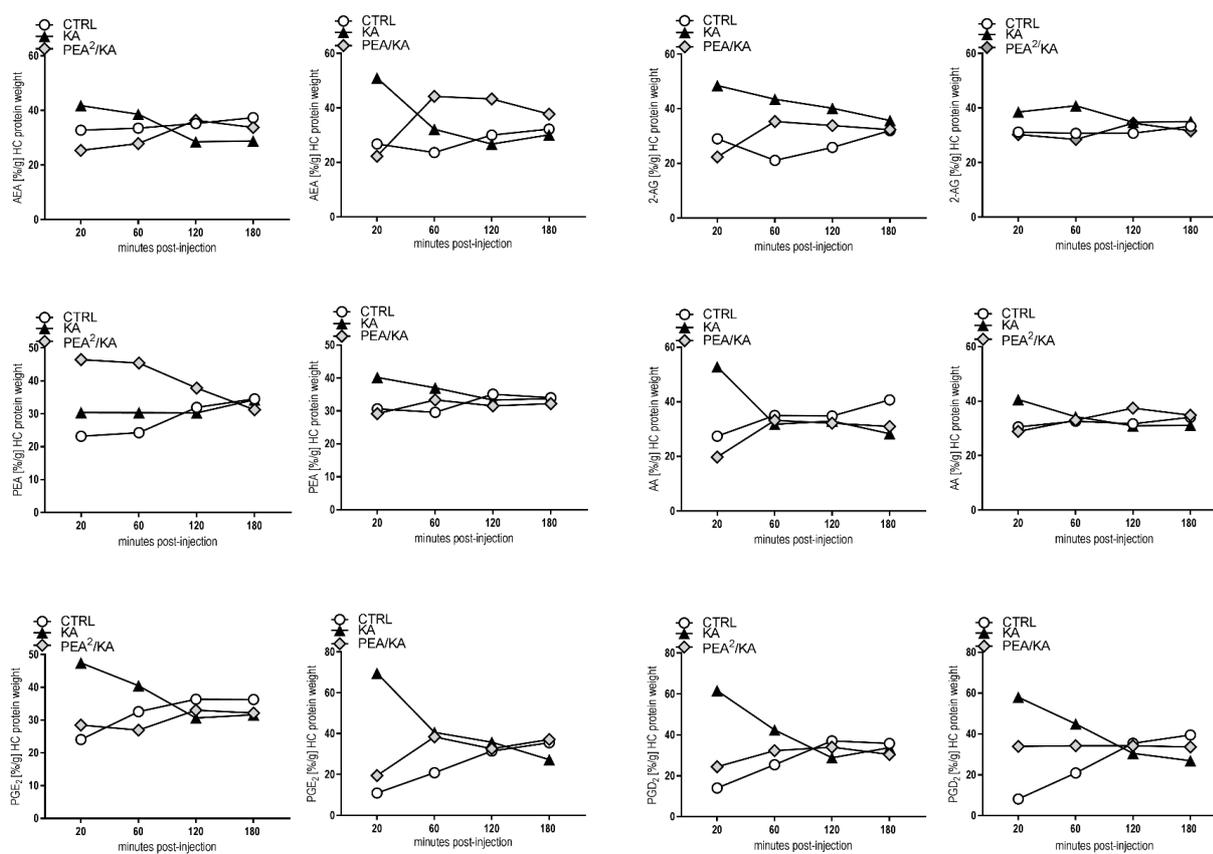
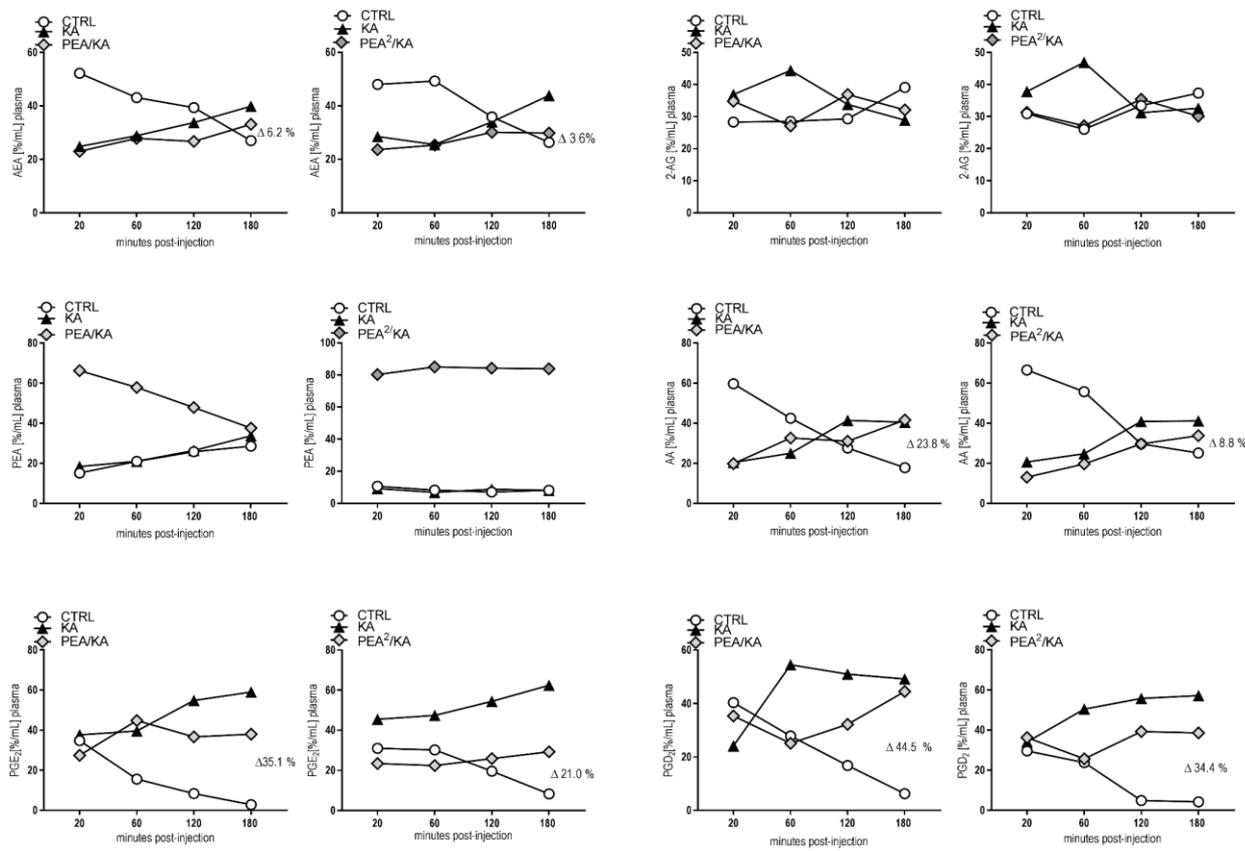


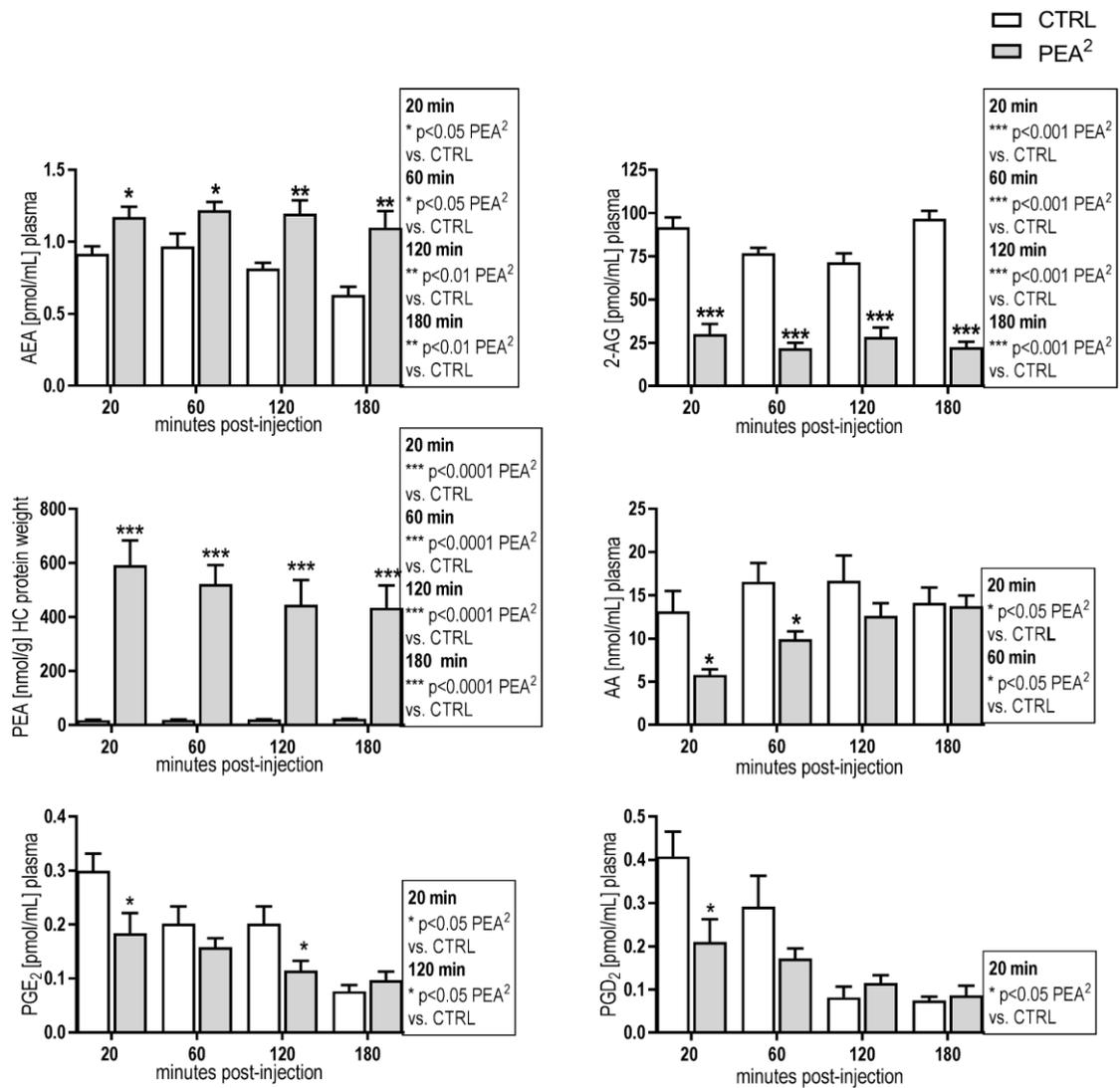
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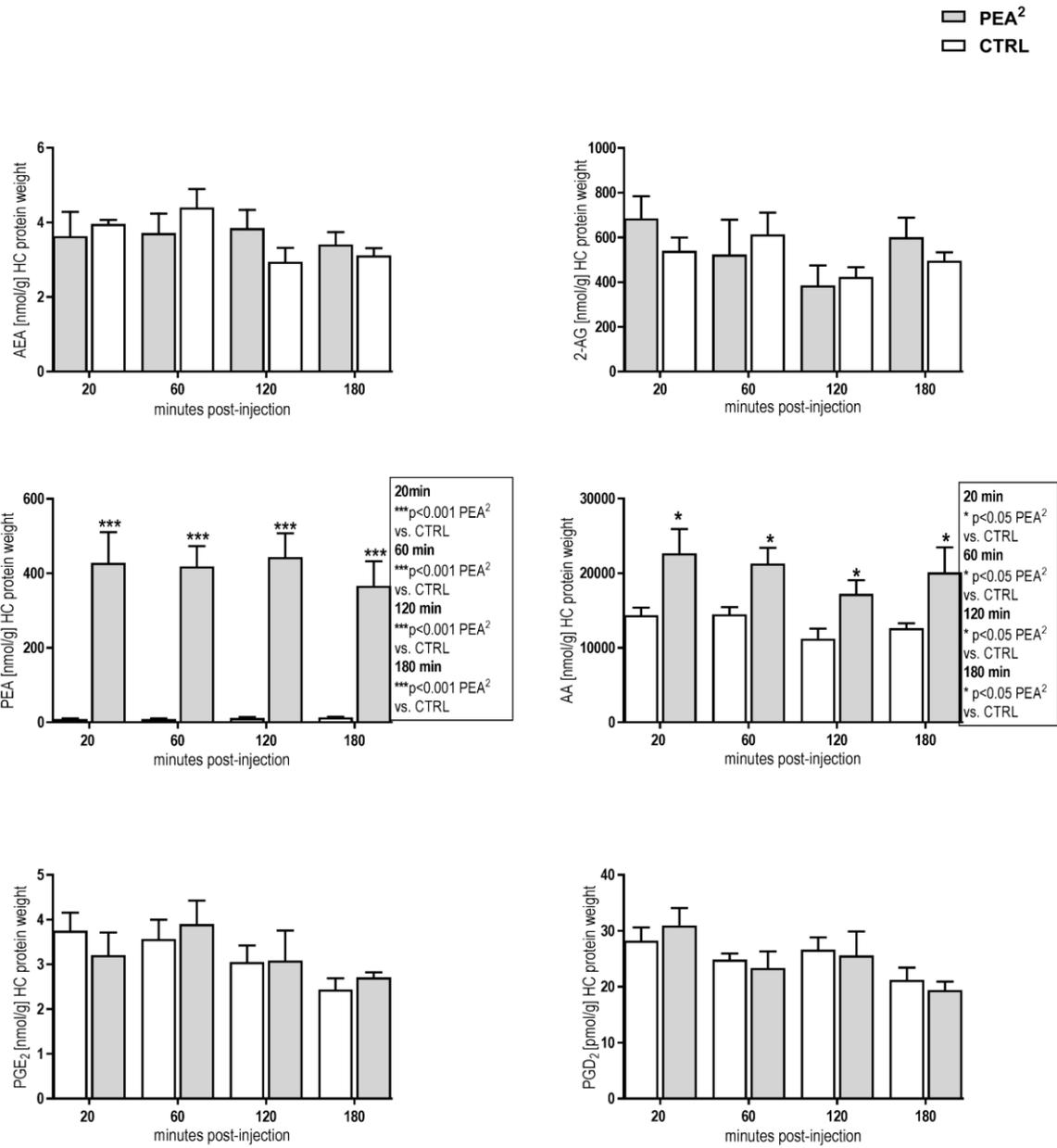
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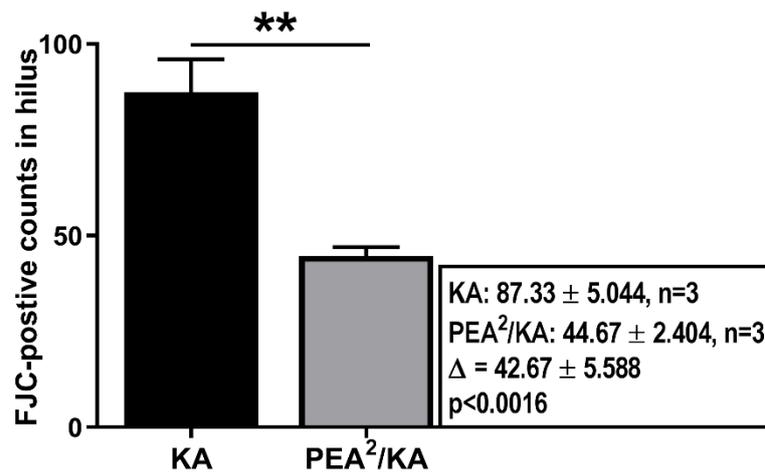
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Suppl. Figure 5. Semi-quantitative comparison of positive FJC signals in the hilus region from PEA-subchronically-treated (PEA²/KA) vs. untreated (KA) epileptic mice. FJC signal were manually counted in three subsequent coronal brain sections distanced by 200 μ m. Unpaired t-test revealed significant reduction ($p < 0.0016$) of FJC-sensitive neurodegeneration in ROI after subchronic PEA-treatment. Error bars indicate SEM and asterisks in the figures indicate significant differences, ** $P < 0.001$.