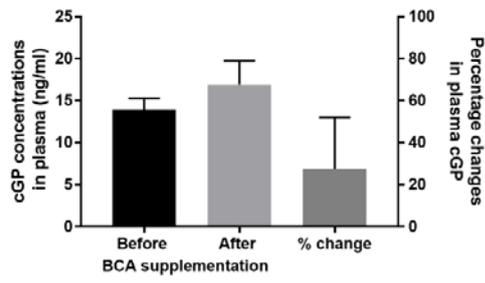
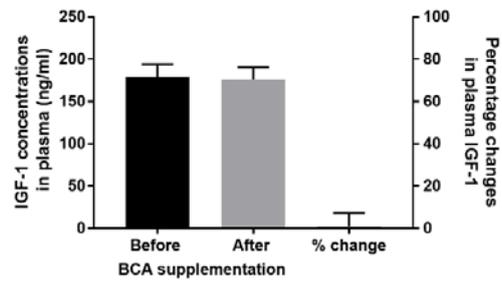


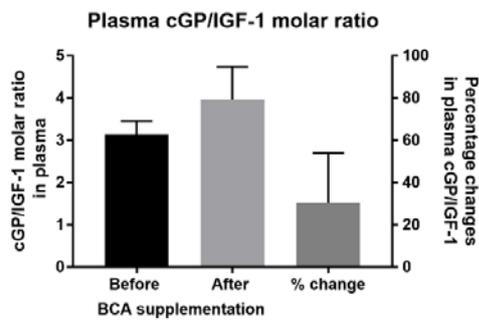
Supplementary Figure 1:



(a)



(b)



(c)

Supplementary Figure 1. The changes in the plasma following supplementation of BCA. There was no statistical change in cGP (a), IGF-1 (b) and the ratio of cGP/IGF-1 (c). Data presented as mean \pm SEM and the percentage changes.