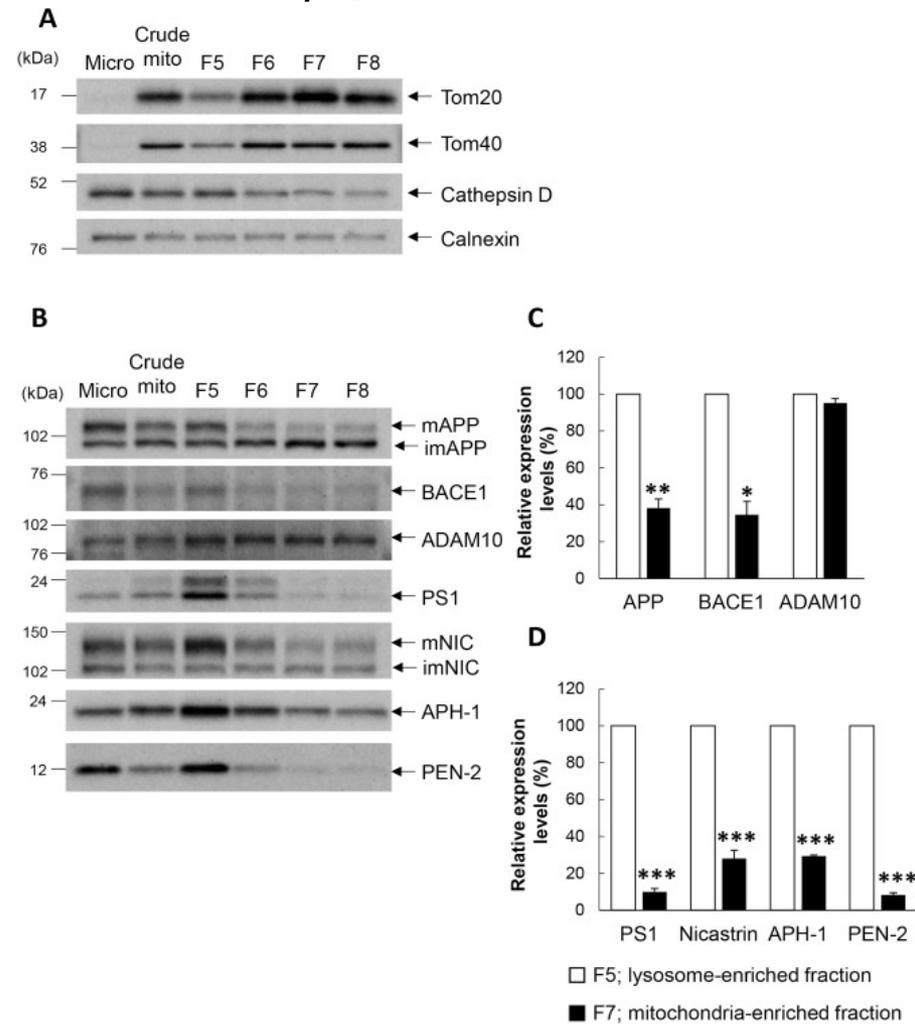


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Analysis of APP, BACE1, ADAM10, and γ -secretase complex components in mitochondria-enriched fractions of SH-SwAPP cells. (A) The crude mitochondrial fraction was further separated via iodixanol gradient centrifugation. The main fractions (5–8) were examined via Western blot using specific antibodies for organelle markers. (B) Western blot analysis of APP, BACE1, ADAM10, and γ -secretase complex components in the main fractions. (C, D) Band intensities of mitochondria-enriched (F7) and lysosome-enriched (F5) fractions were quantified, and relative levels calculated and graphed. ** $p < 0.01$ and *** $p < 0.001$, compared with F5.



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