

Supplementary Materials: Methylxanthines Inhibit Primary Amine Oxidase and Monoamine Oxidase Activities of Human Adipose Tissue

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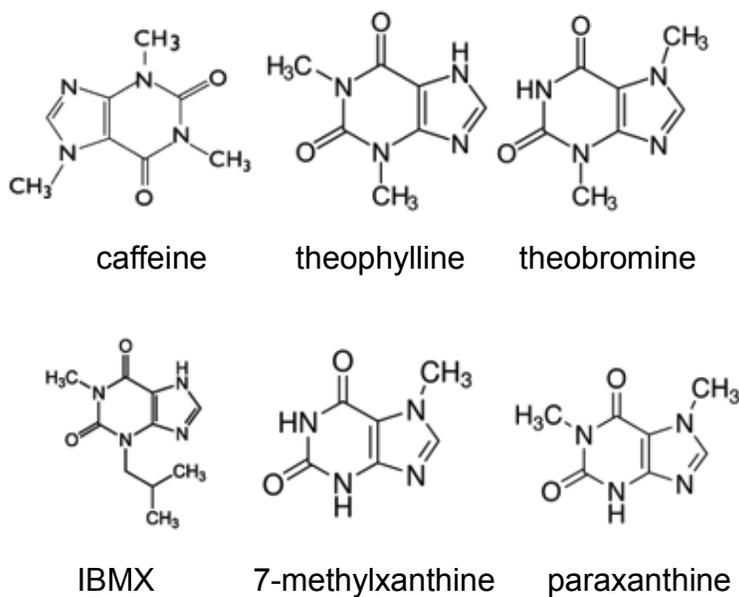


Figure S1. Chemical structures of the methylxanthines used in this study. Only 3-isobutyl-1-methylxanthine (IBMX) is not a naturally occurring N-methylated derivative of xanthine.

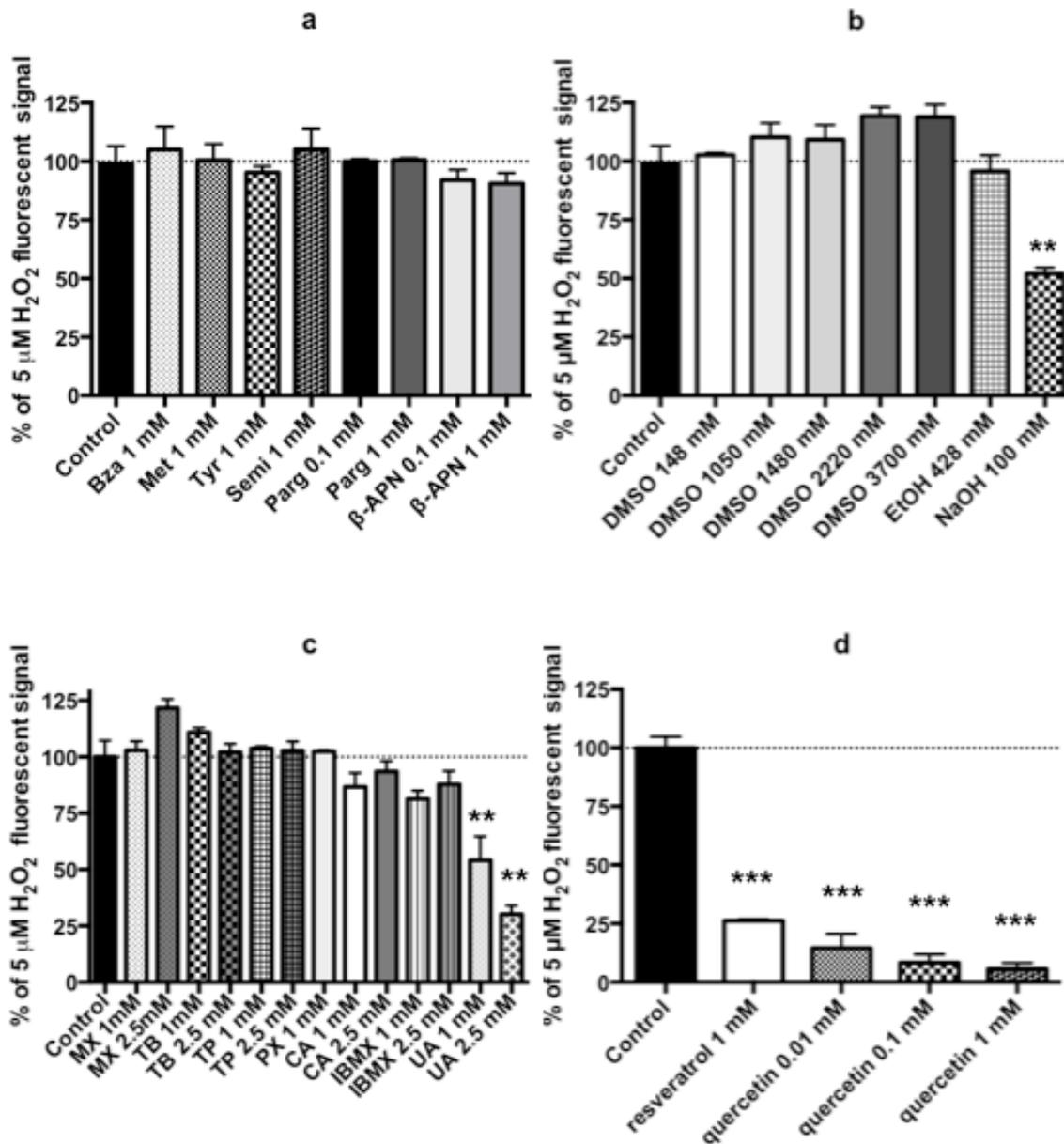
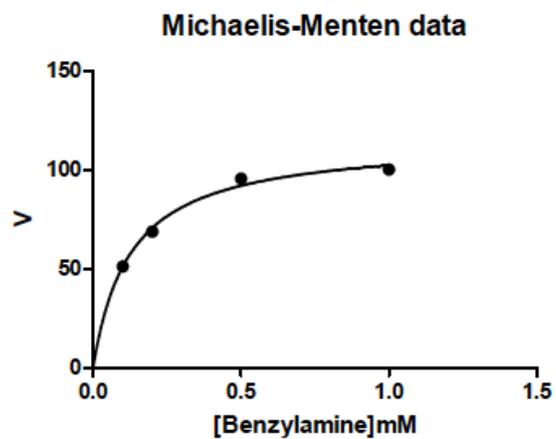
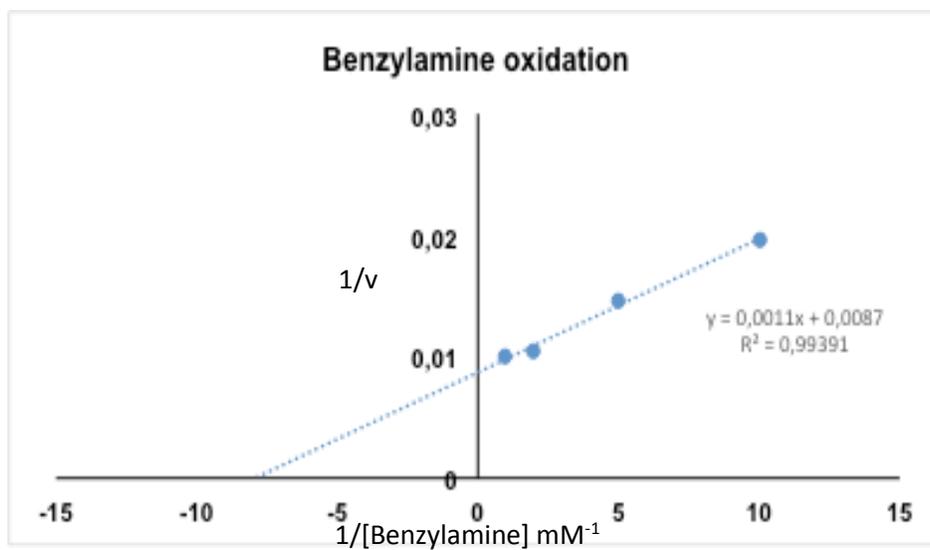


Figure S2. Interferences between Amplex Red-based fluorescent detection of hydrogen peroxide and amine oxidase substrates or inhibitors of reference (a); vehicles (b); methylxanthines (c); and polyphenols (d). The fluorescence signal of 5 μM H₂O₂ was arbitrarily set at 100% in control conditions (dotted line) and was measured in the presence of the indicated final concentrations of the following compounds: a) Bza: benzylamine; Met: methylamine; Tyr: tyramine; Semi: semicarbazide; Parg: pargyline; β-APN: β-aminopropionitrile; b) DMSO: dimethyl sulfoxide; EtOH: ethanol; c) MX: 7-methylxanthine; TB: theobromine; TP: theophylline; PX: paraxanthine; CA: caffeine; IBMX: 3-isobutyl-1-methylxanthine; UA: uric acid; d) resveratrol and quercetin. Each column is mean ± SEM of 3-8 determinations. Significantly different from control (black column) at: ** $p < 0.01$; *** $p < 0.001$.

(a)



(b)



(C)

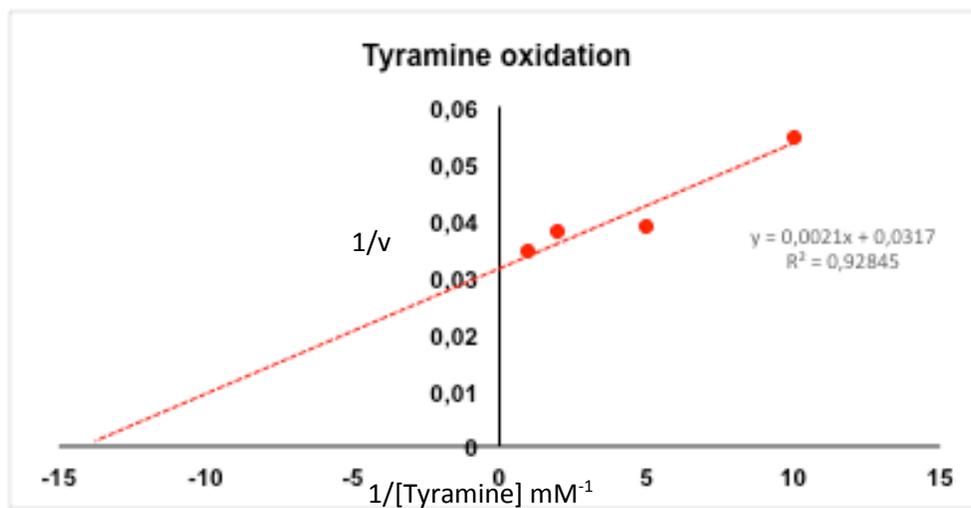


Figure S3. Michaelis-Menten data of benzylamine and tyramine oxidation by human adipose tissue homogenates. (a). The velocity of benzylamine oxidation (v) was determined for 30 min at final concentrations of: 0.1, 0.2, 0.5 and 1mM and plotted versus benzylamine concentration. Each point is the mean of 8 to 23 determinations. Lineweaver Burk plots with benzylamine (b, blue) or tyramine (c, red) are shown for illustrating the respective K_m estimations. The K_m for benzylamine was 126 μM and for tyramine it was 66 μM . Kinetic constants were estimated by nonlinear regression with the aid of Graph Pad Prism.