

## Supplementary Materials

**Table S1:** Oligonucleotides used in this study to measure mRNA levels.

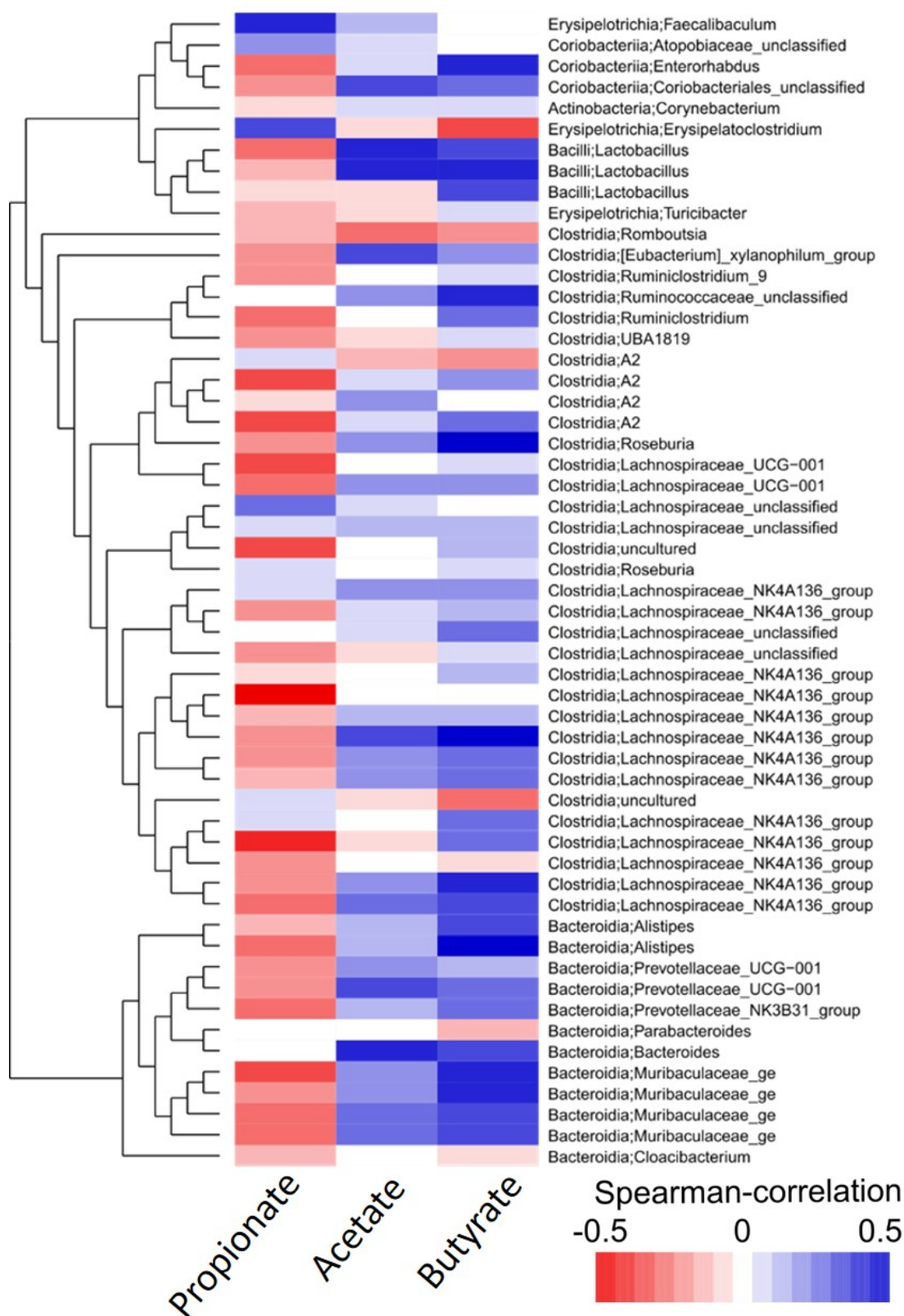
| Primer name   |   | Primer sequence (5'→3')                    |
|---------------|---|--------------------------------------------|
| 18S rRNA      | f | CTT AGA GGG ACA AGT GGC GTT C              |
|               | r | CGC TGA GCC AGT CAG TGT AG                 |
| 18S rRNA      | f | ACC ACA TCC AAG GAA GGC AG                 |
|               | r | TTT TCG TCA CTA CCT CCC C                  |
|               | p | 6-FAM-AGG CGC GCA AAT TAC CCA CTC CC-TAMRA |
| Srebf1        | f | GAG GAT AGC CAG GTC AAA GC                 |
|               | r | AGG ATT GCA GGT CAG ACA CA                 |
|               | p | 6-FAM- CCA GCA TGC CTC GGC TGT GT-TAMRA    |
| Ppar $\gamma$ | f | GCT CAA GTA TGG TGT CCA TGA GAT C          |
|               | r | TGA GAT GAG GAC TCC ATC TTT ATT CA         |
|               | p | 6-FAM-ACA CGA TGC TGG CCT CCC TG-TAMRA     |
| Acac $\beta$  | f | GCC TCT TCA TCA CCA ACG AG                 |
|               | r | AAA GAG AGC CTG CCT GAA CA                 |
|               | p | 6-FAM-AGG CAC AGT CCC TCG GGA CC-TAMRA     |
| Fasn          | f | TTG ATG ATT CAG GGA GTG GA                 |
|               | r | TTA CAC CTT GCT CCT TGC TG                 |
|               | p | 6-FAM-CAT AGA CCC GCC GAG CCA GG-TAMRA     |
| Scd1          | f | TTC TTC TCT CAC GTG GGT TG                 |
|               | r | CGG GCT TGT AGT ACC TCC TC                 |
|               | p | 6-FAM-CGC AAA CAC CCG GCT GTC AA-TAMRA     |
| Elovl5        | f | GGT GGC TGT TCT TCC AGA TT                 |
|               | r | CCC TTC AGG TGG TCT TTC C                  |
| Cpt1 $\alpha$ | f | CCA AAC CCA CCA GGC TAC A                  |
|               | r | GCA CTG CTT AGG GAT GTC TCT ATG            |
| Hsl           | f | TGC TTG GTT CAA CTG GAG AG                 |
|               | r | GTA ACT GGG TAG GCT GCC AT                 |
|               | p | 6-FAM-CTG CTG CCC GAA GGG ACA CA-TAMRA     |

**Table S2: Primer used for microbiota analysis**

| <b>1) Enrichment PCR</b>                 |             |                                                                        |                               |
|------------------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Purpose                                  | Name        | Full Primer sequence                                                   | Reference                     |
| Fwd primer                               | 27F         | AGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG                                                   | Lane (1991)                   |
| Rev primer                               | 338R        |                                                                        | Etchebehere & Tiedje (2005)   |
|                                          |             |                                                                        |                               |
| <b>2) Custom barcode integration PCR</b> |             |                                                                        |                               |
| Purpose                                  | Name        | Full Primer sequence (barcode sequence in bold)                        | Reference                     |
| Fwd primer + Barcode                     | IIIuFBC1    | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>AAGCCT</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC6    | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>ACCAAT</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC12   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>AGAAGC</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC19   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>ATAGAC</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC21   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>CAGATG</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC24   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>CCAGGT</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC28   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>CGAATT</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC33   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>CTAAGACA</b> AGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC37   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>GACCTT</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC40   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>GCATCC</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC45   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>GGCTT</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG  | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC47   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>GTAATC</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC51   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>TACGGT</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC54   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>TACATA</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC59   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>TGGTCC</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
|                                          | IIIuFBC60   | ACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT <b>TATGCC</b> CAAGAGTTTGATCMTGGCTCAG | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
| Rev primer                               | IIIuRevAdap | GTGACTGGAGTTCAGAGGTGTGCTCTTCCGATCTTGTGCCTCCCGTAGGAGT                   | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |

| <b>3) Illumina multiplexing PCR</b> |                  |                                                       |                               |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Purpose                             | Name             | Full Primer sequence (index sequence in bold)         | Reference                     |
| Fwd primer                          | Multiplexing_PCR | AATGATACGGCGACCGAGATCT                                | Camarinha-Silva et al. (2014) |
| Rev primer + index                  | Index_1          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>CGTGAT</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_2          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>ACATCGGT</b> GACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_3          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>GCCTAAGT</b> GACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_4          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>TGGTCA</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_5          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>CACTGT</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_6          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>ATTGGCGT</b> GACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_7          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>GATCTG</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_8          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>TCAAGT</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_9          | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>CTGATC</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_10         | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>AAGCTA</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_11         | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>GTAGCC</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |
|                                     | Index_12         | CAAGCAGAAGACGGCATACTGAGAT <b>TACAAG</b> GTGACTGGAGTTC | Illumina                      |

Figure S1: Correlation of cecal SCFA concentrations and relative abundance of OTUs.



The heatmap of spearman correlation coefficients was ordered vertically according to a phylogenetic tree of the OTUs consensus sequences to approximately reflect evolutionary relatedness.