

Serum Metabolic Characterization of Vitamin E Deficiency in Holstein Cows during the Transition Period Based on Proton Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy

Table S1. ¹H NMR assignments of major metabolites in serum of cows.

No.	Metabolites	δ _H (ppm) ^a
1	3-Hydroxybutyrate	1.18(d)
2	Acetate	1.92(s)
3	Acetone	2.23(s)
4	Alanine	1.48(d), 3.77(q)
5	Choline	3.2(s)
6	Citrate	2.54(d), 2.68(d)
7	Creatinine	3.03(s), 3.04(s), 4.05(s)
8	Dimethylamine	2.71(s)
9	Formate	8.45(s)
10	Glutamate	2.07(m), 2.35(m)
11	Glutamine	2.13(m), 2.45(m)
12	Glycine	3.56(s)
13	Histidine	7.05(s), 7.78(s)
14	Isoleucine	0.94(t), 1(d)
15	Lipid, CH ₃ -(CH ₂) _n -(LDL)	0.84(br)
16	Lipid, CH ₃ -(CH ₂) _n -(VLDL)	0.88(br)
17	Lipid, CH ₃ -(CH ₂) _n -(LDL)	1.27(br)
18	VLDL, -CH ₂ -CH ₂ -C=O	1.57(br)
19	Lipid, -CH ₂ -CH=CH-	2.01(br)
20	Lipid, -CH ₂ -C=O	2.23(br)
21	Lipid, =CH-CH ₂ -CH=	2.76(m)
22	Lipid, -CH=CH-	5.30(br)
23	Lactate	1.33(d), 4.11(q)
24	Leucine	0.96(d), 0.97(d)
25	Lysine	1.50(m), 1.72(m), 1.90(m), 2.5(m), 3.01(m), 3.5(m), 4.5(m)
26	N-acetyl-glycoprotein	2.04(s)
27	O-acetyl-glycoprotein	2.14(s)
28	Phenylalanine	7.33(m), 7.38(m), 7.43(m)
29	Phosphorylcholine/Glycerophosphocholine	3.22(s)
30	Pyruvate	2.37(s)
31	Tyrosine	6.9(d), 7.2(s)
32	Valine	0.99(d), 1.04(d), 3.62(d)
33	α-Glucose	3.42(dd), 3.54(dd), 3.71(t), 3.73(m), 3.84(m), 5.23(d)
34	β-Glucose	3.26(dd), 3.41(t), 3.46(m), 3.49(t), 3.90(dd)

^aChemical shift, s, singlet; d, doublet; t, triplet; q, quartet; dd, doublet of doublets; m, multiplet; br, broad resonance.

Table S2. Model parameters of principal component analysis (PCA).

Model ¹	Type ²	A ³	N ⁴	R ² X (cum) ⁵	Q ² (cum) ⁶	Title ⁷
M1	PCA-X	4	28	0.606	0.312	VED group – Normal group

¹The number of the model modeled by the SIMCA software, which corresponds to the result file;

²The model type of SIMCA, PCA-X means to build a PCA model for the sample; ³The number of principal components of the model; ⁴The number of observations of the model (here is the number of samples); ⁵The explanation of the model to the X variable; ⁶The predictability of the model; ⁷The data object corresponding to the model.

Table S3. Model parameters of orthogonal partial least-squares discriminant analysis (OPLS-DA).

Model ¹	Type ²	A ³	N ⁴	R ² X (cum) ⁵	R ² Y (cum) ⁶	Q ² (cum) ⁷	Title ⁸
M2	OPLS-DA	1+1+0	28	0.39	0.918	0.792	VED group – Normal group

¹The number of the model modeled by the SIMCA software, which corresponds to the result file;

²The model type of SIMCA, OPLS-DA means to build an OPLS-DA model for the sample; ³The number of principal components of the model; ⁴The number of observations of the model (here is the number of samples); ⁵The explanation of the model to the X variable; ⁶The explanation of the model to the Y variable; ⁷The predictability of the model; ⁸The data object corresponding to the model.