Supplementary materials

Effects of Medium Chain Triglycerides on Lipid Metabolism in High-fat Diet Induced Obese Rats

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2. Materials and methods

2.4. Obesity Markers

The body weight (BW), food and energy consumption were monitored weekly. At the end of 24 weeks' experimental period, the rats were sacrificed, the BW, the weights of abdominal fats (mesenteric, epididymal, retroperitoneal) and main organs (heart, liver, spleen and kidney) were measured. Body mass index (BMI), Lee's index, abdominal fat index and organ index were calculated.

$$BMI = \frac{\text{body weight (g)}}{(\text{body length (cm)})^2} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Lee's index} = \frac{\sqrt[3]{(\text{body weigt (g)})}}{\text{nasal - anal length (cm)}} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{abdominal fat index (\%)} = \frac{\text{abdominal fat weight (g)}}{\text{body weight (g)}} \times 100\% \quad (3)$$

$$\text{organ index (\%)} = \frac{\text{organ weight (g)}}{\text{body weight (g)}} \times 100\% \quad (4)$$

Table S1. Primary antibody information

Antibodies	Details	Dilution
SREBP-1c	Affinity,Rabbit Polyclonal, AF4728	1:1000
PPARγ	Servicebio, Rabbit Polyclonal, GB11164	1:1000
ACC1	Proteintech,Rabbit Polyclonal, 21923-1-AP	1:500
FASN	Proteintech,Rabbit Polyclonal, 10624-2-AP	1:500
ATGL	Proteintech,Rabbit Polyclonal, 55190-1-AP	1:1000
HSL	Affinity, Rabbit Polyclonal, AF6403	1:1000
LPL	Affinity, Rabbit Polyclonal, DF6225	1:800
PPARα	Bioss, Rabbit Polyclonal, bs-23398R	1:1000
CPT-1a	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal, 15184-1-AP	1:1000
HMGCR	Bioss, Rabbit Polyclonal, bs-5068R	1:500
SR-B1	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal, 21277-1-AP	1:500
LDLR	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal, 10785-1-AP	1:2000
PCSK9	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal, 55206-1-AP	1:1000
ABCA1	Abcam, Rabbit Polyclonal, ab66217	1 μg/ml
ABCG1	Abcam, Rabbit Polyclonal, ab52617	1:1000
ABCG5	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal, 66369-1-Ig	1:2500
ABCG8	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal, 15184-1-AP	1:1000
FXR	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal, 25055-1-AP	1:1000
CYP7A1	Bioss, Rabbit Polyclonal, bs-2399R	1:1000
CYP27A1	Proteintech, Rabbit Polyclonal,14739-1-AP	1:500
CYP8B1	Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Mouse Monoclonal, sc-101387	1:1000
NPC1L1	Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Mouse Monoclonal, sc-166802	1:1000
TGR5	Abcam, Rabbit Polyclonal, ab72608	1:1000
Goat anti- mouse	Proteintech, HRP conjugate, SA00001-1	1:5000
Goat Anti-Rabbit	Proteintech, HRP conjugate, SA00001-2	1:5000

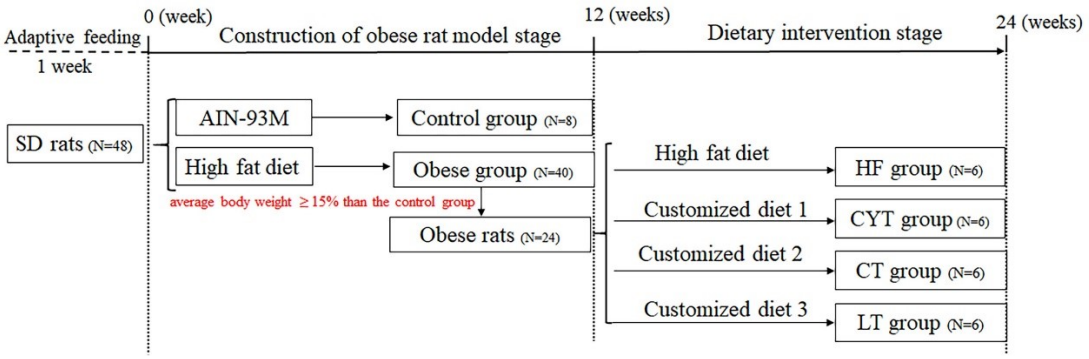

Figure S1 Description of the animal experiment