

Figure S1. Effects of CPT on the three-dimensional spheroid formation of human T24 and J82 bladder cancer cells. CPT, cryptotanshinone. Scale bar, 200 μm .

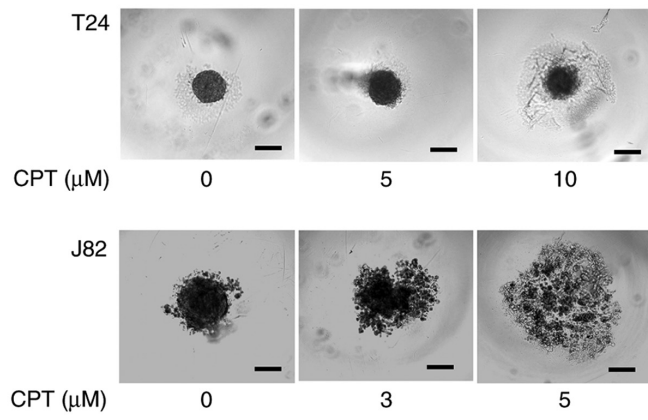


Figure S2. Effects of CPT on ATP and caspase-3/7 activities of T24 and J82 cell spheroids. Apoptosis was measured by determining caspase-3/7 activity using the Caspase-GLO[®] 3/7 Assay. (A) ATP activity, (B) caspase-3/7 and (C) caspase-3/7/ATP activity ratio. Bars indicate the mean \pm SD. * $P < 0.01$ and ** $P < 0.001$ by Welch's t-test. CPT, cryptotanshinone; ATP, adenosine triphosphate.

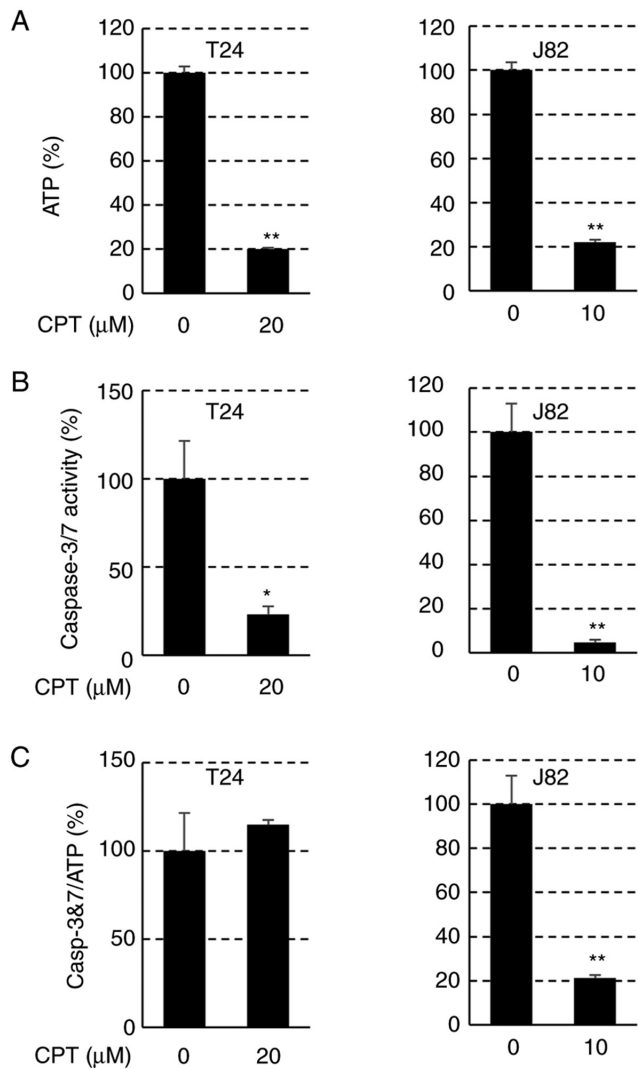


Figure S3. Cell cycle analysis following CPT treatment. Representative histograms of the gated cells. T24 (upper) and J82 (lower) cells were treated with 0 (control, left), 10 (middle) and 20 (right) μM CPT for 24 h, respectively. Apoptotic sub-G1 proportion was calculated using ModFit 3.2 software and is represented in each histogram. CPT, cryptotanshinone.

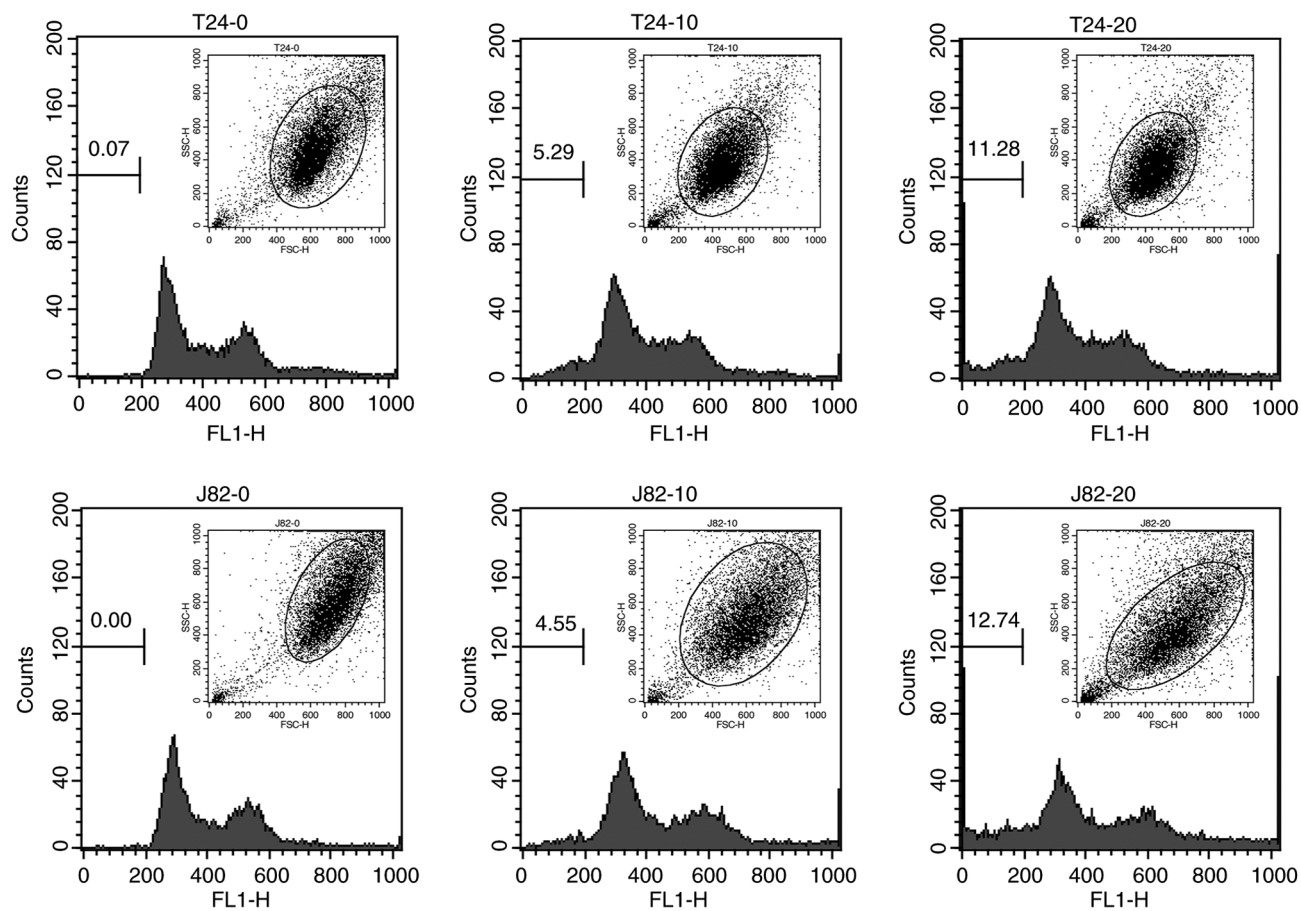


Figure S4. Quantitative analysis of protein expression levels of N-cadherin, β -catenin, p- β -catenin (S552), CD44 and p-S6K after CPT treatment in T24 and J82 cells. Bars indicate the relative expression value normalized to that of α -tubulin, and are presented as mean \pm standard deviation of three independent assays. * P <0.05, ** P <0.01 and *** P <0.001 compared with control (0 μ M) by Tukey's test. CPT, cryptotanshinone; p-, phosphorylated.

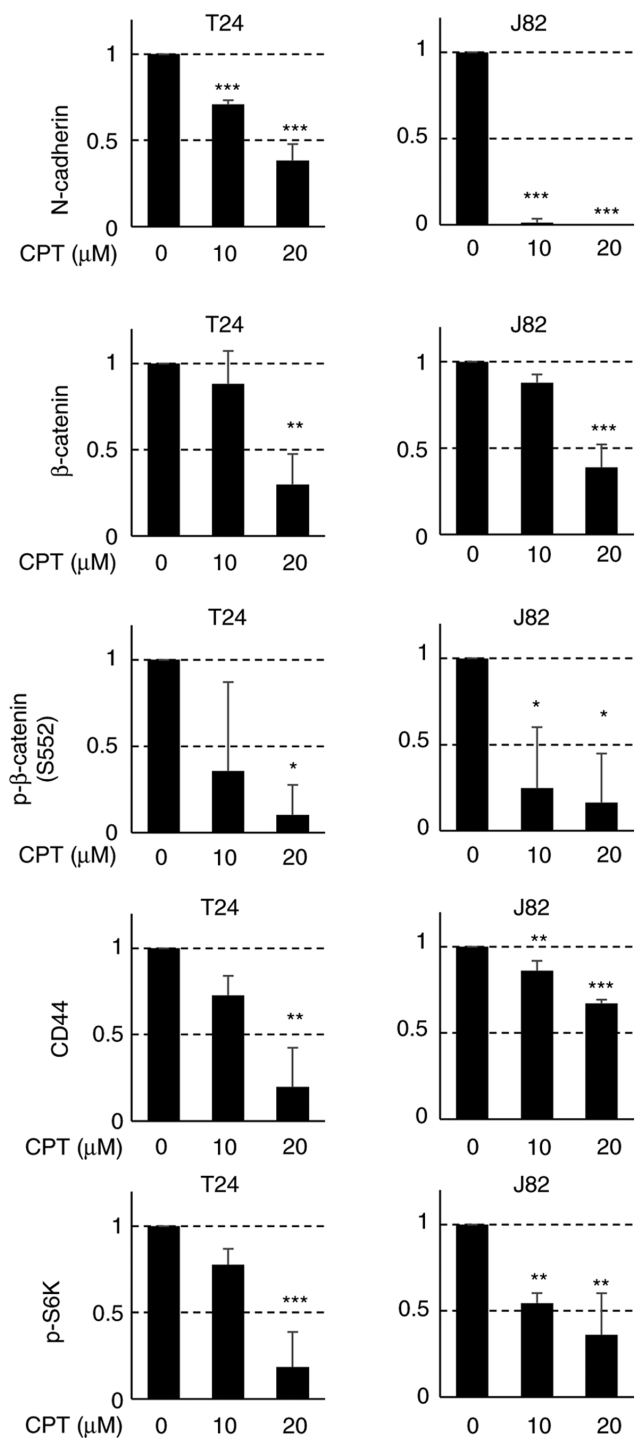


Figure S5. Effects of siRNA for PDK4 and β -catenin on three-dimensional spheroid formation in T24 human bladder cancer cells. si, small interfering; Ci, control; PDK4, pyruvate dehydrogenase kinase 4; β -cat, β -catenin.

