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The description for part B of Table I should correctly state: B.Cell number 24 h after logarithmic growth no./dish $\times 10^{-4}$, as shown below

	SHR	WKY	SHR/WKY
≤ Subculture 6	589	200	2.95
	135	56	2.41
	<u>594</u>	<u>317</u>	<u>1.87</u>
	439±264	191±131	2.41±0.54
> Subculture 7	213	265	0.80
	149	204	0.73
	102	141	0.72
	253	278	<u>0.91</u>
	179±67	222±63	0.79±0.09

Table I. Growth Responses of SHR and WKY VSMC

B. Cell number 24 h after logarithmic growth (no./dish \times 10-4)

<u></u>	SHR	WKY	
≤ Subculture 6	$97 \pm 31 \ (n = 3)^*$	$30\pm 20 \ (n=3)$	
> Subculture 7	$154\pm 29 \ (n=3)$	$108 \pm 35 \ (n = 3)$	

SHR and WKY cells were incubated in six-well dishes (Costar Corp.) at $1-2 \times 10^4$ cells/well. [³H]Thymidine incorporation was determined on cells made quiescent by 48 h incubation in 0.4% serum-DME during the logarithmic growth phase. Cell counts were performed on cells 24 h after the end of logarithmic growth. Values are the mean±SD of three wells and represent data obtained from serial passage (3-23) of one set of primaries. Similar data were observed with one other set of primaries. (*P < 0.05 vs. WKY.)

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In the legend to Figure 1 a sentence is missing that may cause confusion in interpretation of the figure. The correct legend is as follows:

Figure 1. Proliferation of cultured SHR and WKY VSMC stimulated by 10% serum. Cells were replicate plated at 2×10^4 cells per 35-mm dish in 10% calf serum-DME. 2 d later, the medium was changed to DME with 10% calf serum. Cell counts are shown beginning with addition of 10% calf serum. Each data point is the mean±SD from three dishes.