

Figure S1. Basic data of Chow and TauD groups. (A, B) The time courses of body weight (A) and feed consumption (B) (n = 10–11). (C–F) The weights of body (C), liver (D), inguinal subcutaneous white adipose tissue (iWAT) (E), and epididymal white adipose tissue (eWAT) (F) at 20 weeks of age (n = 10–11). Values represent means \pm SD.

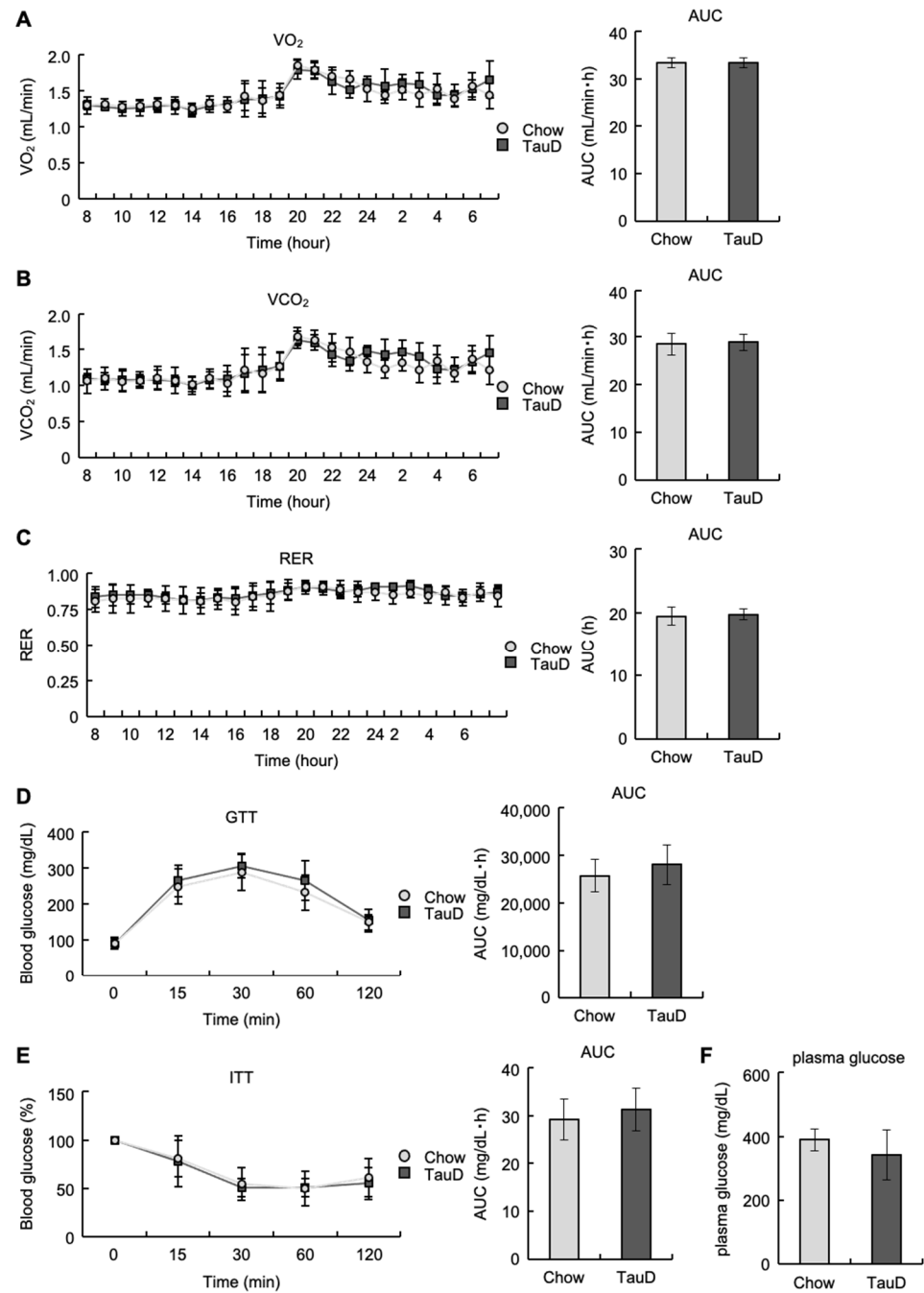


Figure S2. Respiratory metabolism and glucose metabolism of Chow and TauD groups. (A–C) VO_2 (O_2 consumption) (A), VCO_2 (CO_2 production) (B), and respiratory exchange ratio ($RER = VCO_2/VO_2$) (C) during light and dark phases at 18 weeks of age ($n=6$). (D, E) Glucose tolerance test (GTT) ($n = 7-8$) (D) and insulin tolerance test (ITT) ($n = 10$) at 18 weeks of age. (F) Plasma glucose levels at 20 weeks of age ($n = 5$). Values represent means \pm SD.

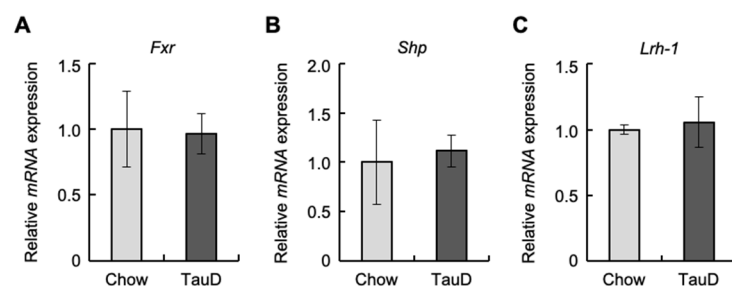


Figure S3. Expression of genes involved in FXR pathway in liver of Chow and TauD groups. The expression of *Fxr* (A), *Shp* (B), and *Lrh-1* mRNA (C) in liver was analyzed by real-time RT-PCR (n = 4). Data were normalized to *Tbp* levels. Values represent means \pm SD.

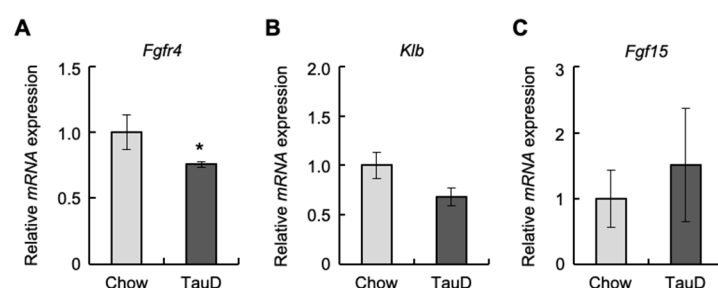


Figure S4. Expression of genes involved in FGFR4/KLB pathway in liver of Chow and TauD groups. The mRNA expression of *Fgfr4* (A) and *Klb* (B) in liver and *Fgf15* (C) in ileum was analyzed by real-time RT-PCR (n = 3–4). Data were normalized to *Tbp* levels. Values represent means \pm SD. Differences between values were statistically evaluated by Student's t-test. * $p < 0.05$ vs. Chow.

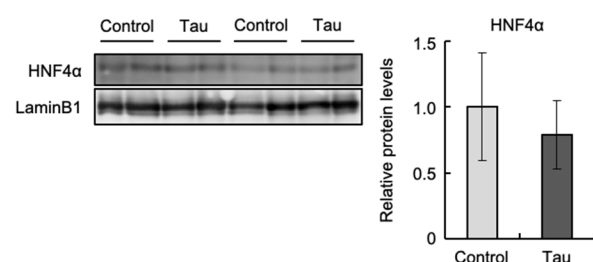


Figure S5. Nuclear HNF4α levels in Hepa1-6 cells. Nuclear protein extracted from 10 mM taurine-treated Hepa1-6 cells was analyzed by immunoblotting using the shown antibodies (n = 4). The left panels show the immunoblotting images. The right graphs show quantitative data. LaminB1 was used as a loading control. Values represent means \pm SD.