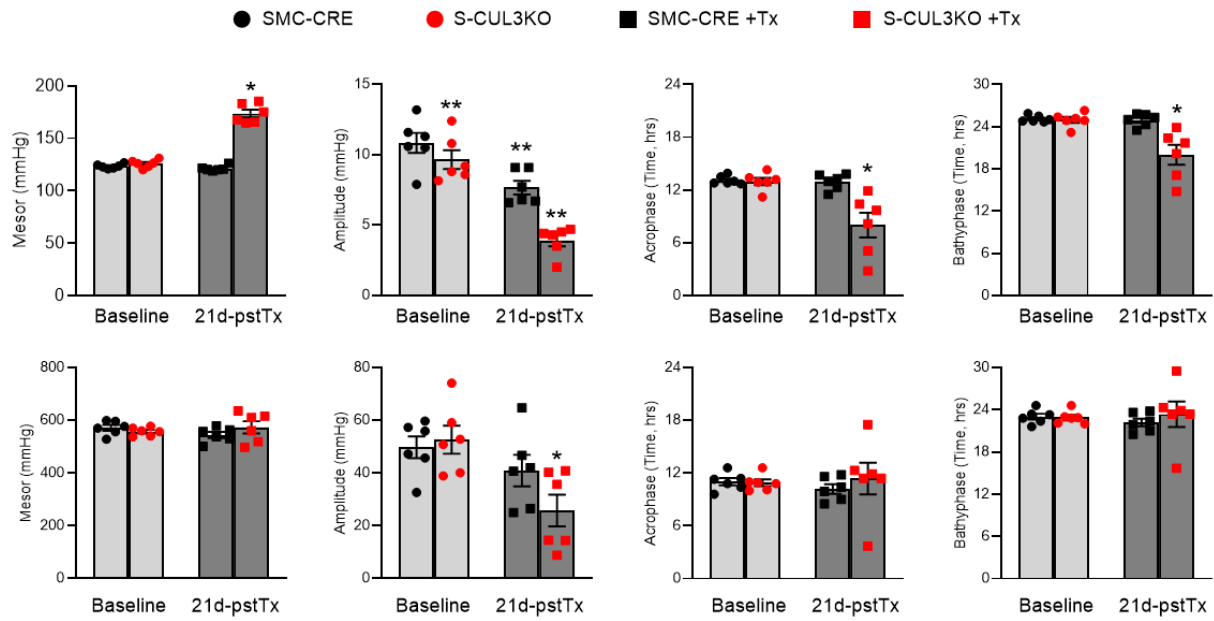


Figure S1. Cosinor Analysis of BP and HR. A cosinor analysis of SBP and HR was performed in a selection of 6 SMC-CRE and 6 S-CUL3KO at baseline and 21-days after Tx treatment. The same mice were analyzed before and after. *, P < 0.05 S-CUL3KO +Tx vs SMC-CRE. **, P < 0.05 all groups vs SMC-CRE.

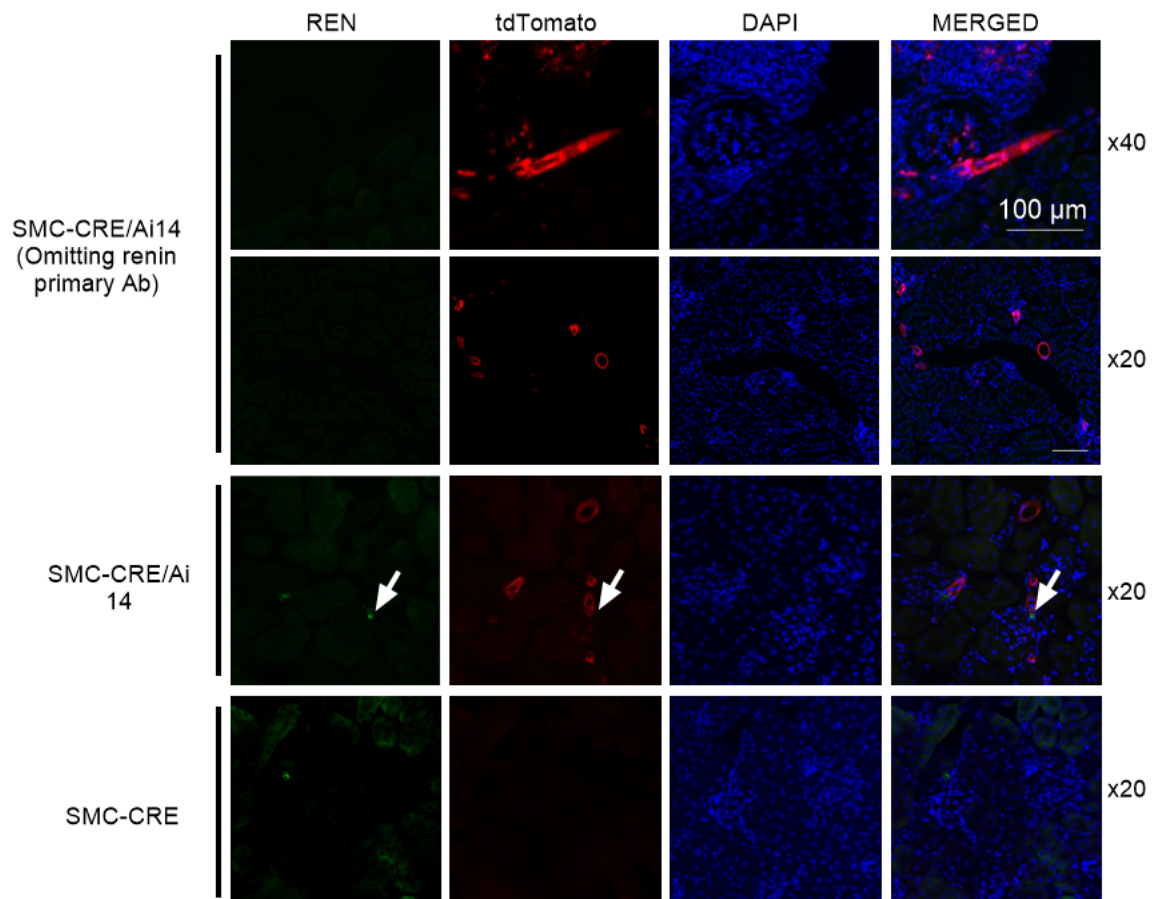


Figure S2. *SMC-CRE Activity in JG Cells.* Cre activity was evaluated by tdTomato (red) expression with dual immunofluorescence targeting *Ren1* (green) in SMC-CRE X Ai14 reporter mice. Top panel represents sections with the primary antibody targeting renin omitted. Bottom panels are additional sections illustrating Cre activity in renin-expressing JG cells.

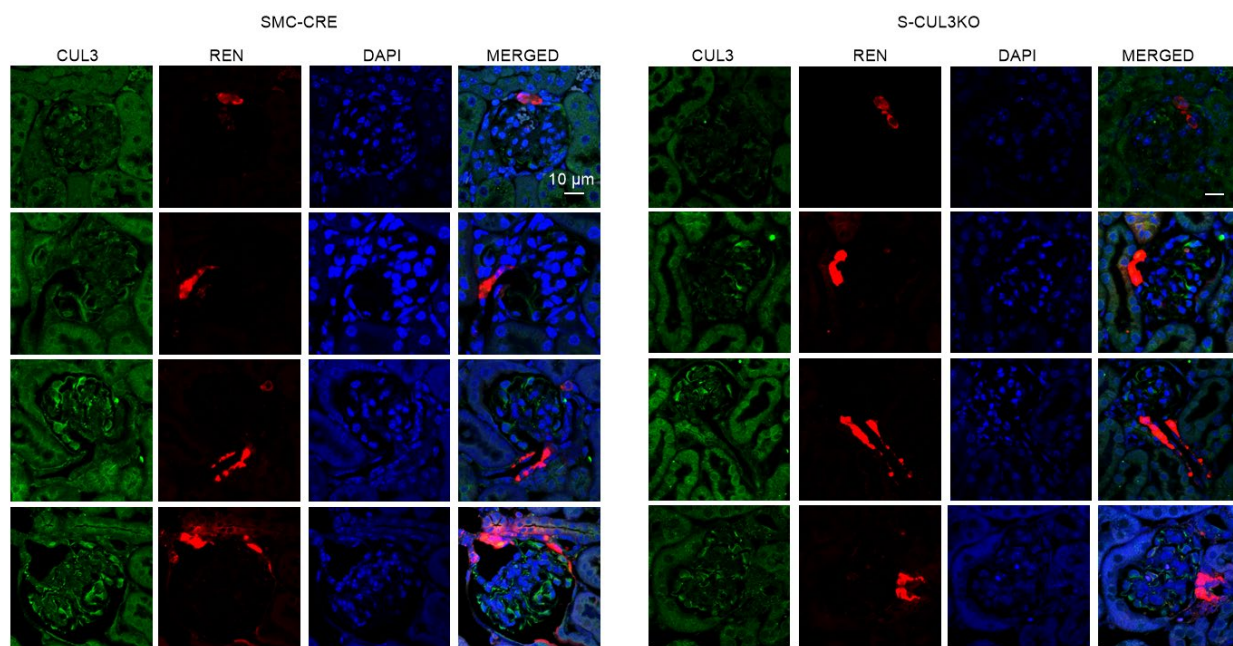


Figure S3. *Decreased Cul3 Expression in JG Cells.* Additional immunofluorescent images detecting CUL3 (green) and renin (red) expression.

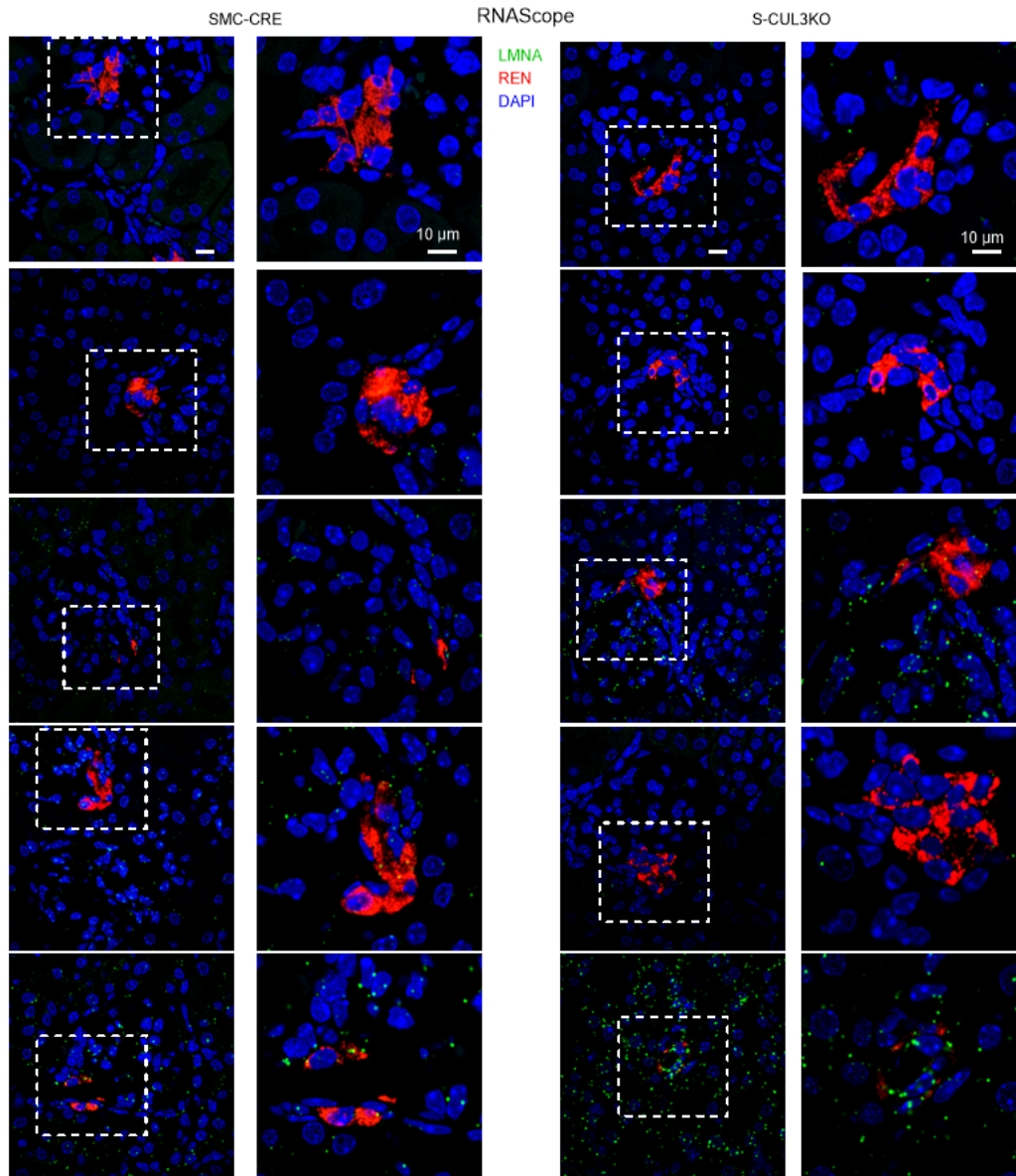


Figure S4. Renal Lamina A/C Expression. Additional representative RNAScope images demonstrating LMNA (green) and *Ren1* (red) mRNA in the JG area. Dashed rectangles indicate JG area with expanded view to the right.

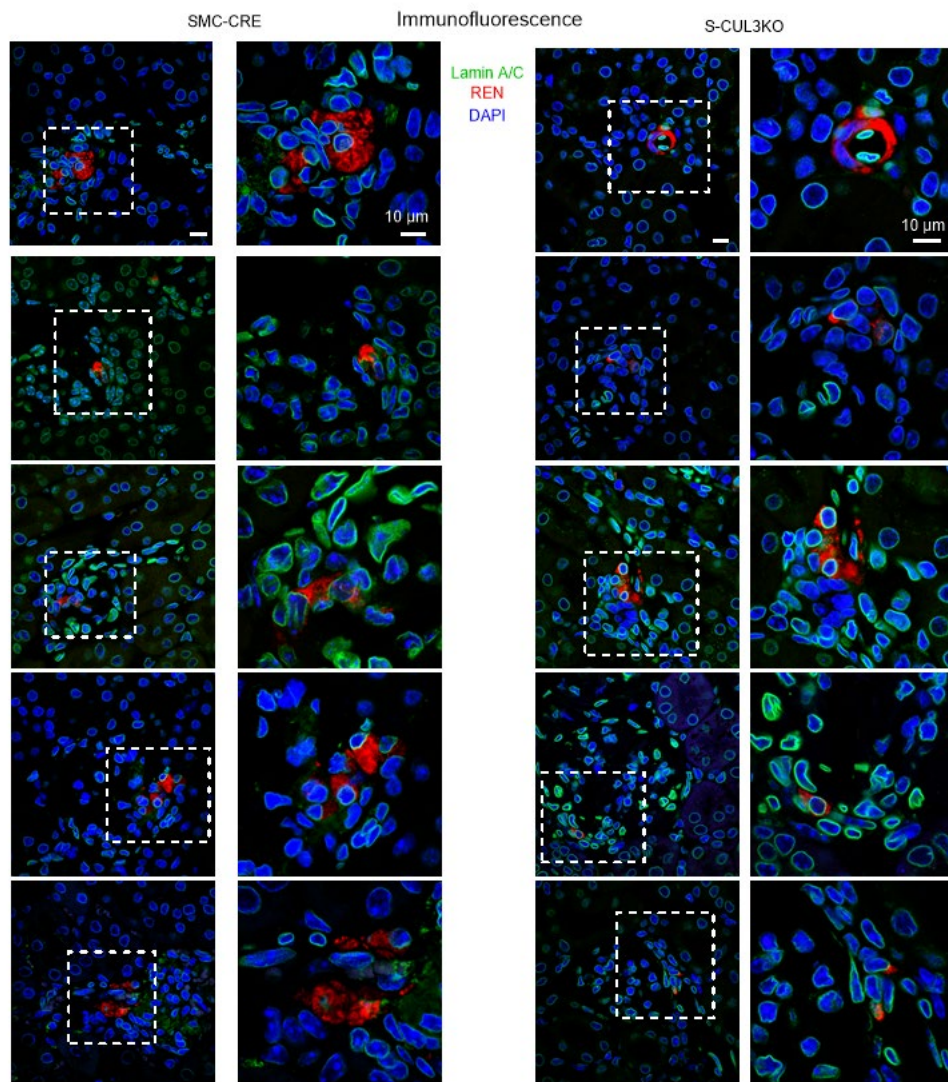


Figure S5. Renal Lamin A/C Expression. Additional representative immunofluorescent images demonstrating Lamin A/C (green) and *Ren1* (red) protein in the JG area

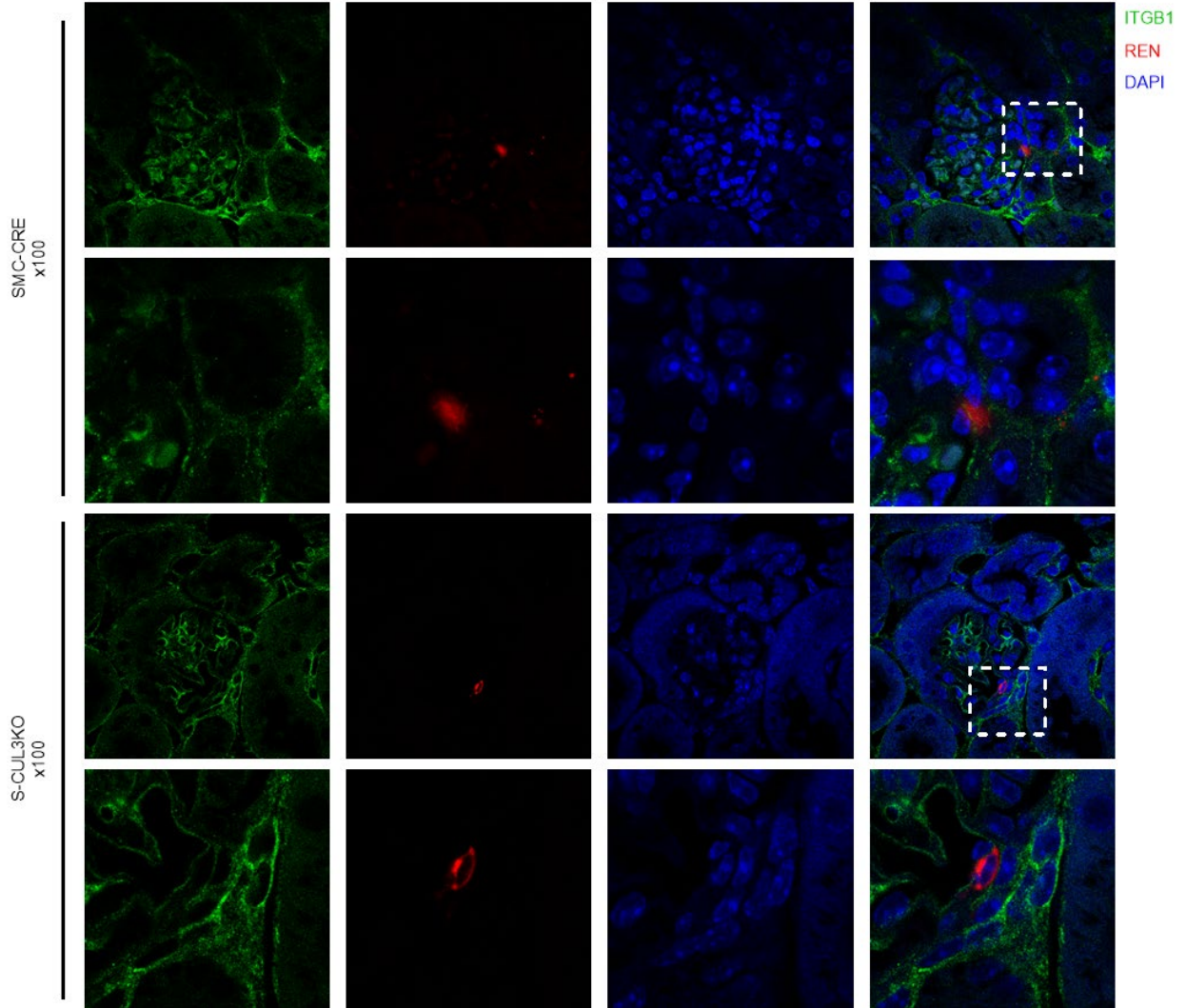


Figure S6. Renal Integrin β 1 Expression. Additional immunofluorescent images demonstrating integrin β 1 (green) and *Ren1* (red) protein in the JG area protein expression in the renin-expressing cells in the JG area, merged pictures. N=3-4/group