

# Supplemental Information

## MATERIALS and METHODS

### Metabolic work-up

The metabolic work-up included a detailed questionnaire and a clinical examination with anthropometry. All anthropometric measurements were performed in the morning, with patients in fasting conditions and undressed. Height was measured to the nearest 0.5 cm and body weight was measured with a digital scale to the nearest 0.2 kg. BMI was calculated as mass (in kilograms) over height (in meter) squared. Waist circumference was measured at the mid-level between the lower rib margin and the iliac crest. Hip circumference was measured at the level of the trochanter major. WHR was calculated by dividing waist circumference by hip circumference. Body composition was determined by bio-impedance analysis as described by Lukaski et al. (1), and fat mass (%) was calculated, using the formula of Deurenberg et al. (2). The cross-sectional areas of total abdominal adipose tissue (TAT), VAT and subcutaneous abdominal adipose tissue (SAT) were measured by CT at L4-L5 level according to previously described methods (3). Systolic and diastolic blood pressure were determined on the right arm of the patient, after at least 5 min rest, using a mercury sphygmomanometer.

A fasting blood analysis (taken from an antecubital vein) included blood cell count, coagulation tests, electrolytes and kidney function tests, lipid profile [total cholesterol, high-density lipoprotein cholesterol (HDL-C), and triglycerides (TG)], liver tests [aspartate aminotransferase (AST), alanine aminotransferase (ALT), lactate dehydrogenase (LDH), gamma glutamyl transpeptidase (GGT), alkaline phosphatase (ALP), total bilirubin and fractions], high-sensitive C-reactive protein (hs-CRP), creatinine kinase, total protein, protein electrophoresis, thyroid function, ferritin, vitamin B12, folic acid. Low-density lipoprotein cholesterol (LDL-C) was calculated using the Friedewald formula (4).

A 3-h oral glucose tolerance test (OGTT) with 75g of glucose with sampling at 0, 15, 30, 60, 90, 120, 150 and 180 minutes was carried out, insulin and C-peptide were also determined at 0, 30, 60, 120 and 180 minutes. Insulin resistance was estimated using homeostasis model assessment (HOMA-IR) as described by Matthews et al. (5), and was calculated as  $[\text{insulin (mU/L)} \times \text{glucose (mmol/L)}] / 22.5$ , with 1 as reference value for normal insulin sensitivity. Area under the curve (AUC) for glucose and insulin was calculated using all 8 sampling points (for glucose) and all 5 sampling points (for insulin and C-peptide) using the trapezoid method. Glucose tolerance status was defined based on the criteria of the American Diabetes Association (6). Metabolic syndrome was defined following the harmonized definition by Alberti et al. (7).

34 Plasma glucose, total cholesterol and TG were measured on Vitros 750 XRC (Ortho Clinical  
35 Diagnostics, Johnson & Johnson, UK). HDL-C was measured on Hitachi 912 (Roche Diagnostics,  
36 Germany). Insulin levels were measured with the Medgenic two-site IRMA assay (BioSource, Belgium). C-  
37 peptide was determined by electrochemiluminescence immunoassay (ECLIA) on Modular E170 (Roche,  
38 Switzerland). Hs-CRP was assayed with nephelometry on BNII (Siemens Healthcare Diagnostics, Brussels,  
39 Belgium). AST, ALT, and  $\gamma$ GT were measured by “photometry” on Dimension Vista® 1500 System  
40 (Siemens, USA).

41 Hepatological work-up: The liver specific program included additional blood analysis to exclude the  
42 classical etiologies of liver disease (for example, viral hepatitis and autoimmune disease) [s-choline-  
43 esterase, carcino-embryonic antigen,  $\alpha$ -fetoprotein, anti-nuclear factor, anti-neutrophil cytoplasm antigen  
44 antibodies, anti-smooth muscle antibodies, anti-mitochondrial antibodies, anti-liver–kidney microsome  
45 antibodies, serum copper and caeruloplasmin,  $\alpha$ -1-antitrypsin, anti-Hepatitis B core antibodies, anti-  
46 Hepatitis B surface antigen, anti-Hepatitis C virus antibodies], a Doppler ultrasound of the abdomen with  
47 parameters of liver and spleen volume and liver vascularization, a liver–spleen scintigraphy using  
48 technetium-99m (99mTc) tin colloid (8) and an aminopyrine breath test as a measure for liver metabolic  
49 reserve (9). Patients were excluded from further analysis if another liver disease was diagnosed.

50 In a sub cohort of patients some additional laboratory tests were performed. Cytokeratin 18 (CK-  
51 18), a promising serum marker of liver fibrosis, was determined, in collaboration with Bram Blomme  
52 (University of Ghent), using a two-enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (PEVIVA AB, Bromma, Sweden)  
53 according to the manufacturer’s instructions (10). The rs738409 polymorphism (c.444C>G, encoding  
54 pI148M) of patatin-like phospholipase domain-containing protein 3 (PNPLA3) was analyzed as described  
55 previously (11).

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## FIGURE and TABLE LEGENDS

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### Supplemental Figures:

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#### Supplemental Figure 1 – Global analysis of varying transcripts in liver from human NASH patients.

64 A) Self organizing map of transcripts. RNAs were analyzed on Affymetrix gene chips (HuGene ST2.0) and  
65 data processed using the Genespring v13.1 software as described in the Material and methods section.

66 After quantile normalization, raw data were filtered to exclude the lowest expressed transcripts (5%

67 percentile). Non coding RNAs (lncRNAs and miRNAs) were also excluded from further analysis to select  
68 only mRNAs coding for proteins (6,925 entities). Gene-level normalized intensities were generated and data  
69 complexity was reduced by building a self-organizing map using a squared Euclidian distance metrics with  
70 1,500 iterations allowing 10 gene clusters to be defined. Red indicates expression over the median, green  
71 indicates expression below the median. B) Gene Ontology (GO) term enrichment of identified clusters. Gene  
72 lists corresponding to each cluster were uploaded in the David functional annotation tool. Enriched biological  
73 terms were identified against the indicated databases (OMIM, PIR, GO, Biocarta and Kegg databases). The  
74 top hit for each database is indicated along with the number of genes belonging to the identified biological  
75 term (gene count), the enrichment ratio (%), the p value (p value) and the corrected p value [(by the  
76 Benjamini-Hochberg false discovery rate procedure, p value (BH)].

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78 **Supplemental figure 2 - General strategy for the analysis of human liver transcriptomes.** Following a  
79 standardized analysis procedure, microarray data from our study were processed to generate a gene list  
80 showing varying expression in at least one condition. The cohort was classified according to the indicated  
81 clinical, biochemical and histological parameters to identify genes associated to disease progression. A  
82 meta-analysis was carried out using 2 publicly available datasets and genes common to the 3 studies  
83 generated a human core signature for advanced NASH.

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85 **Supplemental figure 3 - Differential gene expression in human fibrotic livers.** A) Volcano plot of  
86 differentially expressed genes in fibrotic livers. Gene expression levels were compared between non fibrotic  
87 (F0) and fibrotic (F2-4) livers. The threshold for significant differential expression was set at a fold change  
88 of 1.2, with a p value of 0.05. Blue: significantly down-regulated genes, red: significantly up-regulated genes.  
89 Lists of genes in these 2 categories can be found in Supplemental Table 2. B) Gene ontology term  
90 enrichment of significantly down- (blue) or up-regulated (red) genes in fibrosis. Gene lists of differentially  
91 expressed genes were searched against the Biological Process function annotation table of Metascape  
92 (settings: minimum overlap 5, p value cutoff 0.01, minimum enrichment 5). Statistically enriched terms were  
93 converted into a network layout in which circle diameters are proportional to the number of genes and the  
94 thickness of edges indicates the similarity score. Inset: The color scale indicates the p value of the nodes.

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96 **Supplemental figure 4 - Detailed GO term enrichment of genes normalized by GBP.** A GO term  
97 enrichment against the BP FAT was performed as in Figure 1C. The complete listing of enriched terms is  
98 shown. Inset: p value of the nodes. A complete list of genes can be found in supplemental table 6.

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100 **Supplemental figure 5 - Multi-gene list enrichment analysis for biological themes in NASH+fibrosis**  
101 **patients.** Gene lists corresponding to up-regulated genes in each mentioned study were analyzed to identify  
102 terms that are statistically enriched in the Biological Process (BP) function annotation table. Common  
103 themes were identified and visualized as a network plot. Each node is a pie chart representing the proportion  
104 of genes from each gene list under the indicated, most significant BP annotation. The size of the node is  
105 proportional to the number of genes within that node. A complete gene list is available in supplemental Table  
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108 **Supplemental figure 6 – Defining a human gene signature for NASH+fibrosis.** Differentially expressed  
109 genes in NASH+fibrosis patients were identified as described in the Material and Methods section using the  
110 indicated datasets. Circos plots of up-(A) or down-(B) regulated genes were generated using Metascape  
111 and gene symbols shared by all 3 studies are indicated below. Yellow: indicates GBP-sensitive genes.

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113 **Supplemental Figure 7 - Hepatic gene regulation in MCD/HF diet-fed mice.** Differentially expressed  
114 genes in chow diet-fed mice vs. MCD/HF diet-fed mice were identified as described in the Material and  
115 Methods section. Genes displaying a FoldChange > 5,  $p < 0.05$  (unpaired t-test, Benjamini-Hochberg post-  
116 hoc test) were identified and up- (A) or down-regulated (B) gene lists underwent a GO term enrichment  
117 against the Biological Process function annotation table (Metascape, settings: minimum overlap 5, p value  
118 cutoff 0.01, minimum enrichment 5). Statistically enriched terms were converted into a network layout in  
119 which circle diameters are proportional to the number of genes and the thickness of edges indicates the  
120 similarity score. Inset: The color scale indicates the p value of the nodes. A complete list of genes can be  
121 found in Supplemental Table 8.

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123 **Supplemental Figure 8 - Hepatic gene regulation in CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated, HF diet-fed mice.** Differentially  
124 expressed genes in chow diet-fed mice vs. CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated, HF diet-fed mice were identified as described in  
125 the Material and Methods section. Genes displaying a FoldChange > 5,  $p < 0.05$  (unpaired t-test, Benjamini-  
126 Hochberg post-hoc test) were identified and up- (A) or down-regulated (B) gene lists underwent a GO term  
127 enrichment against the Biological Process function annotation table (Metascape, settings: minimum overlap  
128 5, p value cutoff 0.01, minimum enrichment 5). Statistically enriched terms were converted into a network  
129 layout in which circle diameters are proportional to the number of genes and the thickness of edges indicates  
130 the similarity score. Inset: The color scale indicates the p value of the nodes. A complete list of genes can  
131 be found in supplemental table 9.

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133 **Supplemental figure 9 – DPT expression correlates with the fibrosis stage.** DPT expression was  
134 assayed by RT-qPCR and after normalization to *36B4* content, results were expressed as the mean +/-  
135 SEM (n=6-35) relative to control (NAS score=0, A or Fibrosis stage=0, B). Data were compared using a two-  
136 tailed ANOVA corrected for multiple comparisons using the Dunnett's post hoc test. \*, p<0.05, \*\*, p<0.01,  
137 \*\*\*, p<0.005. Please note that data shown in panel B are also shown in Figure 3A.

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139 **Supplemental figure 10 – SMAD3 protein and phosphorylation levels.** Whole liver extracts were  
140 analyzed on a Wes capillary electrophoresis device (ProteinSimple) and the content in SMAD3 and in  
141 phospho-SMAD3 were measured using specific antibodies (XXXX) as recommended by the manufacturer.

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143 **Supplemental figure 11 – miRNA expression in liver.** *miR21* and *miR122* expression levels were  
144 assayed by RT-QPCR using Taqman probes and normalized to *sno234* expression. Results were  
145 expressed as the mean +/- SEM (n=6-8) relative to control (Dpt+/, untreated). Data were compared using  
146 a two-tailed ANOVA corrected for multiple comparisons using the Dunnett's post hoc test. \*, p<0.05, \*\*,  
147 p<0.01, \*\*\*, p<0.005.

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149 **Supplemental Figure 12 – Hepatic PPAR $\alpha$  expression in AAV8-TBG-PPAR $\alpha$  transduced mice.** Mice  
150 were injected with PPAR $\alpha$ -encoding AAV8 viral particles and the expression of wild type or mutated PPAR $\alpha$   
151 was monitored by western blot analysis of liver lysates 2 weeks after injection. The 2 western blots are  
152 derived from different gels.

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155 **Supplemental Tables:**

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157 **Supplemental table 1 – SOM clustering of regulated liver genes.** RNAs were analyzed on Affymetrix  
158 gene chips (HuGene ST2.0) and data processed using the Genespring v14.3 software as described in the  
159 Material and methods section. After quantile normalization, raw data were filtered to exclude the lowest  
160 expressed transcripts (5%percentile). Non coding RNAs (lncRNAs and miRNAs) were also excluded from  
161 further analysis to select only mRNAs coding for proteins (6,925 entities). An Excel file containing the 6,925  
162 genes organized into 10 clusters after SOM processing is provided (Gene symbols and SOM clusters  
163 worksheet). Associated keywords are also shown in Supplemental Figure 1 (KW association worksheet).

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165 **Supplemental Table 2 – Cohort stratification, gene expression patterns and GO term enrichment**  
166 **analysis.** Normalized gene expression values were used to identify genes displaying varying expression as  
167 a function of biometric, biochemical or histological parameters. Genes that were either up- (X-up) or down-  
168 regulated (X-down) ( $FC > 1.2$ ,  $p < 0.05$ ) are indicated (genesymbol column) and top hits from GO term  
169 enrichment analysis are shown, along with the number of genes tagged with this term (gene count), the  
170 percentage of genes from the list tagged with this term (%), p-value and corrected p-value.

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172 **Supplemental Table 3 – Regulated genes in NASH or fibrosis.** Data were extracted from supplemental  
173 table 2 to generate a list of 193 up-regulated genes in NASH (lobular inflammation and ballooning) or in  
174 fibrosis. A similar approach was applied to generate a list of 58 down-regulated genes.

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176 **Supplemental Table 4 – Effect of bariatric surgery on lobular inflammation-associated genes.** Gene  
177 expression values from patients who underwent bariatric surgery and displayed a significant reduction in  
178 the lobular inflammation score 1 year after intervention (M12, with a score  $\geq 2$ ) were compared to those at  
179 baseline (M0, see also Supp. Figure 3). Data complexity was reduced by building a self-organizing map  
180 using a squared Euclidian distance metrics with 1,500 iterations allowing 10 gene clusters to be defined.  
181 These clusters are shown and those containing significantly dysregulated genes (paired t-test,  $FC > 1.2$ ,  
182  $p < 0.05$ ; clusters 1-2 and 9-10) were annotated by GO term enrichment analysis (Supp. Figure 3) and  
183 selected for further analysis. Gene symbols are indicated below each cluster diagram which was generated  
184 using Genespring GX14.3.

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186 **Supplemental Table 5 – Effect of bariatric surgery on fibrosis-associated genes.** Gene expression  
187 values from patients who underwent bariatric surgery and displayed a significant reduction in the fibrosis  
188 score 1 year after intervention (M12, with a score  $\geq 2$ ) were compared to those at baseline (M0, see also  
189 Supp. Figure 4). Data complexity was reduced by building a self-organizing map using a squared Euclidian  
190 distance metrics with 1,500 iterations allowing 10 gene clusters to be defined. These clusters are shown  
191 and those containing significantly dysregulated genes (paired t-test,  $FC > 1.2$ ,  $p < 0.05$ ; clusters 1-2 and 9-10)  
192 were annotated by GO term enrichment analysis (Figure 7) and selected for further analysis. Gene symbols  
193 are indicated below each cluster diagram which was generated by Genespring GX14.3.

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195 **Supplemental Table 6 – Identification of bariatric surgery-sensitive genes.** Genes whose expression  
196 is significantly dysregulated ( $FC > 1.2$ ,  $p < 0.05$ ) in lobular inflammation or in ballooning or in fibrosis were  
197 extracted from microarray data as well as genes whose expression is significantly altered after bariatric  
198 surgery (“Condition-specific” worksheet). Gene lists were pooled (“Pooled” worksheet) to generate a list of

199 up- or down-regulated genes in advanced NASH (See also Figure 8A). Similarly, genes up- or down-  
200 regulated after bariatric surgery were pooled. These gene lists were compared in a pair-wise manner to  
201 identify genes up-regulated in severe NASH conditions, and down-regulated after bariatric surgery or down-  
202 regulated in severe NASH conditions, and up-regulated after bariatric surgery (“Overlap” worksheet).

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204 **Supplemental Table 7 – Differentially expressed genes in 3 independent cohorts.** Microarray datasets  
205 from Arendt et al. and Moylan et al. were processed similarly to our dataset. Differentially expressed genes  
206 between control patients vs NASH/fibrotic patients (Arendt et al.) or mildly fibrotic vs advanced fibrotic  
207 patients (Moylan et al.) were identified (FC>1.2, p<0.05). Gene symbols and FC values are indicated. The  
208 gene signature for human advanced NASH was generated by comparing these 6 datasets and identifying  
209 genes common to up- or down-regulated gene lists.

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211 **Supplemental Table 8 – Modulated liver genes in MCD- and HF diet fed mice.** Microarray data were  
212 analyzed to identify genes which were either significantly up- or down-regulated (unpaired t-test, FC>1.2,  
213 p<0.05).

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215 **Supplemental Table 9 – Modulated liver genes in HFD/CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated mice.** Microarray data were  
216 analyzed to identify genes which were either significantly up- or down-regulated after combined HFD-CCl<sub>4</sub>  
217 treatment (unpaired t-test, FC>1.2, p<0.05).

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219 **Supplemental Table 10 – Defining an inter-species core signature for definite NASH.** Gene lists which  
220 were used to establish the core signature for advanced NASH are compiled in this table. See also Figure  
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223 **Supplemental table 11 – Gene expression variation in CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated mouse liver.** Gene expression fold  
224 changes (FC>2) are provided together with p values.

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226 **Supplemental Table 12. Liver fibrosis modulator expression in human and mouse livers.** Normalized  
227 expression values for the indicated genes involved in the fibrotic process were extracted from microarray  
228 data and are expressed as fold change (n=3-6, p<0.05). HSC: hepatic stellate cells, LSEC: liver sinusoidal  
229 endothelial cells, KC: Kupffer cells; Hep: hepatocytes; WAT: white adipose tissue (visceral or peri-gonadal).  
230 Red: up-regulated genes, blue: down-regulated genes.

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232 **Supplemental Table 13 – *Dpt* gene inactivation affect the CCl<sub>4</sub>-induced liver transcriptional**  
233 **response.** Liver genes significantly dysregulated in CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated *Dpt*<sup>+/+</sup> mice (see supplemental table 11) or  
234 in CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated *Dpt*<sup>-/-</sup> mice were identified by an unpaired t-test (FC>2, p<0.05). Their relative regulation in  
235 the *Dpt*<sup>+/+</sup> or *Dpt*<sup>-/-</sup> background is expressed as the ratio of their FC upon CCl<sub>4</sub> treatment. A significance  
236 threshold of 2 (hence a ratio >2 or <0.5) was applied to select genes whose expression is markedly different  
237 in the *Dpt*<sup>-/-</sup> background. A scatter plot representation of these data can be found in figure 5A.

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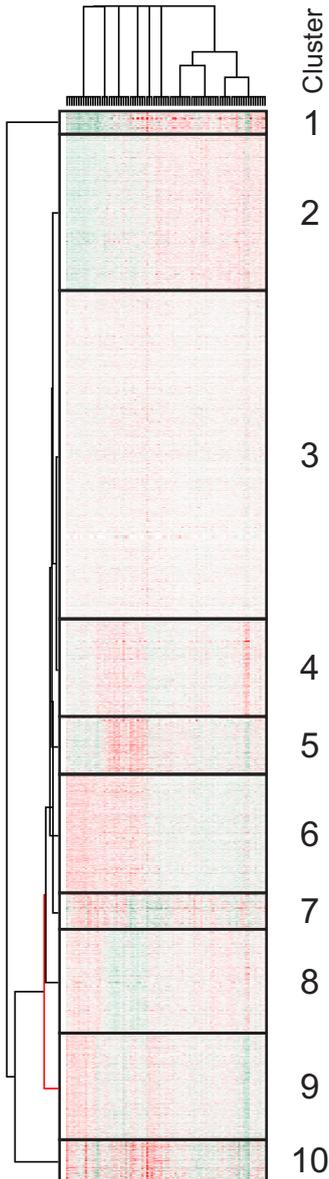
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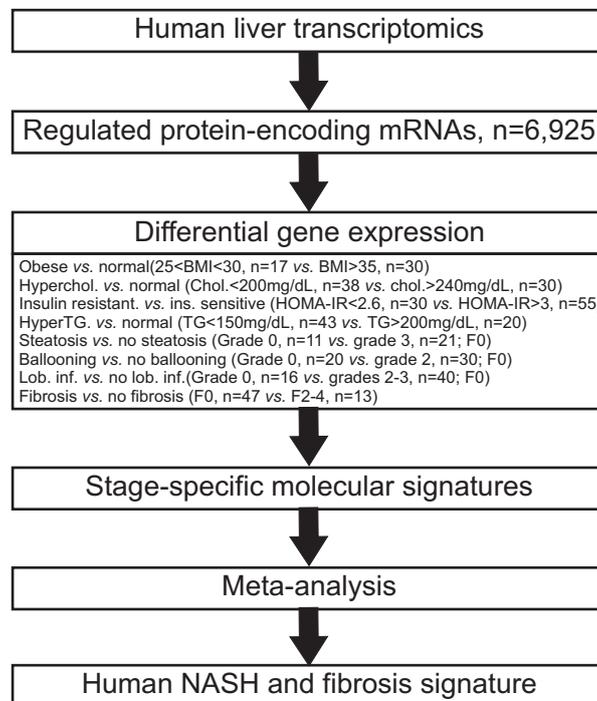
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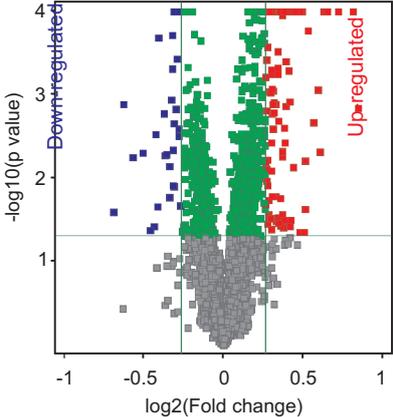
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Cluster 1	OMIM_DISEASE	Common variants at 30 loci contribute to polygenic dyslipidemia	3	0,3	5,10E-02	9,80E-01
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	extracellular matrix	12	1,1	8,40E-08	2,30E-05
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	fatty acid biosynthetic process	5	0,4	2,40E-03	7,70E-01
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	extracellular matrix part	9	0,8	2,40E-06	5,10E-04
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	cytokine binding	5	0,4	4,80E-03	7,60E-01
	KEGG_PATHWAY	Focal adhesion	6	0,5	4,30E-02	7,00E-01
Cluster 2	OMIM_DISEASE	Diabetes mellitus, noninsulin-dependent	6	0,1	1,00E-03	3,80E-01
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	extracellular matrix	41	0,4	1,10E-13	2,00E-11
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	Wnt receptor signaling pathway	27	0,2	9,90E-09	1,60E-05
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	proteinaceous extracellular matrix	55	0,5	2,80E-15	1,30E-12
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	extracellular matrix structural constituent	21	0,2	1,80E-08	1,70E-05
	KEGG_PATHWAY	Insulin signaling pathway	10	0,1	9,80E-03	9,00E-01
Cluster 3	OMIM_DISEASE	Epidermolysis bullosa, junctional, non-Herlitz type	3	0,2	8,10E-02	1,00E+00
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	Secreted	332	18,1	4,70E-41	8,70E-39
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	response to wounding	136	7,4	5,60E-19	1,20E-15
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	extracellular region part	261	14,2	1,40E-44	8,40E-42
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	cytokine activity	64	3,5	1,80E-14	2,50E-11
	Cluster 4	OMIM_DISEASE	Newly identified loci that influence lipid concentrations and risk of coronary artery disease	5	1	1,30E-02
SP_PIR_KEYWORDS		mitochondrion	60	11,8	4,40E-12	2,20E-09
GOTERM_BP_FAT		regulation of transcription from RNA polymerase II promoter	59	11,6	2,30E-10	5,80E-07
GOTERM_CC_FAT		mitochondrion	69	13,5	5,20E-09	2,10E-06
GOTERM_MF_FAT		transcription factor activity	66	12,9	3,40E-08	2,60E-05
KEGG_PATHWAY		IL-2 Receptor Beta Chain in T cell Activation	5	1	6,70E-02	1,00E+00
Cluster 5	OMIM_DISEASE	Newly identified loci that influence lipid concentrations and risk of coronary artery disease	6	1,9	4,30E-04	6,80E-02
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	endoplasmic reticulum	34	10,9	5,70E-08	2,30E-05
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	sterol metabolic process	12	3,9	5,50E-06	1,10E-02
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	mitochondrion	47	15,1	3,80E-06	1,30E-03
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	identical protein binding	28	9	2,40E-04	1,40E-01
	KEGG_PATHWAY	Mechanism of Gene Regulation by Peroxisome Proliferators via PPARa(alpha)	7	2,3	7,80E-03	4,60E-01
Cluster 6	OMIM_DISEASE	Framingham Heart Study 100K Project	4	0,6	2,70E-02	1,00E+00
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	acetylation	205	31,5	1,20E-32	6,60E-30
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	RNA elongation from RNA polymerase II promoter	15	2,3	6,20E-09	1,70E-05
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	membrane-enclosed lumen	146	22,5	2,10E-17	9,20E-15
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	threonine-type endopeptidase activity	8	1,2	1,10E-05	8,80E-03
	KEGG_PATHWAY	FAS signaling pathway ( CD95 )	7	1,1	2,40E-02	9,90E-01
Cluster 7	OMIM_DISEASE	Association of three genetic loci with uric acid concentration and risk of gout	2	1	5,80E-02	1,00E+00
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	oxidoreductase	35	17,9	2,70E-17	9,30E-01
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	oxidation reduction	35	17,9	3,90E-13	6,10E-10
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	mitochondrion	36	18,4	2,20E-08	4,90E-06
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	electron carrier activity	19	9,7	4,30E-10	2,20E-07
	KEGG_PATHWAY	Nuclear Receptors in Lipid Metabolism and Toxicity	6	3,1	7,90E-04	6,80E-02
Cluster 8	OMIM_DISEASE	Robust associations of four chromosome regions from genome-wide analyses of type 1 diabetes	3	1	3,60E-02	1,00E+00
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	phosphoprotein	194	63,8	3,90E-21	1,30E-18
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	death	31	10,2	1,90E-05	3,60E-02
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	cytosol	49	16,1	4,60E-07	1,50E-04
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	nucleoside binding	64	21,1	5,80E-08	3,30E-05
	KEGG_PATHWAY	MAPKinase Signaling Pathway	9	3	1,30E-02	8,40E-01
Cluster 9	OMIM_DISEASE	Ubiquitin mediated proteolysis	15	4,9	2,90E-05	3,90E-03
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	phosphoprotein	3	1,3	4,20E-02	1,00E+00
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	phosphoprotein	148	62,7	8,90E-15	2,80E-12
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	protein kinase cascade	23	9,7	9,10E-08	1,50E-04
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	nuclear lumen	48	20,3	2,50E-08	7,30E-06
	KEGG_PATHWAY	protein kinase activity	26	11	1,10E-05	5,70E-03
Cluster 10	OMIM_DISEASE	Nuclear receptors coordinate the activities of chromatin remodeling complexes	3	1,3	8,10E-02	1,00E+00
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	RNA degradation	7	3	1,00E-03	1,20E-01
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	RNA degradation	7	3	1,00E-03	1,20E-01
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	RNA degradation	7	3	1,00E-03	1,20E-01
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	RNA degradation	7	3	1,00E-03	1,20E-01
	KEGG_PATHWAY	RNA degradation	7	3	1,00E-03	1,20E-01
Cluster 10	OMIM_DISEASE	Multiple sclerosis, susceptibility to	3	1,3	7,50E-03	7,40E-01
	SP_PIR_KEYWORDS	signal	119	53,1	4,10E-35	1,50E-32
	GOTERM_BP_FAT	immune response	50	22,3	1,60E-21	3,20E-18
	GOTERM_CC_FAT	extracellular region part	59	26,3	3,30E-19	7,70E-17
	GOTERM_MF_FAT	extracellular matrix structural constituent	9	4	2,00E-05	4,50E-03
	KEGG_PATHWAY	Pertussis toxin-insensitive CCRS Signaling in Macrophage	4	1,8	9,80E-03	6,60E-01
Cluster 10	OMIM_DISEASE	Cell adhesion molecules (CAMs)	13	5,8	3,30E-05	3,80E-03
	KEGG_PATHWAY	Cell adhesion molecules (CAMs)	13	5,8	3,30E-05	3,80E-03

Supplemental Figure 1

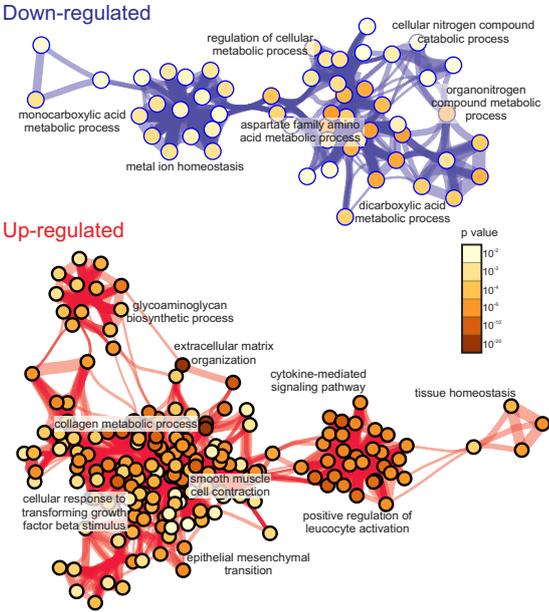


Supplemental Figure 2

### A- Gene expression in fibrosis

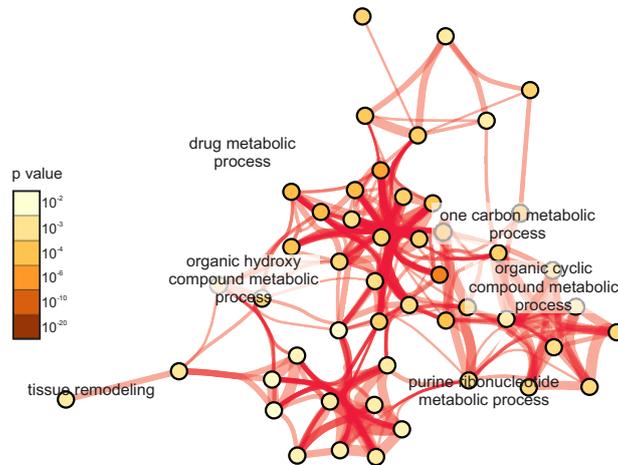


### B- Biological processes in fibrosis

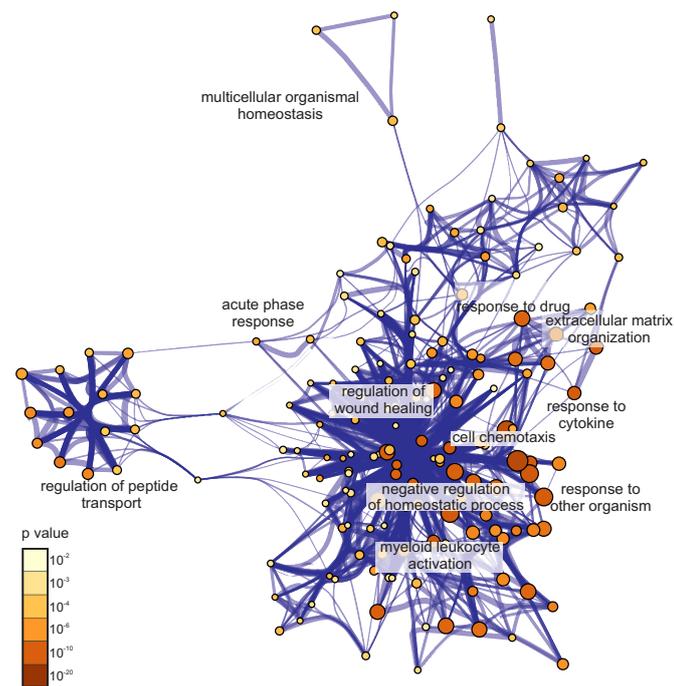


Supplemental Figure 3

## A-Up-regulated genes by GABY



## B-Down-regulated genes by GABY

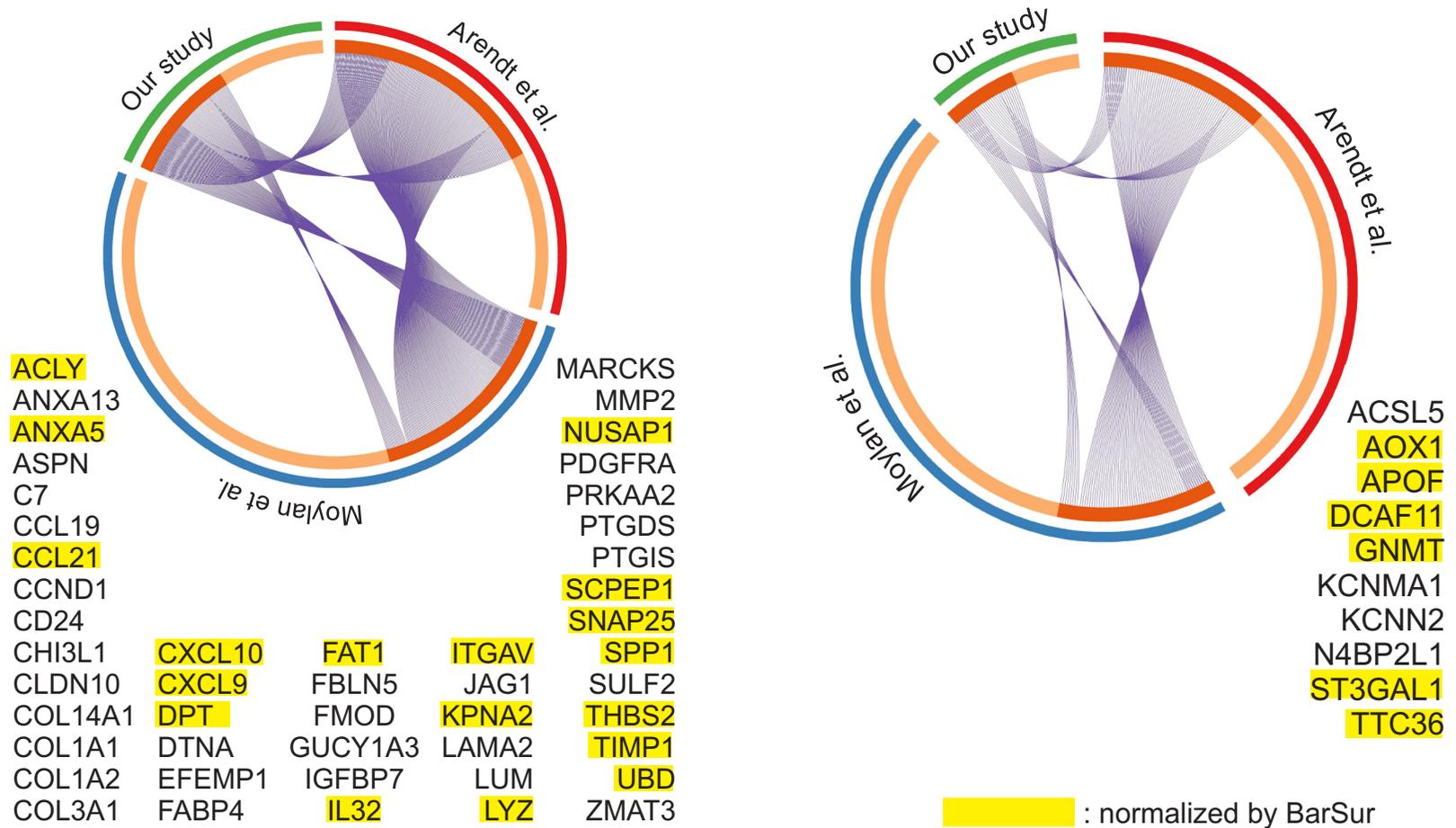


## Supplemental Figure 4



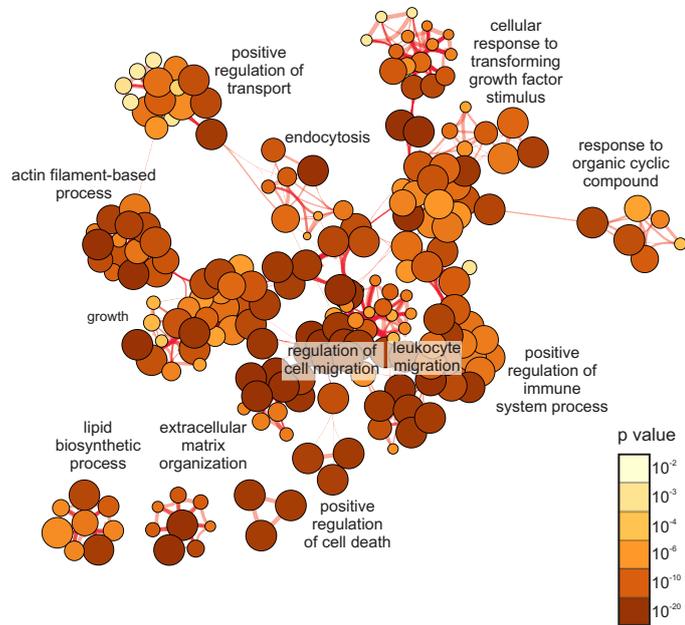
A-Genes up-regulated in human NASH+fibrosis

B-Genes down-regulated in human NASH+fibrosis

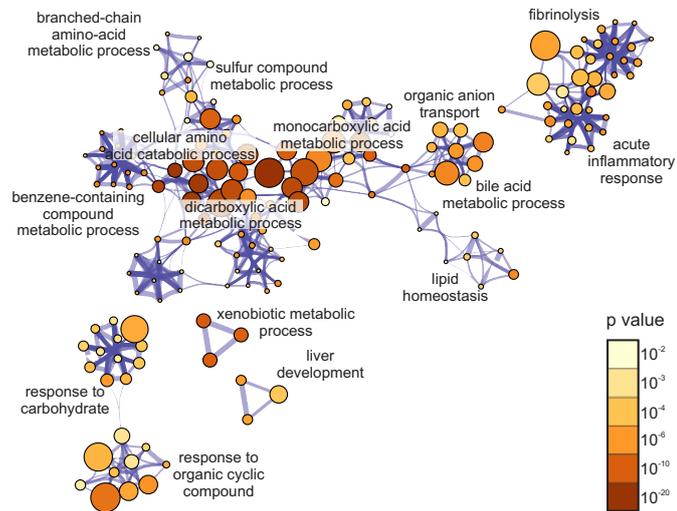


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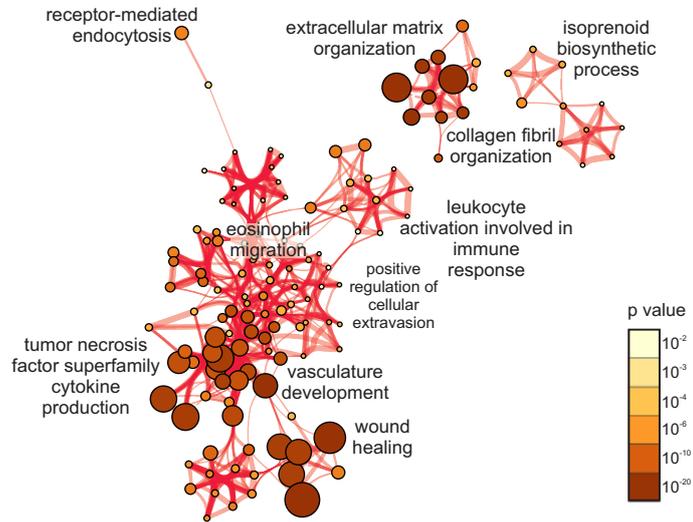
## A - Genes up-regulated in HF/MCD diet-fed mouse livers



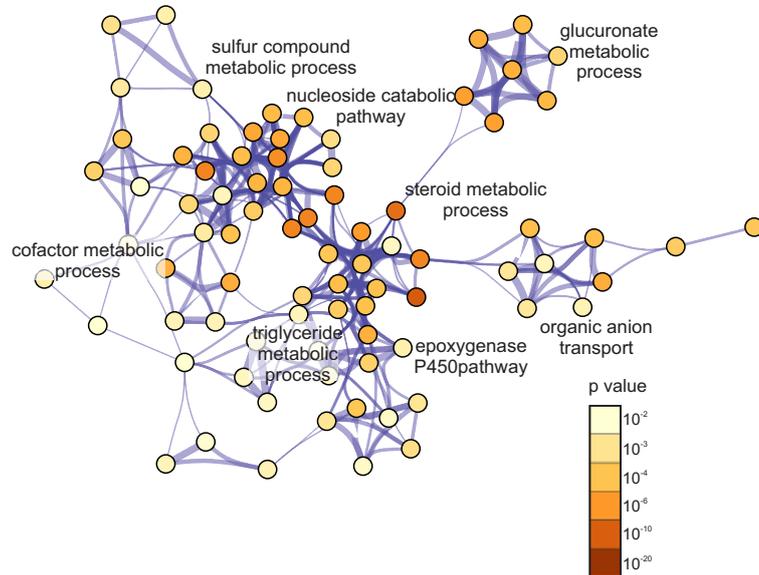
## B - Genes down-regulated in HF/MCD diet-fed mouse livers



### A - Genes up-regulated in CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated, HFdiet-fed mouse livers

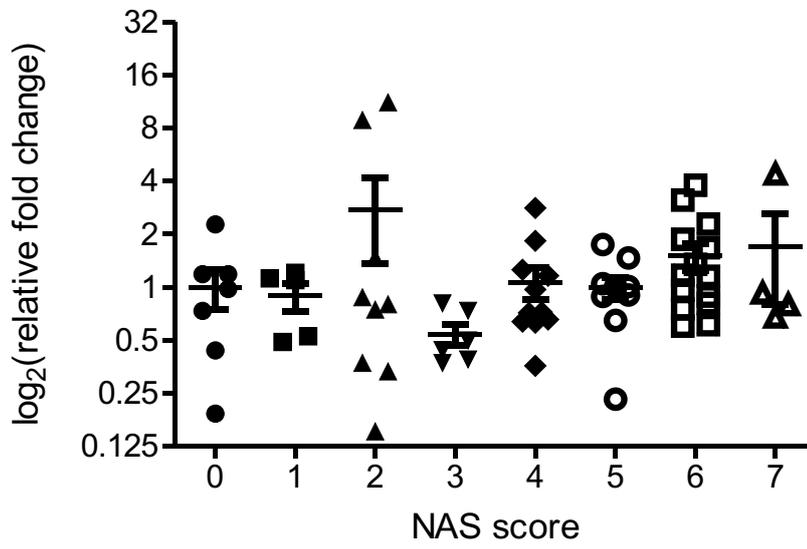


### B - Genes down-regulated in CCl<sub>4</sub>-treated, HFdiet-fed mouse livers

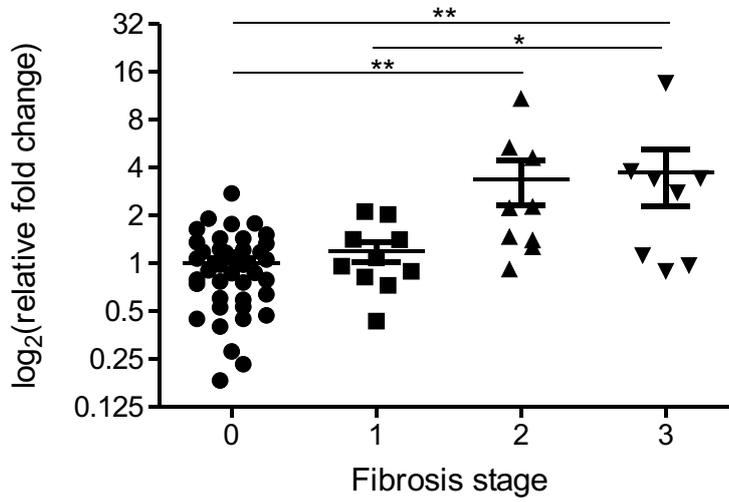


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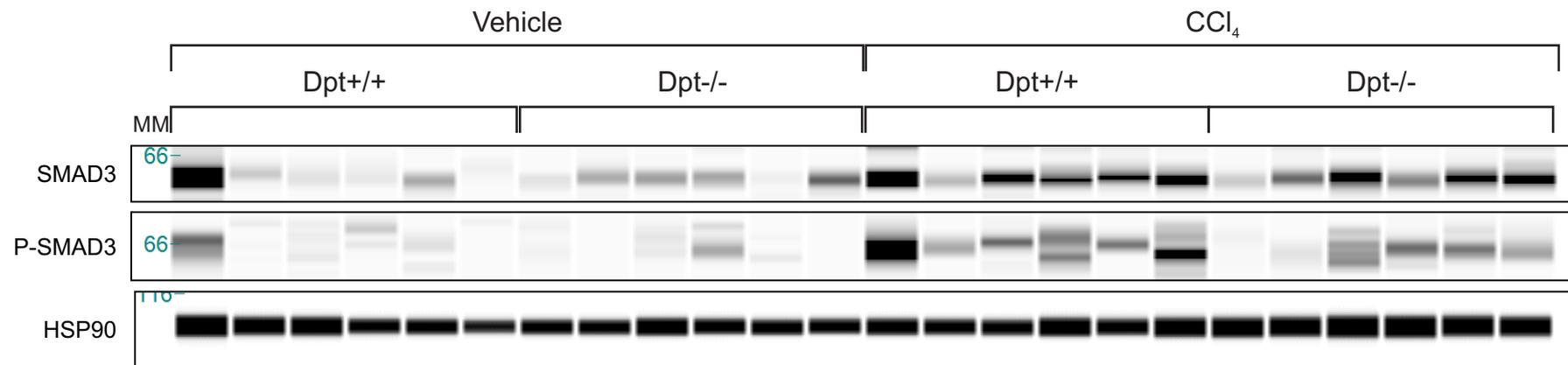
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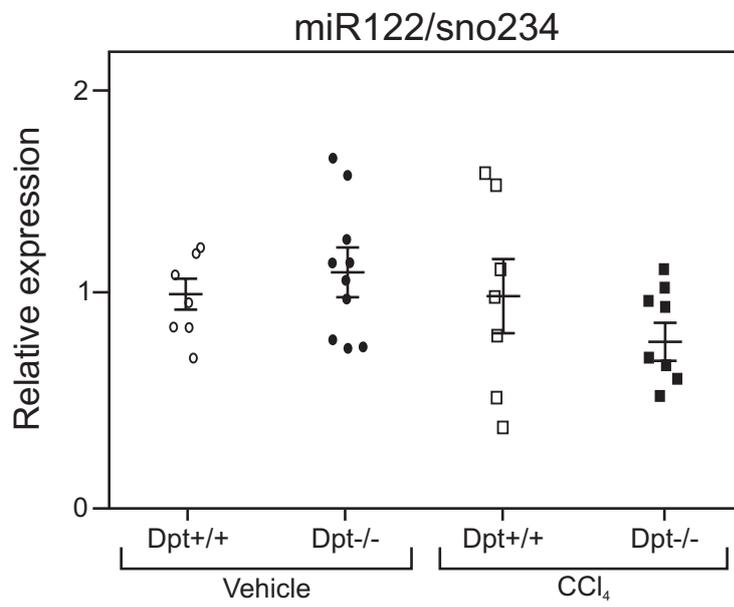
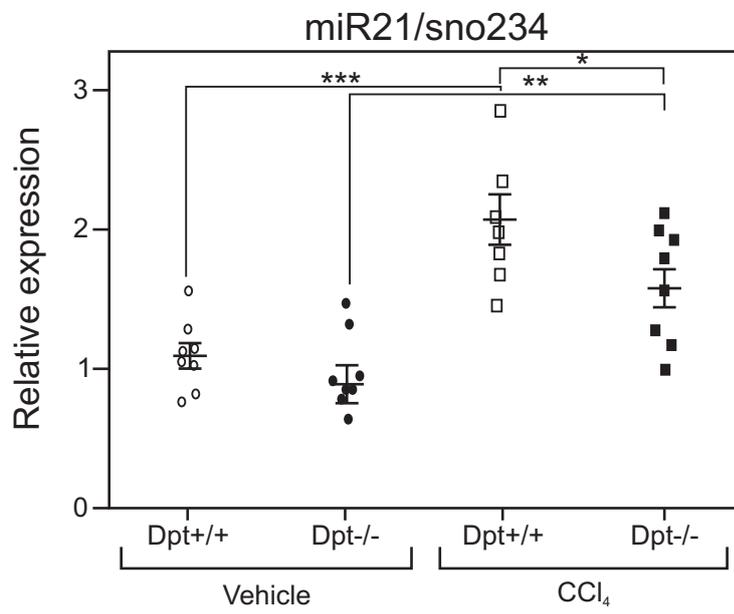
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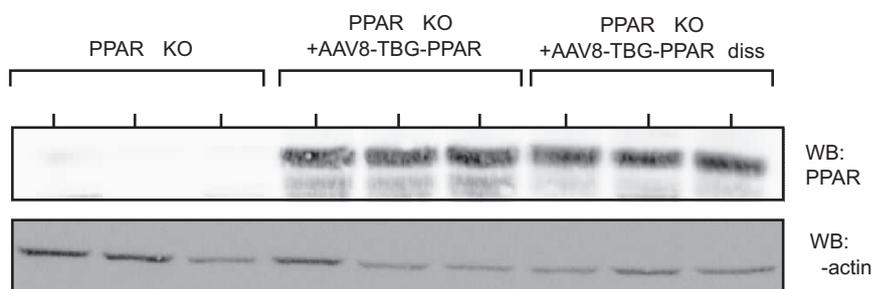
Supplemental Figure 9



Supplemental Figure 10



Supplemental Figure 11



Supplemental Figure 12