

Hormone Control Regions mediate steroid receptor-dependent genome organization.

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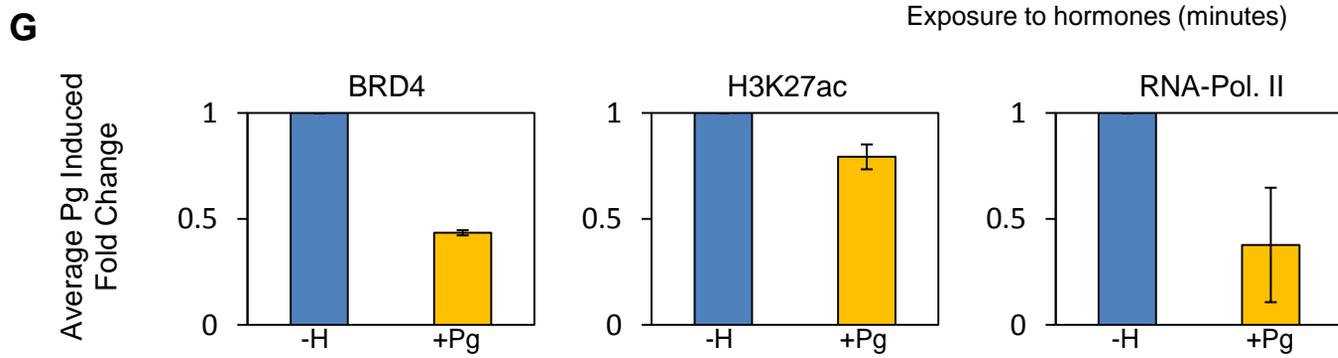
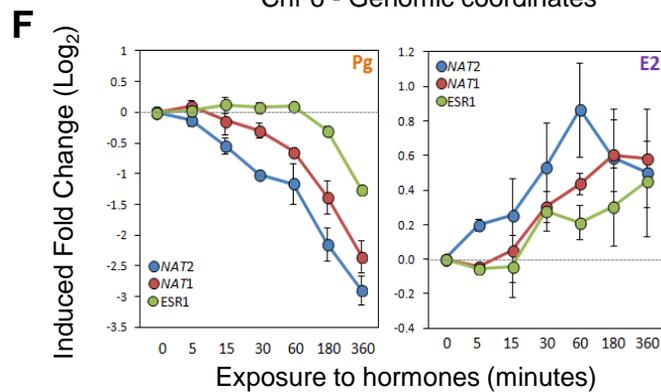
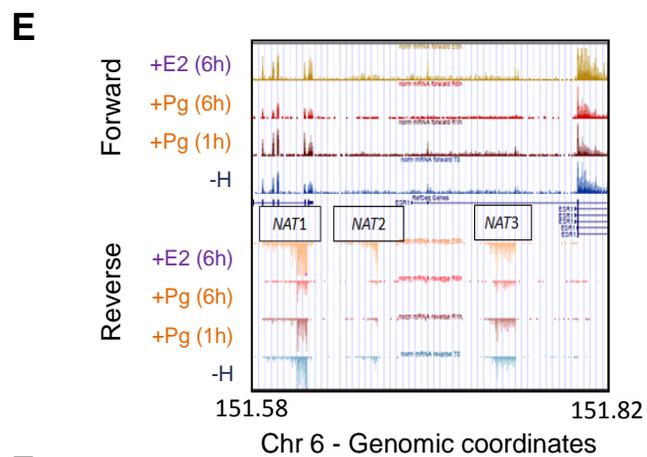
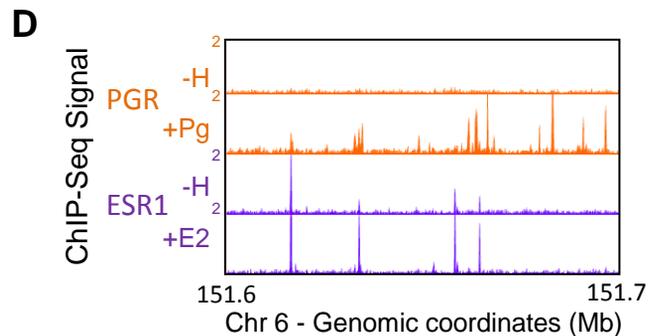
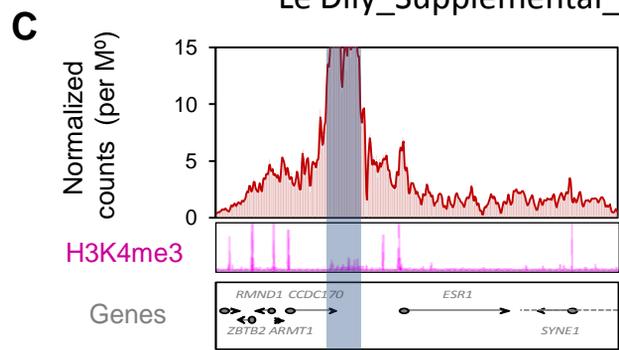
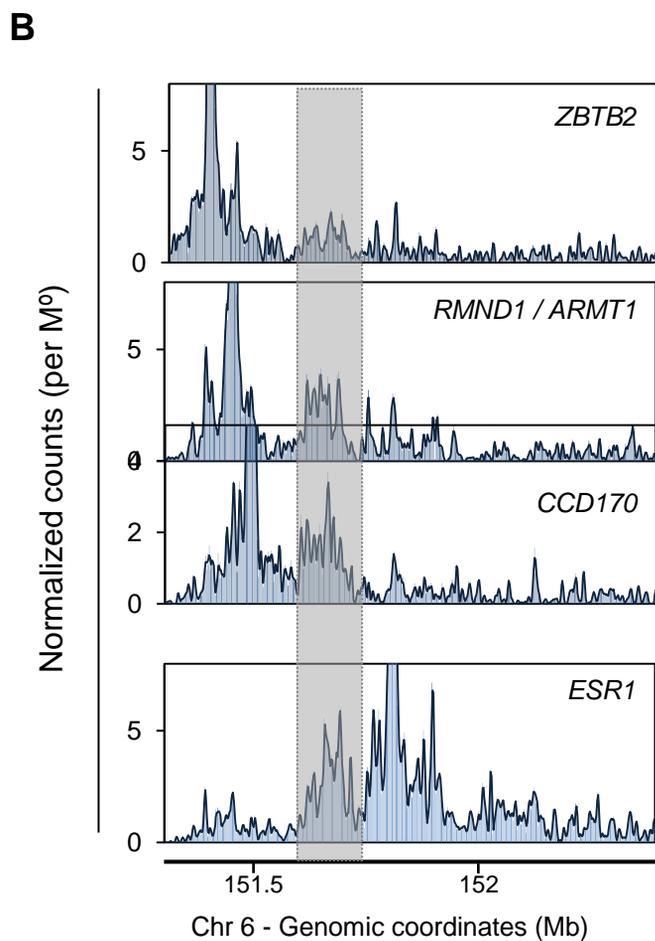
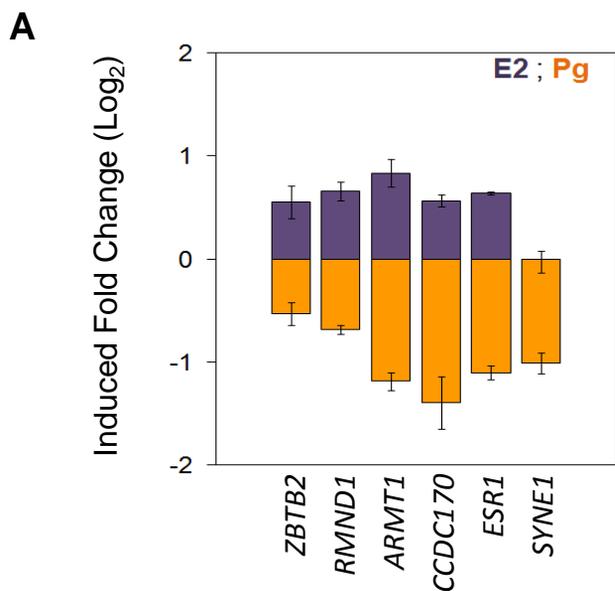
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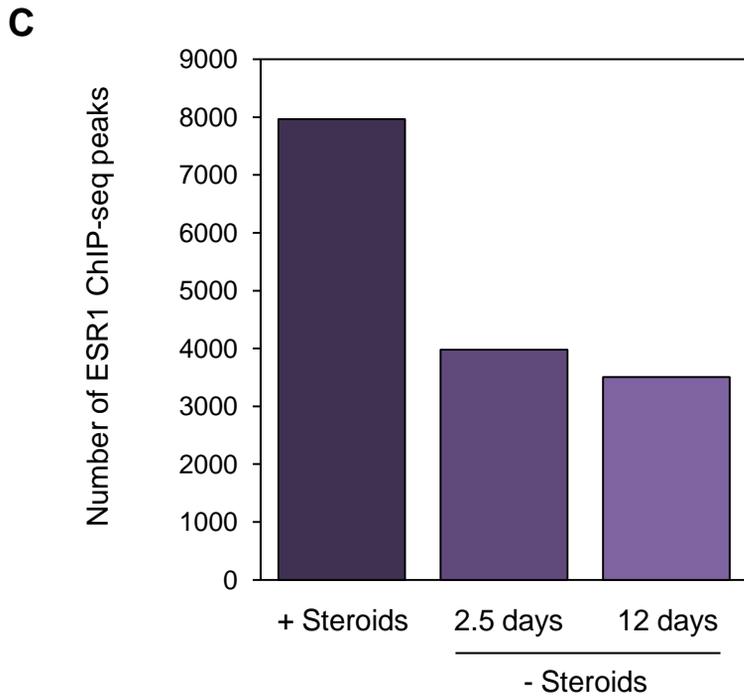
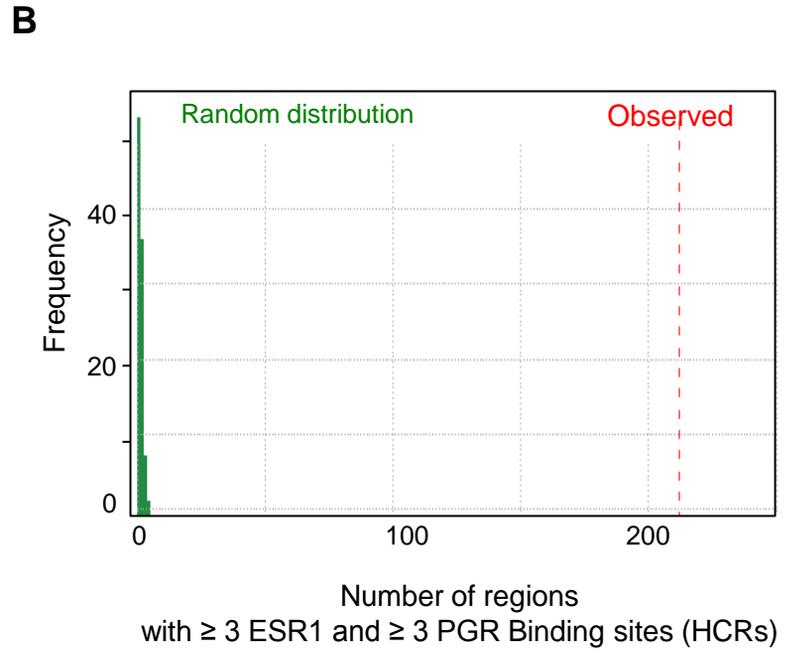
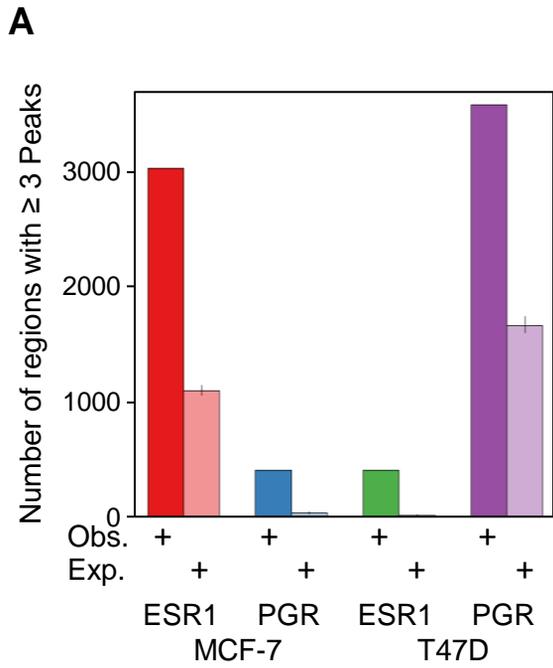
Supplemental Table 1: Summary of 3C-derived datasets

| Experiment | Sample | Sequenced Read pairs | Valid Read pairs | Raw counts in depicted regions | | |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|----|
| | | | | ESR1-TAD | PGR-TAD | |
| In Situ Hi-C | BT474 rep.1 | 196,802,667 | 126,400,945 | 23,014 | 51,322 | |
| | BT474 rep.2 | 169,343,097 | 127,292,817 | 29,378 | 73,520 | |
| | MCF10A rep.1 | 306,018,506 | 187,513,575 | 48,500 | 31,102 | |
| | MCF10A rep.2 | 222,455,381 | 156,339,157 | 64,198 | 32,484 | |
| | MCF7 rep.1 | 320,056,659 | 166,607,495 | 43,758 | 12,056 | |
| | MCF7 rep.2 | 340,495,431 | 216,563,500 | 73,478 | 20,244 | |
| | SKBR3 rep.1 | 205,997,414 | 156,557,711 | 39,534 | 24,338 | |
| | SKBR3 rep.2 | 214,205,796 | 151,009,167 | 49,346 | 30,656 | |
| | T47D T0 rep.1 | 189,967,400 | 157,390,317 | 36,962 | 32,592 | |
| | T47D R30 rep.1 | 179,252,416 | 145,811,017 | 34,576 | 30,150 | |
| | T47D R180 rep.1 | 192,668,851 | 158,516,232 | 40,888 | 34,610 | |
| | T47D E30 rep.1 | 249,799,510 | 193,968,773 | 51,230 | 47,276 | |
| | T47D E180 rep.1 | 197,859,885 | 161,304,275 | 39,310 | 34,986 | |
| | T47D T0 rep.2 | 315,542,160 | 228,654,226 | 50,820 | 39,422 | |
| | T47D R30 rep.2 | 249,476,974 | 174,338,960 | 44,120 | 30,488 | |
| | T47D R180 rep.2 | 244,958,790 | 163,713,665 | 39,154 | 28,444 | |
| | T47D E30 rep.2 | 349,550,907 | 218,919,170 | 51,066 | 40,774 | |
| | T47D E180 rep.2 | 300,143,601 | 217,521,326 | 46,440 | 34,290 | |
| | T47D siRNA Control rep.1 | 206,292,967 | 116,641,257 | 26,752 | 26,378 | |
| | T47D siRNA Control rep.2 | 205,462,437 | 109,936,278 | 28,298 | 19,762 | |
| | T47D siRNA ER rep.1 | 209,173,554 | 118,085,021 | 33,092 | 24,388 | |
| | T47D siRNA ER rep.2 | 204,518,224 | 111,152,397 | 34,296 | 19,334 | |
| | T47D shEmpty | 204,764,799 | 128,911,715 | 28,984 | 23,990 | |
| | T47D shPR | 166,975,353 | 114,011,263 | 23,224 | 18,712 | |
| | Capture-3C | T47D T0 | 325,166,775 | 57,414,832 | 1,564,728 | ND |
| | | T47D R60 | 283,013,228 | 43,446,033 | 1,594,758 | ND |
| | | T47D R180 | 281,176,954 | 47,767,277 | 1,953,130 | ND |
| | | T47D E60 | 282,812,094 | 26,517,206 | 935,620 | ND |
| | Capture-HIC | T47D T0 | 45,857,588 | 18,997,544 | 246,450 | ND |
| | | T47D R60 | 32,313,052 | 13,824,138 | 217,086 | ND |
| T47D R180 | | 22,555,505 | 8,952,798 | 101,310 | ND | |
| T47D E60 | | 23,576,054 | 9,922,720 | 168,352 | ND | |
| T47D E180 | | 13,505,153 | 5,653,815 | 111,758 | ND | |
| GM 12878 | | 81,097,244 | 28,516,961 | 218,996 | ND | |

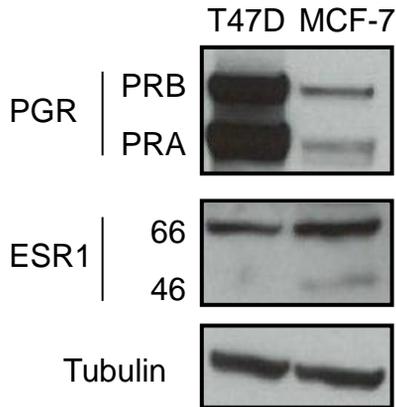
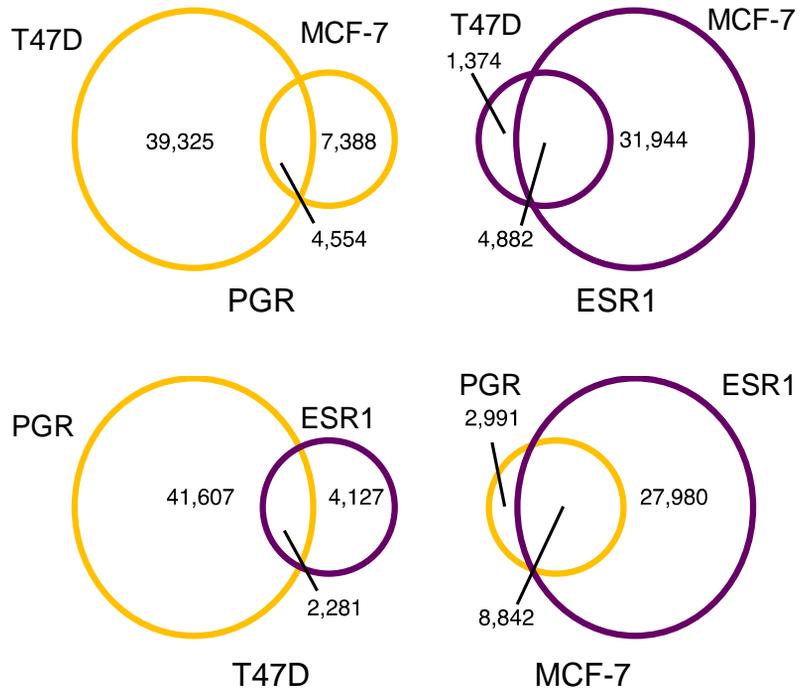
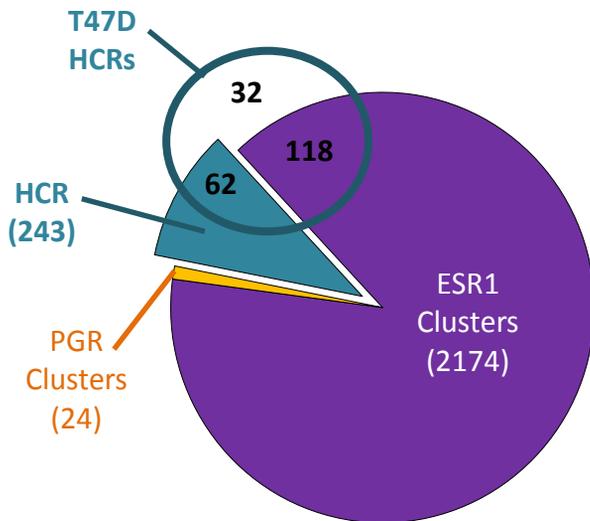
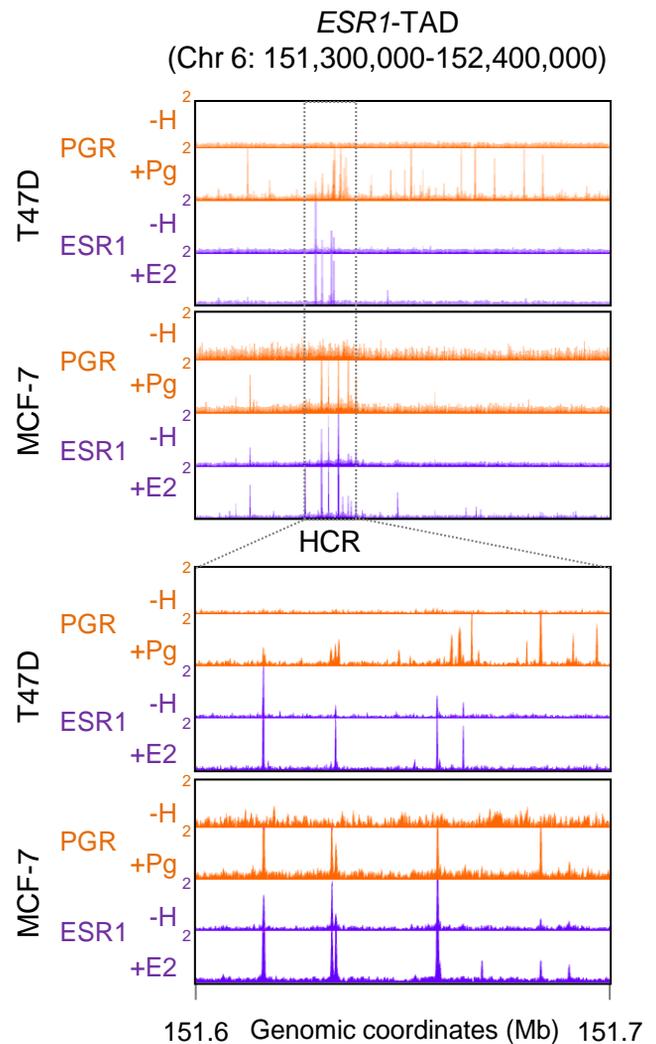
*Valid read pairs after mapping and filtering of: PCR duplicates, self-circle, dangling-ends, random breaks and errors. ND: Not Determined.



Supplemental Figure S1: (A) Log_2 fold change of the transcripts level of protein-coding genes located in the *ESR1*-TAD after 6 hours of exposure to Pg (Orange) or E2 (Purple). The plot shows the average \pm SEM expression of 3 independent RNA-seq experiments. (B) Virtual 4C profiles at 2 kb resolution using as baits the TSS of genes within the *ESR1*-TAD. Data were obtained from T47D cells grown in absence of hormones. A common region of contacts is highlighted in grey. (C) Results obtained by Capture-C (Figure 1) were confirmed in Capture-HiC. Virtual 4C profile at 5 kb resolution (expressed as normalized counts per M^0 within the region depicted) using the 90 kb intergenic region (highlighted in blue) as bait. (D) Magnification of the Genome Browser tracks from Fig. 1C: ChIP-seq profiles obtained for PGR and ESR1 in absence (-H) or presence of Pg (+Pg) or E2 (+E2) within the region Chr 6: 151,600,000-151,700,000. (E) RNA-seq profiles obtained in T47D grown in absence of hormones (-H) or exposed 1h or 6h to Pg (+Pg) or 6h minutes to E2 (+E2) showing the expression of 3 non-annotated transcripts (*NAT1*, *NAT2* and *NAT3*). (F) Quantitative RT-PCR showing the kinetics of changes of *NAT1*, *NAT2* and *ESR1* after exposure to Pg (left panel) or E2 (right panel) showing that the non-annotated transcripts within the *ESR1*-TAD HCR are coordinately regulated by the hormones similarly to the protein coding genes. Plots correspond to the average \pm SEM of two independent kinetics. (G) ChIP-qPCR showing the fold changes induced by Pg of BRD4, H3K27ac, and RNA-Pol. II levels at the *ESR1*-TAD HCR (Average \pm SD of 3 different sites – Chr 6: 151,523,214-151,523,355 ; Chr 6:151,633,723-151,633,877 ; chr6:151,658,121-151,658,214).



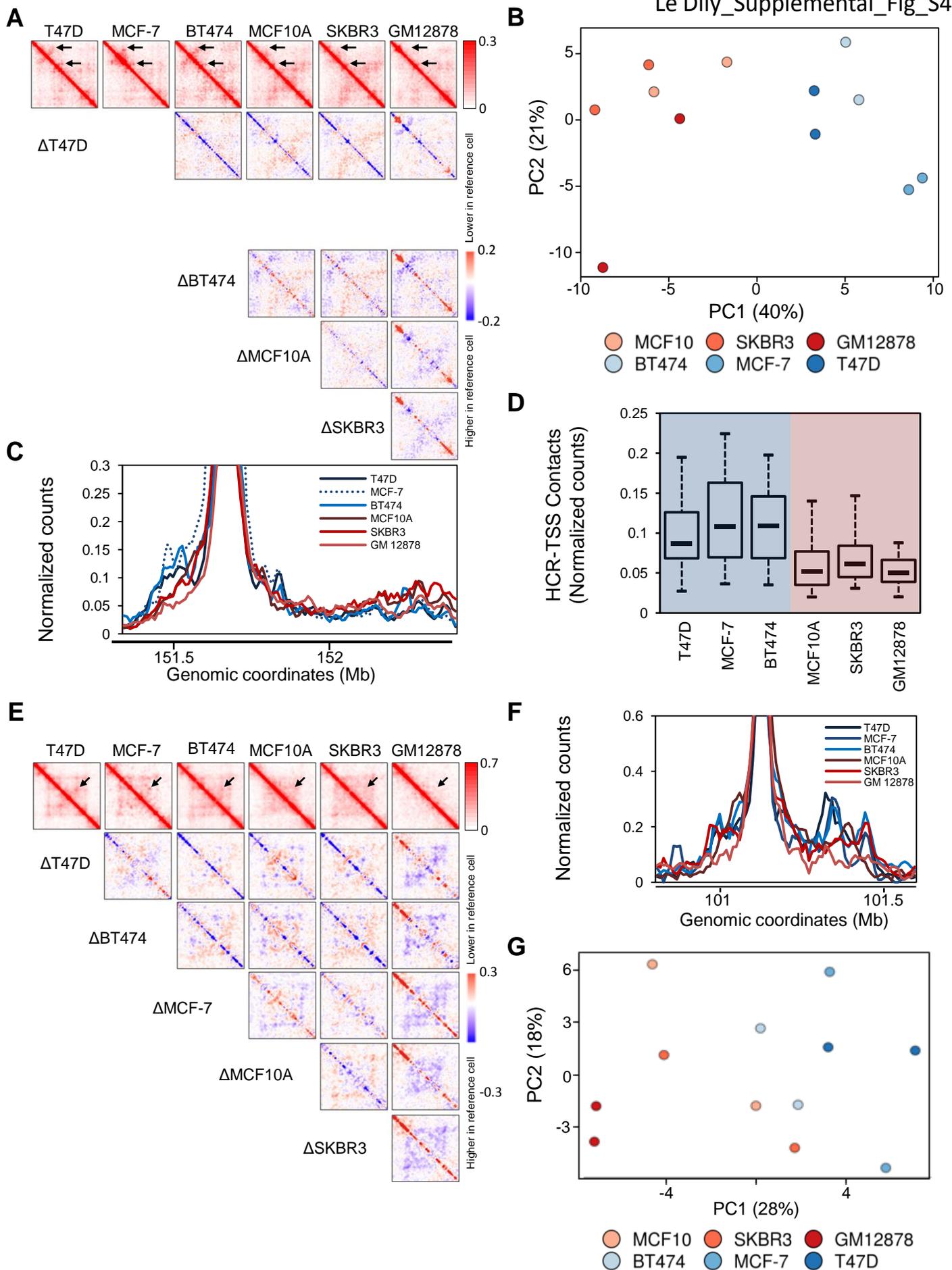
Supplemental Figure S2: **(A)** Histograms showing the observed and expected (randomization of sites) numbers of ESR1 or PGR clusters (≥ 3 consecutive sites separated by ≤ 25 Kb) in MCF-7 or T47D. **(B)** Plot showing the observed number of HCRs in T47D (red dashed line – $n= 212$) compared to the expected frequencies based on random distribution of ESR1 and PGR clusters. **(C)** Histograms showing the number of ESR1 binding sites detected by ChIP-seq in T47D grown in medium containing normal FBS (+ steroids) or after 2.5 and 12 days after steroid withdrawal.

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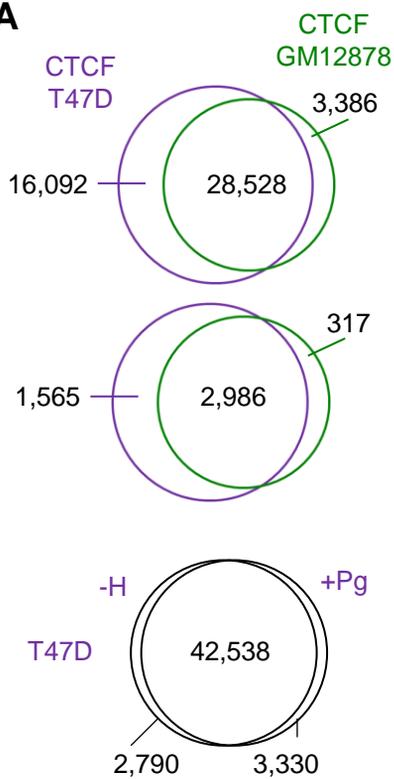
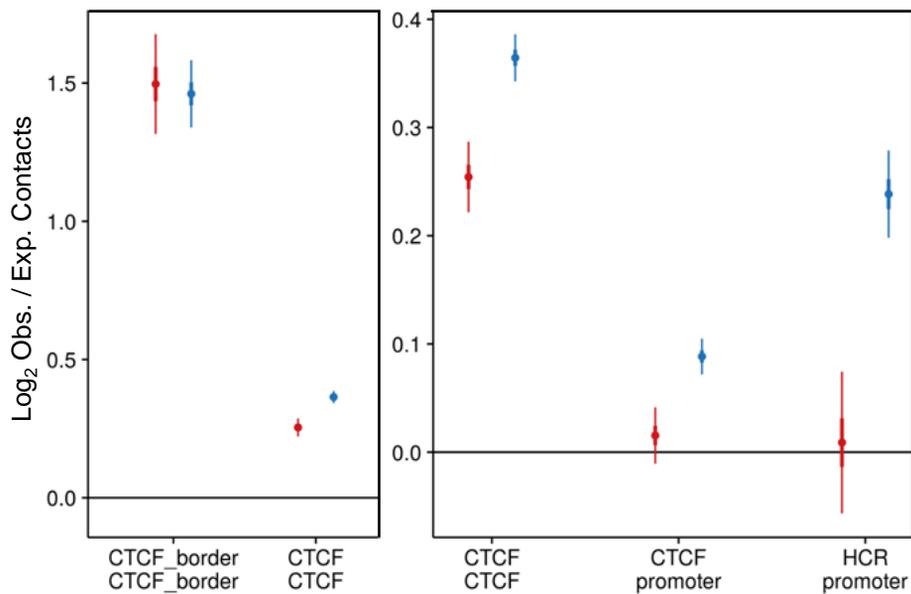
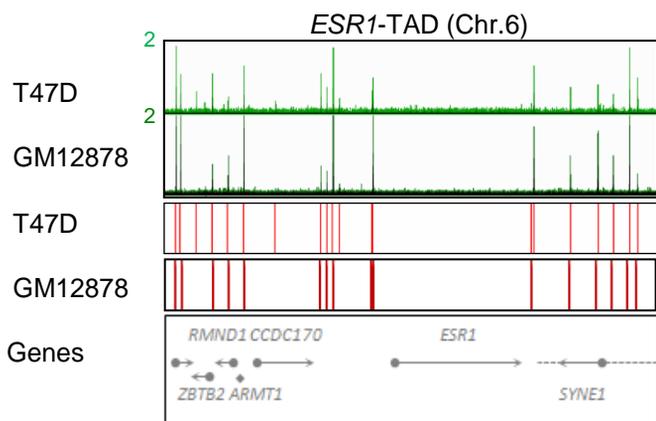
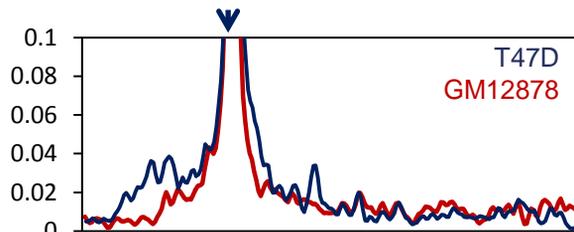
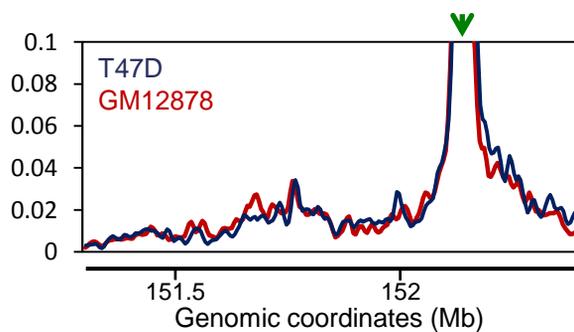
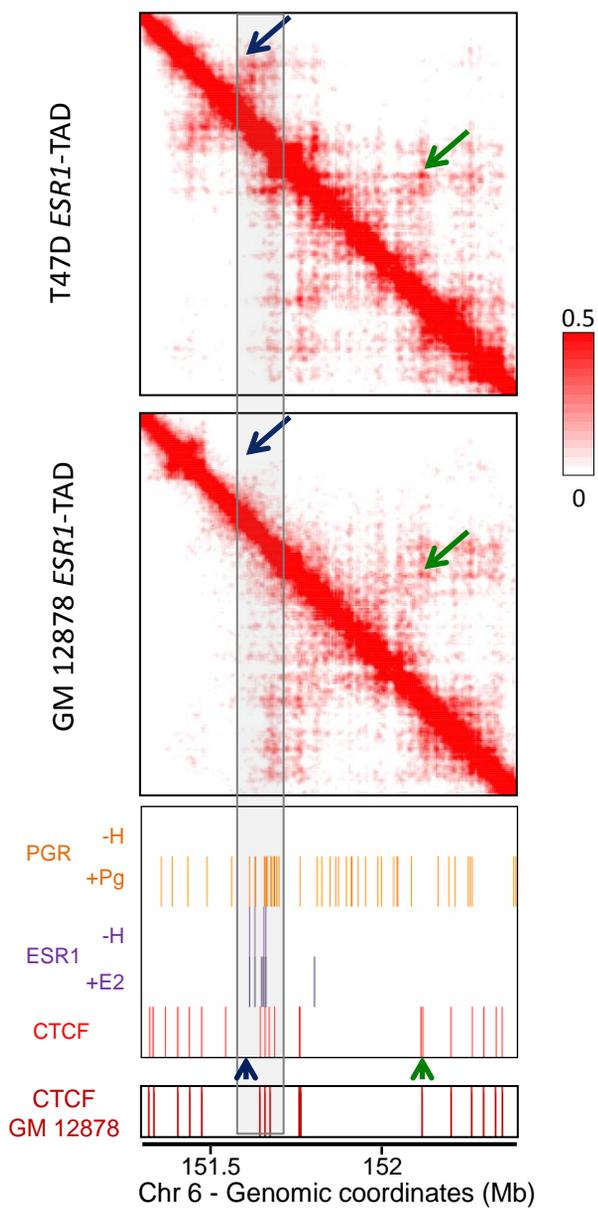
| Overlapping between ESR1 and PGR (Jaccard Index) | | |
|--|--------------|------|
| T47D | Inside HCRs | 0.24 |
| | Outside HCRs | 0.18 |
| MCF-7 | Inside HCRs | 0.65 |
| | Outside HCRs | 0.58 |

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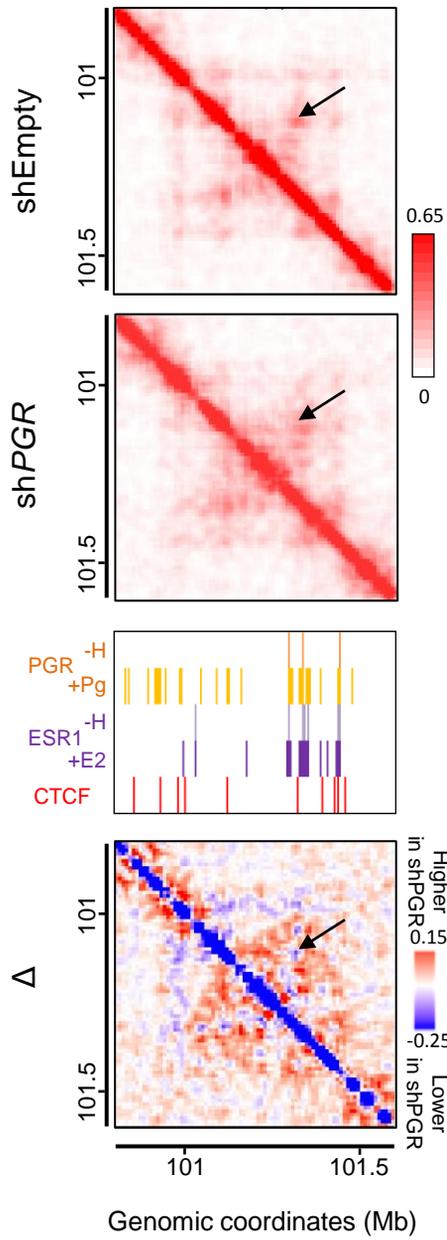
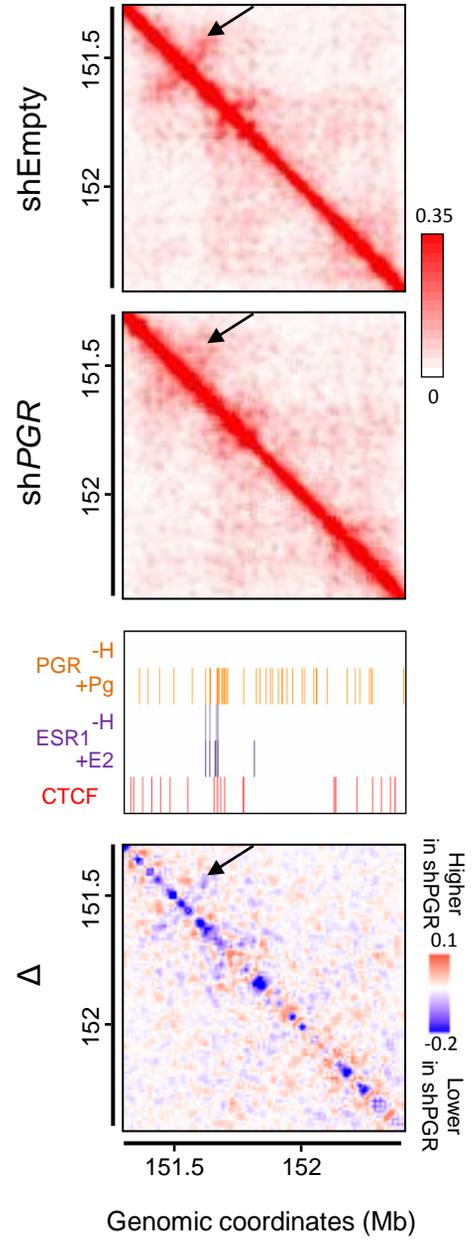
Supplemental Figure S3: **(A)** Western Blots showing the levels of ESR1 (isoforms of 46 and 66 KDa), PGR (isoforms PRA and PRB) expressed in T47D and MCF-7. Tubulin was used as loading control. **(B)** Venn diagrams showing the number of PGR (top left panel) and ESR1 (top right panel) binding sites overlapping in T47D and MCF-7 exposed to 60 minutes of Pg or E2, respectively. The bottom panels show the overlap between ESR1 and PGR binding sites in T47D (left) or MCF-7 (right). **(C)** The pie chart indicates the number of clusters (PGR-predominant; ESR1-predominant or HCR) identified in MCF-7 cells using the same strategy described in the main text for T47D. The overlapping with HCRs identified in T47D is shown. **(D)** Genome browser view of ChIP-seq profiles of PGR and ESR1 in T47D (same as in Fig. 1) and MCF-7 exposed or not to Progestin (+Pg) or E2 (+E2) for 60 minutes over the *ESR1*-TAD (top panel). The panel below corresponds to a magnification within the region defined as the *ESR1*-TAD HCR for T47D (as in Supplemental Fig. S1D) or MCF-7. **(E)** To estimate the overlapping between ESR1 and PGR binding sites, a Jaccard index between the two types of binding sites was computed for binding sites located within or outside HCRs in T47D and MCF-7.



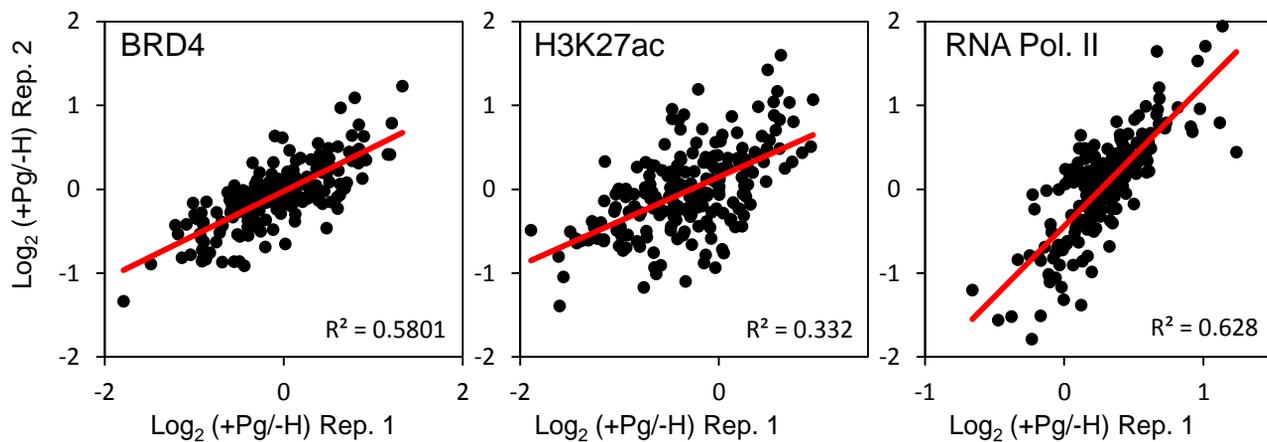
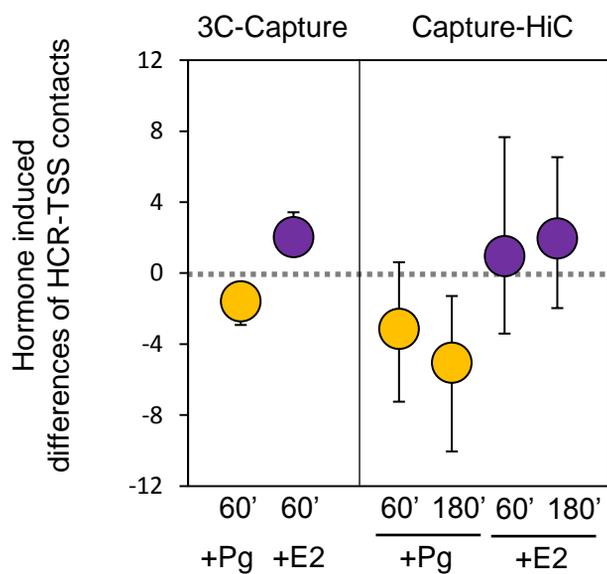
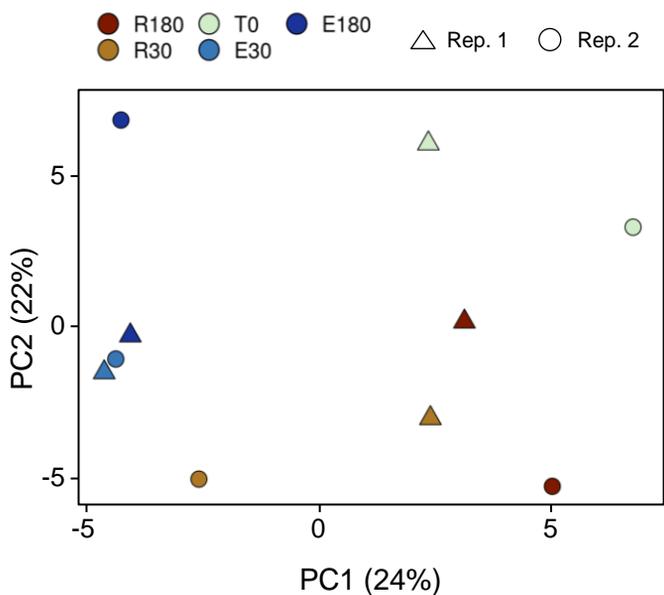
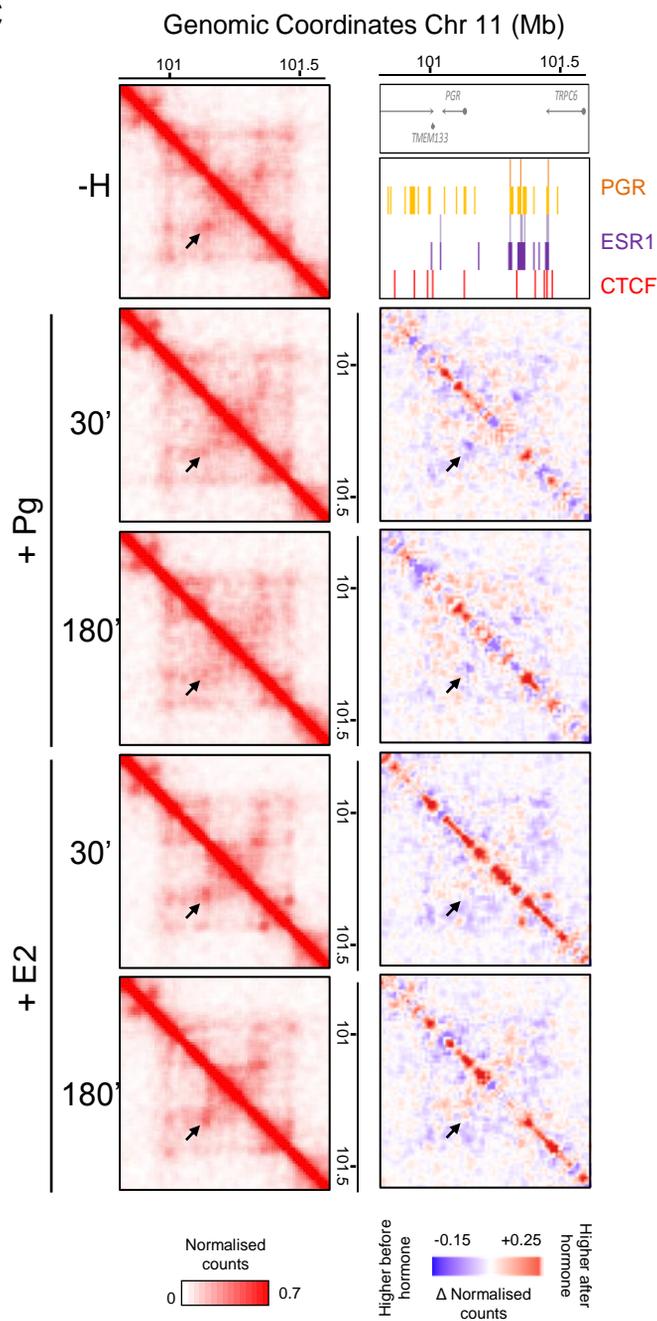
Supplemental Figure S4: **(A)** Normalized *In Situ* Hi-C contact matrices at 10 kb resolution of the *ESR1*-TAD (Chr 6: 151,300,000-152,400,000) obtained in the different cell lines grown in the absence of hormones. Arrows highlight loops between HCR and promoters detected in T47D cells. The matrices below show the differences between the contact matrices of the cell lines at the top minus the reference cell line on the left (blue and red corresponding to contacts higher and lower in the reference cell line, respectively). MCF-7 cells exhibit a duplication of the region corresponding to the HCR. The differences for this line are not shown. **(B)** Principal Component Analysis (PCA) of the contacts profiles of the region corresponding to *ESR1*-TAD HCR of 2 biological replicates of Hi-C performed in each of the cell lines. **(C)** Virtual 4C profiles at 10 kb resolution using the *ESR1*-TAD HCR as bait in the different *ESR1*⁺-*PGR*⁺ (blue lines) and *ESR1*⁻-*PGR*⁻ (red lines) grown in absence of hormones. MCF-7 cells are represented with a dashed blue line. **(D)** Distribution of contacts between genomic bins within the HCR with the TSS of protein-coding genes within the *ESR1*-TAD. **(E)** Normalized *In Situ* Hi-C contact matrices at 10 kb resolution of the *PGR*-TAD (Chr11: 101,800,000-101,600,000) obtained in the cell lines listed grown in absence of hormones. The matrices below show the differences between the contact matrices of the cell lines at the top minus the reference cell line on the left (blue and red corresponding to contacts higher and lower in the reference cell line, respectively). **(F)** Virtual 4C profiles at 10 kb resolution (expressed as normalized counts per thousand within the region depicted) using the TSS of *PGR* as bait in the different *ESR1*⁺-*PGR*⁺ (blue lines) and *ESR1*⁻-*PGR*⁻ (red lines) grown in the absence of hormones. **(G)** PCA of the contacts profiles of the region corresponding to *PGR*-TAD HCR of 2 biological replicates of Hi-C performed in each of the cell lines.

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Supplemental Figure S5: (A) Venn diagrams showing the overlapping between CTCF sites detected by ChIP-seq in T47D and in GM12878. Top: genome-wide CTCF binding sites; Middle: CTCF binding sites in TADs containing HCRs. The venn diagram at the bottom shows the overlapping between CTCF sites detected before (-H) and after exposure of T47D to progestins (+Pg). **(B)** Plot showing the contact frequencies between CTCF sites located at the border of TADs (CTCF border) and between CTCF sites located within the same TAD (CTCF-CTCF) in T47D or GM12878 cells (left panel). The plot on the right shows the contact frequencies between CTCF sites located within the same TAD (CTCF-CTCF), between CTCF sites and sites marked by H3K4me3 (CTCF-promoter) as well as between HCR and sites marked by H3K4me3 (HCR-promoter) in T47D or GM12878 cells. **(C)** Genome browser tracks correspond to ChIP-seq profiles for CTCF in T47D and GM12878 cells in the *ESR1*-TAD. Middle panels show the position of significant CTCF binding sites detected in the 2 lines. **(D)** Normalized Capture-HiC contact matrices at 5 kb resolution of the *ESR1*-TAD in T47D (top) and GM12878 (bottom) cells. Purple arrows point to the loops established between the HCR (highlighted in grey) and the upstream promoters in T47D, which are absent in GM12878. Green arrows point to loops established between CTCF sites, which are conserved in both cell lines. Positions of CTCF in T47D and GM12878 as well as ESR1 in T47D are shown below the matrices. Blue and green arrows at the bottom show the position of the baits used in S5E and S5F, respectively. **(E)** Virtual 4C profiles at 5 kb resolution using a ESR1 binding site within the HCR (purple arrow at the bottom of **(D)**) as bait in T47D (blue line) and GM12878 (red line) grown in absence of hormones. **(F)** Virtual 4C profiles at 5 kb resolution using a CTCF sites (green arrow at the bottom of **(D)**) as bait in T47D (blue line) and GM12878 (red line) grown in absence of hormones.

A*PGR-TAD (Chr 11)***B***ESR1-TAD (Chr 6)*

Supplemental Figure S6: (A, B) Normalized *In Situ* Hi-C contact matrices at 10 kb resolution of the region over the *PGR*-TAD (A) and *ESR1*-TAD (B) obtained in T47D expressing control shRNA (shEmpty) or shRNA against *PGR* (sh*PGR*). Arrows highlight the position of loops between HCRs and promoters. Positions of protein coding genes, position of significant CTCF, ESR1 and PGR binding sites in presence or absence of hormones as well as genomic coordinates are shown at the bottom. The difference between the contact matrices is shown at the bottom with blue and red corresponding to contacts higher and lower in T47D shEmpty than in T47D sh*PGR*, respectively.

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Supplemental Figure S7: **(A)** Plot showing the correlations between ChIP-seq replicates (Rep. 1 and Rep. 2) of the fold changes induced by Pg at the HCRs for BRD4, H3K27ac and RNA-Pol. II. **(B)** Distribution of hormone induced differences of contacts between genomic bins of the HCR with the TSS of protein-coding genes in *ESR1*-TAD after treatment of T47D cells with Pg (orange) or E2 (purple) in 3C- and Hi-C capture experiments. **(C)** Normalized *In Situ* Hi-C contact matrices at 10 kb resolution of the *PGR*-TAD obtained in T47D grown in absence of hormone (-H) or after exposure to 30 and 180 minutes to Pg or E2. The matrices on the right show the differences between the contact matrices compared to the one obtained in absence of hormone (blue and red corresponding to contacts higher and lower in the absence of hormone, respectively). Positions of protein coding genes, position of significant CTCF, *ESR1* and *PGR* binding sites in presence or absence of hormones as well as genomic coordinates are shown on the top. **(D)** PCA of the Hi-C profiles obtained in 2 independent kinetics of exposure of T47D cells to Pg or E2 for 0, 30 and 180 minutes showing that the two hormones induces reproducible hormone-specific changes in 3D organization of HCR containing TADs.