

**Table S1: Control Diet Composition as provided by the manufacturer (Specialty Feeds, Glen Forrest, Western Australia) and estimated key macronutrients in the walnut diet (0.3% walnuts).** Addition of walnuts did not change Vitamin content from standard diet.

Ingredients: Wheat, barley, Lupins, Soya meal, fish meal, Mixed vegetable oils, Canola oil, Salt, Calcium carbonate, Dicalcium phosphate, Magnesium oxide, and a Vitamin and trace mineral premix.

<b>Nutritional Parameter</b>	<b>Standard Diet</b>	<b>Standard Diet including Walnuts</b>
Protein	20.00% wt	19.00%
Total Fat	4.80% wt	4.98%
Total Carbohydrate	59.40% wt	59.26%
Digestible Energy	14.00 MJ/kg	14.04 MJ/kg
L-Arginine	No data	19.4 mg/kg
<b>Calculated Fatty Acid Composition</b>		
Myristic Acid 14:0	0.03%	0.03%
Palmitic Acid 16:0	0.50%	0.52%
Stearic Acid 18:0	0.14%	0.15%
Palmitoleic Acid 16:1	0.01%	0.01%
Oleic Acid 18:1	1.90%	1.96%
Gadoleic Acid 20:1	0.03%	0.03%
Linoleic Acid 18:2 n6	1.30%	1.47%
$\alpha$ Linolenic Acid 18:3 n3	0.30%	0.33%
Arachadonic Acid 20:4 n6	0.01%	0.01%
EPA 20:5 n3	0.02%	No data
DHA 22:6 n3	0.05%	No data
Total n3	0.37%	0.40%
Total n6	1.31%	1.42%
Total Mono Unsaturated Fats	2.00%	2.02%
Total Polyunsaturated Fats	1.77%	1.91%
Total Saturated Fats	0.74%	0.76%
<b>Calculated Total Vitamins</b>		
Vitamin A (Retinol)	19500 IU/kg	Unchanged
Vitamin D (Cholecalciferol)	2000 IU/kg	Unchanged
Vitamin E (a Tocopherol acetate)	110 mg/kg	Unchanged
Vitamin K (Menadione)	20 mg/kg	Unchanged
Vitamin C (Ascorbic acid)	No data	Unchanged
Vitamin B1 (Thiamine)	80 mg/kg	Unchanged
Vitamin B2 (Riboflavin)	30 mg/kg	Unchanged
Niacin (Nicotinic acid)	145 mg/kg	Unchanged
Vitamin B6 (Pryridoxine)	28 mg/kg	Unchanged
Pantothenic Acid	60 mg/kg	Unchanged
Biotin	410 ug/kg	Unchanged
Folic Acid	5 mg/kg	Unchanged
Inositol	No data	Unchanged
Vitamin B12 (Cyancobalamin)	150 ug/kg	Unchanged
Choline	1600 mg/kg	Unchanged

**Table S2: Relative Expression Data for All Genes Analyzed**

Expressed as medians (Interquartile Ranges) relative to WT Control Diet (set to 1). Human homologs or alternative gene names are given in parentheses after mouse gene name.

<b>Genotype</b>	<b>WT</b>	<b>WT</b>	<b>MetS-Tg</b>	<b>MetS-Tg</b>	<b><i>P</i> Genotype</b>	<b><i>P</i> Diet</b>	<b><i>P</i> Geno*diet</b>
<b>Diet</b>	<b>Control</b>	<b>Walnut</b>	<b>Control</b>	<b>Walnut</b>			
<b>Liver</b>							
<i>Atf6</i> ( <i>ATF6</i> )	1.00 (0.69-1.53)	1.42 (1.22-2.07)	1.20 (0.93-1.61)	1.93 (1.26-3.53)		0.005	
<i>Ddit3</i> ( <i>CHOP</i> )	1.00 (0.41-1.50)	1.59 (1.13-3.17)	1.11 (0.52-1.87)	2.45 (0.80-5.76)		0.002	
<i>Eif2ak3</i> ( <i>PERK</i> )	1.00 (0.53-1.46)	1.98 (1.33-2.26)	0.84 (0.63-1.86)	1.88 (1.09-3.07)		<0.001	
<i>Colla1</i> ( <i>COL1A1</i> )	1.00 (0.68-1.45)	0.54 (0.35-0.99)	0.97 (0.40-1.50)	2.61 (1.26-4.30)	0.004		0.002
<i>Hgf</i> ( <i>HGF</i> )	1.00 (0.69-1.34)	1.72 (1.39-2.35)	0.82 (0.58-1.66)	1.50 (1.01-3.15)		0.001	
<i>Lum</i> ( <i>LUM</i> , <i>Lumican</i> )	1.00 (0.34-2.39)	0.83 (0.38-1.59)	0.58 (0.32-1.51)	1.60 (0.59-3.85)			
<i>Spp1</i> ( <i>SPPI</i> , <i>Osteopontin</i> )	1.00 (0.54-1.83)	0.95 (0.75-1.38)	1.27 (0.34-2.41)	1.63 (0.58-4.67)			
<i>Sp1</i> ( <i>SPI</i> )	1.00 (0.71-1.48)	1.51 (1.42-2.16)	0.94 (0.55-1.84)	1.50 (0.78-2.74)		0.011	
<i>Tgfb</i> ( <i>TGFB1</i> )	1.00 (0.47-1.96)	0.65 (0.49-1.63)	1.51 (0.49-2.22)	2.00 (1.20-4.80)	0.007		
<i>Timp1</i> ( <i>TIMP1</i> )	1.00 (0.46-1.74)	0.67 (0.43-1.11)	0.99 (0.41-2.14)	3.54 (1.58-6.37)	<0.001	0.018	0.003
<i>Tnf</i> ( <i>TNF</i> )	1.00 (0.38-2.31)	1.18 (0.94-1.56)	1.87 (0.55-3.64)	3.52 (1.28-12.15)	0.002	0.021	
<i>Sod1</i> ( <i>SOD1</i> , <i>ALS</i> )	1.00 (0.67-1.40)	0.98 (0.67-1.70)	1.00 (0.49-1.60)	2.43 (0.60-4.21)			
<i>Bbc3</i> ( <i>PUM</i> , <i>BBC3</i> )	1.00 (0.52-1.64)	0.87 (0.51-1.52)	0.64 (0.41-1.27)	1.46 (0.51-2.25)			
<i>Fabp1</i> ( <i>FABP1</i> )	1.00 (0.62-1.29)	0.85 (0.71-1.46)	0.67 (0.40-1.80)	1.91 (1.30-3.64)		0.028	
<i>Ptpn22</i> ( <i>PTPN22</i> )	1.00 (0.36-1.58)	0.87 (0.60-2.61)	1.30 (0.83-1.99)	5.29 (1.67-11.21)	<0.001	<0.001	
<i>Pparg</i> ( <i>PPARG</i> )	1.00 (0.42-1.94)	1.03 (0.68-1.28)	1.61 (0.73-2.84)	5.02 (3.12-7.53)	<0.001	0.029	0.016
<i>Il6</i> ( <i>IL6</i> )	1.00 (0.55-2.01)	1.35 (0.71-2.01)	0.92 (0.49-2.25)	1.68 (0.81-5.62)			
<i>Insr</i> ( <i>INSR</i> )	1.00 (0.61-1.33)	1.38 (0.87-1.86)	0.65 (0.50-1.05)	1.30 (1.13-2.31)		<0.001	
<i>Slc2a4</i> ( <i>Glut4</i> )	1.00 (0.49-1.38)	0.46 (0.21-0.72)	0.92 (0.09-4.99)	0.91 (0.31-1.43)			
<b>Kidney</b>							
<i>Cst3</i> ( <i>CST3</i> , <i>cystatin C</i> )	1.00 (0.61-1.97)	0.74 (0.63-1.12)	1.14 (0.56-1.76)	0.84 (0.49-1.73)			
<i>Havcr1</i> ( <i>HAVCR1</i> , <i>Kim1</i> )	1.00 (0.65-2.34)	0.45 (0.14-1.10)	0.20 (0.06-0.37)	0.07 (0.03-0.68)	0.001		

<i>Serpine 1 (SERPINE1, Pai1)</i>	1.00 (0.53-1.73)	1.13 (0.77-1.82)	0.65 (0.49-1.13)	1.93 (1.11-2.37)		0.028	0.042
<i>Tgfb (TGFB1)</i>	1.00 (0.55-1.66)	0.82 (0.60-1.16)	0.90 (0.64-1.81)	0.88 (0.67-1.85)			
<i>Col3a (COL3a)</i>	1.00 (0.68-1.85)	0.68 (0.37-1.05)	1.03 (0.60-1.73)	0.76 (0.55-1.33)		0.040	
<i>Mif (MIF)</i>	1.00 (0.76-1.69)	1.05 (0.53-1.55)	0.50 (0.31-1.18)	0.80 (0.42-1.15)	0.026		
<i>Trp53 (TP53, p53)</i>	1.00 (0.72-2.08)	0.91 (0.66-2.15)	1.16 (0.71-2.84)	1.94 (1.16-2.55)			
<b>Cardiac Ventricle</b>							
<i>Colla1 (COL1A1)</i>	1.00 (0.52-1.91)	0.98 (0.32-2.11)	0.79 (0.36-1.50)	0.62 (0.44-0.85)			
<i>Tgfb (TGFB1)</i>	1.00 (0.68-3.75)	1.62 (0.59-3.91)	0.80 (0.34-2.68)	0.98 (0.35-1.11)			
<i>Col3a1 (COL3a1)</i>	1.00 (0.70-1.63)	1.40 (0.43-2.08)	0.84 (0.34-1.71)	0.59 (0.38-0.88)			
<i>Fabp4 (FABP4)</i>	1.00 (0.60-1.56)	1.17 (0.37-2.87)	0.59 (0.26-1.64)	0.78 (0.34-1.43)			
<i>Mif (MIF)</i>	1.00 (0.28-4.14)	0.60 (0.15-4.47)	0.38 (0.06-0.78)	0.26 (0.14-0.85)	0.022		
<i>Myh7b (MYH7B)</i>	1.00 (0.59-3.10)	2.07 (0.61-2.40)	0.56 (0.35-2.01)	0.84 (0.32-1.61)			
<i>Trp53 (TP53, p53)</i>	1.00 (0.52-1.87)	1.56 (0.46-2.54)	0.93 (0.50-1.55)	0.75 (0.52-1.08)			