

Supplementary Materials: Botulinum Neurotoxin Type A Directly Affects Sebocytes and Modulates Oleic Acid-Induced Lipogenesis

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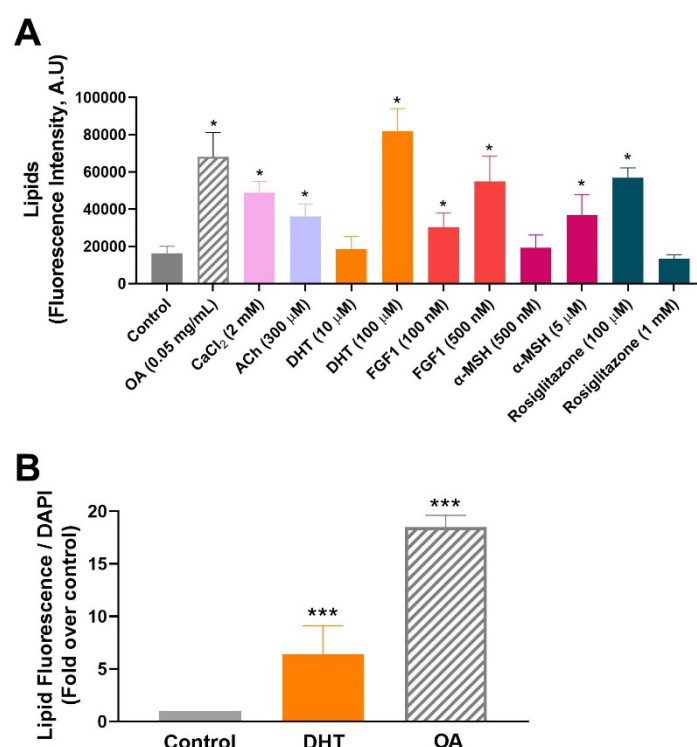


Figure S1. Effect of different lipid droplet inducers on cultured SEB-1 cells. **(A)** SEB-1 cells were treated for 24 hours with oleic acid (OA) (0.05 mg/mL), dihydrotestosterone (DHT) (100 μ M), calcium chloride (CaCl₂) (2 mM), acetylcholine (ACh) (300 μ M), fibroblast growth factor 1 (FGF1) (100 nM or 500 nM), α -melanocyte-stimulating hormone (α -MSH) (500 nM or 5 μ M), or rosiglitazone (100 μ M or 1 mM); intracellular lipids were measured using a lipid droplets fluorescence assay. **(B)** SEB-1 cells treated for 24 hours with DHT (100 μ M) and OA (0.05 mg/mL). Accumulated lipids were normalized to cell number based on DAPI and shown as fold over control (untreated cells). Data represent mean + SEM. * $p < 0.05$, *** $p < 0.001$ vs. control.

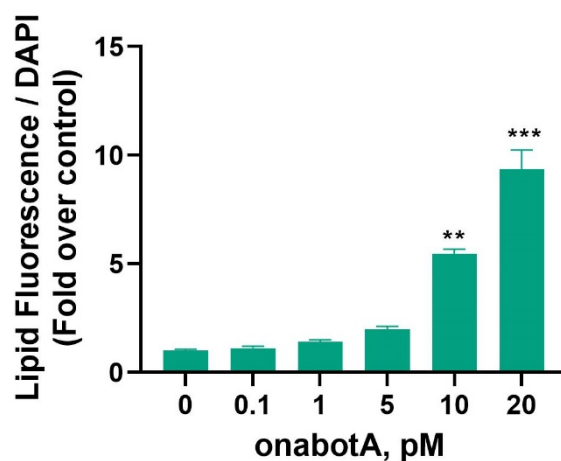


Figure S2. Potency of onabotA on naive SEB-1 cell lipogenesis. Dose response of onabotA (0.1–20 pM) showing the amount of intracellular lipids measured using a Nile red fluorescent dye (lipid droplet fluorescence assay) and normalized to the cell number using DAPI staining. Data shown as fold over control (untreated cells). There was a significant effect of onabotA on intracellular lipid accumulation starting at 10 pM. Data represent means from 5 replicates + SEM. ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$ vs. untreated control.

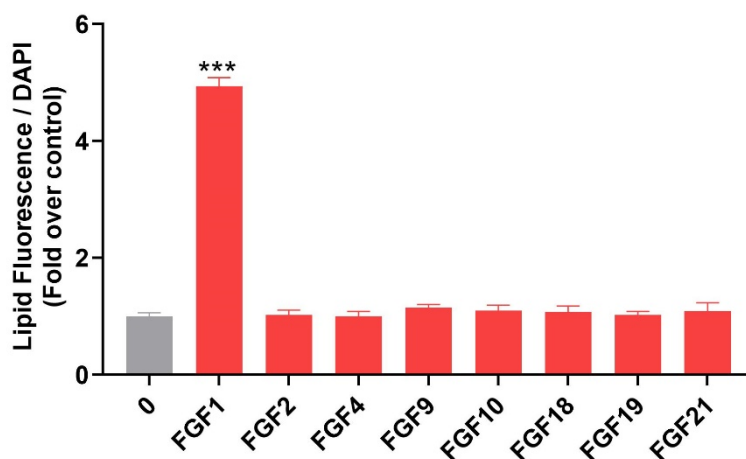


Figure S3. Effects of FGFs on lipogenesis. Bar graph representing the lipids/cell increase after treatment with FGF1, FGF2, FGF4, FGF9, FGF10, FGF18, FGF19 or FGF21 (0.5 μ M). Note that only FGF1 was able to induce a significant increase in lipid production. Data represent mean + SEM. *** $p < 0.001$ vs. control (untreated cells).