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# Differentially Organized Top-Down Modulation of Prepulse Inhibition of Startle

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Prepulse inhibition (PPI) of startle is tha

(M..., 2007; M... M D..., 2007; C... K..., 2010), PPI (S..., 2001), PPC (K..., 1999; ..., 2002; G..., 2010) (R..., 2009).

## Materials and Methods

A... A... (A1, LA, PPC) (K NA), L..., 86 S D (..., 10; 280, 300) : (1) A1/K NA ( = 14), (2) A1/ ( = 14), (3) LA/K NA ( = 16), (4) LA/ ( = 14), (5) PPC/K NA ( = 14), (6) PPC/ ( = 14). T K NA..., 10 (S1BF) LA A1 T (D..., 2009, ) B (C317G; P O ) 10% (400 / , . . ) R : (1) A1: -,4.6 ; ±6.5 ; -,4.2 ; (2) LA: -,3.1 ; ±5.2 ; -,7.8 ; (3) PPC: -,4.4 ; ±3.1 ; -,1.6 (F..., 2003); (4) S1BF: -,3.1 ; ±5 ; -,2.5 . R 1 24 ± 2 C 12. / , T G U A B L A C , P S N H N R (2006). PPI (D..., 2009, 2010). B 10 (0.10 H, 100 B SPL) (N K L M P , P U ) 16 H ) (500 ). S (2007), F . 2 , ( 15 20 ) ( 20 25 ) T ( . , ) 100 52 T , 100 50 (1.3, 2.6, 3.9 H ) (2.3, 4.6, 6.9 H ) E MATLAB (N K L M P , P U ) 16 H 16 S (B & K ; 2230) F / P T 60 B SPL. A 1 6 F 3

(..., 2007), F 30 3 , (60 B SPL), N T O , ( BC) T 5 , 10 60 B SPL T 25 35 ( , 30 ). T PPI ( . , ) T +1 ( ) -1 ( ) D ( , 1949; L , 1999; L , 2002), (L , 2005; H , 2011), ( ) I (0.10 H, 60 B SPL) T +1 -1 T , : ( ) N ( , 2004). I

Al ( $2.0 \mu$ ), LA ( $1.0 \mu$ ), PPC ( $2.0 \mu$ ), SIBF ( $2.0 \mu$ ),  $\sim 1$  D,  $5.0 \mu$ , (, 0.38; , 1.09; C A, BD B). PPI (AI) 15. S. K NA (L K, 1992; M, 2003), PPI 2. K NA (AR). O. US, 60 20 30 . F 80 (60 CS 20 CS ) 10 . A, PPI (AE). D . T PPI : PPI = ( )/( ). S. ( ) ( ), PPI PPI PPI / (BC) / . M ANOVA B , ( ) ( ) SPSS 13.0 . T 0.05. L DC (500  $\mu$ A 10 ). B 10% 30% , 50  $\mu$  (-20 C). S

## Results

**Table 1. Startle amplitudes to the startling stimulus alone**

Groups	Amplitude in the device scale unit				
	Before conditioning	After conditioning	After injection	After recovery	After extinction
A1/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 12)	1425 ± 281	1640 ± 299	1662 ± 258	1644 ± 296	1400 ± 354
A1/vehicle ( <i>n</i> = 12)	1486 ± 246	1662 ± 258	1720 ± 251	N/A	1516 ± 187
LA/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 12)	1104 ± 466	1336 ± 537	1354 ± 571	1267 ± 535	1055 ± 561
LA/vehicle ( <i>n</i> = 12)	1207 ± 424	1400 ± 438	1432 ± 423	N/A	1267 ± 456
PPC/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 12)	1346 ± 355	1541 ± 379	1598 ± 406	1564 ± 405	1355 ± 460
PPC/vehicle ( <i>n</i> = 12)	1290 ± 415	1449 ± 413	1479 ± 426	N/A	1268 ± 506
S1BF/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 10)	1109 ± 316	1252 ± 433	1286 ± 220	1268 ± 390	997 ± 212

Values represent mean ± SD.

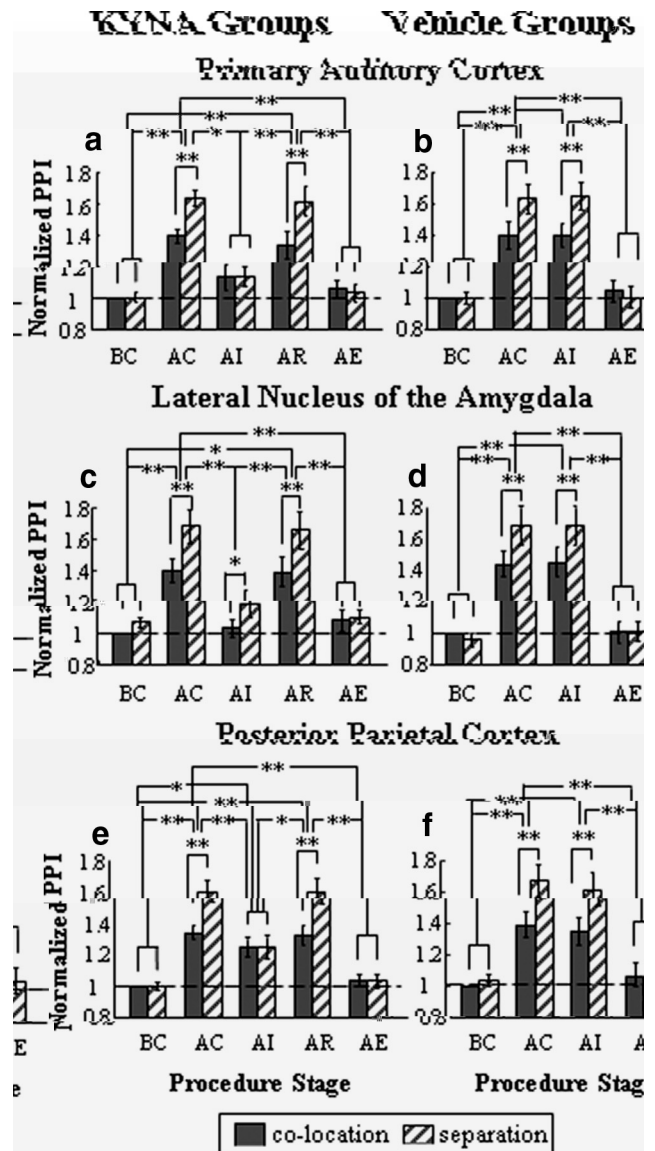
**Table 2. Group mean baseline PPI values (under perceived prepulse/masker colocation and before the conditioning/conditioning-control manipulation)**

Groups	Lower-frequency prepulse (%)	Higher-frequency prepulse (%)
A1/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 12)	31.7 ± 7.1	31.5 ± 8.9
A1/vehicle ( <i>n</i> = 12)	32.7 ± 9.4	32.8 ± 11.1
LA/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 12)	34.6 ± 12.2	34.6 ± 11.9
LA/vehicle ( <i>n</i> = 12)	36.6 ± 17.4	36.4 ± 15.7
PPC/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 12)	31.2 ± 7.5	30.5 ± 7.9
PPC/vehicle ( <i>n</i> = 12)	34.4 ± 7.0	32.0 ± 7.8
S1BF/KYNA ( <i>n</i> = 10)	36.0 ± 7.4	36.9 ± 7.8

Values represent mean ± SD.

**Effects of KYNA injection on PPI induced by conditioned prepulse**

F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14, PPI (A1) (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14), LA (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14), PPC (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14), T (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). K NA (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14. K NA (A1/K NA, LA/K NA, PPC/K NA), F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14. BC (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). PPI.H (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). AC), PPI (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). T, K NA (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). PPI (AI) (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). A (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). AE), PPI (BC). S (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). F (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). ANOVA (F<sub>(4,44)</sub> > 23; < 0.001). P (F<sub>(4,44)</sub> > 23; < 0.001). (1) BC, PPI (F<sub>(11)</sub> < 1.7; > 0.05); (2) PPI AC (F<sub>(11)</sub> < 1.7; > 0.05); BC (< 0.01); (3) AC, PPI (F<sub>(11)</sub> > 7.4; < 0.001). F K NA (F<sub>(11)</sub> > 7.4; < 0.001).



**Figure 2.** Normalized PPI induced by the conditioned prepulse at different procedure stages in A1/KYNA group (*n* = 12) (a), A1/vehicle group (*n* = 12) (b), LA/KYNA group (*n* = 12) (c), LA/vehicle group (*n* = 12) (d), PPC/KYNA group (*n* = 12) (e), and PPC/vehicle group (*n* = 12) (f). The filled bars represent the conditions when the prepulse was perceptually collocated with the noise masker, while the diagonal bars represent the conditions when the prepulse was perceptually separated with the noise masker. BC, Before conditioning; AC, after conditioning; AI, after injection; AR, after recovery; AE, after extinction. In this and the next figures, all the PPI values were normalized relative to the value at the procedure stage BC and under the prepulse/masker colocation condition. Error bars represent the SEM. \*\**p* < 0.01 and \**p* < 0.05 (by repeated-measures ANOVA, Bonferroni’s pairwise comparisons, and paired *t* tests).

PPI (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14).

**Effects of blocking the A1 on PPI induced by conditioned prepulse**

F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14, K NA (A1) (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14), PPI (AI) (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14), (F<sub>(11)</sub> = 0.335, > 0.05). A, PPI (AI) (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14). AC (< 0.05), BC (> 0.05). T (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14), AR), PPI (F<sub>(2, 24)</sub> = 2.1, *p* = 0.14).

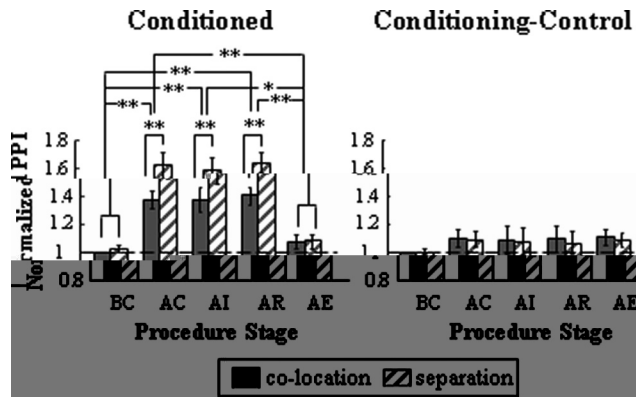
AC ( > 0.05) AI ( < 0.01).  
M  
(11) = 8.152; < 0.001). A  
PPI BC ( > 0.05),  
(11) = 1.616;  
> 0.05). T AI  
PPI  
PPI

**Effects of blocking the LA on PPI induced by conditioned prepulse**

F K NA LA (F . 2 ,  
AI), PPI  
AC ( < 0.01). M  
26.3%.  
30.0%. PPI  
BC ( > 0.05). H  
PPI (11) =  
2.282; < 0.05). T  
AR), PPI  
AI ( < 0.01)  
AC ( > 0.05). A  
(11) = 7.233; < 0.001). A  
AE, PPI  
BC ( > 0.05),  
(11) = 0.788; > 0.05). T LA  
PPI  
PPI

**Effects of blocking the PPC on PPI induced by conditioned prepulse**

F K NA PPC (F . 2 ,  
AI), PPI



**Figure 4.** Normalized PPI elicited by the conditioned prepulse (left panel) and conditioning-control prepulse (right panel) at different procedure stages in the S1BF/KYNA group ( $n = 10$ ). See Figure 2 legend for the explanation of symbols and abbreviations.  $**p < 0.010$  and  $*p < 0.05$  (by repeated-measures ANOVA, Bonferroni's pairwise comparisons, and paired  $t$  tests).

( $F_{(4,44)} = 3.459; < 0.05$ ),  
 ( $F_{(1,11)} < 0.4; > 0.05$ ),  
 ( $F_{(4,44)} < 1.0; > 0.05$ ). P  
 PPI AI  
 AC  
 AR ( $< 0.05$ ).  
 M  
 L  
 PPI  
 (AI/LA, LA/PPC). F  
 4 (BC, AC, AI, AE)  $\times$  2 (ANOVA  
 ( $F < 4.4; > 0.05$ ),  
 ( $F < 1.4; > 0.05$ ).

**Effects of blocking the S1BF area on PPI induced by conditioned prepulse**

T 10 K NA K NA S1BF PPI  
 F 4 2  $\mu$  K NA S1BF PPI  
 PPI  
 ( $>$   
 0.05). T K NA

**Discussion**

**Two types of top-down enhancements of PPI**

T PPI  
 (C, 1996; I, 1998;  
 R, K, 2006; F, 2007; H, 2007;  
 , 2007; L, 2008; D, 2009, 2010). F  
 PPI  
 (H, 2007;  
 , 2007; L, 2008; D, 2009, 2010; I, 2010).  
 A  
 PPI (D, 2009,  
 2010). M  
 , A1, LA, PPC,  
 PPI

**Contributions of the A1**

S CNS, K NA  
 (S, 1990). U K NA  
 ): F, K NA  
 -NMDA NMDA (S, C,  
 1985; K, 1989; T, 1989). T, K NA  
 I  
 K NA  
 K NA (L, K,  
 1992; M, 2003).  
 T PPI  
 A1 K NA,  
 PPI  
 I A1  
 PPC (R,  
 L D, 1993; R, 1994) (,  
 , 2008). I  
 A1 PPI  
 A1  
 I,  
 (O'L, 1997; H, 2000),  
 (F, 1998; P, I, 2008),  
 (J, 1999; K, 2007),  
 (B-C, A1  
 2007), P  
 A1  
 A1  
 (D,  
 2011). E  
 A1  
 (P, 2006; J, 2011),  
 (F, 2007), (L, M, 2011).  
 T, A1  
 PPI. M, A1  
 PPI, IC (H, 1991; D, 1997;  
 C, 2005; S, 2009),  
 (PPT),  
 (S, M, 2009; S, 2010). T, A1  
 PPI  
 PPI S, A1  
 PPI  
 A1 PPI

**Contributions of the LA**

I... PPI... LA. I... LA... (R... L D... , 1992; P... , 1997),... LA... (CS) (US). M... (M... M D... , 2007),... LA... CS US... (B... , 2005; S... , 2005),... LA... ). T... ,... LA... . S... LA... PPI... LA... /... B... PPI... : (1) (H... , 1985),... PPT (T... , 2007); (2) (M... D... , 2000),... PPI... (F... , 2001). U... A1, LA... PPI... PPI... PPI... PPI... LA... PPI... PPI... LA... PPI...

**Contributions of the PPC**

T... PPC... PPI... PPI... PPC... I... (K... , 1999; , 2002; G... , 2010). I... (R... C... , 2009), (F... , 2003), (K... , 2009), (B... G... , 2010), (B... , 1998). A... PPC... (R... , 1994), (R... L D... , 1993; M D... , 1996). T... PPC...

**Effects of the conditioning/conditioning-control manipulation on responses to the startling stimulus alone**

C... (D... , 2010), /... (AC), (T... 1). .T... (D... , 2010). N... (. , CS) CS... (. , 3700 ) CS... (K... , 1993; D... , 1997). T... M... K NA... A1, LA, PPC, S1BF... A1, LA, PPC, S1BF. T... K... (1993) D... (1997) ( ) -NMDA- 6- -7- -2,3- (LA) (K... , 1993) AMPA 2,3- -6- -7- : ( D... , 1997).

**New animal models for studying mental disorders**

I... PPI... (D... , 2000; B... , 2001; H... , 2007). H... PPI... PPI... (S... , 2006). M... (ADHD), PPI... ADHD... (H... , 2002, 2003). S... PPI... PPI... A1 (J... , 1993; B... , 2005), (A... K... , 2005; S... , 2007), PPC (D... , 2004; C... , 2009), PPI... F... PPI...

(F... , 1992; Q... , 1997; M... Q... , 2002), PPI (PTSD) (A... , 1997).

**Summary: differentially organized top-down modulations of PPI**

A... PPI (F... , 2001; L... , 2002), PPI (L... , 2009). PPI (B... G... , 1998; M... , 2010). T... A1, LA, PPC, PPI PPI : T... PPC LA A1 T... PPI... I... PPI , ADHD, PTSD.

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C... DL, S... RM, S... BR (2005) U... B... R... 1042:62-72.  
 C... P, P... C, D'A... E, M... R, P... A (2009) T... E... J... N... 13:299-304.  
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S ...  
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