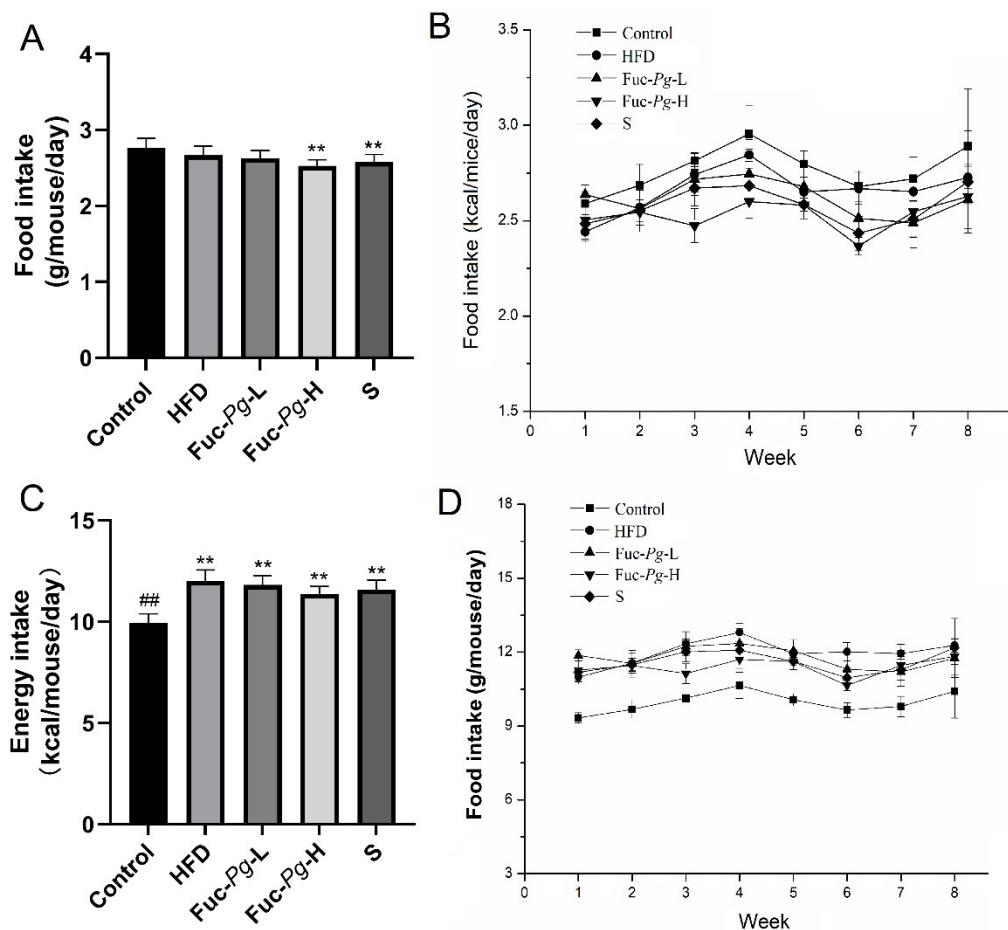
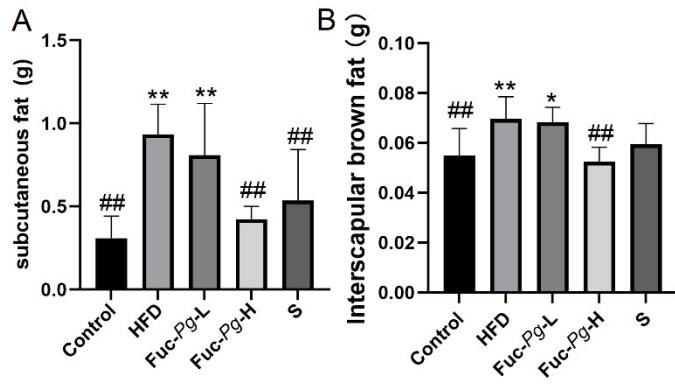


Supplementary Fig.1



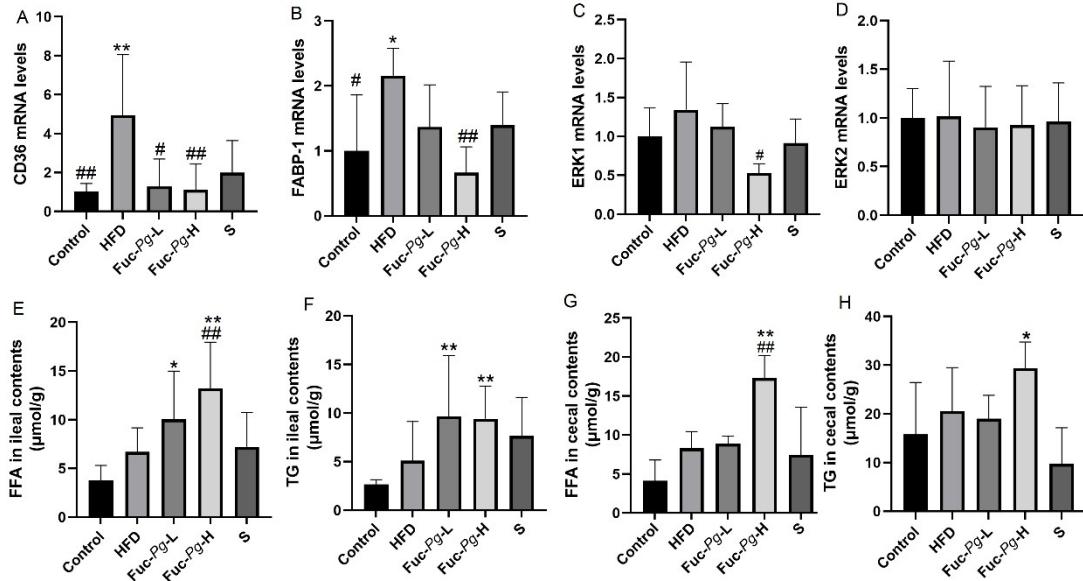
Supplementary Fig.1 (A) Average daily food intake ( $n = 8$ ). (B) Average food intake weekly ( $n = 3$ ). (C) Average daily energy intake ( $n = 8$ ). (D) Average energy intake weekly ( $n=3$ ). \*:  $P < 0.05$  compared with the control group; \*\* $P < 0.01$  compared with the control group; #:  $P < 0.05$  compared with the HFD group; ##:  $P < 0.01$  compared with the HFD group.

## Supplementary Fig.2



Supplementary Fig.2 (A) subcutaneous fat weight (n = 8). (B) interscapular brown fat weight (n = 8). \*: P < 0.05 compared with the control group; \*\*P < 0.01 compared with the control group; #: P < 0.05 compared with the HFD group; ##: P < 0.01 compared with the HFD group.

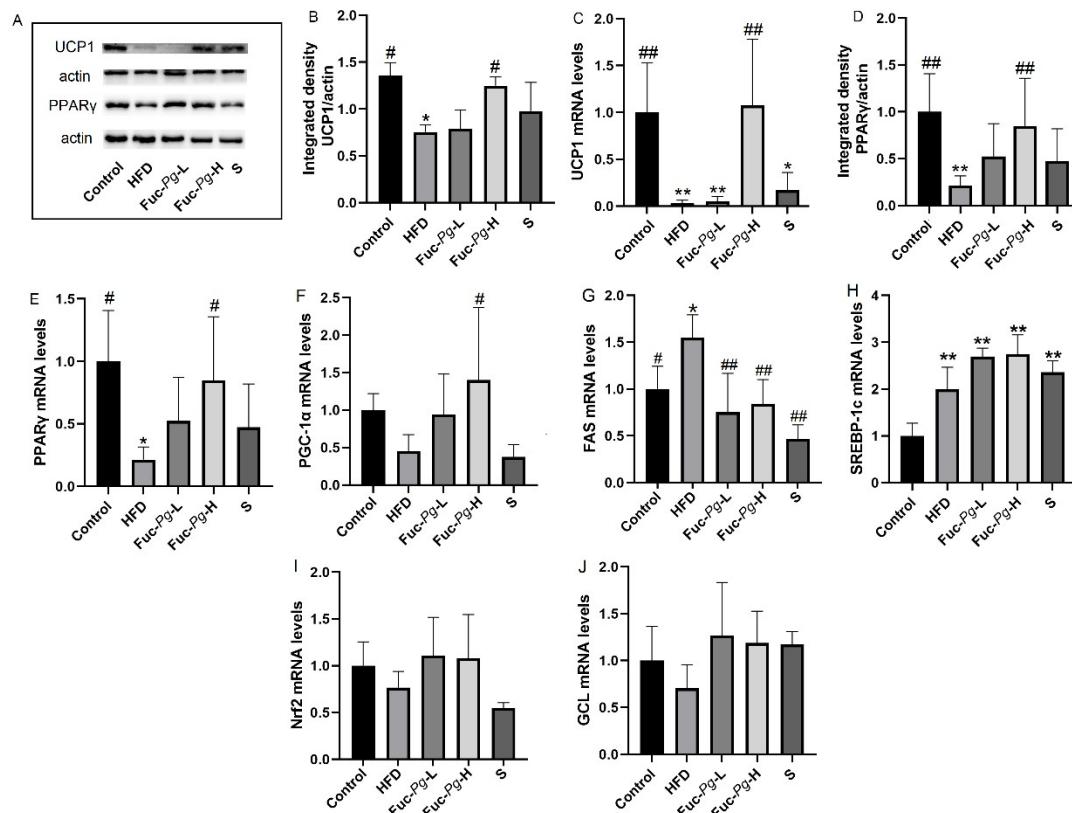
## Supplementary Fig.3



Supplementary Fig.3 (A) Relative mRNA levels of CD36 in small intestine (n $\geq$ 4). (B) Relative mRNA levels of FABP-1 in small intestine (n $\geq$ 4). (C) Relative mRNA levels of ERK1 in small intestine (n $\geq$ 4). (D) Relative mRNA levels of ERK2 in small intestine (n $\geq$ 4). \*: P < 0.05 compared with the control group; \*\*P < 0.01 compared with the control group.

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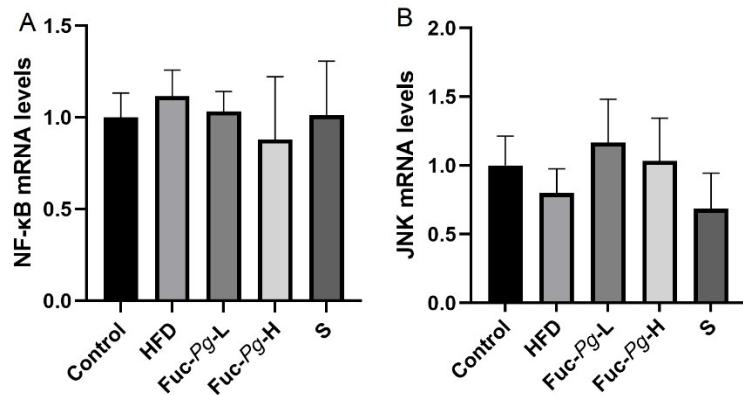
Supplementary Fig.4



Supplementary Fig.4 (A) Western blotting results UCP-1 and PPAR- $\gamma$  protein expressions in the epididymal adipose tissue (n=3). (B) The relative intensities of UCP-1 against  $\beta$ -actin. (C) Relative mRNA levels of UCP-1 in the epididymal adipose tissue (n $\geq$ 4). (D) The relative intensities of PPAR- $\gamma$  against  $\beta$ -actin. (E) Relative mRNA levels of PPAR- $\gamma$  in the epididymal adipose tissue (n $\geq$ 4). (F) Relative mRNA levels of PGC-1 $\alpha$  in the epididymal adipose tissue (n $\geq$ 4). (G) Relative mRNA levels of FAS in the epididymal adipose tissue (n $\geq$ 4). (H) Relative mRNA levels of SREBP-1c in the epididymal adipose tissue (n $\geq$ 4). (I) Relative mRNA levels of Nrf2 in the epididymal

adipose tissue ( $n \geq 4$ ). (J) Relative mRNA levels of GCL in the epididymal adipose tissue ( $n \geq 4$ ). \*:  $P < 0.05$  compared with the control group; \*\* $P < 0.01$  compared with the control group; #:  $P < 0.05$  compared with the HFD group; ##:  $P < 0.01$  compared with the HFD group.

Supplementary Fig.5



Supplementary Fig.5 (A) Relative mRNA levels of NF-κB in the liver tissue ( $n \geq 4$ ). (B) Relative mRNA levels of JNK in the liver tissue ( $n \geq 4$ ). \*:  $P < 0.05$  compared with the control group; \*\* $P < 0.01$  compared with the control group; #:  $P < 0.05$  compared with the HFD group; ##:  $P < 0.01$  compared with the HFD group.

**Supplementary Table 1** The composition of the experimental diets fed to mice

Ingredients	Normal diet (g/kg)	HFD (g/kg)
Protein (casein, L-cystine)	194	244
Carbohydrate (corn Starch, sucrose, maltodextrin)	673	396
Fat (Soybean Oil, lard)	40	226
Cellulose	48	60
Mineral and vitamin mixture	45	71
TBHQ	0.01	0.045

**Table 2** Gene specific primer sequences used in this study

	Forward primer	Reverse primer	Gen bank code
PPAR- $\gamma$	GCCATTGAGTGCGAGTCTGTG	TTTGGTCAGCGGGAAGGACTTTATG	NM_001127330.3
UCP1	TCACCACCTGGCAAAAACA	GCAGGTGTTCTCTCCCTGAA	NM_009463.3
PGC1- $\alpha$	ACCATGACTACTGTCAGTCACTC	GTCACAGGAGGCATCTTGAAG	NM_001402987.1
Nrf2	AAGCTTCAACCCGAAGCAC	TTTCCGAGTCACTGAACCCA	NM_0317899.2
GCL	ATGTGGACACCCGATGCAGTATT	TGTCTTGCTTGTAGTCAGGATGGTT	NM_012815.2
FASN	ATCCTGGAACGAGAACACGATCA	AGAGACGTGTCACTCCTGGACTT	NM_017332.1
SREBP1-c	GGAGGACATCTGCTGCTTCTAAC	AATACAGTTCAACGCTCGCTCTAGG	NM_001358315.1
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NF- $\kappa$ B	GACCTGGCATCTGTGGACAACTC	CCGCAATGGAGGAGAAGTCTTCATC	NM_001365067.1
JNK	ACTGTTCCCCGATGTGCTTTCC	ACTCCTCTATTGTGTGCTCCCTCTC	NM_001310452.1
GAPDH	CCCATGTTGTATGGGTGT	GTGATGGCATGGACTGTGGT	NM_001289726.2
$\beta$ -actin	TGCTGTCCCTGTATGCCTCTGG	ACCGCTCGTTGCCAATAGTGATG	NM_031144.3