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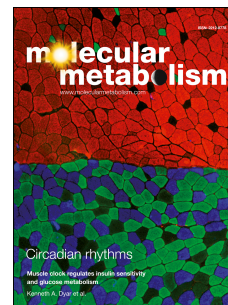
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ABBREVIATIONS: 2-[¹⁴C]DG, 2-[1-¹⁴C]deoxyglucose; GIR, glucose infusion rate; Rd, rate of disappearance; Ra, rate of appearance; EGP, endogenous (hepatic) glucose production; AUC, area under the curve; HF, high-fat diet; LF, low-fat diet; WAT, white adipose tissue; ROS, reactive oxygen species; DAG, diacylglycerol; TAG, triacylglycerol; WAT, white adipose tissue; NEFA, non-esterified fatty acids; ALT, alanine aminotransferase; Basal, 17 hr fasting; Rg, glucose metabolic index; PCaa, diacylglycerophosphocholine; PCae, glycerophosphocholine; lysoPC, lysophosphatidylcholines; SM, sphingolipid; B, basal; IS, insulin-stimulated

ABSTRACT

Objective: Excess lipid intake has been implicated in the pathophysiology of hepatosteatosis and hepatic insulin resistance. Lipids constitute approximately 50% of the cell membrane mass, define membrane properties, and create microenvironments for membrane-proteins. In this study we aimed to resolve temporal alterations in membrane metabolite and protein signatures during high-fat diet (HF)-mediated development of hepatic insulin resistance.

Methods: We induced hepatosteatosis by feeding C3HeB/FeJ male mice a HF enriched with long-chain polyunsaturated C18:2n6 fatty acids for 7, 14, or 21 days. Longitudinal changes in hepatic insulin sensitivity were assessed *via* the euglycemic-hyperinsulinemic clamp, in membrane lipids *via* t-metabolomics- and membrane proteins *via* quantitative proteomics-analyses, and in hepatocyte morphology *via* electron microscopy. Data were compared to those of age- and litter-matched controls maintained on a low-fat diet.

Results: Excess long-chain polyunsaturated C18:2n6 intake for 7 days did not compromise hepatic insulin sensitivity, however induced hepatosteatosis and modified major membrane lipid constituent signatures in liver, e.g. increased total unsaturated, long-chain fatty acid-containing acyl-carnitine or membrane-associated diacylglycerol moieties and decreased total short-chain acyl-carnitines, glycerophosphocholines, lysophosphatidylcholines, or sphingolipids. Hepatic insulin sensitivity tended to decrease within 14 days HF-exposure.

Overt hepatic insulin resistance developed until day 21 of HF-intervention and was accompanied by morphological mitochondrial abnormalities and indications for oxidative stress in liver. HF-feeding progressively decreased the abundance of protein-components of all mitochondrial respiratory chain complexes, inner and outer mitochondrial membrane substrate transporters independent from the hepatocellular mitochondrial volume in liver.

Conclusions: We assume HF-induced modifications in membrane lipid- and protein-signatures prior to and during changes in hepatic insulin action in liver alter membrane

properties – in particular those of mitochondria which are highly abundant in hepatocytes. In turn, a progressive decrease in the abundance of mitochondrial membrane proteins throughout HF-exposure likely impacts on mitochondrial energy metabolism, substrate exchange across mitochondrial membranes, contributes to oxidative stress, mitochondrial damage, and the development of insulin resistance in liver.

1 INTRODUCTION

2 Type 2 diabetes is a growing global phenomenon and considered a major complication in
3 most overweight patients with non-alcoholic fatty liver disease (NAFLD); *vice versa*, type 2
4 diabetes is frequently complicated by NAFLD [1]. Excessive short-term or chronic fat intake
5 expands hepatic lipid stores and impairs hepatic insulin action. In turn, insulin resistance in
6 liver is thought to act as a driving force in both, the pathogenesis of type 2 diabetes and
7 NAFLD [2-4].

8 Various bioactive lipid classes – such as fatty acids, acyl-carnitines, diacylglycerols,
9 phospholipids, or ceramides – have been implicated in the pathophysiology of hepatic insulin
10 resistance in animal models and humans [2,5-9]. Fatty acids are central regulators of hepatic
11 lipid metabolism as they modulate the activity of several transcription factors, e.g.
12 peroxisome proliferator-activated receptors, hepatic nuclear factors, sterol regulatory element
13 binding protein-1c, retinoid X receptor, or liver X receptor [10]. Diacylglycerols, their break-
14 down products and ceramides act as first and second messengers and interfere with insulin
15 signaling in liver [2,6,11,12]. In addition, lipids constitute approximately half of the mass of
16 most animal cell membranes, the latter dividing the extra- and intracellular environment
17 thereby restricting biological reactions, their educts and products [13]. Phospholipids, such as
18 phosphatidylcholines and phosphatidylethanolamines, are the most abundant eukaryotic
19 membrane lipids. They consist of a polar head group and two hydrophobic hydrocarbon tails,
20 the latter usually fatty acids. Due to their amphipathic nature and geometry, polar lipids
21 spontaneously align side-by-side thereby aggregating into semipermeable membranes.
22 Diacylglycerols transiently accumulate in membranes and facilitate membrane fusion.

23 The lipid composition of the diet modulates lipid signatures of membranes and
24 contributes to the creation of microenvironments in membranes that account for protein
25 enrichment or dispersion. Membrane properties are substantially modulated by both, the chain
26 lengths and the number of double bonds of the incorporated fatty acids [15]. For example,

1 phosphatidylcholine containing a C18:0 acyl-chain in the sn-1 and sn-2 position has a melting
2 point of approximately 55 °C. At mammalian body temperatures it therefore exists in a solid
3 aggregation state. If the C18:0 acyl-chain in the sn-2 position is replaced by 18:2n-6, it
4 maintains a liquid crystalline state until approximately 15 °C [16]. Sphingolipids aggregate in
5 microdomains or rafts that float within the membrane. As the saturated hydrocarbon tails of
6 sphingolipids are usually longer and straighter than those of other membrane lipids, they
7 accommodate the largest membrane proteins [13].

8 Recent advances have been made to more closely investigate the role of various
9 bioactive lipid classes in the pathogenesis of type 2 diabetes and hepatosteatosis. Given the
10 structural and functional importance of membranes, modifications in membrane lipid and
11 protein signatures might play a role in the development of high fat diet (HF)-induced hepatic
12 insulin resistance. However, whether early qualitative and quantitative changes in membrane-
13 associated lipid species and proteins precede, accompany or result in HF-induced hepatic
14 insulin resistance is not clear.

15 Therefore, we assessed comprehensive, longitudinal alterations in major membrane
16 lipid components with targeted-metabolomics and membrane-associated proteins using
17 discovery proteomics in livers of mice during developing HF-mediated hepatic insulin
18 resistance.

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1 MATERIAL AND METHODS

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3 ***Mice and study design.*** C3HeB/FeJ (C3H) mice were housed under standard *vivarium*
4 conditions (12:12 light-dark-cycle) and maintained on low-fat diet (LF, 13% fat-derived
5 calories, 17 kJ/g, Diet#1310, Altromin, Germany). At an age of 14 weeks, male mice were
6 matched for body mass and litter, and single-housed in cages including a domehouse and
7 nestlet. For 7, 14, or 21 days, mice had free access to a previously published high-fat diet (HF,
8 58% fat-derived calories, 25 kJ/g, Ssniff, Germany) containing ~78% C18:2n-6 fatty acid
9 [17]. The HF was exchanged every third day. One group of mice (REC) was treated with HF
10 for 14 days and switched back to LF for 7 days. Initial body mass-, age-, and litter-matched
11 control groups were continued on LF for 7, 14, or 21 days. Body mass and composition
12 (MiniSpec LF50, Bruker Optics, Germany) were measured one day prior to the experiment
13 start and end. If not stated otherwise, at the study end mice were killed with isoflurane
14 between 9-11AM in the random-fed state. *V. cava* blood was obtained, immediately
15 centrifuged at 4 °C, and plasma aliquots were frozen in liquid nitrogen. Liver, *M.*
16 *gastrocnemius*, epididymal and mesenteric white adipose tissue pads were dissected. Some
17 organs were weighed, and immediately freeze-clamped in liquid nitrogen. Livers were ground
18 in liquid nitrogen, and homogenates stored at -80 °C for further analyzes. All animals
19 received humane care according to criteria outlined in the National Academy of Sciences
20 Guide for the Care and Use of Laboratory Animals. All animal experiments were approved by
21 the Upper-Bavarian district government (Regierung von Oberbayern Gz.55.2-1-54-2532-4-
22 11).

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24 ***Plasma and liver biochemical analyses.*** Plasma immunoreactive insulin was determined with
25 a Mouse Insulin ELISA (Merckodia, Sweden) and all other plasma parameters with an AU400
26 autoanalyzer (Olympus, Germany) using adapted reagents from Beckman Coulter, Wako

1 Chemicals, or Randox Laboratories. Plasma triacylglycerol (Sigma Diagnostics, USA), and
2 non-esterified fatty acids (NEFA-C, Wako Pure Chemicals, Japan) were measured with
3 reagent kits. For liver triacylglycerol quantification approximately 50 mg ground liver
4 aliquots were homogenized (TissueLyserII Qiagen, Germany) with 1 ml 5% Triton-X100.
5 Triacylglycerol concentrations were quantified enzymatically with a commercial kit according
6 to the manufacturer's instructions (Biovision, USA).

7
8 ***Euglycemic-hyperinsulinemic clamps.*** A cohort of mice was equipped with permanent
9 jugular vein-catheters (i.p. ketamine/xylazine 80/10 mg/kg). After six to seven days recovery
10 ~17-hour fasting, conscious mice were subjected to euglycemic-hyperinsulinemic clamps.
11 Blood samples were obtained after single initial tail biopsy by gently massaging tails and
12 taping tips between sampling. For determination of fasting (basal) whole-body glucose
13 turnover rates (EndoR_a) a primed-continuous [$3\text{-}^3\text{H}$]glucose infusion (1.85 kBq/min) was
14 applied for 120 min and a blood sample for basal plasma glucose, [$3\text{-}^3\text{H}$]glucose, and insulin
15 measurements was withdrawn in the final 10 min. Clamps were started with a continuous [$3\text{-}^3\text{H}$]
16 glucose (3.7 kBq/min) and insulin infusion (24 pmol/kg*min⁻¹; HumulinR, Lilly, USA).
17 Blood glucose was measured every 10 min (Bayer Contour, Germany) and blood glucose
18 fluctuations were adjusted by varying the rate of a 20%-glucose solution (GIR). Between min
19 90 and 120, four blood samples were collected to estimate insulin-mediated suppression of
20 endogenous glucose appearance (EndoR_a), whole-body glucose disappearance rates (R_d) and
21 plasma insulin concentrations. Between minute 0 of the end of the clamp blood loss was
22 compensated by infusing donor blood cells at a rate of 3 $\mu\text{l}/\text{min}$. Blood was obtained from
23 male, LF-fed littermates. To prepare the infusion solution, the donor blood was gently
24 centrifuged, the supernatant discarded, blood cells were re-suspended in sterile 0.9% NaCl-
25 solution and all steps were repeated once more. All infusions were performed with CMA402-
26 pumps (Axel Semrau, Germany) and radioisotopes were purchased from Perkin Elmer

1 (Boston, USA). At the end of experiments animals were killed with i.v. ketamine/xylazine.
2 Liver, *M. gastrocnemius*, heart, and epididymal white adipose tissue were immediately
3 dissected, freeze-clamped, and stored at -80 °C. Plasma analyses and glucose flux calculations
4 were performed as previously described [18]. Phospho-AKT (Ser473) and total AKT protein
5 were assessed in liver homogenates with a multiarray-assay and a SECTOR Imager6000
6 according to the manufacturer's protocol (K15100D-1, MesoScaleDiscovery, USA).
7
8 **Targeted-metabolomics.** Measurements in plasma and liver homogenates were conducted
9 with the AbsoluteIDQ™ p180 kit (Biocrates Life Sciences, Austria) according to the
10 manufacturer's manual UM-P180 and as previously described [19]. Sample handling was
11 performed by a Microlab STAR™ robot (Hamilton, Switzerland) and Ultravap nitrogen
12 evaporator (Porvair Sciences, UK). Mass spectrometric (MS) analyses were performed with
13 API4000 LC/MS/MS System (AB Sciex, Germany) equipped with 1200 Series HPLC
14 (Agilent, Germany) and HTC-PAL autosampler (CTC Analytics, Switzerland) software-
15 controlled by Analyst1.5.1. Internal standards served as reference for calculation of
16 metabolite concentrations. Data evaluation for metabolite concentration quantification and
17 quality assessment was performed with MetIDQ™ software. Several biomarkers in this
18 manuscript are referred to in the Biocrates MetaDisIDQ™ Kit product information 2010-10-
19 06 and application note BB-MD-1. Due to the instability of effector molecules and their
20 products oxidative stress is difficult to measure. Among amino acids, methionine ranks
21 among the most sensitive to oxidation. According to a clinical study sulfoxidation of
22 methionine markedly correlated with chronic kidney disease stages and the methionine
23 sulfoxide/methionine (Met-SO/Met) ratio was suggested to represent a stable endpoint of
24 oxidative stress [20].

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1 ***Liver diacylglycerol measurement.*** At the study end, a separate cohort of six-hour fasting
2 mice was killed with isoflurane between 9-11 a.m. Diacylglycerol was extracted from liver
3 homogenates by homogenization in a buffer containing 20 mM Tris-HCl, 1mM EDTA, 0.25
4 mM EGTA, 250 mM sucrose, 2 mM phenylmethylsulfonyl fluoride, and a protease inhibitor
5 mixture (Roche). Diacylglycerol species were measured by LC/MS/MS [21].
6

7 ***Proteomics.*** Proteins from frozen liver homogenates were extracted by mechanical
8 homogenization (Precellys24, Bertin Technologies). Membrane vesicles were harvested at
9 100.000g 4 °C for 30 min and a carbonate extraction of membrane proteins was performed as
10 described earlier [22] [23]. Protein pellets were resuspended in 50 mM Tris pH 8.5 0.2 %
11 Rapigest (Waters) and subjected to tryptic digestion. Cysteines were reduced using DTT and
12 alkylated using iodoacetamide. Proteins were digested with 5 µg trypsin for 18 hours at 37 °C.
13 Peptides were separated by reversed-phase chromatography (PepMap, 0.075x150 mm, 3 µm
14 100 Å pore size, LC Packings) with a 170-min gradient using 2 % acetonitrile in 0.1 %
15 formic acid in water (A) and 0.1 % formic acid in 98 % acetonitrile (B) at 250 nl/min flow
16 rate. The gradient settings were subsequently: 0–140 min: 5-31 % B. 140-145 min: 31-99 %
17 B. 145-150 min: 99 % B and equilibrate for 10 min at starting conditions. The nano-LC was
18 connected to an LTQ ion trap-Orbitrap XL mass spectrometer (Thermo Fisher, Germany) and
19 MS spectra (m/z 300-1500) were acquired. Up to ten peptide precursors were selected for
20 collision induced dissociation fragmentation. Runs were, aligned in Progenesis LC-MS (Non-
21 Linear Dynamics V3.0) and peptides were quantified by MS intensity. MS/MS spectra were
22 searched against the Ensembl Mouse-database using Mascot (Matrix Science V2.3.02,
23 precursor mass tolerance 7 ppm, fragment tolerance 0.7 Da, enzyme trypsin, fixed
24 modifications: carbamidomethylation (C), dynamic modifications: oxidation (M) deamidation
25 (N.Q)). Peptide false discovery rate was set to 2% by adjusting cut-off values for Mascot-score
26 and p-value using the decoy database approach.

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2 **Transmission electron microscopy (TEM).** Liver blocks ($\sim 1 \text{ mm}^3$) were fixed in 2.5 %
3 glutaraldehyde in 0.1 M sodium-cacodylate buffer pH 7.4 (Science Services, Germany),
4 postfixed in 2 % aqueous osmium-tetroxide, dehydrated in gradual ethanol (30–100 %) and
5 propylene oxide, embedded in Epon (Merck, Germany) and cured 24 hours at 60 °C. Semi-
6 thin sections were cut and stained with toluidine blue. Ultrathin 50 nm sections were collected
7 onto 200 mesh copper grids, stained with uranyl acetate and lead citrate before TEM
8 examination (Zeiss Libra 120Plus, Carl Zeiss NTS, Germany). Pictures were acquired using a
9 slow-scan CCD-camera and iTEM software (Olympus Soft Imaging Solutions, Germany). In
10 each individual liver ten periportal and ten perivenous images from different hepatocyte areas
11 were morphometrically analyzed by hand using AxioVision Software (Carl Zeiss Microscopy,
12 Germany). In each image we calculated the number of mitochondria and the mitochondrial
13 volume occupying the predefined hepatocyte volume. The mean of each parameter obtained
14 from the same liver was considered an $n=1$ and used to calculate the mean of each
15 intervention group. Mitochondria $<0.02 \mu\text{m}^3$ were considered small, $0.02\text{--}0.07 \mu\text{m}^3$ medium,
16 and $>0.07 \mu\text{m}^3$ large.

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18 **Statistical analysis and data visualisation.** We performed ANOVA's (Bonferroni post-hoc
19 test) or t-tests and compared data from 7, 14, and 21 days HF-fed with pooled data from LF-
20 fed, litter-matched controls. Exclusively for proteomics, individual LF control groups were
21 compared with the respective age-matched HF groups, a Benjamini-Hochberg multiple testing
22 correction was performed and a false discovery rate (FDR) $<20\%$ (HFd7, REC) or $<10\%$
23 (HFd14, HFd21) was considered significant. Assessment of longitudinal alterations in protein
24 signatures (except SLC25A12 and SLC25A3 in **Figure 4B**) was based on a set of 378
25 proteins, presenting the protein overlap between all groups. Enrichment analyzes, based on a
26 custom liver-specific background dataset comprising 6212 proteins (**Supplemental Table 3**),

1 and protein networks were generated with STRING [24]. VENN diagrams were generated on
2 the VENNY website [25] and heatmaps with MeV [26].
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1 RESULTS

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3 **Development of HF-induced hepatosteatosis and hepatic insulin resistance.** During a 21-
4 day HF-challenge, mice progressively increased whole body fat content and visceral adipose
5 mass (**Table 1**). Compared to the LF group, 7 days HF-exposure increased liver TAG
6 concentrations ~8-fold (**Figure 1A**), liver mass ~1.2-fold (**Figure 1B**), and plasma alanine
7 transaminase concentrations ~1.4-fold (**Table 1**), the latter suggesting modest hepatocellular
8 injury. Extending HF-intervention from 7 to 21 days paradoxically reduced the degree of
9 hepatosteatosis, however the marked increase in the liver's Met-SO/Met ratio compared to LF
10 mice indicated oxidative stress (**Figure 1C**). Male C3HeB/FeJ mice maintained
11 normoglycemia during HF-exposure (**Table 1**) but at the same time displayed ~2.9-fold
12 higher plasma insulin concentrations on day 21 than LF mice suggesting insulin resistance
13 (**Table 1**). To characterize HF-mediated alterations in insulin sensitivity *in vivo* we performed
14 euglycemic-hyperinsulinemic clamps. Infusion of insulin raised plasma insulin concentrations
15 from baseline levels on a comparable scale in all groups (**Figure 1D**). Furthermore,
16 comparable blood glucose concentrations (**Figure 1E**) and plasma specific activities (**Figure**
17 **1F**) were achieved in all groups of mice during the final 30 minutes of the glucose-clamp.
18 Mice treated with HF for 7 days maintained whole-body insulin sensitivity, whereas mice fed
19 a HF for 14 days developed insulin resistance outlined by markedly reduced GIRs compared
20 to LF mice (**Figure 1G**). Whole-body insulin resistance was further aggravated by extending
21 HF-exposure to 21 days (**Figure 1G**). Basal endogenous glucose production rates (EndoR_a,
22 **Figure 1H**) were similar in all groups, however insulin's ability to suppress the EndoR_a
23 tended to be decreased after 14 days and was significantly reduced after 21 days of HF
24 feeding compared to LF mice (**Figure 1H**). Compared to basal, insulin administration
25 markedly increased pAKT protein relative to total AKT protein in LF and 7 days HF-treated
26 mice, whereas this response was attenuated in 21 days HF treated mice (**Figure 1I**).

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2 ***HF-induced alterations in lipid membrane constituents in liver during developing hepatic***
3 ***insulin resistance.*** Next we assessed HF-mediated alterations of membrane-associated lipid
4 metabolites in liver during developing hepatic insulin resistance. Seven days HF-intervention
5 resulted in comprehensive lipid profile adaptations in insulin-sensitive livers (**Figure 2 A, B**
6 first column). Seven, 14, and 21 days exposure to a HF diet rich in polyunsaturated fatty acids
7 caused a marked ~3.0-, ~6.1-, and ~3.0-fold increase of polyunsaturated (**Figure 2C left**
8 panel) and ~2.0-, ~2.5-, and ~1.6-fold increase of monounsaturated acyl-carnitines (**Figure**
9 **2C middle panel**). A pronounced ~1.4-fold increase in total hepatic diacylglycerol species
10 containing at least one unsaturated fatty acid was already evident after 7 days HF exposure
11 compared to LF animals (**Figure 2D, left and middle panel**). In addition, the abundance of
12 total saturated acyl-carnitine species, total monounsaturated and saturated
13 diacylglycerophosphocholines (**Figure 2E, middle and left panel**), total polyunsaturated and
14 saturated glycerophosphocholines (**Figure 2F, left and right panel**), total saturated
15 lysophosphatidylcholines (**Figure 2G, right panel**) and total hydroxylated or non-
16 hydroxylated sphingolipids (**Figure 2H, right panel**) decreased significantly in livers after 7
17 days HF-exposure compared to the LF group. The transition stage between normal and
18 marked hepatic insulin resistance at HF day 14, was associated with the most pronounced
19 alterations in hepatic acyl-carnitines compared to 7 days HF mice (**Figure 2C all panels**).
20 Fully developed hepatic insulin resistance induced by 21 days HF exposure, was paralleled by
21 a relative drop in total poly- and monounsaturated acyl-carnitines (**Figure 2B left and middle**
22 panel), but a relative increase in total monounsaturated diacylglycerophosphocholines (**Figure**
23 **2E middle panel**) and lysophosphatidylcholines (**Figure 2G middle panel**) in liver when
24 compared to livers of modestly insulin resistant, 14 days HF treated mice. The data for all
25 individual lipid species are provided in **Supplemental Table 1 and 2**.

26

1 ***HF-induced alterations in signatures of membrane-associated proteins in liver during***
2 ***developing hepatic insulin resistance.*** We determined whether changes in membrane lipids
3 were paralleled by alterations of membrane-associated protein signatures during developing
4 insulin resistance in liver. Among the 378 proteins identified in all experimental groups, 62
5 were significantly altered in abundance in liver after 7 days HF-exposure compared to LF
6 animals. We detected the highest number of significantly differentially regulated membrane-
7 associated proteins (159) in the transition stage from normal to impaired hepatic insulin
8 sensitivity (HF day 14) and this number only modestly declined to 125 proteins once
9 pronounced hepatic insulin resistance established (HF day 21; **Figure 3A**). Membrane
10 fractions obtained from pre-insulin resistant livers (HF day 7) expressed the highest
11 proportion of significantly upregulated membrane-associated proteins (71% of 62, **Figure 3B**)
12 compared to the LF group. In contrast, the onset of mild (57% of 159) and marked (77% of
13 125) HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance was paralleled by an increase in the proportion of
14 markedly less abundant proteins (**Figure 3B**).

15 Compared to other cell types, liver cells are rich in mitochondria. To minimize an
16 organ-specific bias we performed protein enrichment analyses based on a customized 6212
17 protein-background set constructed from the most comprehensive published mouse liver
18 proteome-dataset [27] and our collected liver proteins (**Supplemental Table 3**). GO term
19 analysis – based on the significantly differentially regulated proteins in HF- *versus* LF-treated
20 mice – indicated a pronounced enrichment of e.g. the terms mitochondrial membrane,
21 respiratory chain, or oxidative phosphorylation during developing hepatic insulin resistance
22 (14 and 21 days HF; **Supplemental Table 3**). We visualized longitudinal changes in the
23 network structures of down- (**Figure 3C**) and upregulated (**Figure 3D**) mitochondria-
24 associated proteins during HF-intervention (see **Supplemental Table 3** for higher resolution
25 images). Even though modest prior to the onset of hepatic insulin resistance (HF day 7), the
26 abundance of approximately two thirds of the detected complex I, II, III, IV, and V

1 respiratory chain proteins – integral components of the inner mitochondrial membrane –
2 tended to decrease (**Figure 4A**). Similar changes were observed for the majority of solute
3 carrier family 25 members (**Figure 4B**), involved in the mitochondrial shuttling of adenine
4 nucleotides (SLC25A13, SLC25A5), citrate (SLC25A1), oxoglutarate (SLC25A11),
5 dicarboxylate (SLC25A10), ornithine (SLC25A15), carnitine/acyl-carnitine (SLC25A20),
6 aspartate/glutamate (SLC25A12), or phosphate (SLC25A23). First signs of hepatic insulin
7 resistance (HF day 14) were paralleled by a significantly lower abundance of most inner
8 mitochondrial membrane constituents compared to LF-fed controls (**Figure 4A and B**). The
9 expression of three voltage-dependent anion-selective channel (VDAC) family members
10 (**Figure 4C**), associated with the outer mitochondrial membrane, tended to decrease within 14
11 days HF-intervention but significantly decreased when the HF-intervention was continued
12 until day 21. Finally, the pronounced HF-induced alterations in hepatic mitochondria-related
13 protein signatures, evident after 14 days HF-exposure, were completely reversible by
14 switching mice back to a LF for 7 days (**Figure 4A-C**).

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16 *Ultrastructural changes in mitochondria during HF-mediated insulin resistance in liver.*

17 We performed quantitative morphological analyzes to determine whether changes in the
18 abundance of mitochondrial proteins during developing hepatic insulin resistance were
19 attributable to changes in mitochondrial volume. Mitochondria of LF mice appeared as typical
20 liver mitochondria, round or elongated in shape, with tubular cristae and a few electron dense
21 granules in the mitochondrial matrix (**Figure 5A**, left panel). However, they strongly varied in
22 size and a great amount had a size $<0.01 \mu\text{m}^3$. Mitochondria of mice exposed to HF for 7 days
23 exhibited almost no pathological alterations. Only single mitochondria showed modest
24 alterations such as fractures of the outer mitochondrial membrane (**Figure 5A**, arrow in
25 middle panel). However, after 21 days HF exposure, numerous mitochondria appeared with
26 an atypical electron-light mitochondrial matrix containing coiled membrane structures

1 **(Figure 5A**, asterisk in right panel), partially broken outer membranes and an exvaginated
2 inner mitochondrial membrane (**Figure 5A**, arrow in right panel). Besides ultrastructural
3 features, neither the mitochondrial number nor the mitochondrial volume (**Figure 5B**) in
4 periportal and perivenous hepatocytes was altered by HF feeding. Confirming visual
5 observations, a tendency towards a decrease in the area occupied by small mitochondria
6 related to total mitochondrial area was observed in HF- compared to LF-fed mice (**Figure**
7 **5C**).

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1 DISCUSSION

2 Insulin resistance is a growing global phenomenon predisposing to cardiovascular disease and
3 type 2 diabetes mellitus. To comprehensively assess longitudinal alterations in liver
4 membrane components during HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance we combined t-
5 metabolomics and proteomics analyses with state-of-the-art phenotyping technologies of
6 glucose metabolism.

7 Hepatosteatosis correlates with impaired hepatic insulin action; nevertheless it is
8 debated whether insulin resistance or excess hepatic TAG concentrations develop first [28]. In
9 our mouse model the hepatocellular TAG content increased more than eight-fold within seven
10 days HF exposure, however hepatic insulin sensitivity remained normal. Hepatic insulin
11 resistance developed, but was paralleled by a relative decline in the hepatocellular lipid
12 content. In support of earlier findings in mice [7] we conclude that excess hepatic TAG
13 accumulation *per se* does not abrogate hepatic insulin action. Based on the temporal
14 fluctuations in hepatic TAG concentrations under HF-exposure it would be of particular value
15 to investigate the secretory capacity of the liver regarding lipoproteins in more detail in the
16 future.

17 The composition, overall intracellular availability, and subcellular distribution of
18 glycerophospholipids, sphingolipids, diacylglycerols, and ceramides has been implicated in
19 lipotoxicity-associated liver damage [29] and the pathogenesis of hepatic insulin resistance
20 [6,12,28,30,31]. Prior to and throughout development of HF-mediated hepatic insulin
21 resistance we observed comprehensive changes in membrane lipid signatures, which – besides
22 affecting signal transduction cascades – likely modulate the physical properties and the
23 topology of cellular membranes. For example the fluidity of synthetic lipid bilayers is
24 determined by the composition of membrane lipids [13] what has been involved in the
25 pathophysiology of metabolic disorders. A close correlation between the relative proportion
26 of long-chain omega-3 polyunsaturated fatty acids in phospholipid and insulin action in red

1 quadriceps muscle has been outlined earlier [32]. Based on our data we propose a similar
2 hypothesis in liver and in the following discuss both, evidence and potential mechanisms of
3 how HF-induced alterations in membrane lipid signatures might contribute to the
4 development of insulin resistance.

5 Acyl-carnitines link fatty acid and glucose metabolism, are crucial for cell function
6 and survival, for mitochondrial fatty acyl-CoA thioester import, or acyl-group export from
7 mitochondria and peroxisomes [33]. In addition, carnitine O-acyl derivatives modulate
8 membrane fluidity *via* direct interactions with cell membranes, influence ion channel
9 functions as well as membrane stability in cardiac tissue [34]. When we exposed mice to a
10 diet rich in long-chain fatty acids they initially accumulated long-chain poly- and
11 monounsaturated acyl-carnitines in liver followed by a relative decline. Due to their multiple
12 functions and as long-chain acyl-carnitines bind to phospholipid bilayers and appear to almost
13 completely reside in the membrane phase [35], such modifications might alter physical
14 membrane properties and contribute to the development of insulin resistance in liver.

15 The outer and inner monolayer of lipid bilayers is thought to present a striking lipid
16 asymmetry; whereas the outer membrane monolayer of e.g. human erythrocytes
17 predominantly contains phosphatidylcholines and sphingomyelins, the inner monolayer is
18 rather enriched in phosphatidylserines and phosphatidylethanolamines [13]. Lipid asymmetry
19 is functionally important as many cytosolic proteins only bind to specific lipid head groups
20 presented by the cytosolic face of the lipid monolayer, e.g. protein kinase C to regions rich in
21 negatively charged phosphatidylserine [13]. A relationship between the composition of
22 membrane structural phospholipids and insulin sensitivity was outlined in skeletal muscle of
23 animal models and humans [32,36,37]. In skeletal muscle, diet-induced alterations in
24 phospholipid moiety were speculated to influence insulin action in part by altering membrane
25 fluidity [32]. In rat adipocytes, dietary fat-mediated modifications in the membrane

1 phospholipid composition increased the fluidity of the plasma membrane lipid bilayer with
2 the degree of phospholipid-incorporated polyunsaturated fatty acids [38].

3 Noteworthy, phospholipid signatures in this study do not accurately reflect membrane
4 lipids as they were measured in whole liver homogenates. We chose to extract lipids from
5 immediately freeze-clamped livers rather than from membrane extracts following an
6 additional enrichment procedure as thereby we likely conserved low-abundant, rapidly
7 metabolized, and degradation susceptible phospholipid signatures more efficiently.
8 Presumably the analysed phospholipids predominantly reside in cellular membranes rather
9 than in extra-membranous compartments as according to their amphipatic nature they
10 preferentially assemble into bilayers in aquatic (e.g. cytosolic) environments.
11 Taken together, our data outline comprehensive changes in unsaturated and saturated moieties
12 of predominantly membrane-associated phospholipids, DAGs, and acyl-carnitines in mouse
13 liver in response to HF-exposure. Given that the spontaneous curvature of a lipid depends on
14 both, length and saturation of its incorporated fatty acids [39], HF-induced temporal changes
15 in the degree of saturation and chain length of structural membrane lipids suggest dynamic
16 alterations in physical membrane bilayer properties in liver. These might impact on the
17 physiology of cells and those of cell organelles, on cellular energy metabolism, and thereby
18 contribute to hepatic insulin resistance. Thus it will be an important future asset for the
19 development of effective prevention and treatment strategies for type 2 diabetes and NAFLD
20 to further elucidate initial mechanisms by which bioactive lipid metabolites interfere with
21 hepatic insulin action.

22 In humans and animal models mitochondrial adaptations, such as epigenetic
23 modifications of mitochondrial DNA, alterations in mitochondrial DNA content, respiratory
24 chain complex activity, or mitochondrial beta-oxidation capacity in liver, have been linked to
25 the development of hepatosteatosis, hepatic insulin resistance, and type 2 diabetes [40-44].
26 Also ultrastructural mitochondrial changes, their superior organisation, and plasticity seem to

1 play pivotal roles in the development of insulin resistance [45-47]. Hepatocytes contain
2 numerous, double membrane-bounded mitochondria and the organelles occupied
3 approximately 18% of the cell volume in our mouse model (**Figure 5B**). The outer and inner
4 mitochondrial membranes perform different functions and are characterized by distinct lipid
5 and protein compositions [48]. In mice, HF-induced development of hepatic insulin resistance
6 was accompanied by a gradual decrease in the abundance of many mitochondrial inner and
7 outer membrane proteins involved in oxidative phosphorylation or substrate shuttling, what
8 was not attributable to a decrease in the mitochondrial area in hepatocytes. Mitochondrial
9 energetics significantly depends on the organelles complex internal architecture. Cristae, inner
10 mitochondrial membrane invaginations, are sites of oxidative phosphorylation and ATP
11 synthesis catalyzed by the mitochondrial ATP synthase. The enzyme is composed of two
12 linked complexes. One is termed the soluble catalytic core F_1 , the second is the membrane-
13 spanning, proton channel comprising F_o complex which is composed of nine subunits (A, B,
14 C, D, E, F, G, F6, and 8). ATP synthase seems crucial for proper cristae morphogenesis
15 [49,50] and assembles into dimers in cristae regions with a high membrane curvature [50-52].
16 In our study HF-exposure markedly decreased the abundance of the mitochondrial ATP
17 synthase F_o complex subunits ATP5L (subunit G), ATP5K (subunit E), ATP5J (subunit F6),
18 and ATP5H (subunit D) in liver. In mutant yeast cells the disruption in the ATP synthase F_o
19 subunit *e* or *g* genes altered ATP synthase dimerization and caused defects in cristae
20 architecture and so called 'onion'-like structures [53,54]. Thus, the decrease in the abundance
21 of ATP synthase subunit E or G proteins in our model may impact dimerization and be
22 connected to the ultrastructural changes in the inner mitochondrial membrane architecture.

23 The volume-constraining outer mitochondrial membrane serves as an interface
24 between the cytosol and mitochondria and establishes contact sites to cristae. VDACs are
25 master regulators of the metabolite flux between the cytosol and the outer mitochondrial
26 membrane [55]. In mice, VDAC1 deficiency leads to defects in respiratory complex activities

1 in striated muscles and VDAC3-deficiency to alterations in complex IV in heart paralleled by
2 mitochondrial structural abnormalities [56]. VDAC1 seems capable of interacting with
3 hexokinase [57], the latter implicated in reducing mitochondrial ROS generation through an
4 ADP-recycling mechanism. Outlining a role for VDAC1 in the development of HF-mediated
5 hepatic insulin resistance in mice, deterioration of hepatic insulin action was paralleled by a
6 significant reduction in the abundance of VDAC1 protein, an increase in oxidative stress and
7 changes in mitochondrial architecture in liver.

8 Finally, HF-induced alterations in mitochondrial proteins of the inner and outer membrane
9 were almost completely reversible within seven days upon treatment with a low fat diet. This suggests
10 that diet and life-style interventions contribute to a rapid restoration of insulin sensitivity in liver, at
11 least at an early stage of hepatic insulin resistance. It will be of significance to further explore whether
12 a longer HF-exposure extends the recovery of mitochondrial membrane proteins back to baseline or
13 results in irreversible alterations and how it affects membrane associated lipid profiles.

14 The KEGG pathway of human NAFLD (hsa04932) implicates alterations in
15 mitochondrial oxidative phosphorylation in the pathophysiology of the disease. However, it
16 will be important to translate the alterations in mitochondrial inner and outer membranes in
17 mice to humans with clinical manifestation of hepatosteatosis, as to our knowledge no studies
18 specifically explored the human liver membrane proteome yet.

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20 CONCLUSIONS

21 Diet-derived lipids modified signatures of membrane-constituting lipid classes such as the
22 proportions of saturated and unsaturated long-chain acyl-carnitines, membrane-associated
23 diacylglycerols, glycerophosphocholines, and glycerophospholipids in livers of mice. We
24 assume this affects mitochondrial membrane topology and organelle physiology in liver.

25 Therefore, it will be valuable to examine whether changes in the membrane lipid composition
26 indeed interfere with the distribution of proteins in mitochondrial membranes or alter

1 mitochondrial cristae formation, which would explain the observed decrease in the abundance
2 of inner and outer mitochondrial membrane-associated proteins. It is tempting to speculate
3 that persistent and comprehensive reductions of inner- and outer mitochondrial membrane-
4 associated respiratory chain and substrate carrier proteins impede mitochondrial
5 bioenergetics, substrate exchange with extramitochondrial compartments, provoke oxidative
6 stress, induce mitochondrial damage, and thereby play a role in the development of hepatic
7 insulin resistance.

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1 FIGURE LEGENDS

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3 Figure 1. Induction of HF-mediated hepatic steatosis and insulin resistance. Male mice4 were exposed to HF or LF (pooled) for 7, 14, or 21 days. The liver parameters **A)** liver5 triacylglycerol concentrations, **B)** terminal liver mass, and **C)** liver ratio of methionine-SO

6 and methionine (oxidative stress indicator) were assessed in random-fed mice (n=6-24).

7 Euglycemic-hyperinsulinemic clamps were performed in conscious, 17-hour fasting (= basal

8 condition, **B)** mice. **D)** Plasma insulin concentrations in the **B** condition and in the clamp

9 'steady state' during insulin-stimulation (IS). The following parameters were calculated for 10

10 minute periods in the clamp 'steady state'. **E)** Blood glucose concentration. **F)** Plasma specific11 activity. **G)** Glucose infusion rate. **H)** Endogenous glucose appearance rates (EndoR_a, **B** and12 IS), **I)** Liver ratio of pAKT and total AKT protein (t-test comparing **B** and IS in each group,

13 n=4-15/group). Data are means±SEM. n=8-15/group. *p < 0.05; **p < 0.01; ***p < 0.001;

14 ****p < 0.0001 vs. LF or vs. B (ANOVA, Bonferroni).

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16 Figure 2. Liver lipid profiles during developing HF-mediated hepatic insulin resistance.17 *Via* t-metabolomics liver lipid profiles were assessed in random-fed male mice following18 exposure to HF or LF (pooled) for 7, 14, or 21 days. Heatmaps depict fold-change (log₂) of19 individual **A)** short-, medium- and long-chain acyl-carnitine species or **B)** selected

20 phospholipid species in each HF-group. Compared to the LF-group, an increase in the HF-fed

21 groups is indicated in yellow and a decrease in blue. **C)** Total polyunsaturated (left, 4

22 species), monounsaturated (middle, 10 species) and saturated (right, 11 species) acyl-carnitine

23 species. **D)** Total membrane-associated diacylglycerols with two (left, 4 species) or one

24 (middle, 6 species) incorporated unsaturated fatty acid or two incorporated saturated fatty

25 acids (right, 3 species). **E)** Total polyunsaturated (left, 31 species), monounsaturated (middle,26 7 species) and saturated (right, 7 species) diacylglycerophosphocholines, **F)** Total

1 polyunsaturated (left, 19 species), monounsaturated (middle, 7 species) and saturated (right, 6
2 species) glycerophosphocholines, and **G**) Total polyunsaturated (left, 3 species),
3 monounsaturated (middle, 4 species) and saturated (right, 8 species)
4 lysophosphatidylcholines. **H**) Total hydroxylated (left, 5 species) or non-hydroxylated (right,
5 7 species) sphingomyelins. Data are means \pm SEM. n=6-24/group, except diacylglycerols n=6-
6 9/group. *p < 0.05; **p < 0.01; ***p < 0.001; ****p < 0.0001 vs. LF (ANOVA, Bonferroni).
7 Abbreviations: PC aa diacylglycerophosphocholine (lecithine); PC ae, glycerophosphocholine
8 (plasmalogen); lysoPC, lysophosphatidylcholine (lysolecithine); SM, sphingolipid.

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10 **Figure 3. Liver membrane protein profiles during developing HF-mediated hepatic**
11 **insulin resistance.** *Via* quantitative proteomics liver membrane protein profiles were assessed
12 in random-fed male mice following exposure to HF or LF for 7, 14, or 21 days. **A**) VENNY
13 diagram depicts the overlap of significantly regulated membrane-associated proteins
14 comparing a HF *versus* the respective LF group. **B**) Number of significantly up- and
15 downregulated proteins. **C**) Up- and **D**) downregulated mitochondria-associated proteins were
16 identified in a HF *versus* the respective LF group and used to generate networks. n=6-7/group.
17 HFd7: FDR<20%, HFd14 and HFd21: FDR<10%.

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19 **Figure 4. Liver inner and outer mitochondria-membrane protein profiles during**
20 **developing HF-mediated hepatic insulin resistance.** *Via* quantitative proteomics liver
21 membrane protein profiles were assessed in random-fed male mice following exposure to HF
22 or LF for 7, 14, or 21 days or following 7 days recovery on LF after 14 d HF-exposure (REC)
23 compared to LF-fed littermates. Heatmaps depict the fold-change in the abundance of inner
24 mitochondrial membrane-associated **A**) respiratory chain complexes I-V and **B**) solute carrier
25 proteins, and outer mitochondrial membrane-associated **C**) VDAC proteins. n=6-7/group. *
26 Significantly regulated proteins in HF, REC *versus* LF group. HFd7: FDR<20%, HFd14 and

1 HFd21: FDR<10%. Abbreviations: RC I-V, respiratory chain complexes I-V; SLC, solute
2 carrier family 25 member, N.d. not detected.

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4 **Figure 5. Ultrastructural and morphometric mitochondrial features in liver during**
5 **development of HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance.** EM-analyses were performed in
6 liver sections obtained from random-fed male mice following exposure to LF or HF for 7 or
7 21 days. **A)** Mitochondria in hepatocytes of the HFd7 group depicted minor ultrastructural
8 changes (arrow middle panel, third row) whereas those of animals in the HFd21 group
9 contained numerous atypical mitochondria with 'onion-like' structures (* right panel second
10 and third row). Morphometric analyses of EM liver sections outline the **B)** Percentages of
11 periportal and perivenous hepatocyte volumina occupied by mitochondria and relative
12 volumina of **C)** small-sized mitochondria (defined as $<0.02 \mu\text{m}^3$) related to total
13 mitochondrial volume. Data are means \pm SEM. n=3-4/group (n=1 represents mean of 10
14 analyzed electron micrographs/area and animal, ANOVA, Bonferroni).

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1 **TABLE FOOTNOTE**

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3 **Table 1. Phenotypic characterisation of mice developing HF-induced hepatic insulin**4 **resistance.** Prior to the start of the experiment animals in the LF (n=28; pooled from 7, 14, or

5 21 days LF-fed mice) and HF groups (n=10/group) were litter- and body mass-matched.

6 Plasma analyses were performed in samples obtained from random-fed mice between 9-11 am

7 prior to and after 7, 14, or 21 days HF- or LF-feeding. Group sizes for mesenteric WAT mass

8 (n=18, 9, 5, 5 for LF, HFd7, HFd14, HFd21), for plasma alanine aminotransferase and

9 creatine kinase (n=24, 6, 8, 10 for LF, HFd7, HFd14, HFd21) and for plasma insulin (n=8 for

10 HFd7) were lower due to plasma limitations. The lower section of the table depicts the Rate

11 of glucose disappearance (Rd) estimated for 10 minute intervals during the final 30 minutes of

12 the euglycemic-hyperinsulinemic clamps (n=9, 8, 9, 9 for LF, HFd7, HFd14, HFd21). Data

13 are means±SEM.*p < 0.05; **p < 0.01; ***p < 0.001; ****p < 0.0001 vs. LF (ANOVA,

14 Bonferroni).

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1 SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIAL

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3 **Supplemental Table 1. Membrane-associated phospholipid signatures in livers during**

4 **developing HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance.** *Via* t-metabolomics lipid profiles were

5 assessed in livers obtained from random-fed male mice following exposure to HF or LF

6 (pooled) for 7, 14, or 21 days. The table depicts the concentrations of individual **A**) short-,

7 medium- and long-chain carnitine acyl-esters and **B**) phospholipids in liver. Data are

8 means±SEM. n=6-24/group. *p < 0.05; **p < 0.01; ***p < 0.001; ****p < 0.0001 *vs.* LF

9 (ANOVA, Bonferroni). Abbreviations: PC aa diacylglycerophosphocholine (lecithine); PC ae,

10 glycerophosphocholine (plasmalogen); lysoPC, lysophosphatidylcholine (lysolecithine); SM,

11 sphingolipid.

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13 **Supplemental Table 2. Membrane-associated diacylglycerol signatures in livers during**

14 **developing HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance.** Liver membrane-associated

15 diacylglycerol species were assessed in six-hour fasting, male mice following exposure to HF

16 or LF (pooled) for 7, 14, or 21 days. Data are means±SEM. n=6-9/group. *p < 0.05; **p <

17 0.01; ***p < 0.001; ****p < 0.0001 *vs.* LF (ANOVA, Bonferroni).

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19 **Supplemental Table 3. GO-term analysis of significantly regulated liver proteins during**

20 **developing HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance and 6212 protein background dataset**

21 *Via* quantitative proteomics liver membrane protein profiles were assessed in random-fed

22 male mice. The tables depict results from GO-term analyses performed with proteins

23 significantly differentially expressed in livers obtained from 7 (no enrichment), 14, or 21 days

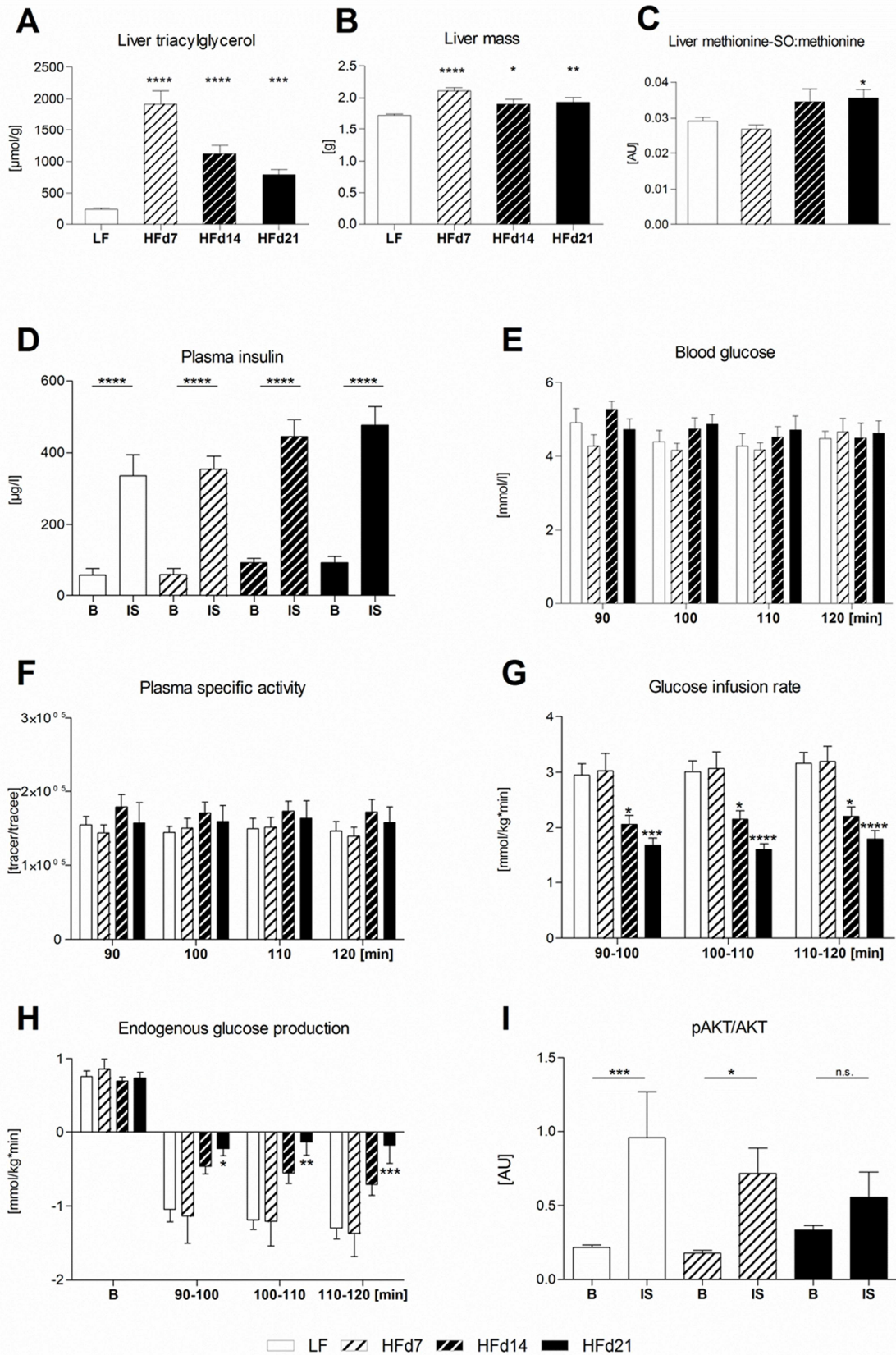
24 HF- *versus* LF-treated mice and to avoid an organ-specific bias based on a custom-made 6212

25 liver protein background dataset (provided). n=6-7/group. HFd7: FDR<20%, HFd14 and

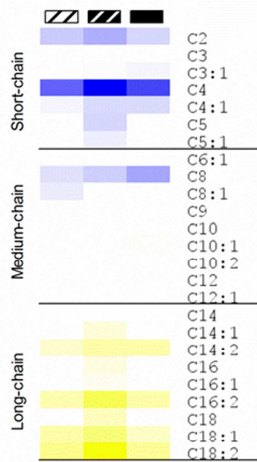
26 HFd21: FDR<10%.

Table 1. Phenotypic parameters during developing HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance. Measurements were conducted in random-fed mice between 9 and 11 am. Prior to the start of the experiment animals in the LF (n=28; pooled from 7, 14, or 21 days LF-fed mice) and HF groups (n=10 each) were litter- and body mass-matched. Group sizes for mesenteric WAT mass (n=18, 9, 5, and 5 for LF, HFd7, HFd14, and HFd21, respectively), for plasma alanine aminotransferase and creatine kinase (n=24, 6, 8, and 10 for LF, HFd7, HFd14, and HFd21, respectively) and for plasma insulin (n=8 for HFd7) were lower as not all parameters could be measured in each mouse. The table depicts the Rate of glucose disappearance (Rd) during the final 30 minutes of the glucose clamp (n=9, 8, 9, and 9 for LF, HFd7, HFd14, and HFd21, respectively). All data are given as means±SEM (ANOVA, Bonferroni). * p<0.05, p<0.01 ** p<0.001 *** p<0.0001 ****

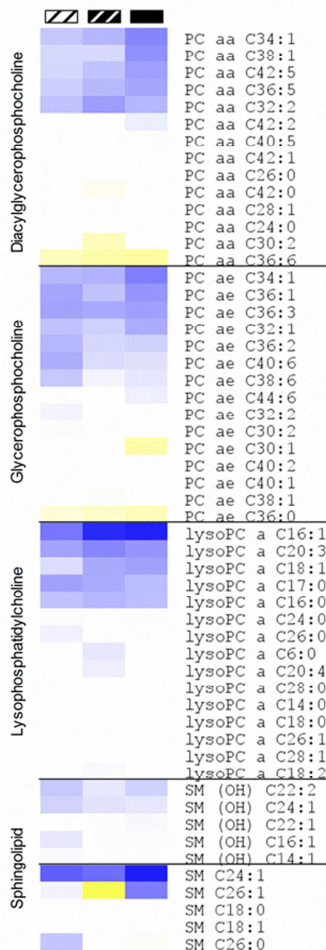
Physiological parameters (random-fed)	LF	HF d7	HF d14	HF d21
Terminal body mass (g)	34.14 ± 0.45	38.15 ± 0.76 ^{***}	38.46 ± 1.06 ^{***}	40.90 ± 0.81 ^{****}
Body mass gain (terminal-initial. g)	-0.08 ± 0.24	2.98 ± 0.39 ^{****}	4.84 ± 0.40 ^{****}	6.88 ± 0.67 ^{****}
Terminal whole body fat mass (g)	9.30 ± 0.26	11.94 ± 0.49 ^{***}	12.12 ± 0.73 ^{****}	13.08 ± 0.46 ^{****}
Body fat mass gain (terminal-initial. g)	0.15 ± 0.19	1.62 ± 0.25 ^{***}	3.12 ± 0.41 ^{****}	3.63 ± 0.27 ^{****}
Epididymal white adipose tissue mass (g)	0.93 ± 0.04	1.50 ± 0.07 ^{****}	1.51 ± 0.10 ^{****}	1.66 ± 0.06 ^{****}
Mesenteric white adipose tissue mass (g)	0.57 ± 0.03	0.95 ± 0.04 ^{****}	0.97 ± 0.07 ^{****}	1.14 ± 0.06 ^{****}
Plasma alanine aminotransferase (U/l)	21.94 ± 1.65	31.45 ± 2.13 [*]	26.36 ± 1.88	28.92 ± 3.09
Plasma creatine kinase (U/l)	42.50 ± 2.50	29.00 ± 2.67 [*]	33.00 ± 2.51	36.20 ± 3.39
Plasma glucose (mmol/l)	11.49 ± 0.49	12.35 ± 0.59	14.52 ± 1.42	10.93 ± 0.60
Plasma insulin (pmol/l)	339.50 ± 76.47	867.60 ± 161.30	642.00 ± 167.10	976.90 ± 313.60 [*]
Plasma triacylglycerol (mmol/l)	4.07 ± 0.27	1.96 ± 0.13 ^{***}	2.62 ± 0.33 [*]	2.76 ± 0.35 [*]
Plasma non-esterified fatty acids (mmol/l)	0.71 ± 0.05	0.51 ± 0.05	0.60 ± 0.08	0.58 ± 0.06
Euglycemic-hyperinsulinemic clamps (~17-h fasting)				
Rd t90 [mmol/kg*min]	1.92 ± 0.14	1.75 ± 0.04	1.47 ± 0.11 [*]	1.38 ± 0.08 ^{**}
Rd t100 [mmol/kg*min]	1.86 ± 0.09	1.74 ± 0.07	1.52 ± 0.10	1.37 ± 0.08 ^{**}
Rd t110 [mmol/kg*min]	1.83 ± 0.10	1.75 ± 0.09	1.50 ± 0.10	1.35 ± 0.09 ^{**}
Rd t120 [mmol/kg*min]	1.86 ± 0.07	1.76 ± 0.16	1.53 ± 0.10	1.40 ± 0.09 [*]



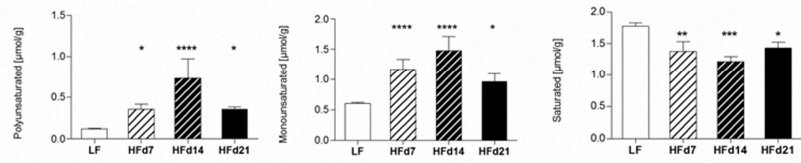
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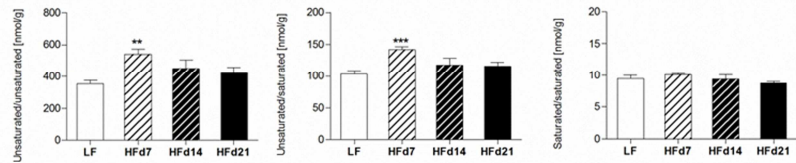
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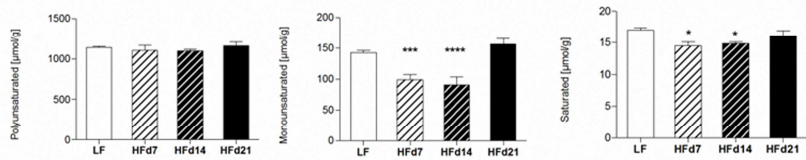
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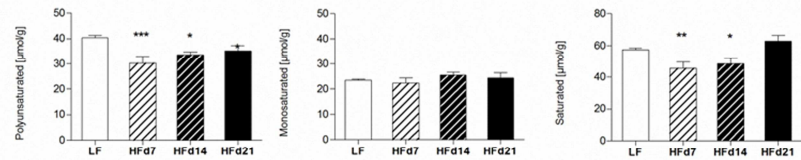
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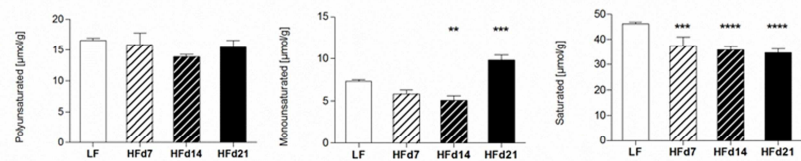
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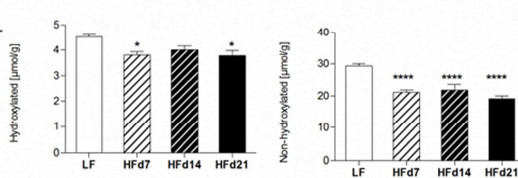
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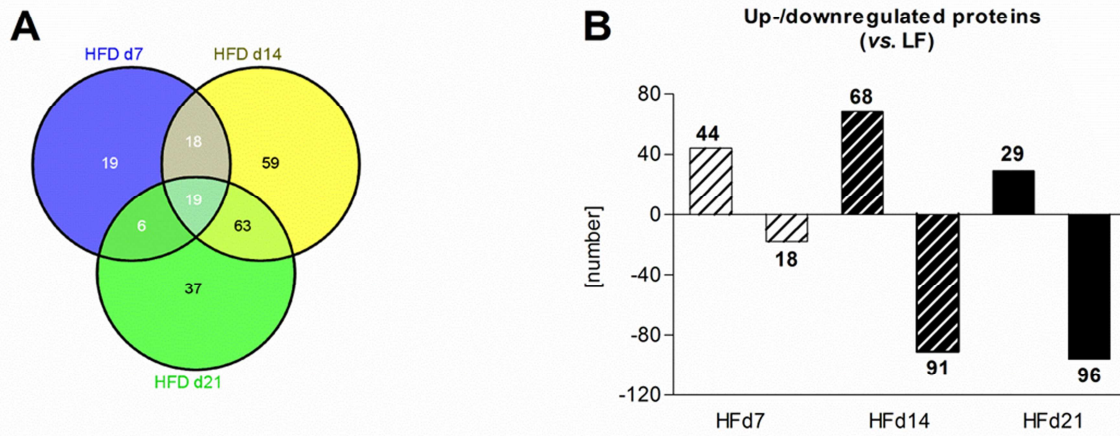
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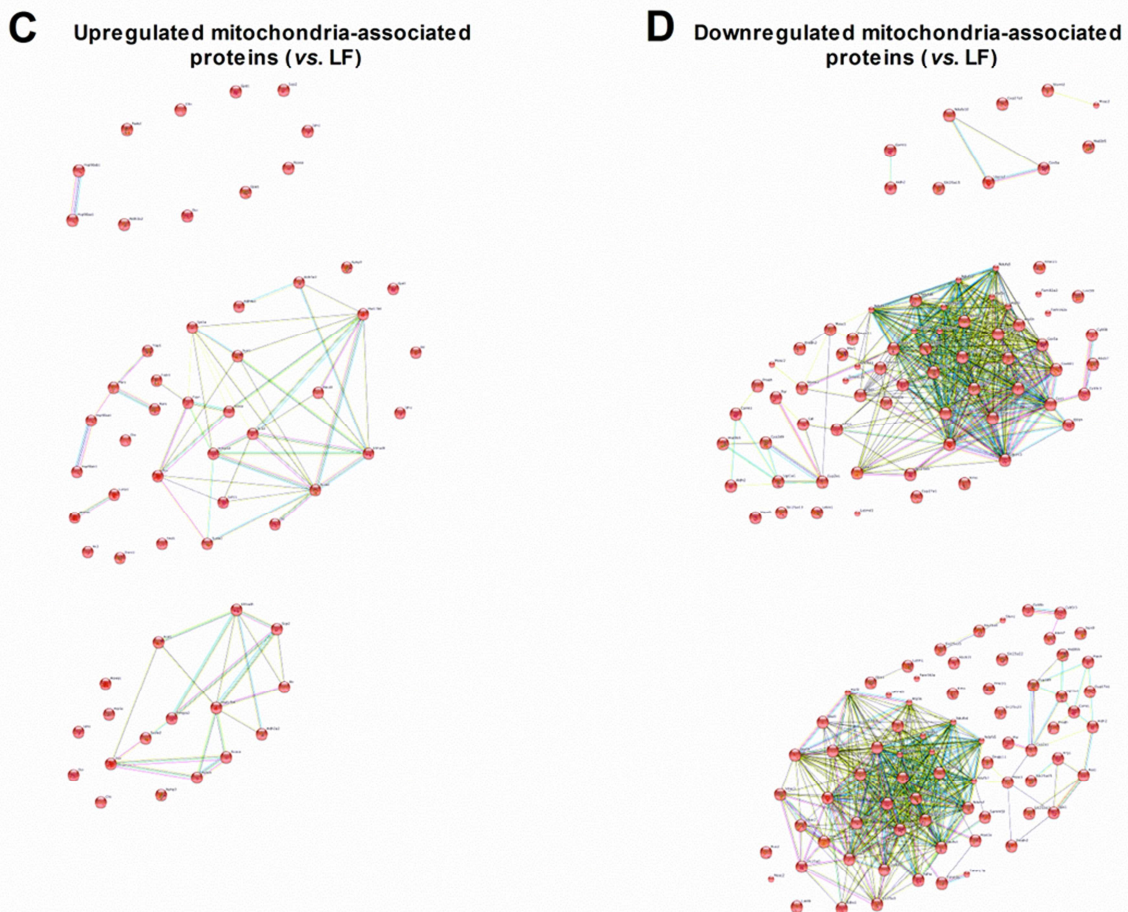
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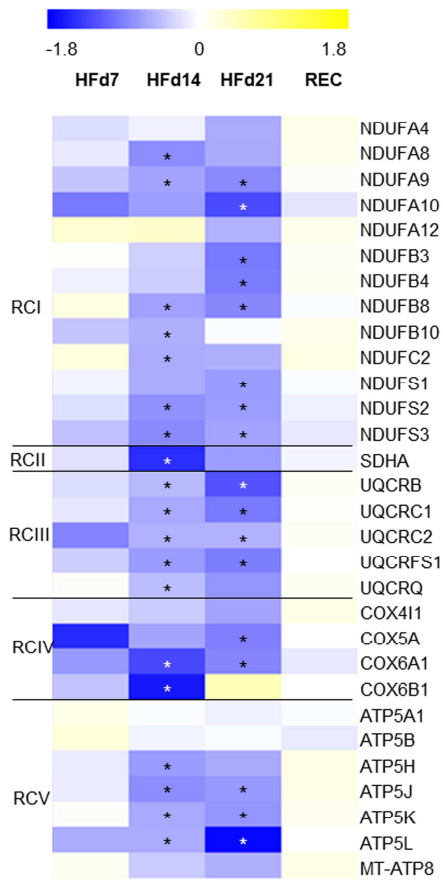
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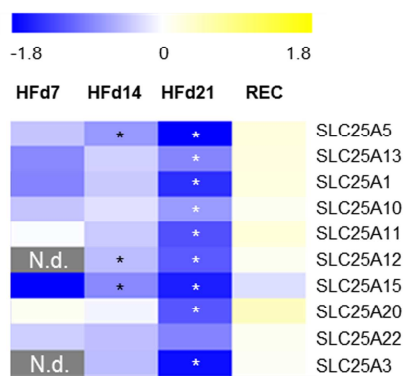
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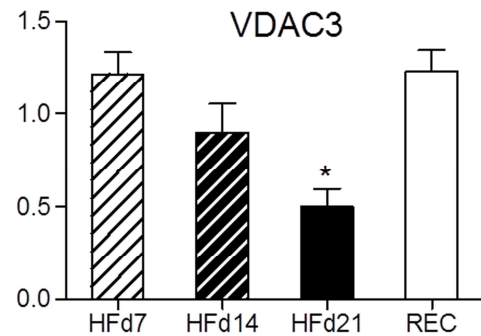
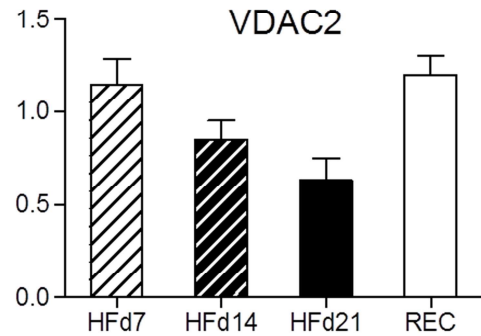
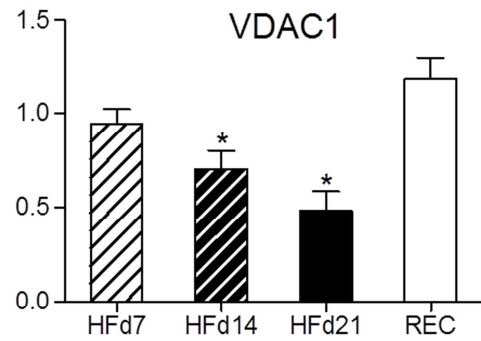
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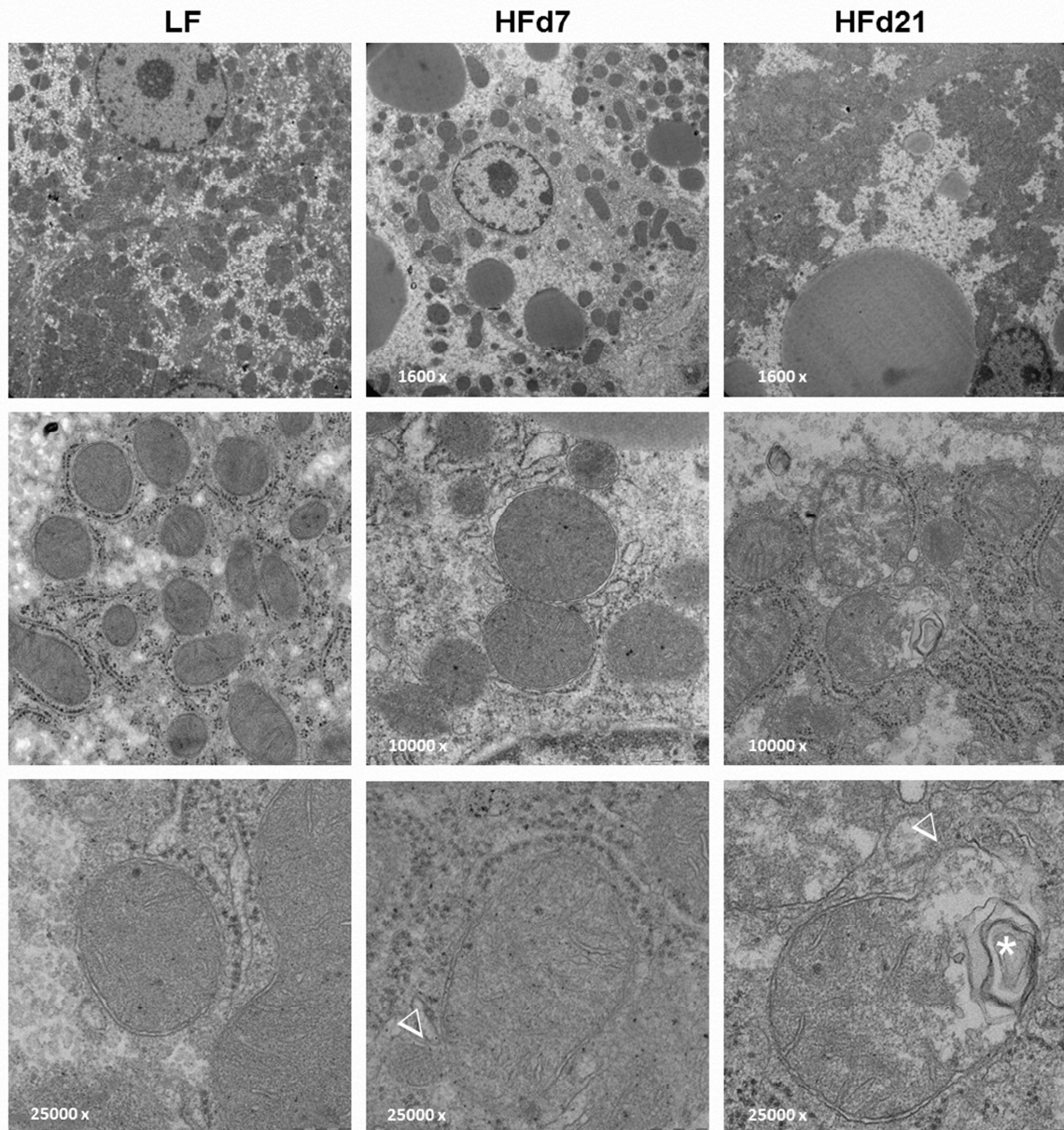
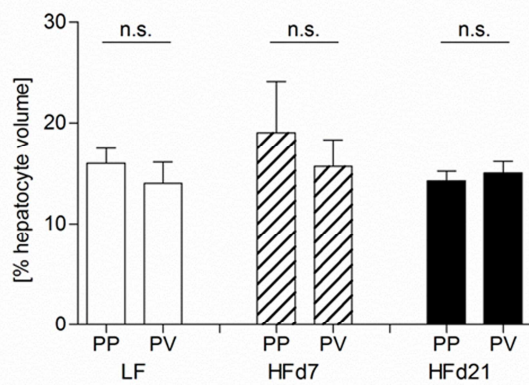
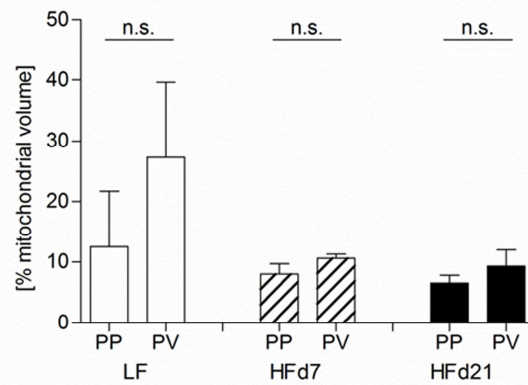


B Solute carriers of the inner mitochondrial membrane



C Outer mitochondrial membrane channels



A Ultrastructure of mitochondria**B Volume mitochondria****C Volume S-size mitochondria**

- pathophysiology of high-fat-diet mediated hepatic insulin resistance
- time-course study in mouse model
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A) Acyl-carnitines (μmol/l)	LF	HF d7	HF d14	HF d21
Carnitine	21.78 \pm 0.58	18.07 \pm 1.78*	17.30 \pm 0.71**	21.37 \pm 0.85
C2:0 (short-chain)	14.62 \pm 0.38	11.21 \pm 1.24**	10.16 \pm 0.58****	11.68 \pm 0.68**
C3:0 (short-chain)	0.86 \pm 0.04	1.05 \pm 0.18	0.87 \pm 0.13	1.30 \pm 0.19**
C3:1 (short-chain)	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00
C4:0 (short-chain)	2.84 \pm 0.22	1.52 \pm 0.26*	1.03 \pm 0.15***	1.37 \pm 0.13**
C4:1 (short-chain)	0.03 \pm 0.00	0.03 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00**	0.02 \pm 0.00**
C5:0 (short-chain)	0.55 \pm 0.04	0.67 \pm 0.11	0.44 \pm 0.11	0.76 \pm 0.09
C5:1(short-chain)	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00*	0.02 \pm 0.00
C6:1 (medium-chain)	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00
C8:0 (medium-chain)	0.16 \pm 0.01	0.13 \pm 0.02	0.12 \pm 0.01	0.11 \pm 0.01*
C8:1 (medium-chain)	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00
C9:0 (medium-chain)	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.02 \pm 0.00*
C10:0 (medium-chain)	0.08 \pm 0.00	0.08 \pm 0.01	0.08 \pm 0.00	0.09 \pm 0.00
C10:1 (medium-chain)	0.07 \pm 0.00	0.10 \pm 0.01***	0.12 \pm 0.01****	0.13 \pm 0.01****
C10:2 (medium-chain)	0.02 \pm 0.00	0.03 \pm 0.00	0.03 \pm 0.00***	0.03 \pm 0.00****
C12:0 (medium-chain)	0.05 \pm 0.00	0.05 \pm 0.00	0.05 \pm 0.01	0.05 \pm 0.00
C12:1 (medium-chain)	0.09 \pm 0.00	0.10 \pm 0.01	0.09 \pm 0.01	0.10 \pm 0.01

C14:0 (long-chain)	0.07 ± 0.00	0.08 ± 0.01	0.09 ± 0.02	0.07 ± 0.00
C14:1 (long-chain)	0.03 ± 0.00	0.04 ± 0.00	0.06 ± 0.01****	0.04 ± 0.00
C14:2 (long-chain)	0.01 ± 0.00	0.01 ± 0.00*	0.02 ± 0.01****	0.02 ± 0.00***
C16:0 (long-chain)	0.16 ± 0.01	0.21 ± 0.03	0.31 ± 0.07****	0.17 ± 0.02
C16:1 (long-chain)	0.08 ± 0.00	0.12 ± 0.01	0.15 ± 0.03****	0.09 ± 0.01
C16:2 (long-chain)	0.01 ± 0.00	0.03 ± 0.00	0.05 ± 0.02****	0.03 ± 0.00*
C18:0 (long-chain)	0.07 ± 0.00	0.11 ± 0.02	0.15 ± 0.03****	0.10 ± 0.02
C18:1 (long-chain)	0.26 ± 0.02	0.75 ± 0.14****	1.00 ± 0.21****	0.55 ± 0.12*
C18:2 (long-chain)	0.08 ± 0.01	0.29 ± 0.05*	0.63 ± 0.22****	0.28 ± 0.03

B) Diacylglycerophosphocholines (μmol/l)	LF		HF d7		HF d14		HF d21	
PC aa C24:0	0.20	± 0.01	0.23	± 0.02	0.26	± 0.04	0.23	± 0.02
PC aa C26:0	0.70	± 0.01	0.67	± 0.02	0.76	± 0.07	0.68	± 0.03
PC aa C28:1	0.16	± 0.01	0.17	± 0.01	0.20	± 0.02	0.18	± 0.01
PC aa C30:0	0.69	± 0.02	0.51	± 0.03	0.51	± 0.01	0.46	± 0.01
PC aa C30:2	0.06	± 0.00	0.07	± 0.01	0.09	± 0.02	0.06	± 0.01
PC aa C32:0	13.17	± 0.32	11.32	± 0.42	11.12	± 0.37	10.48	± 0.50
PC aa C32:1	12.03	± 0.74	3.90	± 0.98	2.75	± 0.41	2.41	± 0.17
PC aa C32:2	2.59	± 0.08	1.74	± 0.17	1.48	± 0.11	1.66	± 0.08
PC aa C32:3	0.15	± 0.00	0.16	± 0.01	0.16	± 0.01	0.16	± 0.01
PC aa C34:1	110.47	± 2.63	76.53	± 6.01	70.27	± 11.09	56.44	± 2.76
PC aa C34:2	163.42	± 1.80	156.43	± 7.15	155.71	± 2.04	151.86	± 2.50
PC aa C34:3	28.66	± 0.66	19.35	± 1.88	17.27	± 0.88	16.63	± 0.50
PC aa C34:4	2.37	± 0.06	2.94	± 0.35	2.95	± 0.29	3.08	± 0.31
PC aa C36:0	0.85	± 0.02	0.67	± 0.03	0.73	± 0.09	0.62	± 0.06
PC aa C36:1	18.59	± 0.72	18.03	± 1.59	16.96	± 1.60	13.97	± 0.70
PC aa C36:2	115.92	± 2.03	125.00	± 7.42	124.00	± 2.37	120.14	± 4.07
PC aa C36:3	116.97	± 1.95	105.63	± 7.75	104.44	± 4.20	100.96	± 1.82

PC aa C36:4	163.97	±	1.66	163.29	±	4.78	157.29	±	1.44	156.29	±	1.94
PC aa C36:5	20.38	±	0.52	14.60	±	1.46	13.24	±	0.78	12.11	±	0.36
PC aa C36:6	1.12	±	0.03	1.91	±	0.28	2.38	±	0.33	2.49	±	0.32
PC aa C38:0	1.44	±	0.03	1.04	±	0.09	1.18	±	0.07	1.11	±	0.05
PC aa C38:1	0.38	±	0.02	0.29	±	0.03	0.29	±	0.04	0.21	±	0.05
PC aa C38:3	39.40	±	1.25	42.37	±	4.96	41.57	±	2.40	39.46	±	1.65
PC aa C38:4	138.68	±	2.03	147.43	±	6.29	144.86	±	1.71	143.14	±	2.19
PC aa C38:5	115.66	±	1.92	118.70	±	7.62	113.83	±	5.59	110.29	±	2.58
PC aa C38:6	151.84	±	2.21	138.54	±	9.30	145.29	±	2.63	145.14	±	2.63
PC aa C40:1	0.37	±	0.01	0.35	±	0.01	0.37	±	0.02	0.33	±	0.01
PC aa C40:2	0.55	±	0.02	0.53	±	0.04	0.57	±	0.05	0.47	±	0.02
PC aa C40:3	1.11	±	0.03	0.82	±	0.06	0.80	±	0.04	0.70	±	0.02
PC aa C40:4	5.79	±	0.16	4.88	±	0.40	4.91	±	0.26	4.25	±	0.24
PC aa C40:5	18.34	±	0.52	21.04	±	1.71	18.63	±	1.60	16.46	±	0.53
PC aa C40:6	49.90	±	1.16	42.03	±	4.00	46.46	±	1.37	46.43	±	2.12
PC aa C42:0	0.18	±	0.01	0.23	±	0.04	0.27	±	0.05	0.19	±	0.02
PC aa C42:1	0.13	±	0.01	0.15	±	0.02	0.17	±	0.03	0.12	±	0.01
PC aa C42:2	0.23	±	0.01	0.21	±	0.02	0.26	±	0.04	0.19	±	0.01
PC aa C42:4	0.35	±	0.01	0.31	±	0.02	0.34	±	0.02	0.29	±	0.02
PC aa C42:5	0.80	±	0.02	0.59	±	0.05	0.54	±	0.03	0.46	±	0.01
PC aa C42:6	1.75	±	0.04	1.26	±	0.10	1.26	±	0.05	1.14	±	0.04
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Glycerophosphocholines (plasmalogen, $\mu\text{mol/l}$)	LF			HF d7			HF d14			HF d21		
PC ae C30:0	0.13	±	0.00	0.12	±	0.00	0.11	±	0.01	0.11	±	0.00
PC ae C30:1	0.09	±	0.00	0.09	±	0.01	0.13	±	0.03	0.09	±	0.01
PC ae C30:2	0.10	±	0.00	0.08	±	0.00	0.10	±	0.01	0.09	±	0.01
PC ae C32:1	0.40	±	0.01	0.27	±	0.02	0.29	±	0.03	0.24	±	0.01

PC ae C32:2	0.14 ± 0.00	0.12 ± 0.00	0.14 ± 0.02	0.13 ± 0.01
PC ae C34:0	0.34 ± 0.01	0.27 ± 0.01	0.28 ± 0.01	0.27 ± 0.01
PC ae C34:1	3.39 ± 0.10	2.18 ± 0.17	2.13 ± 0.31	1.68 ± 0.11
PC ae C34:2	2.36 ± 0.09	1.41 ± 0.14	1.64 ± 0.11	1.56 ± 0.11
PC ae C34:3	0.26 ± 0.01	0.21 ± 0.01	0.25 ± 0.02	0.21 ± 0.01
PC ae C36:0	0.33 ± 0.01	0.51 ± 0.06	0.53 ± 0.04	0.55 ± 0.04
PC ae C36:1	2.61 ± 0.06	1.54 ± 0.14	1.77 ± 0.14	1.44 ± 0.05
PC ae C36:2	6.11 ± 0.16	3.93 ± 0.35	4.54 ± 0.23	4.41 ± 0.24
PC ae C36:3	2.29 ± 0.06	1.34 ± 0.15	1.38 ± 0.06	1.33 ± 0.05
PC ae C36:4	3.75 ± 0.11	2.77 ± 0.27	3.01 ± 0.12	2.90 ± 0.11
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PC ae C38:4	9.81 ± 0.33	7.65 ± 0.72	8.77 ± 0.42	8.75 ± 0.50
PC ae C38:5	4.29 ± 0.09	3.88 ± 0.35	3.96 ± 0.40	3.60 ± 0.21
PC ae C38:6	1.79 ± 0.06	1.24 ± 0.12	1.53 ± 0.11	1.44 ± 0.06
PC ae C40:0	46.75 ± 0.99	37.20 ± 3.48	40.23 ± 3.39	40.71 ± 2.06
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PC ae C40:2	0.78 ± 0.02	0.81 ± 0.08	1.02 ± 0.08	0.96 ± 0.05
PC ae C40:3	0.92 ± 0.02	0.82 ± 0.07	0.92 ± 0.08	0.85 ± 0.04
PC ae C40:4	3.72 ± 0.10	2.77 ± 0.23	2.87 ± 0.11	2.77 ± 0.14
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PC ae C42:3	2.95 ± 0.08	2.20 ± 0.20	2.48 ± 0.11	2.72 ± 0.12
PC ae C42:4	0.32 ± 0.01	0.26 ± 0.02	0.30 ± 0.02	0.26 ± 0.01
PC ae C42:5	0.75 ± 0.01	0.63 ± 0.03	0.65 ± 0.02	0.61 ± 0.01
PC ae C44:3	0.16 ± 0.00	0.13 ± 0.01	0.15 ± 0.02	0.13 ± 0.00
PC ae C44:4	0.17 ± 0.01	0.13 ± 0.01	0.15 ± 0.01	0.12 ± 0.01
PC ae C44:5	0.22 ± 0.01	0.15 ± 0.01	0.18 ± 0.02	0.16 ± 0.01
PC ae C44:6	0.15 ± 0.00	0.14 ± 0.01	0.15 ± 0.01	0.13 ± 0.01

Lysophosphatidylcholines (μmol/l)	LFD	HFD d7	HFD d14	HFD d21
lysoPC a C14:0	3.31 ± 0.01	3.24 ± 0.02	3.28 ± 0.02	3.33 ± 0.03
lysoPC a C16:0	27.52 ± 0.50	18.62 ± 2.27	17.67 ± 1.07	18.34 ± 0.83
lysoPC a C16:1	0.42 ± 0.02	0.20 ± 0.03	0.14 ± 0.01	0.14 ± 0.01
lysoPC a C17:0	0.45 ± 0.01	0.26 ± 0.03	0.27 ± 0.02	0.29 ± 0.02
lysoPC a C18:0	13.98 ± 0.26	14.36 ± 1.57	13.80 ± 0.48	14.33 ± 0.55
lysoPC a C18:1	5.15 ± 0.22	3.92 ± 0.46	3.11 ± 0.57	3.00 ± 0.34
lysoPC a C18:2	9.01 ± 0.21	8.66 ± 1.04	7.90 ± 0.38	9.44 ± 0.45
lysoPC a C20:3	0.96 ± 0.04	0.56 ± 0.07	0.49 ± 0.02	0.53 ± 0.02
lysoPC a C20:4	6.58 ± 0.19	6.63 ± 0.83	5.46 ± 0.31	6.06 ± 0.28
lysoPC a C24:0	0.27 ± 0.01	0.24 ± 0.02	0.28 ± 0.03	0.24 ± 0.02
lysoPC a C26:0	0.33 ± 0.01	0.28 ± 0.01	0.32 ± 0.04	0.30 ± 0.02
lysoPC a C26:1	1.51 ± 0.01	1.48 ± 0.02	1.57 ± 0.06	1.55 ± 0.03
lysoPC a C28:0	0.22 ± 0.01	0.21 ± 0.01	0.24 ± 0.02	0.21 ± 0.01
lysoPC a C28:1	0.23 ± 0.01	0.24 ± 0.02	0.30 ± 0.05	0.24 ± 0.03

Phosphocholines, hydroxylated (ceramide; μmol/l)	LFD	HFD d7	HFD d14	HFD d21
SM (OH) C14:1	0.50 ± 0.02	0.44 ± 0.04	0.52 ± 0.02	0.52 ± 0.03
SM (OH) C16:1	0.14 ± 0.00	0.11 ± 0.01	0.13 ± 0.01	0.12 ± 0.01

SM (OH) C22:1	2.09 ± 0.04	2.00 ± 0.05	1.92 ± 0.07	1.82 ± 0.11
SM (OH) C22:2	1.63 ± 0.06	1.14 ± 0.07	1.31 ± 0.12	1.18 ± 0.07
SM (OH) C24:1	0.16 ± 0.00	0.11 ± 0.01	0.12 ± 0.01	0.13 ± 0.01
Phosphocholines (ceramide; μmol/l)				
SM C16:0	9.22 ± 0.27	7.73 ± 0.55	8.32 ± 0.31	7.88 ± 0.33
SM C16:1	0.75 ± 0.01	0.62 ± 0.06	0.67 ± 0.02	0.67 ± 0.04
SM C18:0	0.95 ± 0.03	0.94 ± 0.06	1.11 ± 0.07	0.97 ± 0.06
SM C18:1	0.14 ± 0.00	0.14 ± 0.01	0.17 ± 0.01	0.16 ± 0.01
SM C24:0	7.14 ± 0.12	6.66 ± 0.23	6.30 ± 0.15	5.84 ± 0.27
SM C24:1	11.15 ± 0.39	4.78 ± 0.82	5.11 ± 1.54	3.54 ± 0.39
SM C26:0	0.01 ± 0.00	0.01 ± 0.00	0.01 ± 0.00	0.02 ± 0.00

Supplemental Table 2. Membrane-associated diacylglycerol signatures in livers during developing HF-induced hepatic insulin resistance. Liver

membrane-associated diacylglycerol species were determined in 6 hour fasting male mice following exposure to HF or LF (pooled) for 7, 14, or 21

days. Data are means±SEM. n=6-9/group. *p < 0.05; **p < 0.01; ***p < 0.001; ****p < 0.0001 vs. LF (ANOVA, Bonferroni).

Diacylglycerol (nmol/g)	LF		HF d7		HF d14		HF d21	
C16:0/C16:0	3.76	± 0.24	3.41	± 0.13	3.64	± 0.69	3.08	± 0.19
C18:0/C16:0	1.57	± 0.12	1.31	± 0.04	1.51	± 0.24	1.29	± 0.10
C18:0/C18:0	4.14	± 0.26	5.35	± 0.21	5.89	± 0.88	4.41	± 0.18
C18:1/C18:1	112.19	± 9.55	71.39	± 4.06	76.43	± 13.61	57.06	± 2.22
C18:1/C18:2	62.66	± 4.85	82.02	± 4.44	98.29	± 19.66	73.44	± 3.19
C18:2/C18:2	27.57	± 2.93	71.41	± 5.00	98.49	± 25.65	82.22	± 8.76

C20:4/C20:5	150.46	±	13.14	314.90	±	30.56	298.22	±	73.57	209.67	±	32.31
C16:0/C20:4	5.03	±	0.35	6.57	±	0.34	6.46	±	1.27	4.75	±	0.32
C18:1/C16:0	26.78	±	1.66	20.40	±	1.05	19.39	±	3.83	15.68	±	1.56
C16:0/C18:2	59.40	±	3.87	96.55	±	3.81	102.38	±	22.29	80.27	±	4.14
C18:2/C18:0	4.24	±	0.28	7.26	±	0.29	8.55	±	1.98	7.16	±	0.42
C18:1/C18:0	2.88	±	0.17	2.40	±	0.10	2.59	±	0.52	2.15	±	0.13
C18:0/C20:4	4.29	±	0.35	8.78	±	0.83	8.53	±	2.06	5.98	±	0.78

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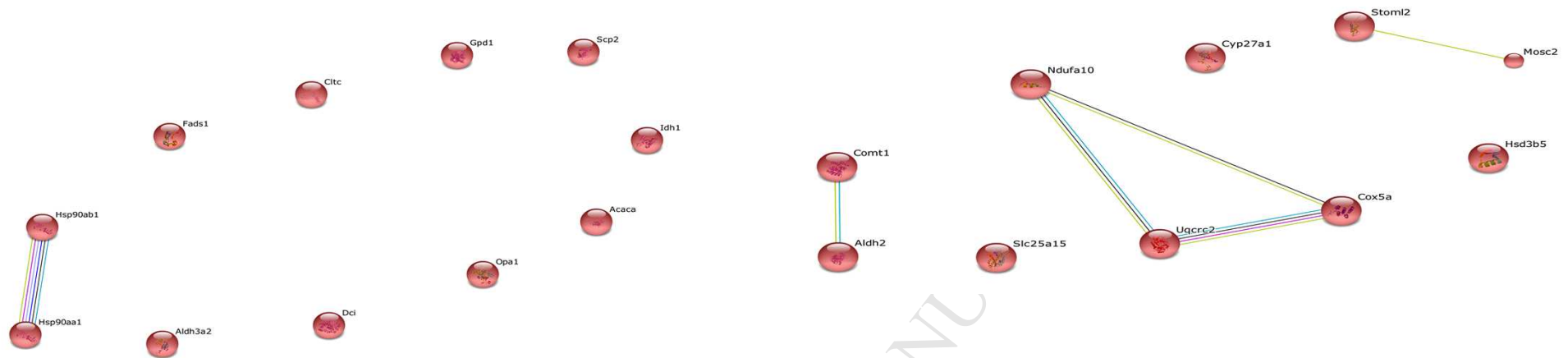
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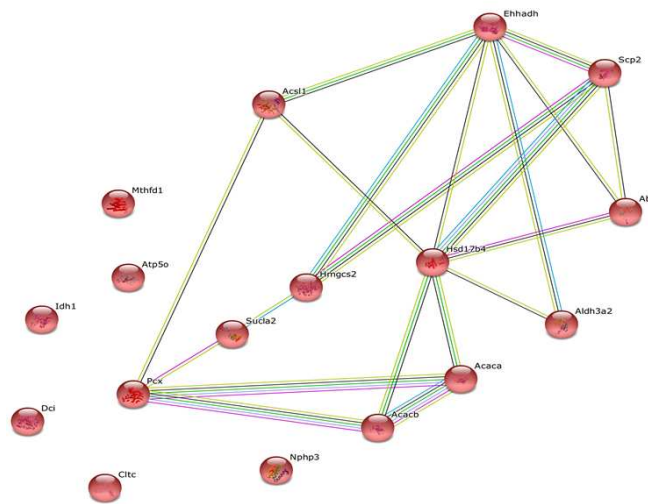
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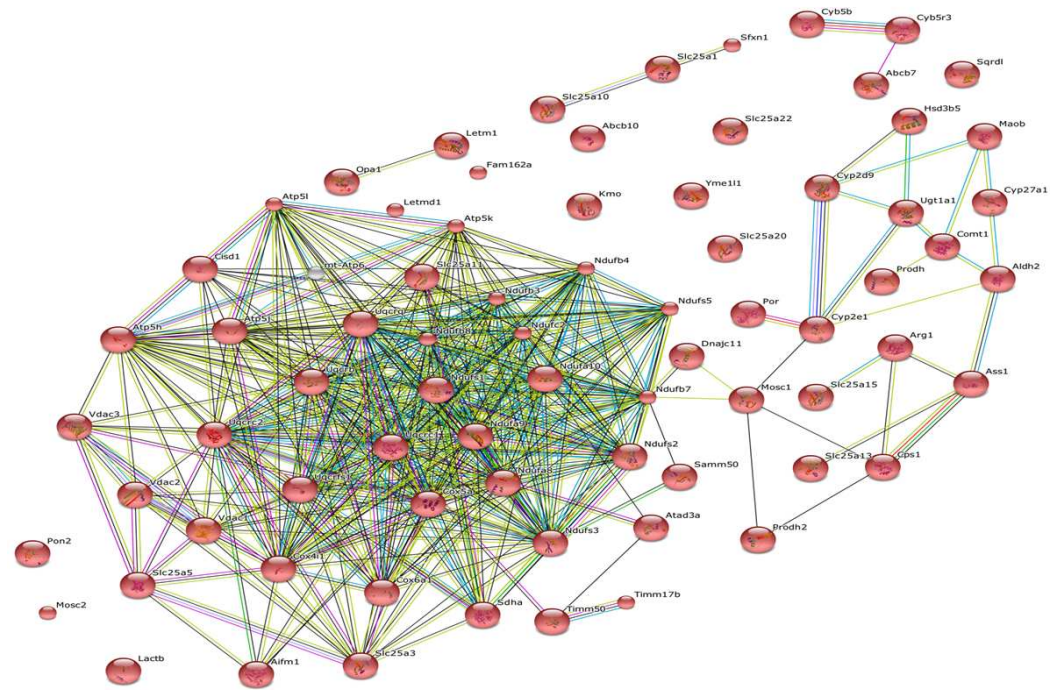
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