

# *Pleurotus abieticola* Polysaccharide Alleviates Hyper-lipidemia Symptoms via Inhibition of Nuclear Factor- $\kappa$ B/Signal Transducer and Activator of Transcription 3-Mediated Inflammatory Responses

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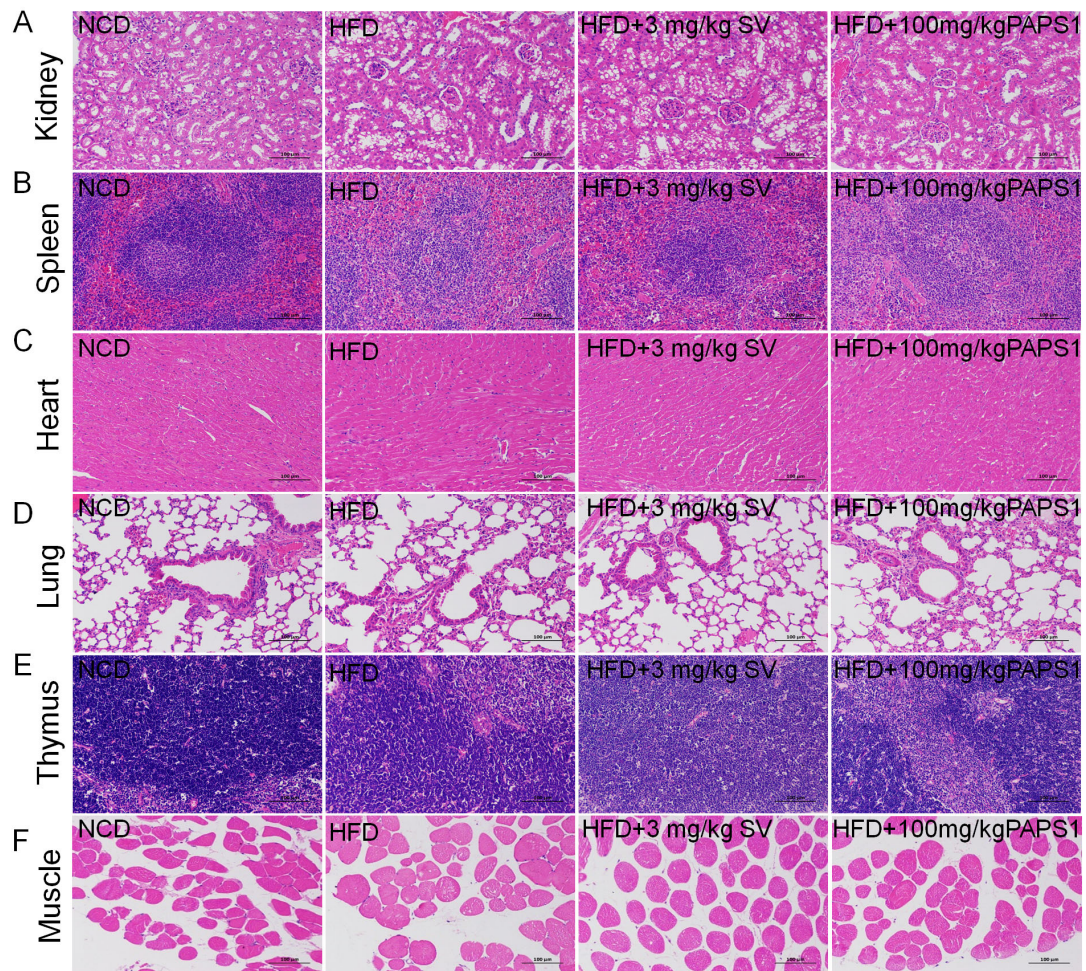
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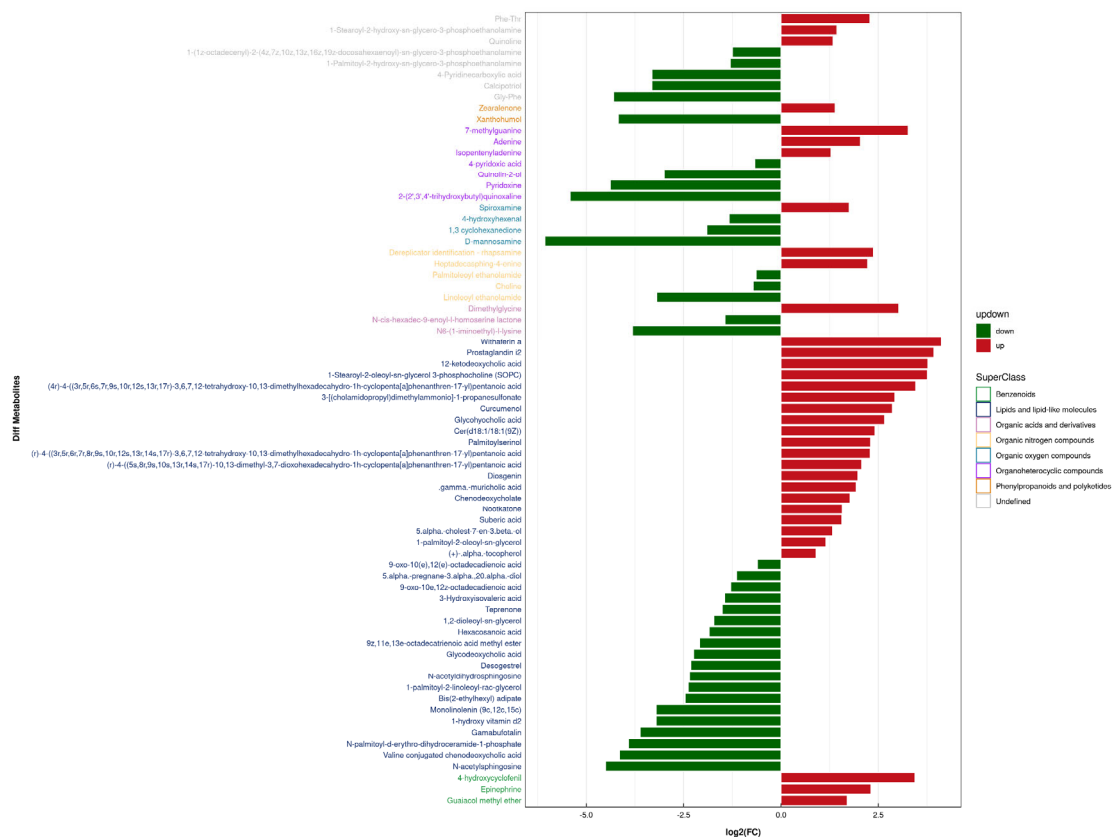
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## Supplementary data

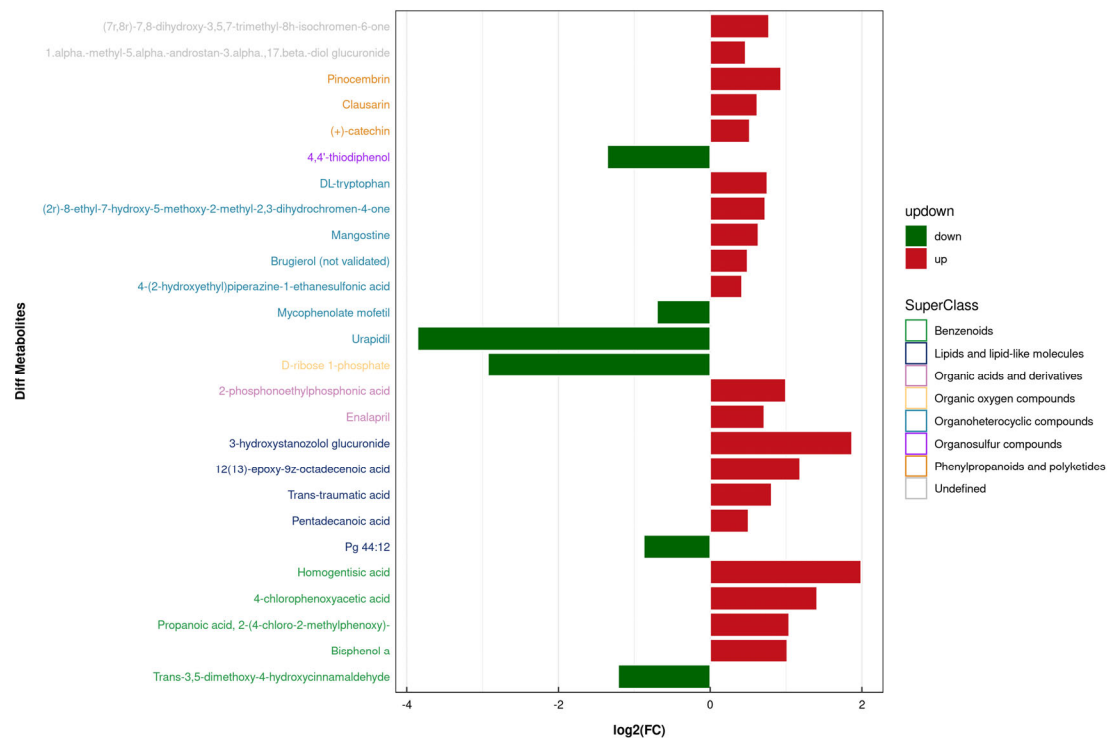


**Figure S1.** Histopathological analysis of the organs (kidney, spleen, heart, lung, thymus, and muscle) of mice using H&E staining (200×; scale bar: 100 μm). NCD: normal chow diet; HFD: high-fat diet; SV: simvastatin; PAPS1: *Pleurotus abieticola* polysaccharide.

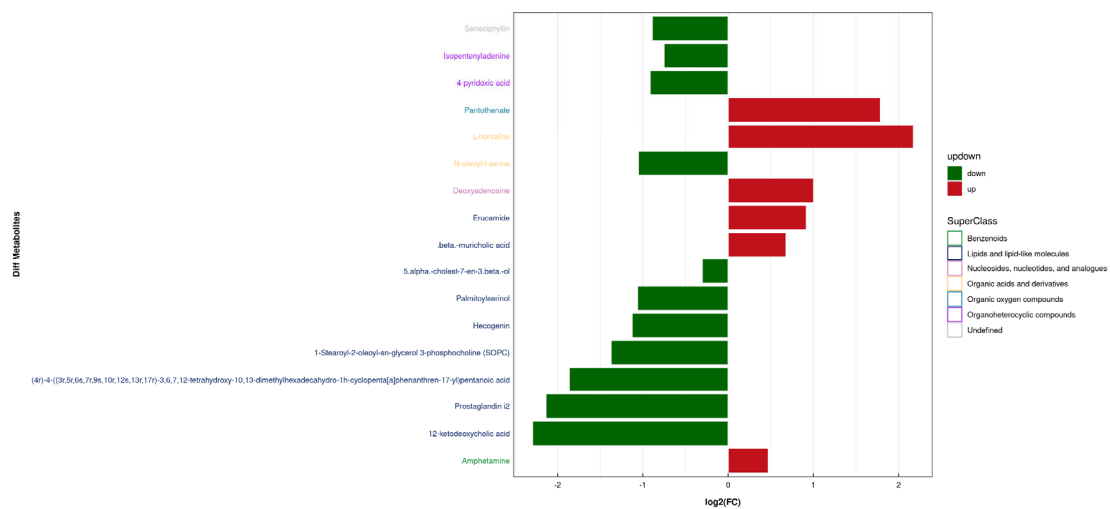




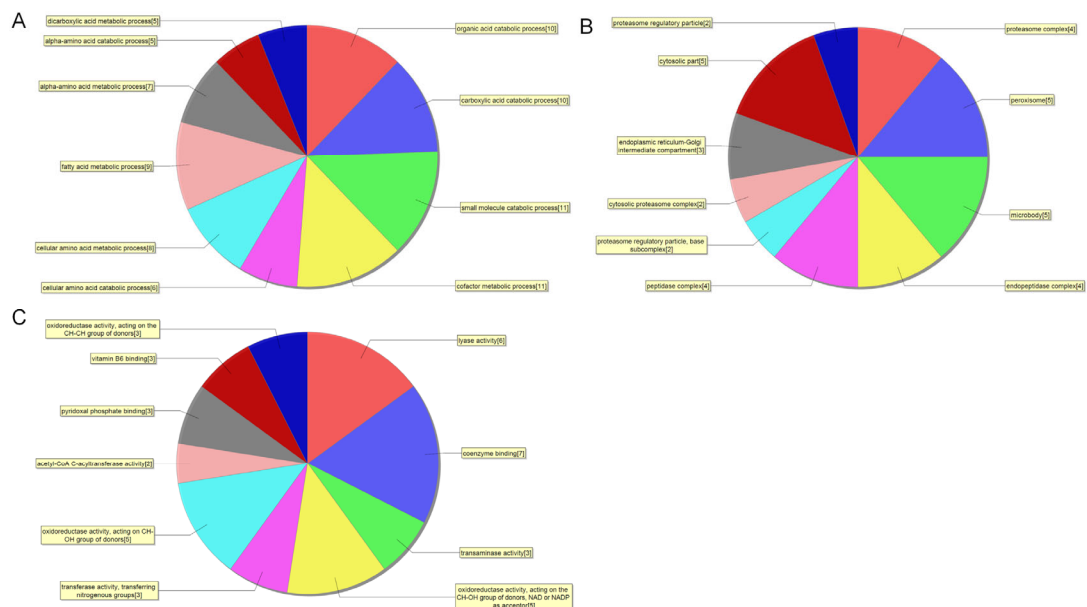
**Figure S3.** Differential fold analysis of the significantly differential fecal metabolites in the positive ion modes between NCD and HFD group.



**Figure S4.** Differential fold analysis of significantly different metabolites in the negative ion modes between HFD and PAPS1 group.

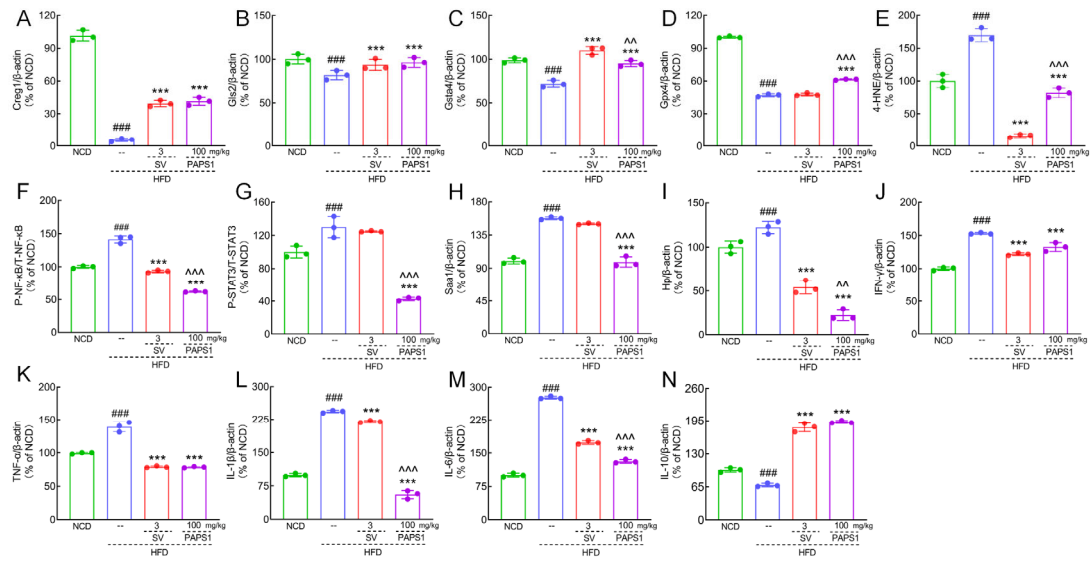


**Figure S5.** Differential fold analysis of significantly different metabolites in the positive ion modes between HFD and PAPS1 group.

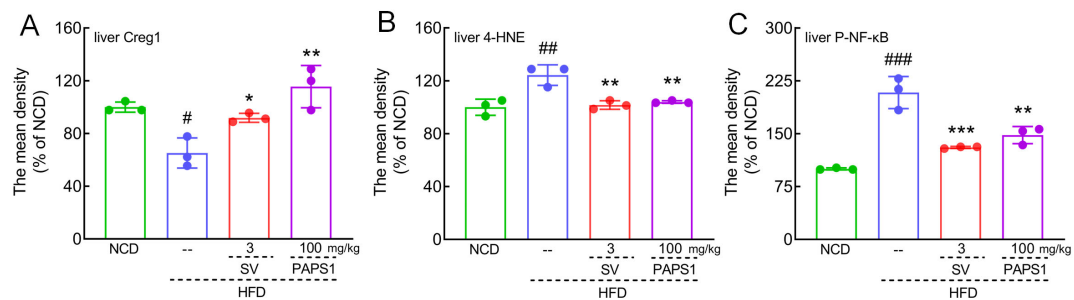


**Figure S6.** Pie chart of biological process (A), cellular component (B), molecular function (C) classification of GO enrichment analysis.





**Figure S7.** Quantification of protein expression in Figure 5D and 6A normalized to that of β-actin and expressed as the percentage of NCD group (n = 3). The data are shown as the mean ± S.E.M. ### $p < 0.001$  versus NCD group; \*\*\* $p < 0.001$  versus HFD group; ^^ $p < 0.01$ , and ^^^ $p < 0.001$  versus SV group. NCD: normal chow diet; HFD: high-fat diet; SV: simvastatin; PAPS1: *Pleurotus abieticola* polysaccharide; Creg1: cellular repressor of E1A-stimulated genes 1; Gls2: glutaminase 2; Gsta4: glutathione S-transferase alpha 4; Gpx4: glutathione peroxidase 4; 4-HNE: 4-hydroxynonenal.; P-NF-κB: phosphorylated NF-κB; P-STAT3: phosphorylated STAT3; Saa1: serum amyloid A protein; Hp: haptoglobin; IFN-γ: interferon-γ; TNF-α: tumor necrosis factor-α; IL-1β: interleukin-1β.



**Figure S8.** Quantification of protein expression in Figure 5E-G and 6I normalized to that of β-actin and expressed as the percentage of NCD mice (n = 3). The data are shown as the mean ± S.E.M. # $p < 0.05$ , ## $p < 0.01$  and ### $p < 0.001$  versus NCD group; \* $p < 0.05$ , \*\* $p < 0.01$  and \*\*\* $p < 0.001$  versus HFD group. NCD: normal chow diet; HFD: high-fat diet; SV: simvastatin; PAPS1: *Pleurotus abieticola* polysaccharide; Creg1: cellular repressor of E1A-stimulated genes 1; 4-HNE: 4-hydroxynonenal; P-NF-κB: phosphorylated NF-κB.

**Table S1.** Details of kits used in biochemical assay and ELISA.

Kits	Catalog number	Company	Area
TC detection kit	A111-1-1	Nanjing Jiancheng Bioengineering Institute	Nanjing, China
TC detection kit	A110-1-1	Nanjing Jiancheng Bioengineering Institute	Nanjing, China
LDL-C detection kit	A113-1-1	Nanjing Jiancheng Bioengineering Institute	Nanjing, China
HDL-C detection kit	A112-1-1	Nanjing Jiancheng Bioengineering Institute	Nanjing, China
Mouse ALT ELISA kit	MM-44625M1	Meimian Biotechnology	Yancheng, China
Mouse AST ELISA kit	MM-44115M1	Meimian Biotechnology	Yancheng, China
Mouse ROS ELISA kit	MM-43700M1	Meimian Biotechnology	Yancheng, China
Mouse TNF- $\alpha$ uncoated ELISA kit	88-7324	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA
Mouse IL-1 $\beta$ uncoated ELISA kit	88-7013	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA
Mouse IL-6 uncoated ELISA kit	88-7064	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA
Mouse IL-10 uncoated ELISA kit	88-7105	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA
Mouse IL-17A uncoated ELISA kit	88-7371	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA
Mouse IL-22 uncoated ELISA kit	88-7422	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA
Mouse IL-23 uncoated ELISA kit	88-7230	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA
BCA kit	23225	Thermo Fisher Scientific	MA, USA

**Table S2.** Details of antibodies used in IHC and WB

Antibody	Molecular weight	Catalog number	Dilution for WB	Dilution for IHC	Company	Area
P-NF- $\kappa$ B	65 kDa	AF2006	1:1000	1:500	Affinity	Jiangsu, China
T-NF- $\kappa$ B	65 kDa	A18210	1:2000	/	Abclonal	Wuhan, China
P-STAT3	86 kDa	AF3293	1:2000	/	Affinity	Jiangsu, China
T-STAT3	92 kDa	3096489	1:2000	/	MILLIPORE	Shanghai, China
IL-1 $\beta$	17/35 kDa	A16288	1:2000	/	Abclonal	Wuhan, China
IL-6	23 kDa	bs-0782R	1:2000	/	Bioss	Beijing, China
TNF- $\alpha$	17/25 kDa	A0277	1:2000	/	Abclonal	Wuhan, China
IL-10	20/22 kDa	A2171	1:1000	/	Abclonal	Wuhan, China
IFN- $\gamma$	19 kDa	DF6045	1:2000	/	Affinity	Jiangsu, China
Creg1	24 kDa	DF10194	1:3000	1:500	Affinity	Jiangsu, China
Gsta4	27 kDa	DF12203	1:2000	/	Affinity	Jiangsu, China
Gls2	66 kDa	DF13386	1:2000	/	Affinity	Jiangsu, China
Hp	45 kDa	381731	1:1000	/	ZEN BIO	Chengdu, China
Saa1	13 kDa	ER62519	1:2000	/	HuaBio	Hangzhou, China
Gpx4	17 kDa	A19544	1:2000	/	Abclonal	Wuhan, China
4-HNE	72 kDa	ab46545	1:2000	1:500	Abcam	Cambridge, UK
$\beta$ -actin	43 kDa	Sc-47778	1:2000	/	Santa Cruz	TX, USA
Goat Anti-Rabbit (H+L)	/	E-AB-1003	1:2000	1:400	Elabscience	TX, USA
Goat-Anti-Mouse (H+L)	/	E-AB-1001	1:2000	1:400	Elabscience	TX, USA



**Table S3.** Formula of normal chow diet and high-fat diet.

	NCD	HFD
Fat (kcal%)	10%	60%
Protein (kcal%)	20%	20%
Carbohydrate (kcal%)	70%	20%
Total (kcal%)	100%	100%

NCD: normal chow diet; HFD: high-fat diet; SV: simvastatin; PAPS1: *Pleurotus abieticola* polysaccharide.

**Table S4.** The effect PAPS1 on organ indexes in HLP mice.

	Organ	NCD	HFD		
				3 mg/kg SV	100 mg/kg PAPS1
Organ index (%)	Liver	3.929±0.139	4.586±0.077##	4.119±0.143	4.105±0.037*
	Kidney	1.451±0.032	1.425±0.017	1.475±0.041	1.473±0.038
	Spleen	0.337±0.012	0.333±0.024	0.362±0.026	0.336±0.018
	Heart	0.703±0.018	0.631±0.016#	0.699±0.005*	0.665±0.008
	Lung	0.606±0.086	0.58±0.017	0.586±0.014	0.572±0.015
	Thymus	0.070±0.003	0.052±0.003	0.065±0.004	0.073±0.007*
	Pancreas	0.796±0.029	0.590±0.017###	0.704±0.015*	0.737±0.026**

The data were analyzed using a one-way ANOVA and expressed as means ± S.E.M. (n = 6). # $p < 0.05$ , ## $p < 0.01$  and ### $p < 0.001$  versus NCD group, \* $p < 0.05$  and \*\* $p < 0.01$  versus HFD group. NCD: normal chow diet; HFD: high-fat diet; SV: simvastatin; PAPS1: *Pleurotus abieticola* polysaccharide.

**Table S5.** Proteins with significantly differential expression levels in proteomics

Number	Protein. names	Unique. peptides	fc. NCD-HFD	fc. HFD-PAPS1
Up-regulated proteins by PAPS1 (Number:39)				
1	Surf4	2	39.118139	0.0465283
2	Fabp4	4	7.4147893	0.0712626
3	Cyp3a11;Cyp3a16;Cyp3a41a	6	75.610755	0.1147315
4	Oxsm	2	7.0736367	0.1739606

5	Gsta4	2	4.4557578	0.232885
6	Scrn2	2	5.5890002	0.2454149
7	Bbox1	2	3.8376455	0.2995994
8	Acaal1b	5	2.0669158	0.3618472
9	Sigmar1	2	2.4689319	0.3670756
10	Etf1	3	4.6934167	0.3737625
11	Inmt	11	4.2251969	0.3767676
12	ORF11;0610007P14Rik	2	1.8730031	0.3849625
13	Grn	2	7.6496016	0.3984767
14	Ca3	16	2.3182793	0.4141417
15	Creg1	2	5.9268832	0.4161873
16	Cyp2a5;Cyp2a4	5	5.5953594	0.4324899
17	Ehhadh	30	1.5761045	0.4836167
18	Mtstp8	2	2.6396857	0.498133
19	Ddah1	7	3.7453863	0.5263316
20	Mpc2	4	1.6294373	0.5414203
21	Sec24d	2	4.4387162	0.5575168
22	Coq9	3	1.7423806	0.5597148
23	Oat	11	1.9601638	0.5867929
24	Usp14	2	2.480496	0.5873441
25	Acaal1a	4	1.8526392	0.593132
26	Khk	11	2.9074653	0.6037921
27	Ces1f	15	2.658276	0.6038403
28	Me1	13	3.0997432	0.6125076
29	Acad8	8	1.6742251	0.6209792
30	Bdh1	9	1.598835	0.6212225
31	Gck	5	1.57656	0.6235898
32	Hibadh	8	1.5479204	0.6323804
33	Cisd1	4	2.2395791	0.6401977
34	Cyp2c67;Cyp2c68;Cyp2c69;Cyp2c40	7	2.1551439	0.6405674
35	Gstt1	8	1.6869598	0.6471396
36	Hal	14	2.5095091	0.6494651
37	Pecr	5	1.5320279	0.6512129
38	Gls2	8	2.7497557	0.6537813
39	Gpt2	5	2.0618183	0.6592659
Down-regulated proteins by PAPS1 (Number:25)				
1	Ptms	2	0.2024234	1.5057212
2	Knlg1	3	0.6039607	1.5063507
3	Mbl1	2	0.1350671	1.5108965
4	Hnrnpm	5	0.2355895	1.5144546
5	Lrpap1	2	0.6098233	1.5453759

6	Creld2	3	0.1830977	1.5608068
7	Rer1	2	0.3462425	1.5711873
8	Rpl13a	5	0.5687837	1.5767496
9	Slc37a4	2	0.5201448	1.6010325
10	Psmb7	2	0.2572866	1.619552
11	Psmc2	3	0.2652712	1.6283054
12	Rdh11	2	0.655161	1.6459288
13	Rps28	2	0.1257974	1.6765039
14	Canx	15	0.5321497	1.734502
15	Rmdn3	3	0.1884984	1.735627
16	Apex1	2	0.4296374	1.7507134
17	Rps6	5	0.317078	1.7868004
18	Psmc2	8	0.6314325	1.8031546
19	D10Jhu81e	7	0.5121806	1.8408467
20	Ccbl2	6	0.6094626	1.8646155
21	Acdb5	3	0.3950492	2.4316103
22	Hp	11	0.546026	3.1897325
23	Saa1	2	0.1559159	4.0626199
24	Tagln2	2	0.2171844	4.3434152
25	Rps15	2	0.3475577	4.4990631

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fc. NCD-HFD: the ratio of protein between NCD group and HFD group;

fc. HFD-PAPS1: the ratio of protein between HFD group and PAPS1 group.

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