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Comparative analysis of the minimum number of replication origins in trypanosomatids and yeasts

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Figure S1

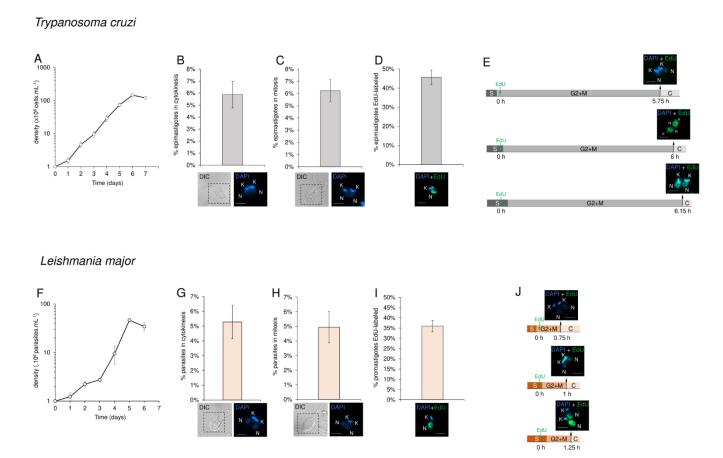


Figure S1. Parameters required to use the CeCyD website. A, F. The doubling time for (A) epimastigote forms of T. cruzi was estimated to be 24 h, and for (F) promastigote forms of L. major was estimated to be 10.5 h. These estimates were confirmed taking the values at exponential phase and using Doubling Time sofware (http://www.doubling-time.com). Error bars indicate SD of three independent experiments. B, G. DAPI-labeled parasites (2K2N) were used to measure the percentage of parasites in cytokinesis (n = 208 for *T. cruzi* and 232 for *L. major*). C, H. DAPI-labeled parasites (2K2N with the nucleus dividing) were used to measure the percentage of parasites in mitosis (n = 62 for *T. cruzi* and 58 for *L. major*). **D, I.** EdU-labeled parasites (after 1 h EdU pulse) were used to estimate the percentage of parasites able to uptake this thymidine analog (45.7 \pm 1.7% for *T. cruzi* and 36 \pm 1.7% for *L. major*). **E, J.** To estimate the duration of the G2 + M phases, EdU was added to the culture, and parasites were continuously collected every 15 min until parasites containing two EdU-labeled nuclei in the same cell (cytokinesis) were observed. This pattern was observed after (E) 6 h for T. cruzi, and after (J) 1 h for L. major. This assay was carried out in triplicate, and in all replicates, we found a parasite containing two EdU-labeled nuclei at the same time. Error bars represent SD. The scale bars for the fluorescence images correspond to 2 µm.