

## Supplementary material

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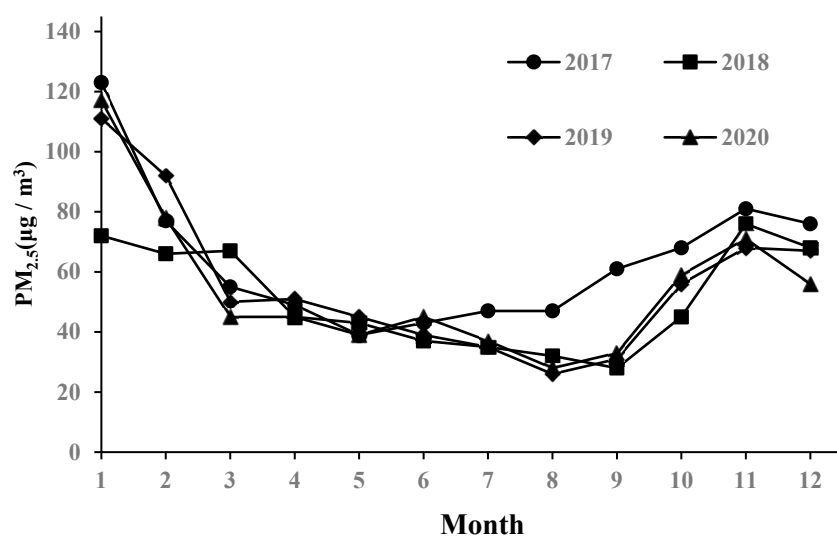
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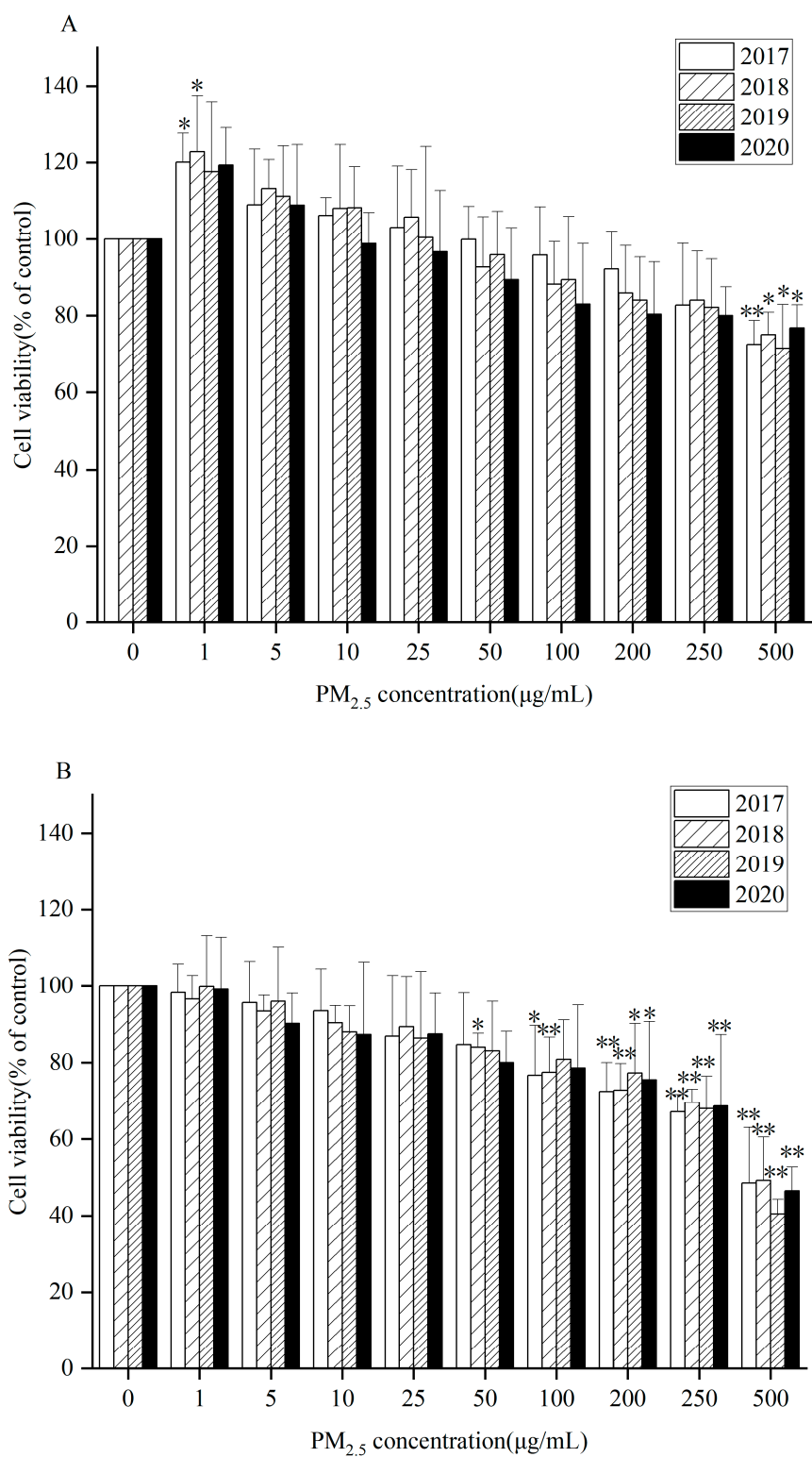
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**Table S2** Source analysis of characteristic ratios of individual PAH concentrations

PAH characteristic ratios	Scope	Source
FLA/(FLA + PYR)	<0.4	Oil burning
	0.4-0.5	Fossil fuel burning
	>0.5	Coal and biomass burning
ANT/(ANT + PHE)	<0.1	Oil burning
	>0.1	Coal burning
	0.2-0.35	Coal burning
BaA/(BaA + CHR)	>0.35	Motor vehicle emissions
	<0.2	Oil burning
IcdP/(IcdP + BghiP)	0.2-0.5	Oil burning
	>0.5	Coal and biomass burning



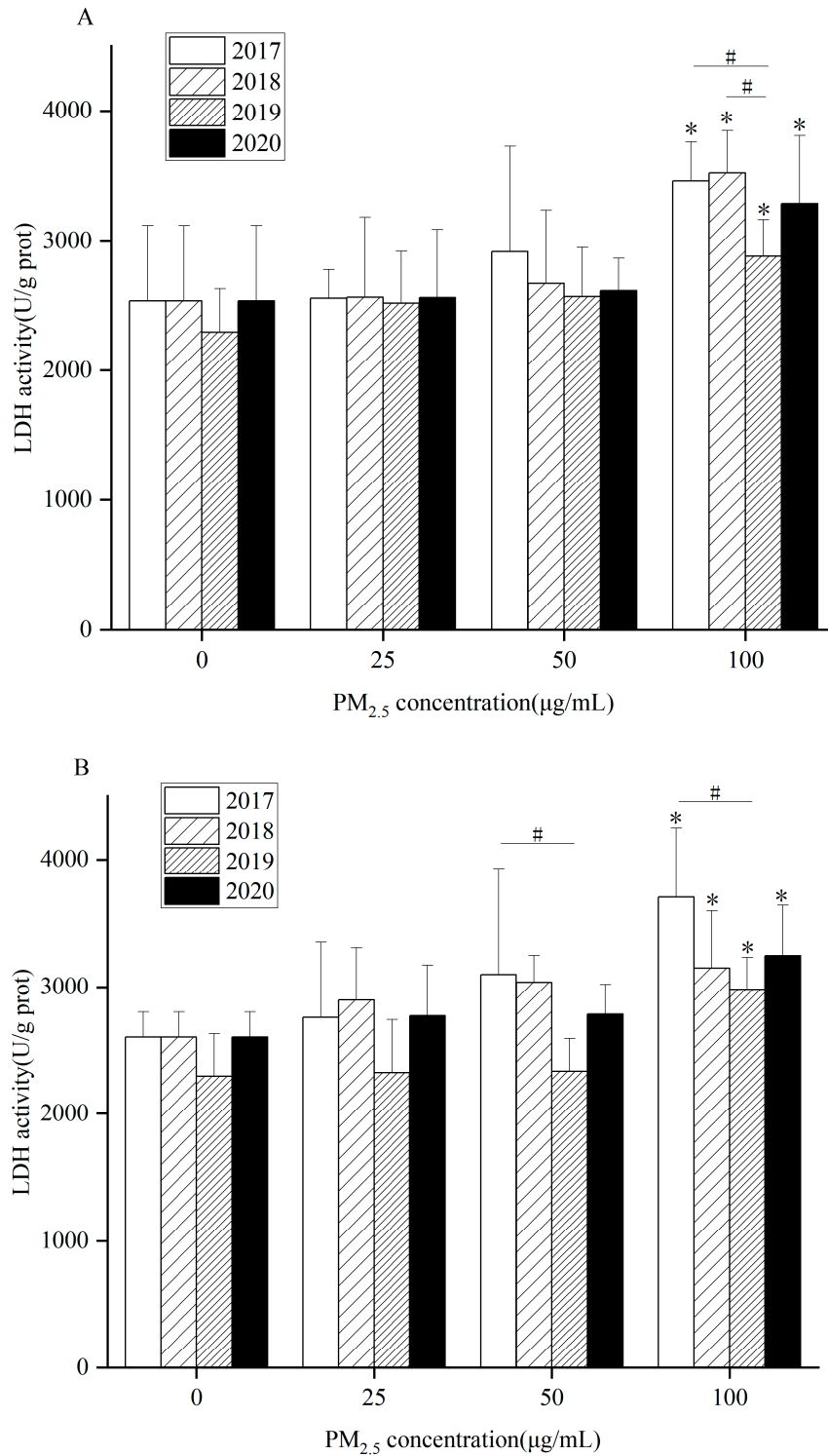
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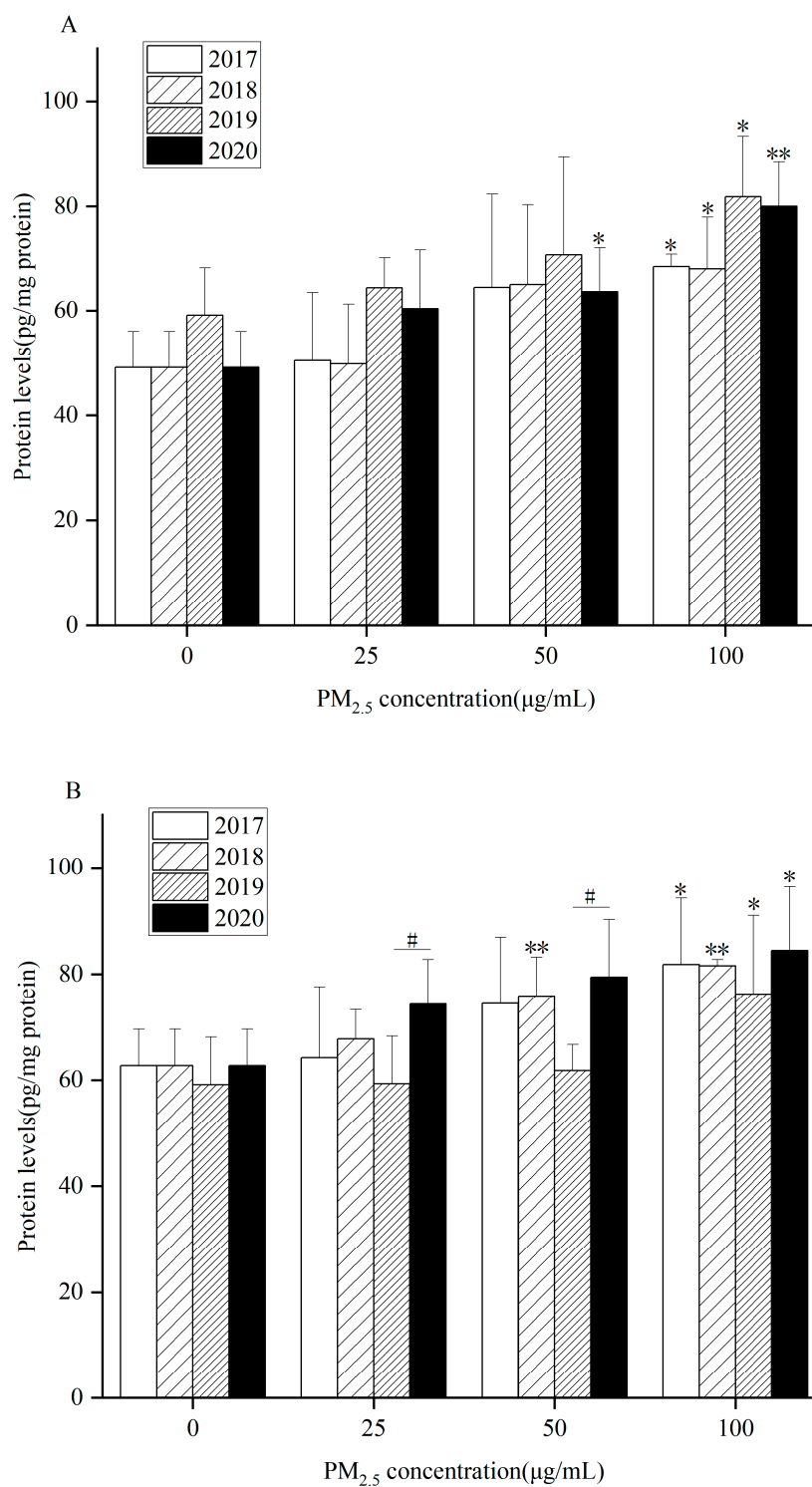


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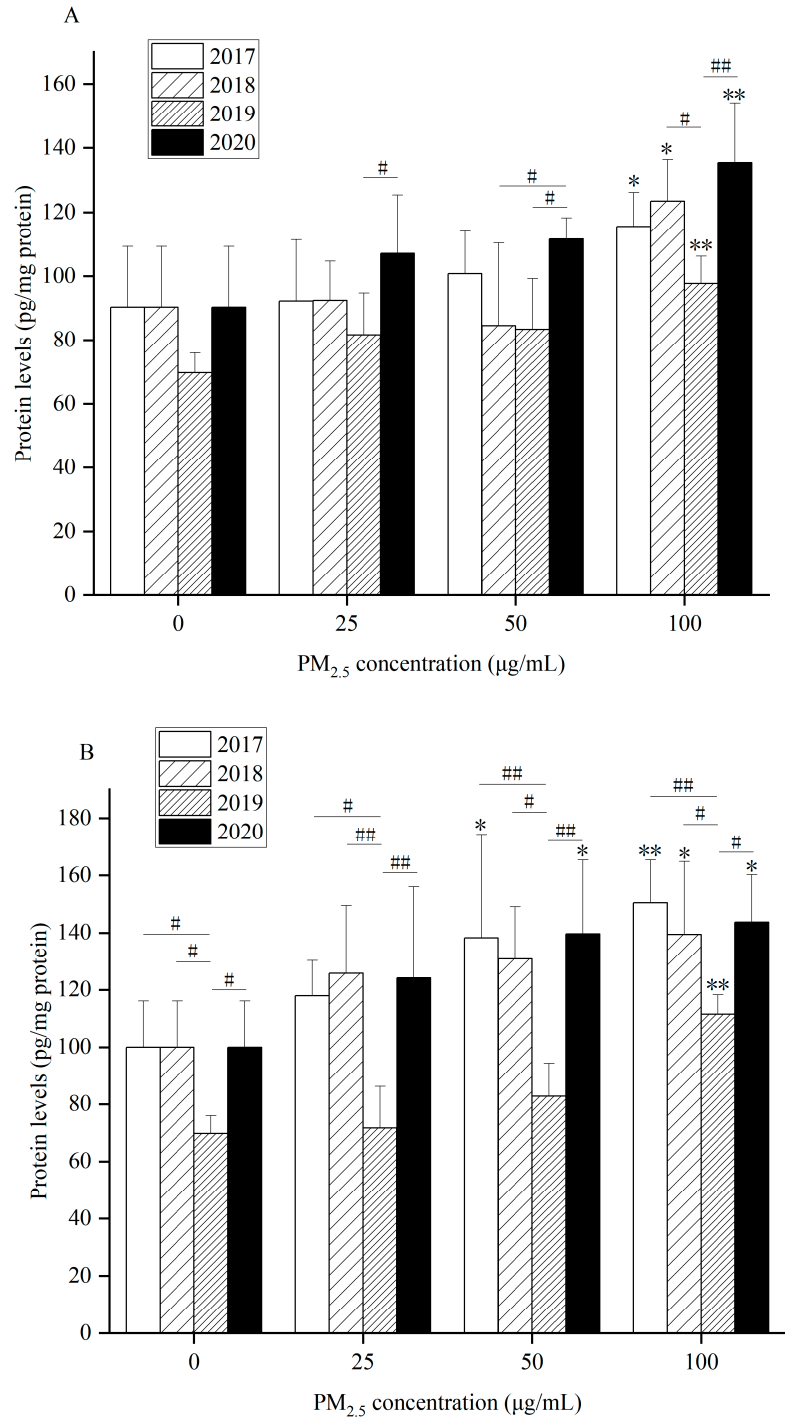




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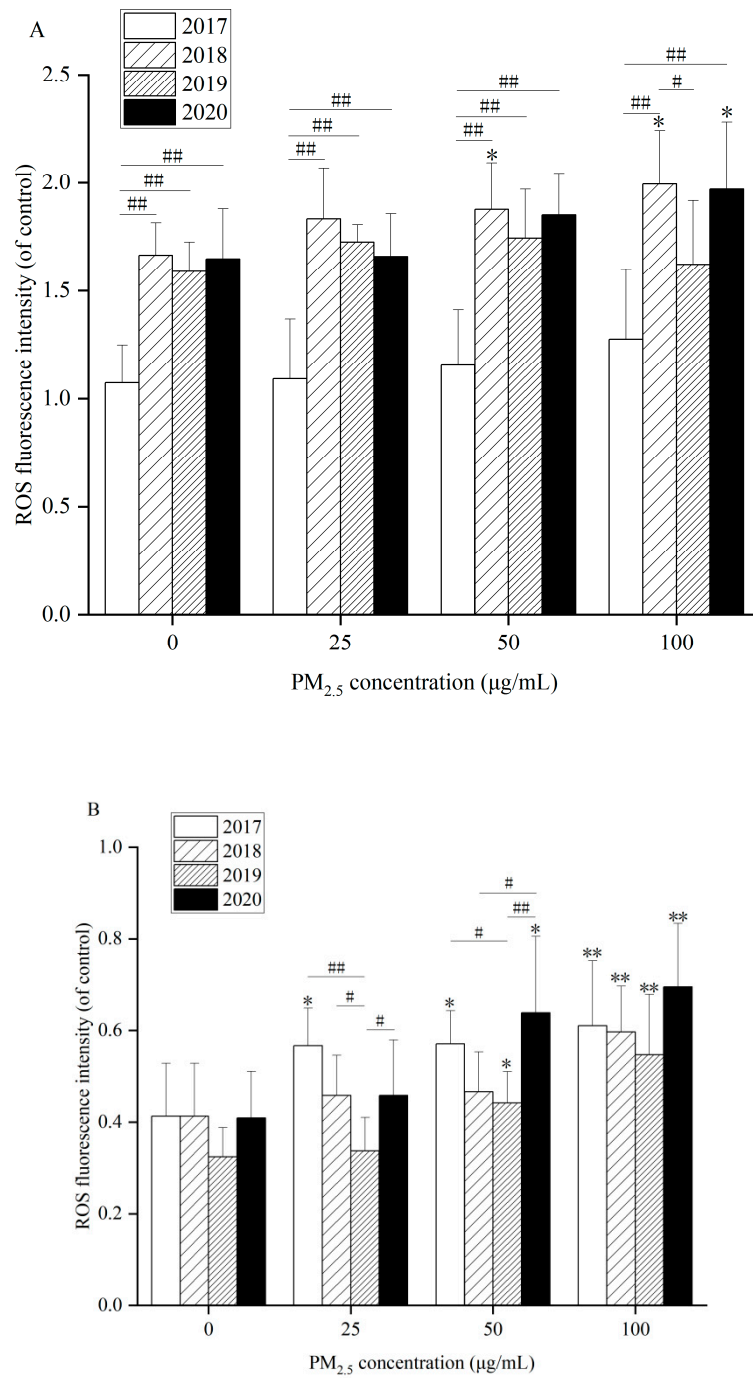
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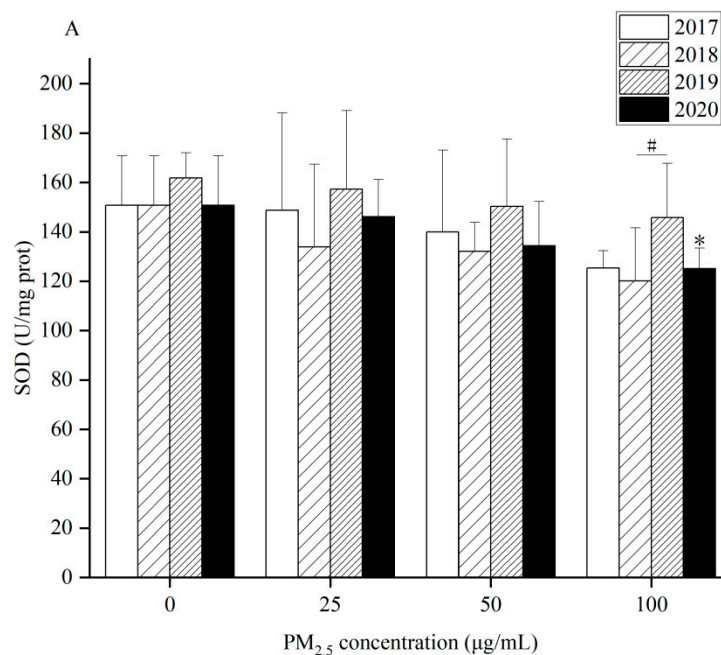
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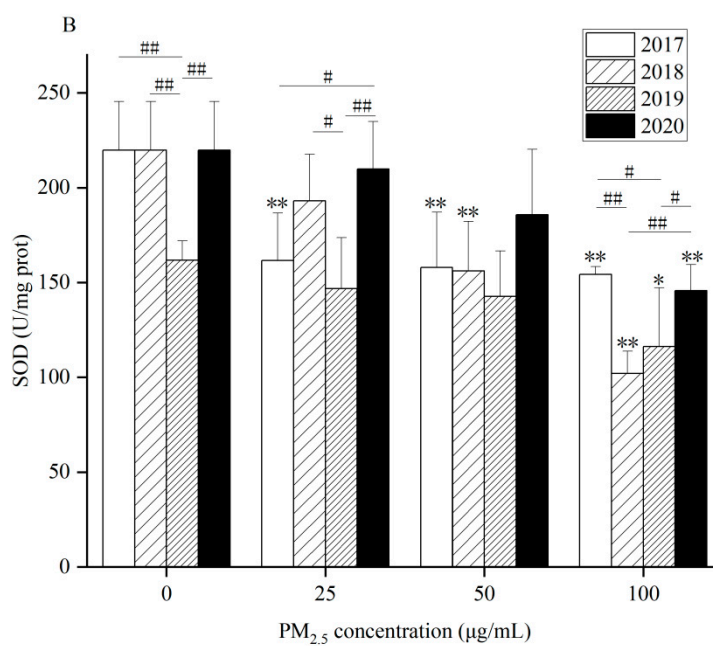
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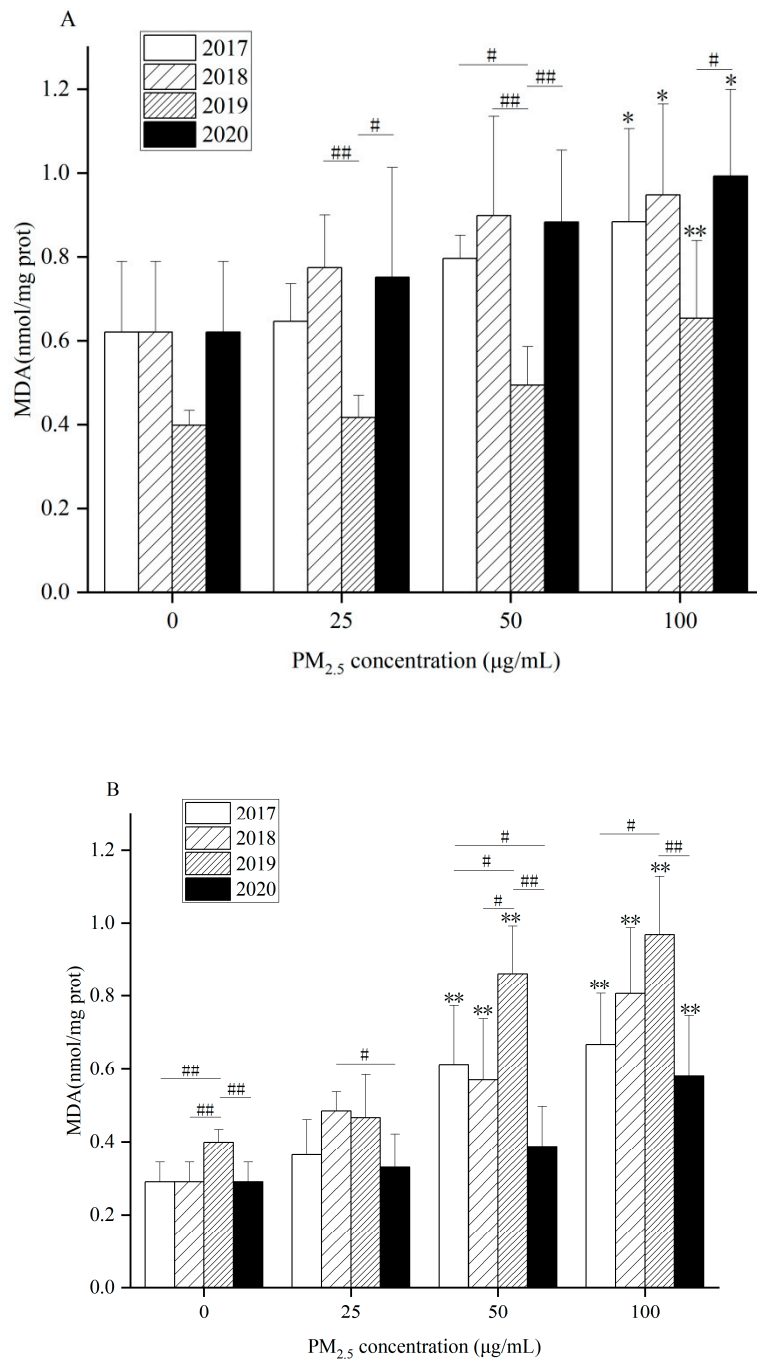
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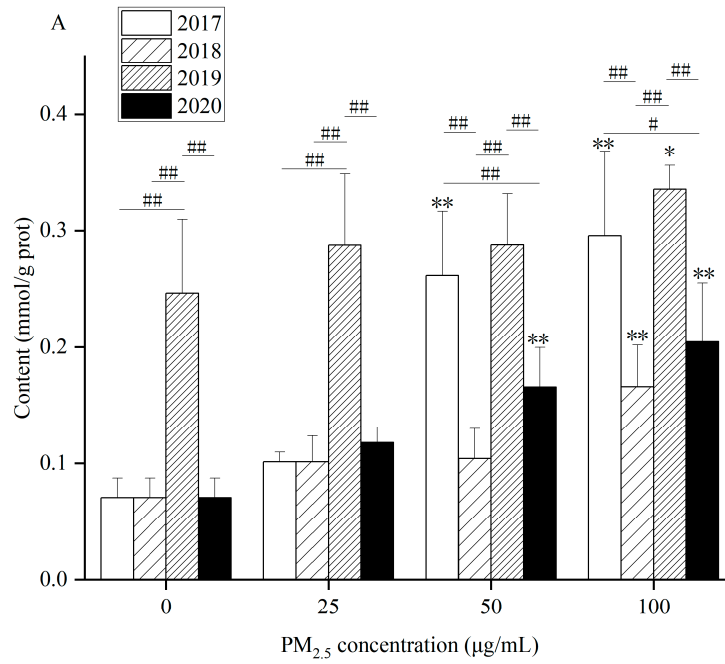
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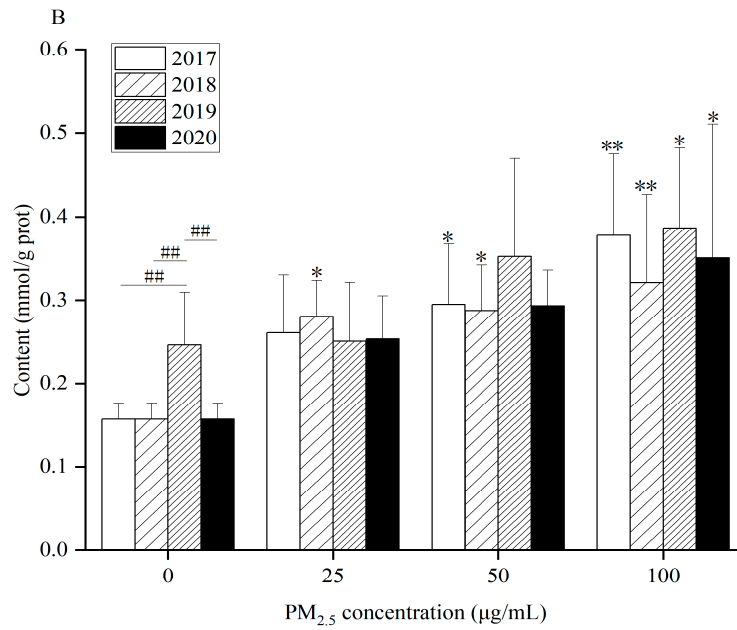
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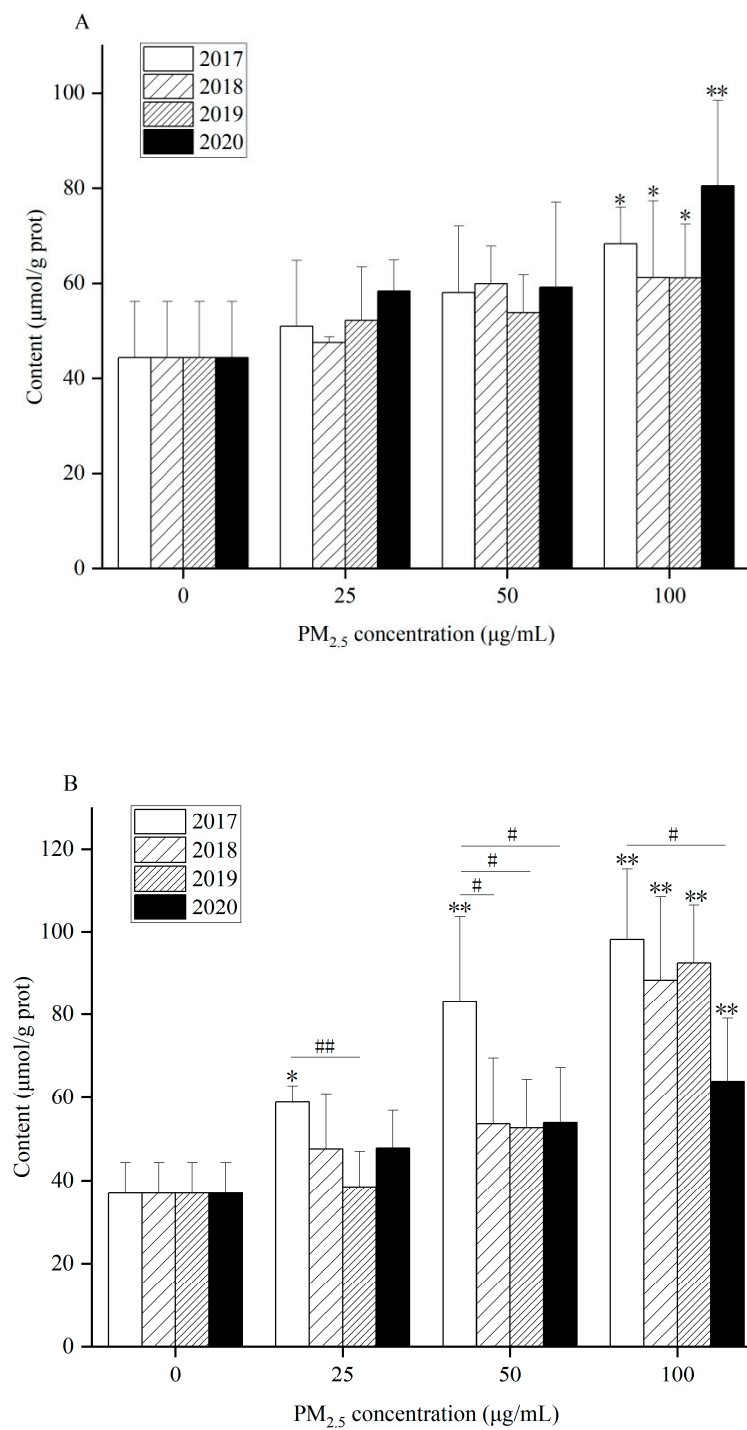


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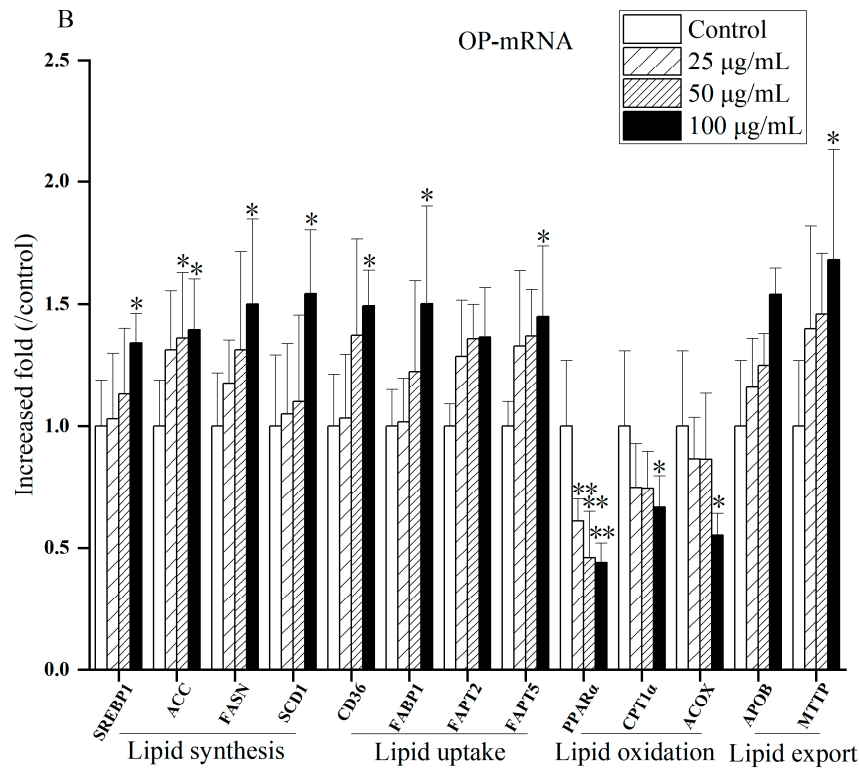
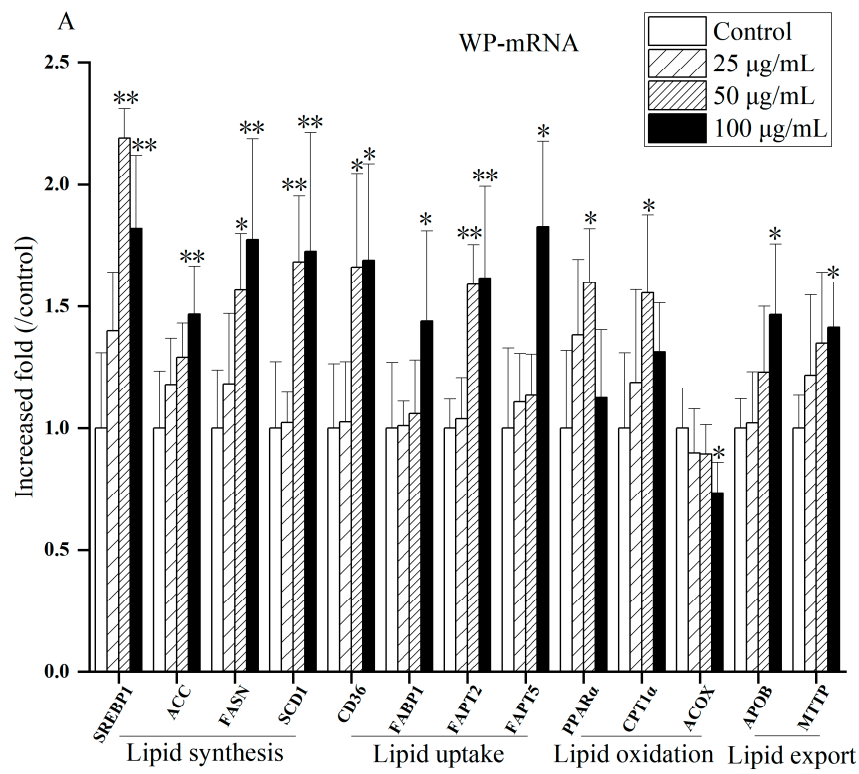


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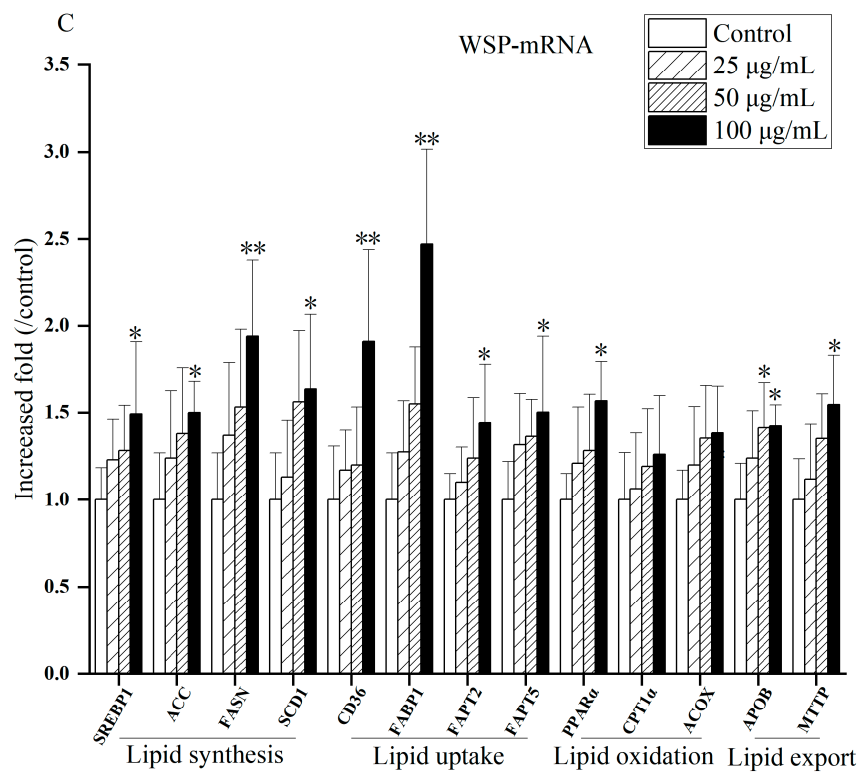
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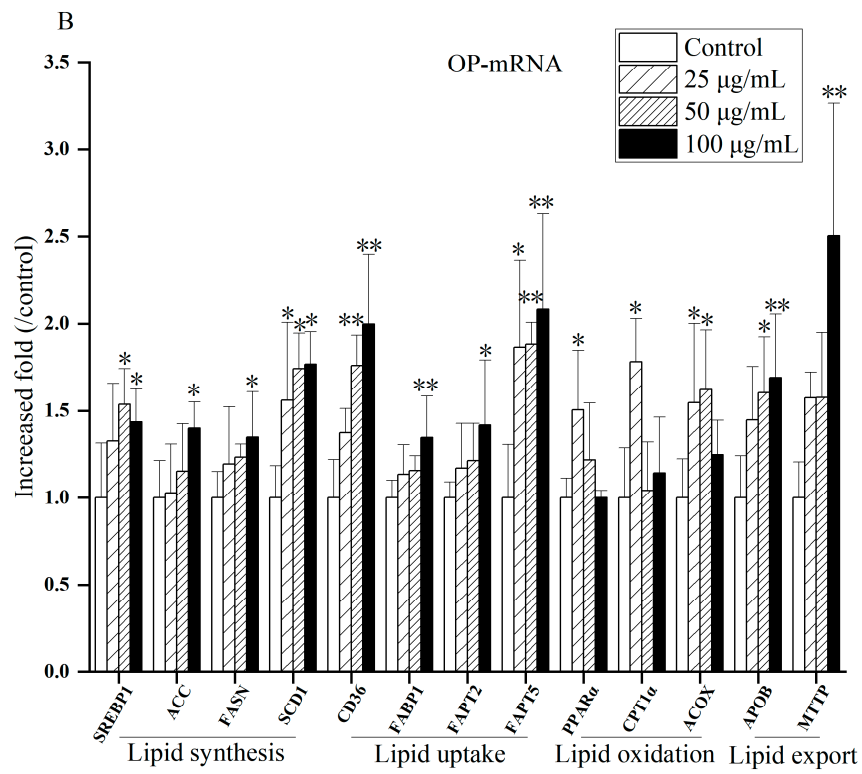
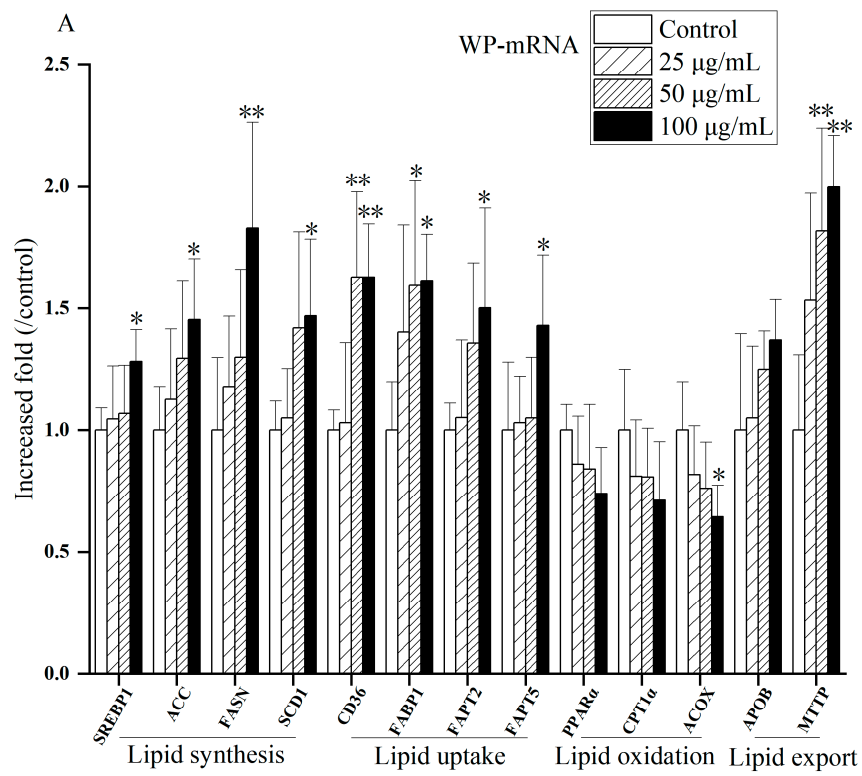


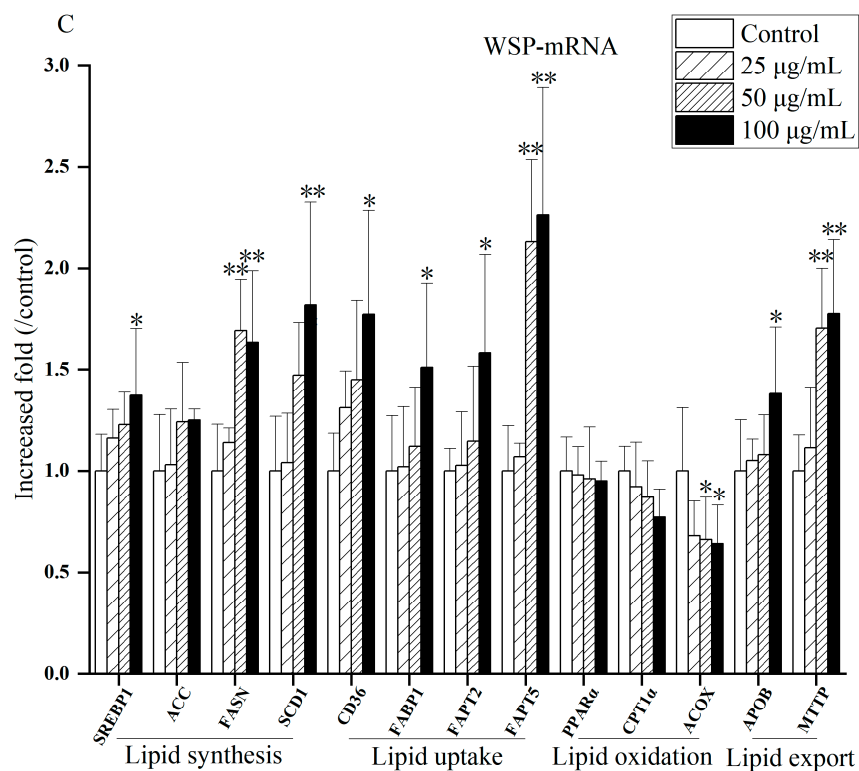


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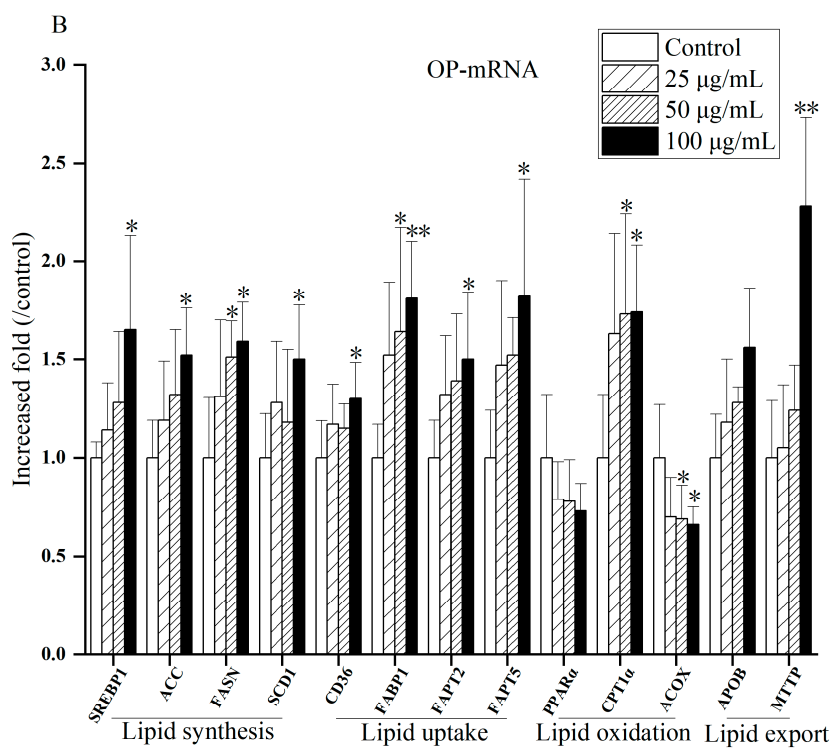
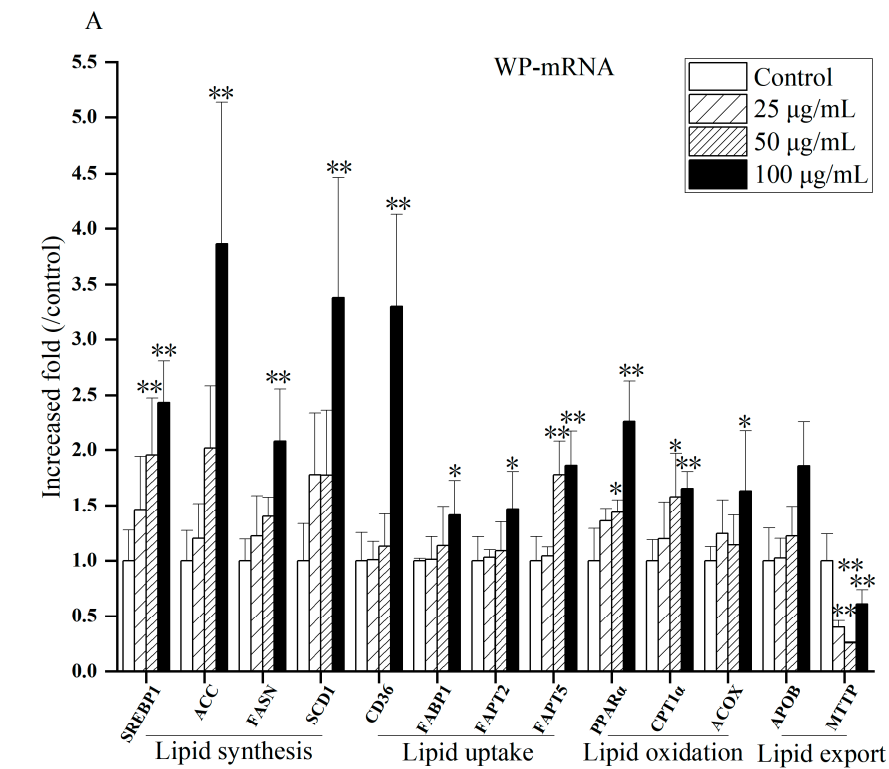


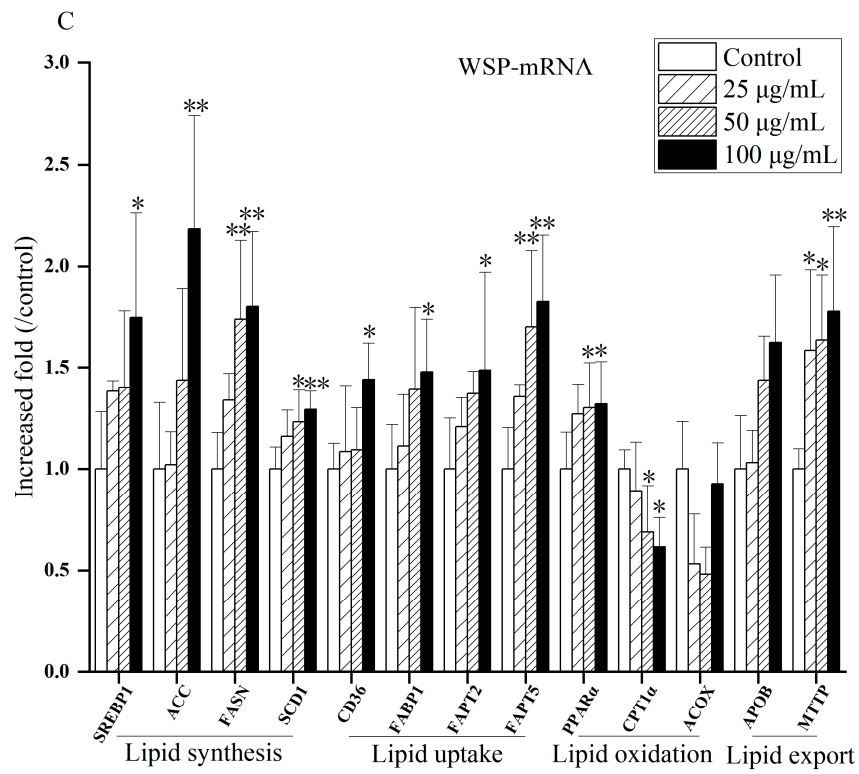


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