Supplementary Figures

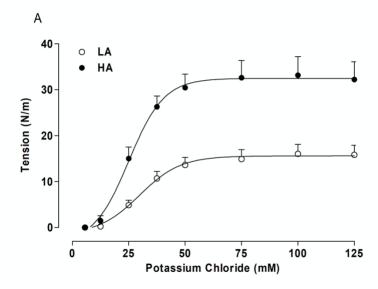
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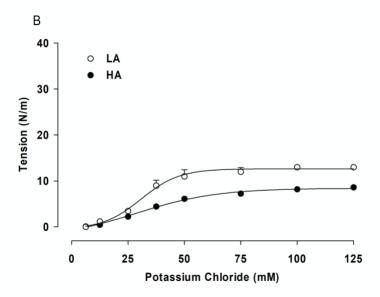
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Figure 2.- Concentration response curves to Noradrenaline (NA) and Phenylephrine (PHE) in small femoral arteries of newborn llama (NBLL, A and B) and newborn sheep (NBSH, C and D) gestated at Low Altitude (LA, open circle) and High Altitude (HA, close circle). Each point represents a means of tension expressed in % K max and brackets represent +SE.

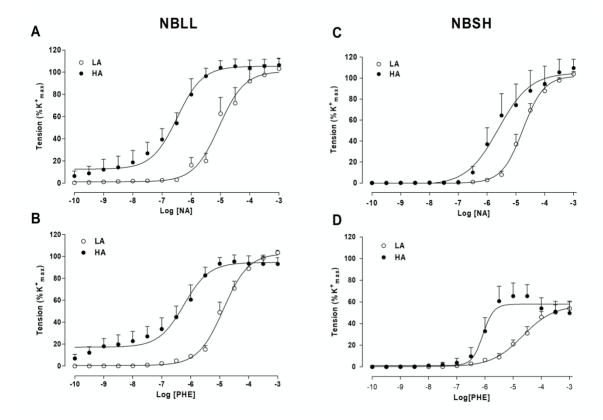
Figure 3.- Effect of endothelium remove (-E) and *N*G-nitro-L-arginine methyl ester (L-NAME, 10⁻⁵ M) on PHE-induced contraction. A) NBLL at LA, B) NBLL at HA, C NBSH at LA and D) NBSH at HA. Open circles represent arteries with endothelium (+E) and open triangle represent arteries without endothelium (-E), close circle represents arteries +E plus L-NAME and close triangle represent arteries (-E) plus L-NAME. Each point represents a means of tension expressed in (N/m) and brackets represent +SE.

Figure 4.- Effect of prazosin on NA-induced contraction in small femoral arteries of NBLL (LA, A and HA, B) and NBSH (LA, C and HA, D). Concentration response curves to NA (control, open circle) and NA in presence of prazosin 1 nM (close circle), 10 nM (close triangle), and 100 nM (close rhombus). Each point represents a means of tension expressed in (N/m) and brackets represent +SE.

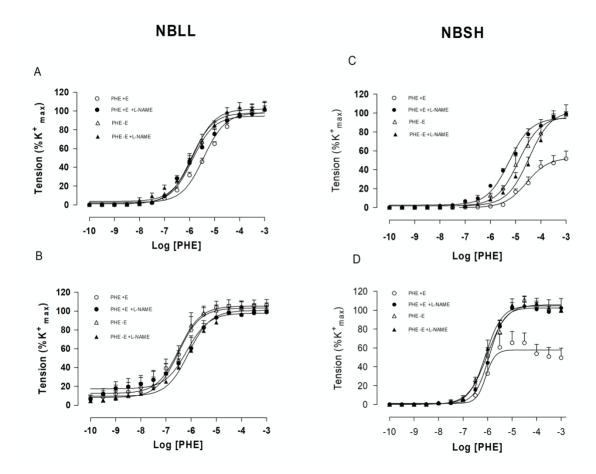




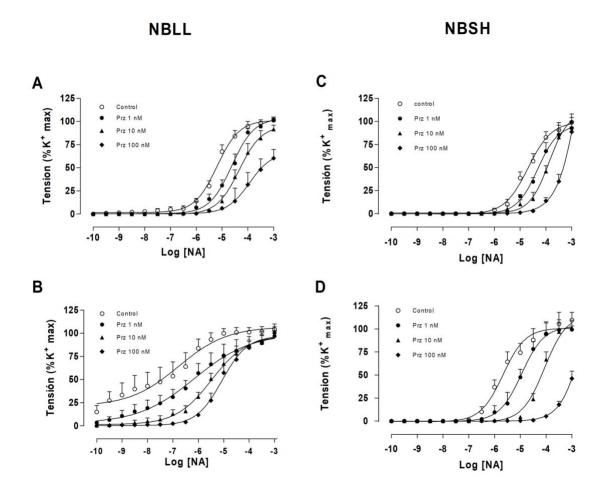
Supplementary Figure 1



Supplementary figure 2



Supplementary Figure 3



Supplementary Figure 4