

Figure S1. Distinct cellular responses to glucose deprivation.

(A,B) *Nrf1/2*^{+/+}, *Nrf1α*^{-/-} and *Nrf2*^{-/-} cells had been starved, or not starved, in glucose-free media for 6 h, before their morphological observation by microscopy (A, with an original magnification of 200×) and counting of dead cells by trypan blue staining (B).

(C,D) The above experimental cells were or were not subjected to glucose starvation for 24 h, before morphological observation (C) and dead cell counting (D).

(E) Apoptosis of *Nrf1α*^{-/-} + si*Nrf2* cells, that had been glucose-starved for 12 h, were determined by Flow cytometry.

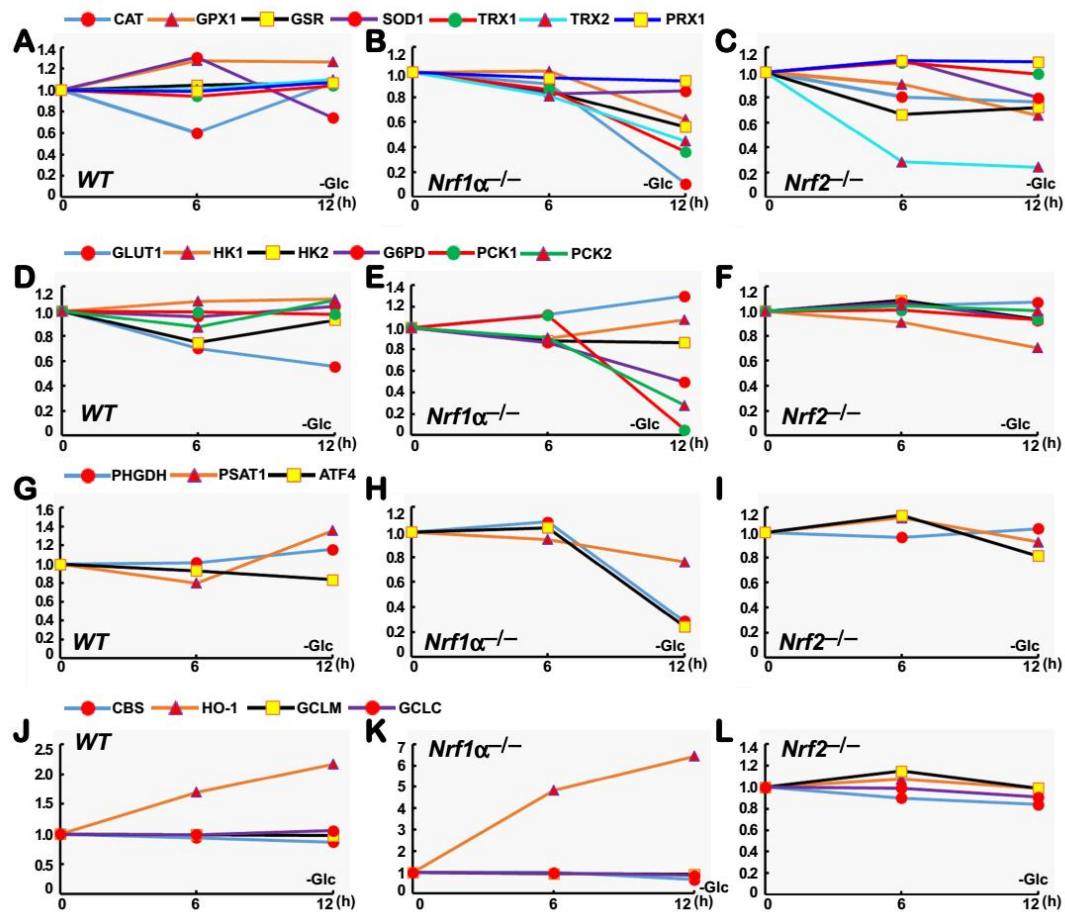


Figure S2. The quantified results of western blot data in Figure 3, 4 and 5 by Quantity One 4.5.2 software.

(A-C) According to the western blotting data in Figure 3, The relative protein abundances of the following proteins CAT, GPX1, GSR, SOD1, TRX1, TRX2 and PRX1 in *Nrf1*^{+/+} (A), *Nrf1α*^{-/-} (B) and *Nrf2*^{-/-} (C) were quantified by Quantity One 4.5.2.

(D-F) According to the western blotting data in Figure 4, The relative protein abundances of the following proteins GLUT1, HK1, HK2, G6PD, PCK1 and PCK2 in *Nrf1*^{+/+} (D), *Nrf1α*^{-/-} (E) and *Nrf2*^{-/-} (F) were quantified by Quantity One 4.5.2.

According to the western blotting data in Figure 5, (G-I) The relative protein abundances of the following proteins PHGDH, PSAT1 and ATF4 in *Nrf1*^{+/+} (G), *Nrf1α*^{-/-} (H) and *Nrf2*^{-/-} (I) were quantified by Quantity One 4.5.2. (J-L) The relative protein abundances of the following proteins CBS, HO-1, GCLM and GCLC in *Nrf1*^{+/+} (J), *Nrf1α*^{-/-} (K) and *Nrf2*^{-/-} (L) were quantified by Quantity One 4.5.2.

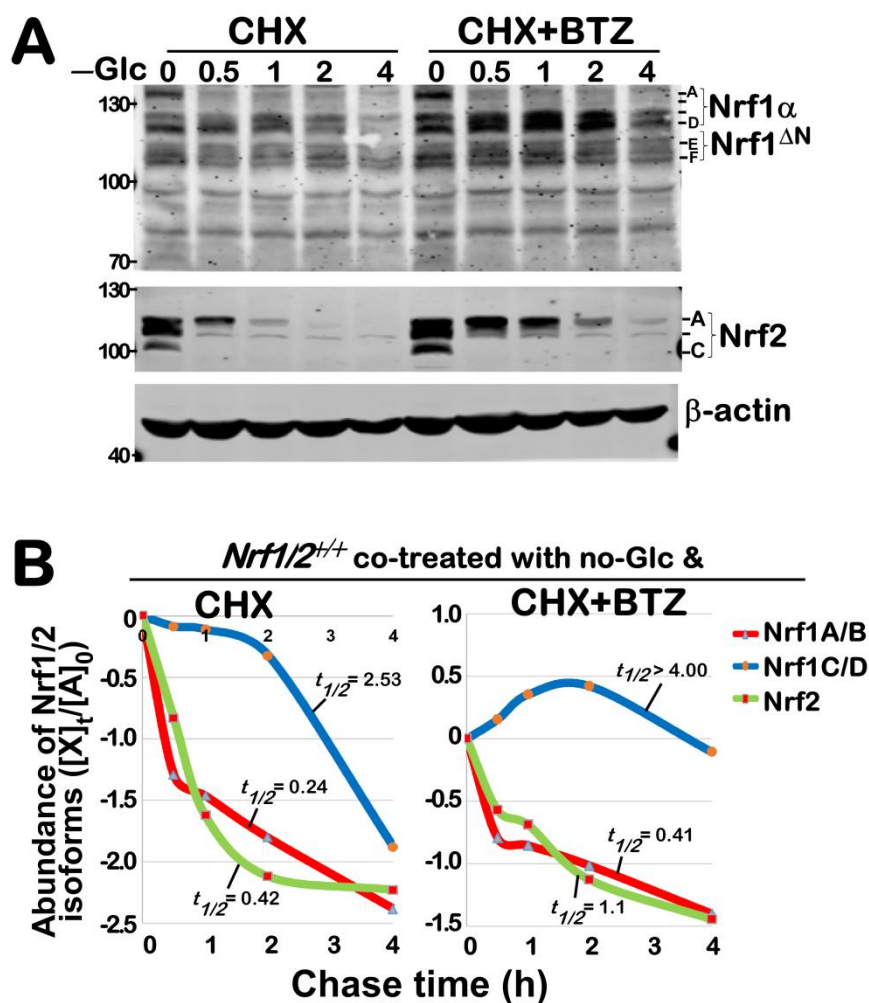


Figure S3. Time-dependent effects of glucose deprivation on Nrf1 and Nrf2 with distinct half-lives.

(A) HepG2 cells were, or were not, co-treated for 0-4 h in the glucose-free media to which cycloheximide (CHX, 50 μ g/ml) alone or plus bortezomib (BTZ, 1 μ mol/L resoved in DMSO) was added, before being harvested. The total lysates were resolved by SDS-PAGE gels containing 8% and 12% polyacrylamide, followed by Western blotting with antibodies against Nrf1 or Nrf2.

(B) The relative intensity of major protein bands representing Nrf1 and Nrf2 was quantified and shown graphically. The $[X]_t/[A]_0$ represent the relative amount of indicated protein at the indicated times ($[A]_t$) was normalized to $[A]_0$. The half-lives of the major Nrf1 and Nrf2 isoforms were calculated and shown herein.

Figure S4

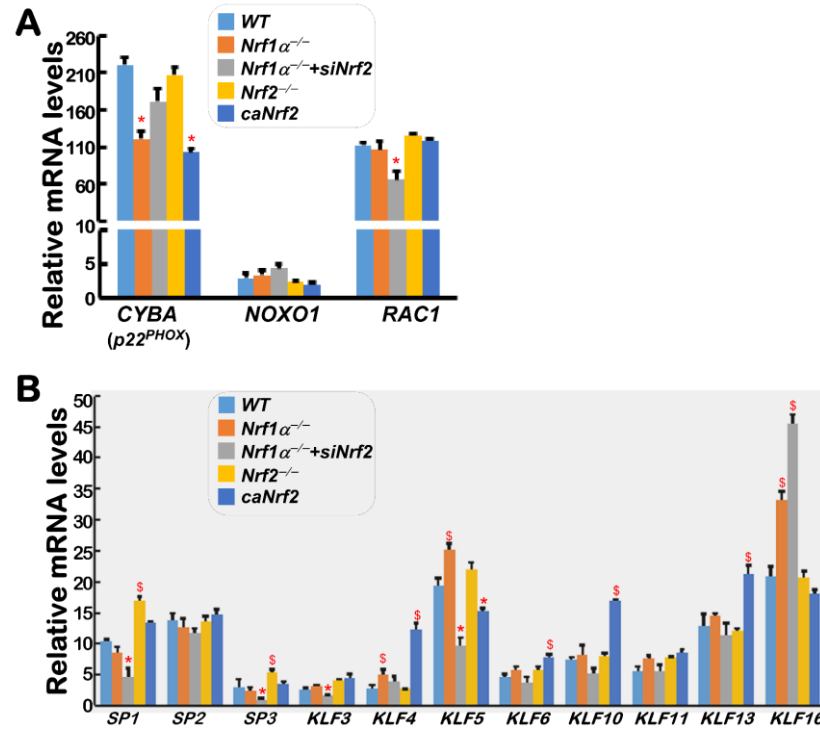


Figure S4. The mRNA expression of *CYBA*, *NOXO1* and *RAC1* in WT, *Nrf1* $\alpha^{-/-}$, *Nrf1* $\alpha^{-/-}$ + siNrf2, *Nrf2* $^{-/-}$ and *caNrf2* from transcriptomic sequencing (A); The mRNA expression of *SP1*, *SP2*, *SP3*, *KLF3*, *KLF4*, *KLF5*, *KLF6*, *KLF10*, *KLF11*, *KLF13* and *KLF16* in WT, *Nrf1* $\alpha^{-/-}$, *Nrf1* $\alpha^{-/-}$ + siNrf2, *Nrf2* $^{-/-}$ and *caNrf2* from transcriptomic sequencing (B). NOTE: significant increases (\$, $p < 0.05$) and significant decreases (* $p < 0.05$) were also calculated, relative to the WT.

Table S1. The key resources used in this work

Reagent or Resource	Source	Identifier
Antibodies		
GCLC	Sangon Biotechnology	D123963
CAT	BIMAKE	A5291
p ^{Thr172} AMPK	BIMAKE	A5740
AMPK	BIMAKE	A5008
ATF4	BIMAKE	A5514
HO1	Abcam	ab52947
GCLM	Abcam	ab126704
GPX1	Abcam	ab108427
Nrf2	Abcam	ab62352
CBS	ABclonal	A1427
Nrf1	Zhang's	(1)
PSMB7	ABclonal	A14771
PSMB6	ABclonal	A4053
PSMB5	ABclonal	A1975
TRX2	ABclonal	A12591
TRX1	BIMAKE	A5894
PRX1	BIMAKE	A5448
SOD1	R&D Systems	AF3418
GSR	Sangon Biotechnology	D220726
PCK1	Sangon Biotechnology	D261383
PCK2	Sangon Biotechnology	D222686

G6PD	Zen-bioscience	381826
GLUT1	ABclonal	A11208
HK1	Sangon Biotechnology	D221854
HK2	ABclonal	A0994
PHGDH	ABclonal	A10461
PSAT1	ABclonal	A6707
β-actin	ZSGB-BIO	TA-09
Chemicals		
Trypan Blue	Solarbio	C0040
3-Methyladenine	MedChem Express	HY-19312
Ferrostatin-1	MedChem Express	HY-100579
Necrostatin-1	MedChem Express	HY-15760
Q-VD-OPH	TargetMol	T0282
Fructose	Sangon Biotechnology	A600213
Mannose	Sangon Biotechnology	A600554
DHA(Dehydroacetic acid)	Sangon Biotechnology	A602491
Catalase	Sangon Biotechnology	A001896
NAC (N-Acetyl-L-cysteine)	Sangon Biotechnology	A601127
Glutamine	Gibco	25030149
Penicillin-Streptomycin	Invitrogen	15140122
PMSF	Sangon	A100754
Protease inhibitors	Roche	3271382-1
RIPA	Beyotime	P0013C
Oligonucleotides for small interference (si) RNA		
Normal control FW	Tsingke	UUCUCCGAACGUGUCACGUdTdT

Normal control REV	Tsingke	ACGUGACACGUUCGGAGAAdTdT
siNrf2 FW	Tsingke	GUAAGAAGCCAGAUGUUAAdTdT
siNrf2 REV	Tsingke	UUAACAUCUGGCUUCUACdTdT

Oligonucleotides for qPCR

Nrf1 FW	Tsingke	GCTGGACACCATCCTGAATC
Nrf1 REV	Tsingke	CCTTCTGCTTCATCTGTCGC
Nrf2 FW	Tsingke	TCAGCGACGGAAAGAGTATGA
Nrf2 REV	Tsingke	CCACTGGTTTCTGACTGGATGT
CAT FW	Tsingke	TTCTGTTGAAGATGCGGCG
CAT REV	Tsingke	GATGTAAAAAGTCCAGGAGGGGT
SOD1 FW	Tsingke	ATCCTCTATCCAGAAAACACGGT
SOD1 REV	Tsingke	CAAGCCAAACGACTTCCAGC
SOD2 FW	Tsingke	AATAGCTGGGATTACAGGTGCAT
SOD2 REV	Tsingke	CCAGACGGATCACTTGAGGTCAG
GPX1 FW	Tsingke	CAGTCGGTGTATGCCTTCTCG
GPX1 REV	Tsingke	GAGGGACGCCACATTCTCG
GSR FW	Tsingke	CACGAGTGATCCCAAGCCC
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NOX4 FW	Tsingke	CGGCAGAGTTTACCCAGCAC
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TRX1 FW	Tsingke	AGCCTTTCTTTCATGATGTTGC
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PRX1 FW	Tsingke	GAAGGCATCTCGTTCAGGG

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CBS FW	Tsingke	CAGTTCAAACAGATCCGCCTCAC
CBS REV	Tsingke	TGTGGTACTGGATCTGCTCGTG
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ATF4 FW	Tsingke	CCCTTCACCTTCTTACAACCTC
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PSPH FW	Tsingke	TGTCCTCCTGCTGATGCTTT
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HO-1 FW	Tsingke	CAGAGCCTGGAAGACACCCTAA
HO-1 REV	Tsingke	AAACCACCCCAACCCTGCTAT
β-actin FW	Tsingke	CATGTACGTTGCTATCCAGGC
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Oligonucleotides for construct

CAT-ARE#1 FW	Tsingke	cATTGCTGACTTTTTAAGAGCTGAGAAAGCATAGCTATGGAGCGCAAGGCc
CAT-ARE#1 REV	Tsingke	tcgagGCCTTGCGCTCCATAGCTATGCTTTCTCAGCTCTTAAAAAGTCAGCAATggtac

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Recombinant DNA

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pGL3-promoter	Promega	VQP0124
pRL-TK	Promega	VQP0126

Software and Algorithms		
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Excel	Microsoft	https://www.microsoft.com/
FlowJo 7.6.1	FlowJo	https://www.flowjo.com/
CFX Manager 3.1	Bio-Rad	https://bio-rad-cfx-manager.com/

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