

Supplementary Materials: Urine and Serum Metabolomics Analyses May Distinguish between Stages of Renal Cell Carcinoma

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Table S1. Fatty acids detected in serum RCC (renal cell carcinoma) samples analyzed by GCMS (gas chromatography-mass spectrometry).

	Serum	Urine
FATTY ACID	PATHWAY	MODEL
NONE	-	B VS. T1
PENTADECANOIC ACID	-	
PALMITIC ACID	As below	B VS. T3
HEPTADECANOIC ACID	-	
DOCOSADIENOIC ACID	-	T1 VS. T3
	GLYCEROLIPID	NO SIGNIFICANT
PALMITIC ACID	METABOLISM/function (signal transduction)	FATTY ACID
LAURIC ACID	FATTY ACID BIOSYNTHESIS	FOUND
CAPRIC ACID	FATTY ACID BIOSYNTHESIS	
TRIDEcanoic Acid	-	

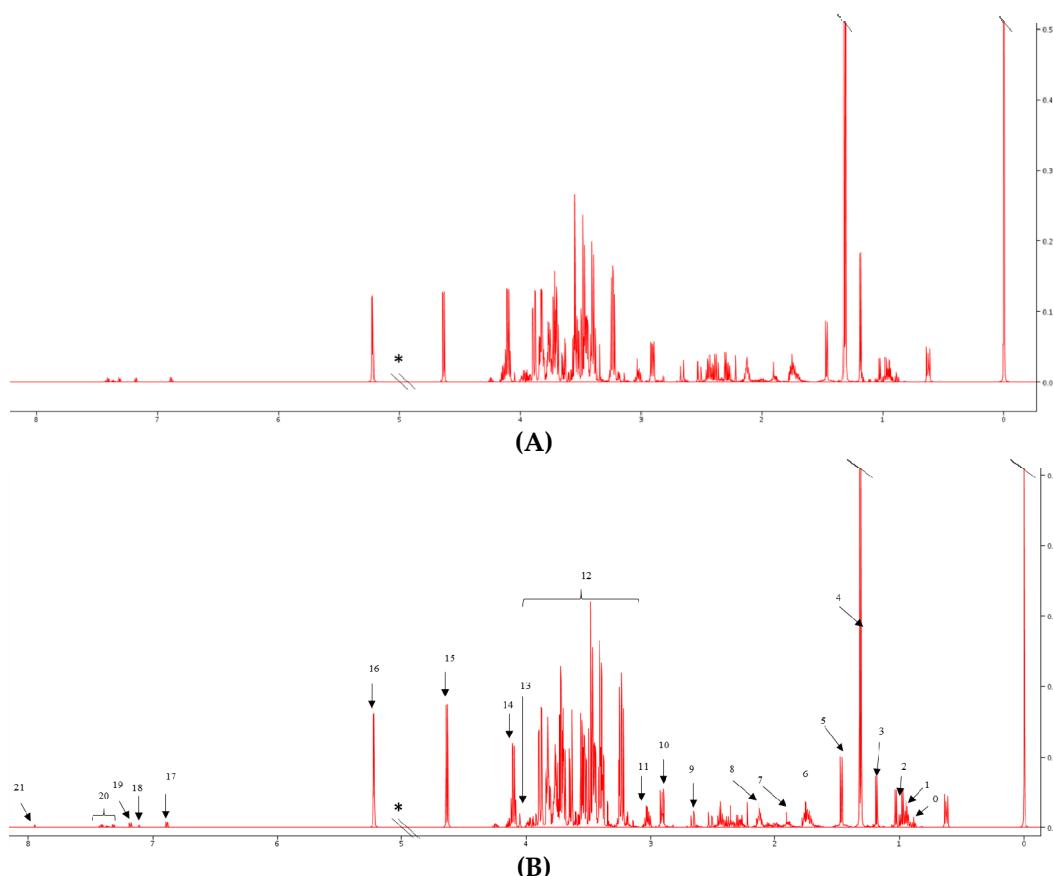


Figure S1. Characteristic NMR spectra of serum samples obtained from (A) benign (control); (B) RCC patients 0: 2-hydroxybutyrate, 1: leucine, 2: valine, 3: 3-hydroxybutyrate, 4: lactate, 5: alanine, 6: lysine (merged with 2,2-Dimethyl-2-silapentane-5-sulfonate (DSS)) 7: lysine, 8: glutamine, 9: citrate, 10: DSS, 11: lysine 12: glucose. 13: creatinine, 14: lactate, 15: glucose, *—deleted water region, 16: glucose, 17, 19: tyrosine, 18, 21: histidine, 20: phenylalanine.

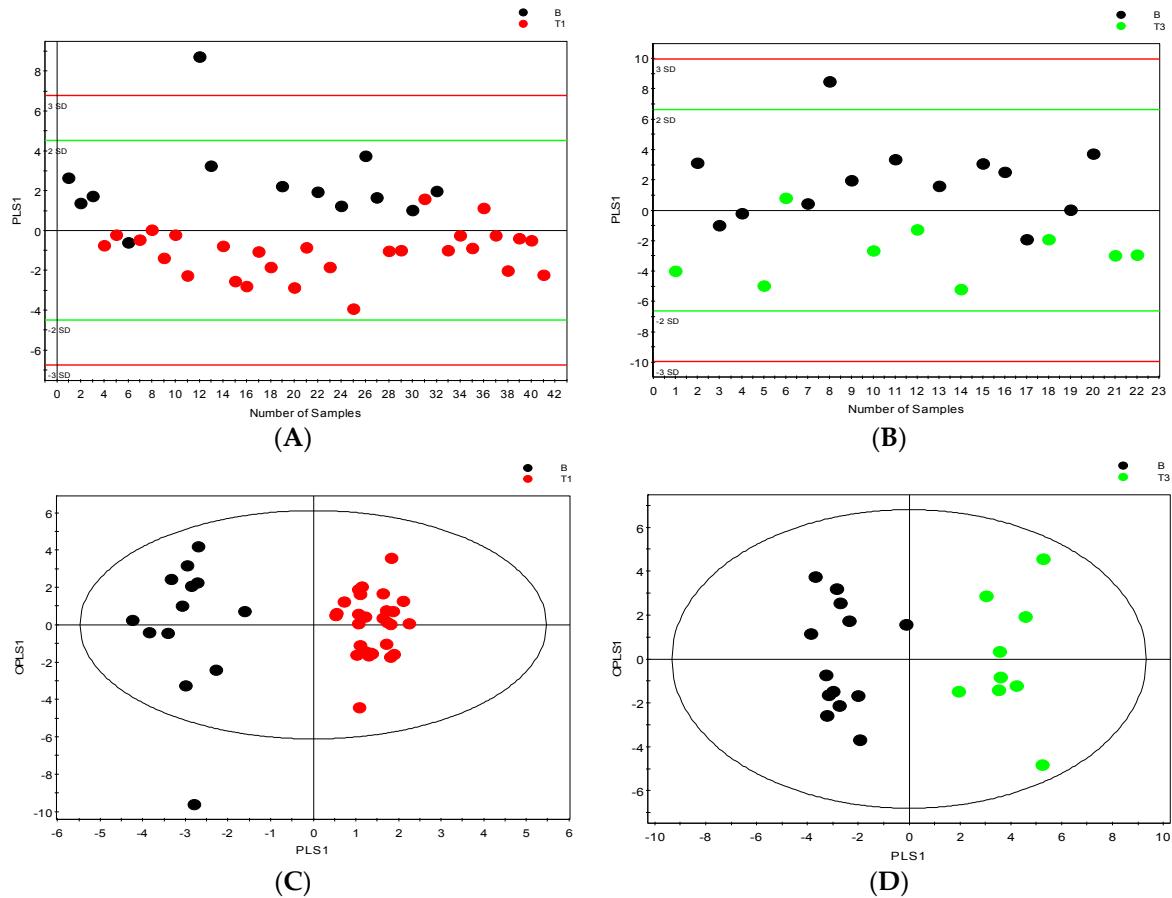


Figure S2. Integrated NMR and GCMS orthogonal partial least squares discriminant analysis (OPLS-DA) models distinguishing between benign and cancer cases. OPLS-DA score scatter plots showing separation in the serum and urine metabolic profile of (A) benign versus stage 1 cancer cases (B) benign versus stage 3 cancer cases (C) benign versus stage 1 cancer cases (D) benign versus stage 3 cancer cases, respectively, along their orthogonal partial least squares (OPLS1) and partial least squares components (PLS1).

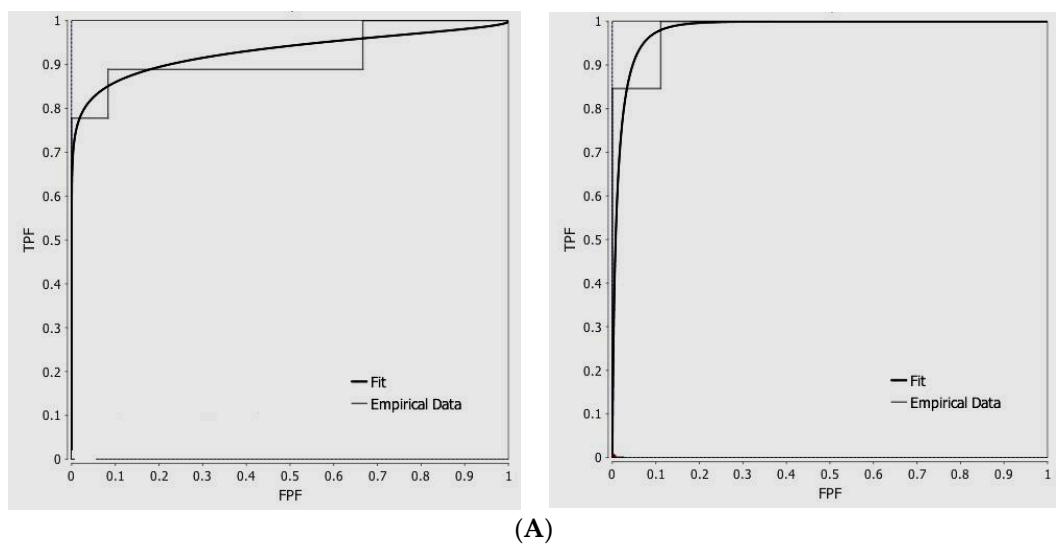


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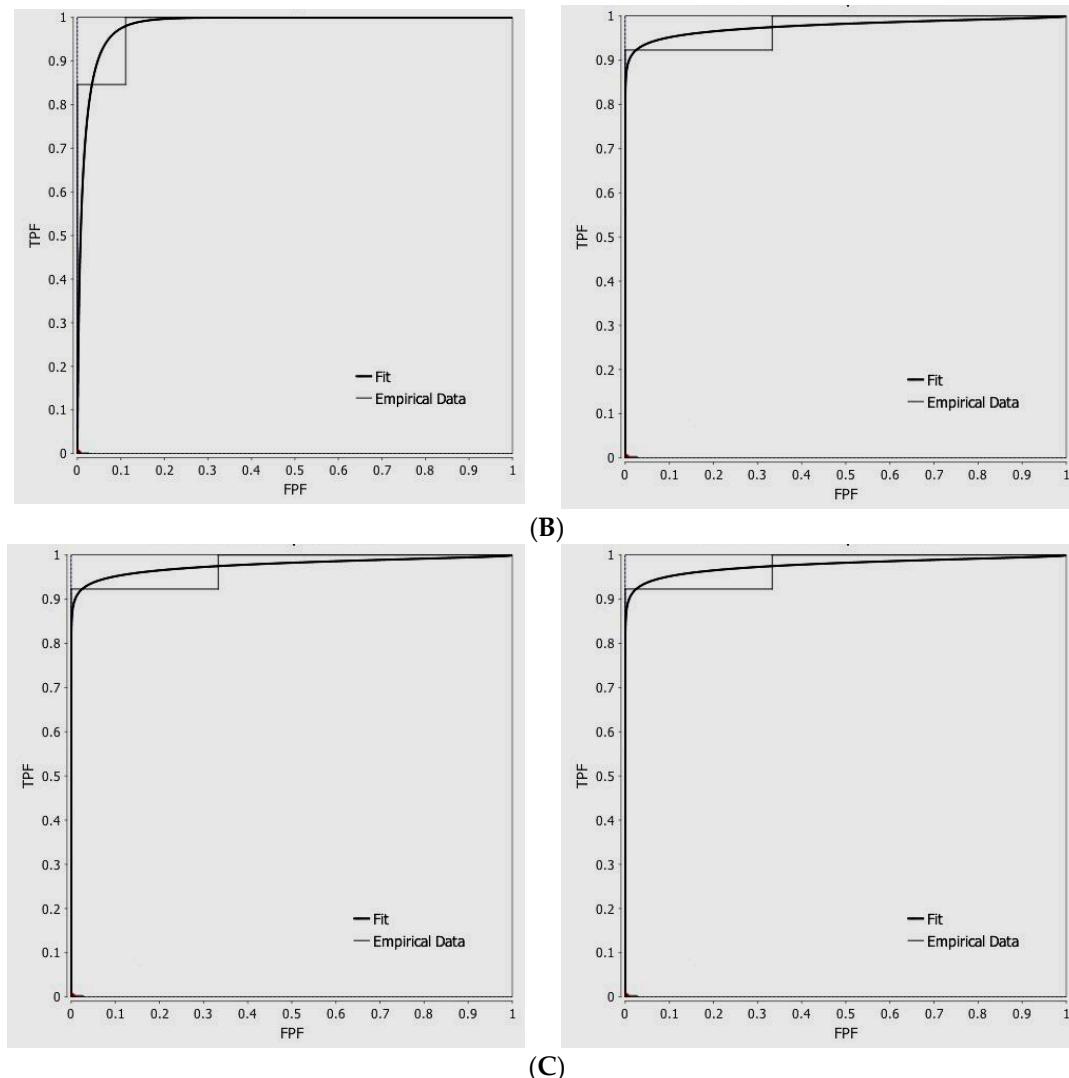


Figure S3. ROC curves depicting the predictive ability of the constructed models in each group comparison in serum and urine. **(A)** ROC curves illustrating the performance of the GCMS models in distinguishing between benign and stage 3 disease; **(B)** ROC curve illustrating the performance of the NMR models in distinguishing between benign and stage 3 disease; **(C)** ROC curve for the NMR models distinguishing between benign and stage 1 disease. AUROC—area under the ROC curve; TPF—true positive fraction (Sensitivity); FPF—false positive fraction (1—Specificity).

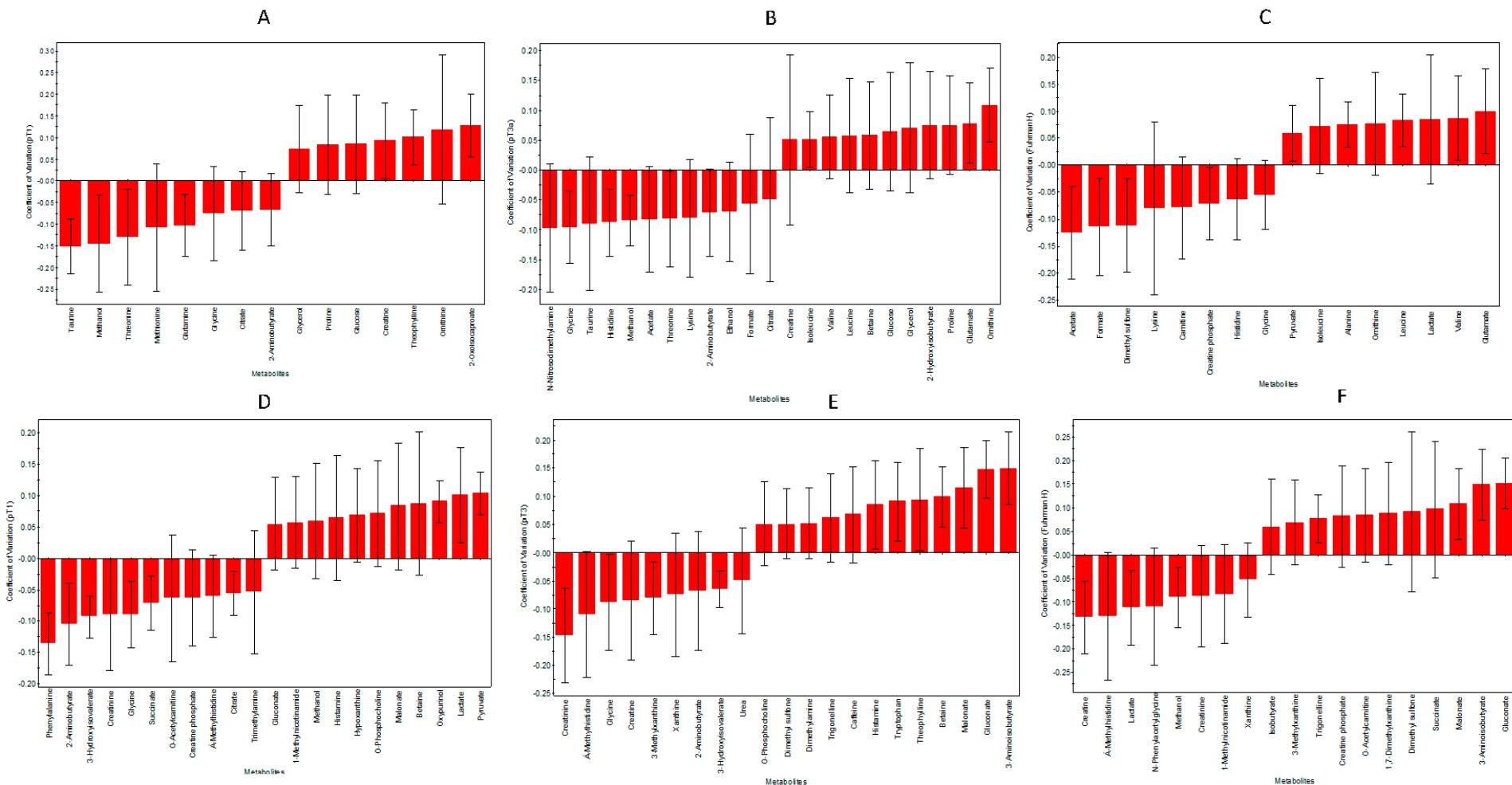


Figure S4. OPLS-DA regression coefficient plot of GCMS analysed serum and urine. Positive coefficient values (upper portion of the plot) indicate increased serum metabolite concentrations in (A) stage 1 versus benign; (B) stage 3 versus benign; (C) Fuhrman high versus Fuhrman low; urine metabolite concentrations in (D) stage 1 versus benign; (E) stage 3 versus stage 1; and (F) Fuhrman high versus Fuhrman low, while negative values (the lower part of diagram) show a decrease in metabolite concentrations.

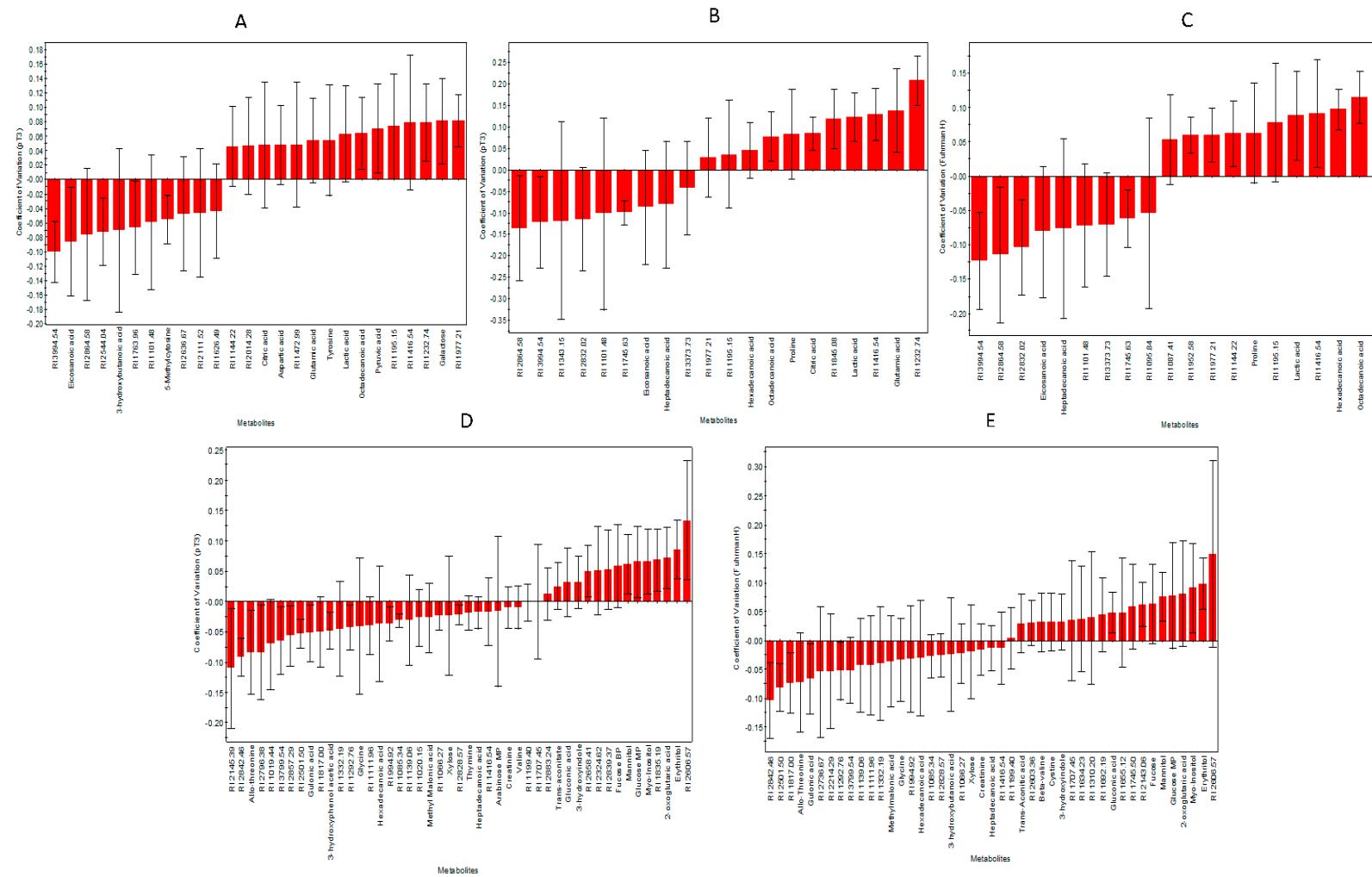


Figure S5. OPLS-DA regression coefficient plot of GCMS analysed serum and urine. Positive coefficient values (upper portion of the plot) indicate increased serum metabolite concentrations in (A) stage 3 versus benign; (B) stage 3 versus stage 1; (C) Fuhrman high versus Fuhrman low; urine metabolite concentrations in (D); stage 3 versus benign (E); and Fuhrman high versus benign, while negative values (the lower part of diagram) show a decrease in metabolite concentrations.