

Effect of repeated freeze-thaw cycles on NMR measured lipoproteins and metabolites in biofluids

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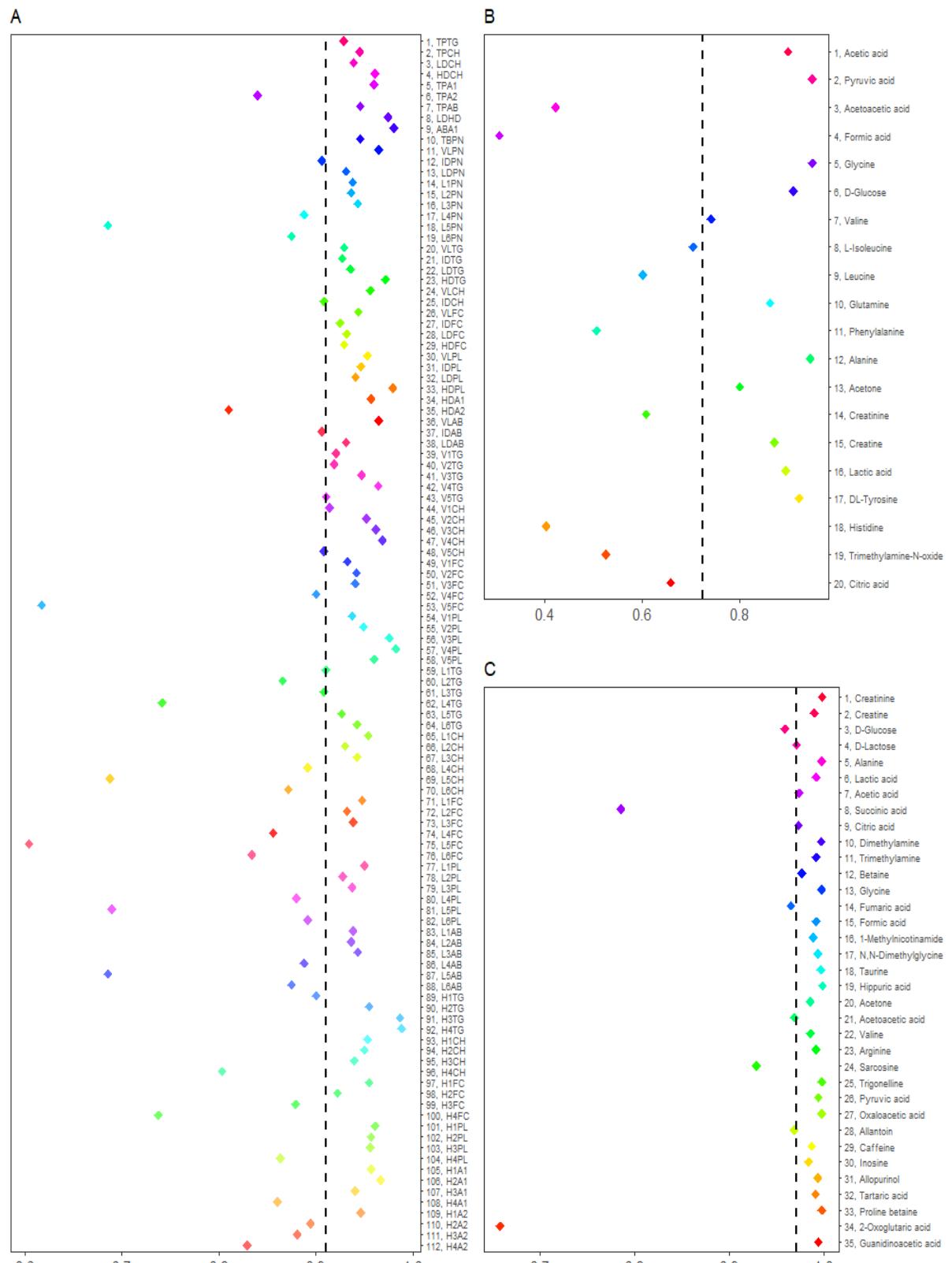


Figure S1. Intraclass correlation coefficients for lipoproteins (A), serum (B) and urine (C) metabolites. The dotted line represents the mean of ICCs across all lipoprotein parameters, all serum metabolites and all urine metabolites, respectively.

Table S1. List of measured lipoprotein parameters

| Number | Lipoprotein parameter | Matrix | Measured (or calculated) Analyte | Unit |
|--------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------|
| 1 | TPTG | Total Serum | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 2 | TPCH | Total Serum | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 3 | LDCH | LDL | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 4 | HDCH | HDL | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 5 | TPA1 | Total Serum | Apo-A1 | mg/dL |
| 6 | TPA2 | Total Serum | Apo-A2 | mg/dL |
| 7 | TPAB | Total Serum | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 8 | LDHD* | LDL/HDL | LDL-Chol/HDL-Chol | -/- |
| 9 | ABA1* | Apo-B/Apo-A1 | Apo-B/Apo-A1 | -/- |
| 10 | TBPN* | Total Serum | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 11 | VLPN* | VLDL | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 12 | IDPN* | IDL | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 13 | LDPN* | LDL | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 14 | L1PN* | LDL-1 | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 15 | L2PN* | LDL-2 | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 16 | L3PN* | LDL-3 | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 17 | L4PN* | LDL-4 | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 18 | L5PN* | LDL-5 | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 19 | L6PN* | LDL-6 | Particle Number | nmol/L |
| 20 | VLTG | VLDL | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 21 | IDTG | IDL | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 22 | LDTG | LDL | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 23 | HDTG | HDL | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 24 | VLCH | VLDL | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 25 | IDCH | IDL | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 26 | VLFC | VLDL | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 27 | IDFC | IDL | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 28 | LDFC | LDL | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 29 | HDFC | HDL | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 30 | VLPL | VLDL | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 31 | IDPL | IDL | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 32 | LDPL | LDL | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 33 | HDPL | HDL | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 34 | HDA1 | HDL | Apo-A1 | mg/dL |
| 35 | HDA2 | HDL | Apo-A2 | mg/dL |
| 36 | VLAB | VLDL | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 37 | IDAB | IDL | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 38 | LDAB | LDL | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 39 | V1TG | VLDL-1 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 40 | V2TG | VLDL-2 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 41 | V3TG | VLDL-3 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 42 | V4TG | VLDL-4 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 43 | V5TG | VLDL-5 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |

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|----|------|--------|------------------|-------|
| 44 | V1CH | VLDL-1 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 45 | V2CH | VLDL-2 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 46 | V3CH | VLDL-3 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 47 | V4CH | VLDL-4 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 48 | V5CH | VLDL-5 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 49 | V1FC | VLDL-1 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 50 | V2FC | VLDL-2 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 51 | V3FC | VLDL-3 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 52 | V4FC | VLDL-4 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 53 | V5FC | VLDL-5 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 54 | V1PL | VLDL-1 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 55 | V2PL | VLDL-2 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 56 | V3PL | VLDL-3 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 57 | V4PL | VLDL-4 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 58 | V5PL | VLDL-5 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 59 | L1TG | LDL-1 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 60 | L2TG | LDL-2 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 61 | L3TG | LDL-3 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 62 | L4TG | LDL-4 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 63 | L5TG | LDL-5 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 64 | L6TG | LDL-6 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 65 | L1CH | LDL-1 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 66 | L2CH | LDL-2 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 67 | L3CH | LDL-3 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 68 | L4CH | LDL-4 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 69 | L5CH | LDL-5 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 70 | L6CH | LDL-6 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 71 | L1FC | LDL-1 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 72 | L2FC | LDL-2 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 73 | L3FC | LDL-3 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 74 | L4FC | LDL-4 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 75 | L5FC | LDL-5 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 76 | L6FC | LDL-6 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 77 | L1PL | LDL-1 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 78 | L2PL | LDL-2 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 79 | L3PL | LDL-3 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 80 | L4PL | LDL-4 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 81 | L5PL | LDL-5 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 82 | L6PL | LDL-6 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 83 | L1AB | LDL-1 | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 84 | L2AB | LDL-2 | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 85 | L3AB | LDL-3 | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 86 | L4AB | LDL-4 | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 87 | L5AB | LDL-5 | Apo-B | mg/dL |
| 88 | L6AB | LDL-6 | Apo-B | mg/dL |

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|-----|------|-------|------------------|-------|
| 89 | H1TG | HDL-1 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 90 | H2TG | HDL-2 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 91 | H3TG | HDL-3 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 92 | H4TG | HDL-4 | Triglycerides | mg/dL |
| 93 | H1CH | HDL-1 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 94 | H2CH | HDL-2 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 95 | H3CH | HDL-3 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 96 | H4CH | HDL-4 | Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 97 | H1FC | HDL-1 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 98 | H2FC | HDL-2 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 99 | H3FC | HDL-3 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 100 | H4FC | HDL-4 | Free Cholesterol | mg/dL |
| 101 | H1PL | HDL-1 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 102 | H2PL | HDL-2 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 103 | H3PL | HDL-3 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 104 | H4PL | HDL-4 | Phospholipids | mg/dL |
| 105 | H1A1 | HDL-1 | Apo-A1 | mg/dL |
| 106 | H2A1 | HDL-2 | Apo-A1 | mg/dL |
| 107 | H3A1 | HDL-3 | Apo-A1 | mg/dL |
| 108 | H4A1 | HDL-4 | Apo-A1 | mg/dL |
| 109 | H1A2 | HDL-1 | Apo-A2 | mg/dL |
| 110 | H2A2 | HDL-2 | Apo-A2 | mg/dL |
| 111 | H3A2 | HDL-3 | Apo-A2 | mg/dL |
| 112 | H4A2 | HDL-4 | Apo-A2 | mg/dL |

Density ranges for lipoprotein main fractions: VLDL: 0.950-1.006 kg/L, IDL: 1.006-1.019 kg/L, LDL: 1.019-1.063 kg/L and HDL: 1.063-1.210 kg/L.

Density ranges for lipoprotein subfractions: LDL1: 1.019-1.031 kg/L, LDL2: 1.031-1.034 kg/L, LDL3: 1.034-1.037 kg/L, LDL4: 1.037-1.040 kg/L, LDL5: 1.040-1.044 kg/L, and LDL6: 1.044-1.063 kg/L. HDL1: 1.063-1.100 kg/L, HDL2: 1.100-1.112 kg/L, HDL3: 1.112-1.125 kg/L, and HDL4: 1.125-1.210 kg/L. Properties of VLDL subfractions are specified in the following reference: Lindgren FT, Jensen LL, Hatch FT (1972) The isolation and quantitative analysis of serum lipoproteins. In Nelson GJ (ed.) Blood lipids and lipoproteins: Quantitation, composition and metabolism. Wiley-Interscience, New York, p 181-274.

Numbers for lipoprotein parameters are corresponding to those used in **Figure 2**.

* : Calculated from the original ones.

Table S2. List of measured serum metabolites

| Quantified | Not quantifiable |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Acetic acid | Ethanol |
| Pyruvic acid | 3-Hydroxybutyric acid |
| Acetoacetic acid | Glycerol |
| Formic acid | Glutamic acid |
| Glycine | Ca-EDTA* |
| D-Glucose | |
| Valine | |
| L-Isoleucine | |
| Leucine | |
| Glutamine | |
| Phenylalanine | |
| Alanine | |
| Acetone | |
| Creatinine | |
| Creatine | |
| Lactic acid | |
| DL-Tyrosine | |
| Histidine | |
| Trimethylamine-N-oxide | |
| Citric acid | |
| K-EDTA* | |

*: Ca-EDTA and K-EDTA are not endogenous serum metabolites, and thus K-EDTA is not included as a quantified serum metabolite for further analysis.

Table S3. List of measured urine metabolites

| Quantified | Not quantifiable |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Creatinine | D-Galactose |
| D-Lactose | Myo-Inositol |
| Alanine | 3-Hydroxybutyric acid |
| Acetic acid | Methionine |
| Succinic acid | 1-Methylhistidine |
| Citric acid | Benzoic acid |
| Dimethylamine | 4-Aminobutyric acid |
| Trimethylamine | D-Mannitol |
| Betaine | D-Mannose |
| Glycine | Adenosine |
| Fumaric acid | Imidazole |
| Formic acid | D-Mandelic acid |
| 1-Methylnicotinamide | 2-Furoylglycine |
| N,N-Dimethylglycine | 2-Methylsuccinic acid |
| Hippuric acid | 1-Methyladenosine |
| Valine | |
| Arginine | |
| Trigonelline | |
| Pyruvic acid | |
| Oxaloacetic acid | |
| Allantoin | |
| Caffeine | |
| Inosine | |
| Allopurinol | |
| Tartaric acid | |
| Proline betaine | |
| Guanidinoacetic acid | |
| D-Glucose | |
| Lactic acid | |
| Taurine | |
| Acetone | |
| Acetoacetic acid | |
| Creatine | |
| Sarcosine | |
| 2-Oxoglutaric acid | |

Table S4. Effects of FTCs on lipoprotein parameter concentrations

| Lipoprotein parameters | Consecutive FTCs | | | | | | | | Compared to FTC1 | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Adjusted p-values of Wilcox tests | | | | Median percentage change* | | | | Adjusted p-values of Wilcox tests | | | | Median percentage change* | | | |
| | FTC1-2 | FTC2-3 | FTC3-4 | FTC4-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC2-3 | FTC3-4 | FTC4-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC1-3 | FTC1-4 | FTC1-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC1-3 | FTC1-4 | FTC1-5 |
| TPTG [mg/dL] | 0,731 | 0,324 | 0,440 | 0,955 | 0,42 | -0,73 | 0,57 | -0,15 | 0,731 | 0,364 | 0,583 | 0,792 | 0,42 | -0,28 | 0,06 | 0,04 |
| TPCH [mg/dL] | 0,977 | 0,311 | 0,291 | 0,955 | 0,83 | -0,41 | 1,13 | -0,28 | 0,977 | 0,435 | 0,871 | 0,878 | 0,83 | -0,56 | -0,33 | 0,41 |
| LDCH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,230 | 0,617 | 0,990 | -0,84 | -1,12 | -0,24 | -0,77 | 0,093 | 0,014 | 0,003 | 0,029 | -0,84 | -3,31 | -5,48 | -3,38 |
| HDCH [mg/dL] | 0,896 | 0,311 | 0,357 | 0,990 | -0,42 | -0,64 | 1,51 | -0,28 | 0,896 | 0,132 | 0,485 | 0,633 | -0,42 | -1,34 | -0,51 | -0,22 |
| TPA1 [mg/dL] | 0,896 | 0,311 | 0,303 | 0,955 | -0,44 | -0,72 | 0,78 | -0,14 | 0,896 | 0,382 | 0,721 | 0,832 | -0,44 | -0,87 | -0,54 | 0,36 |
| TPA2 [mg/dL] | 0,541 | 0,820 | 0,202 | 0,955 | -1,40 | 0,21 | 2,28 | -1,00 | 0,541 | 0,364 | 0,796 | 0,863 | -1,40 | -1,16 | -0,86 | 0,84 |
| TPAB [mg/dL] | 0,533 | 0,747 | 0,634 | 0,955 | -0,29 | -0,67 | 0,42 | -0,50 | 0,533 | 0,143 | 0,174 | 0,189 | -0,29 | -1,57 | -1,68 | -1,76 |
| LDHD [-/-] | 0,134 | 0,311 | 0,065 | 0,955 | -1,35 | -0,86 | -1,69 | -0,17 | 0,134 | 0,081 | 0,004 | 0,086 | -1,35 | -1,97 | -3,35 | -3,34 |
| ABA1 [-/-] | 0,167 | 0,747 | 0,185 | 0,955 | 0,00 | 0,00 | -0,78 | 0,00 | 0,167 | 0,276 | 0,016 | 0,088 | 0,00 | 0,00 | -1,58 | -1,44 |
| TBPN [nmol/L] | 0,533 | 0,747 | 0,634 | 0,955 | -0,29 | -0,67 | 0,42 | -0,51 | 0,533 | 0,143 | 0,174 | 0,176 | -0,29 | -1,56 | -1,68 | -1,76 |
| VLPN [nmol/L] | 0,237 | 0,132 | 0,071 | 0,662 | 1,44 | 1,59 | 1,62 | 1,19 | 0,237 | 0,015 | 0,004 | 0,022 | 1,44 | 2,35 | 4,32 | 4,43 |
| IDPN [nmol/L] | 0,177 | 0,983 | 0,071 | 0,662 | 5,53 | 1,21 | 8,20 | 5,96 | 0,177 | 0,112 | 0,004 | 0,010 | 5,53 | 6,11 | 11,44 | 15,69 |
| LDPN [nmol/L] | 0,345 | 0,740 | 0,905 | 0,955 | -0,64 | -0,62 | 0,45 | -1,20 | 0,345 | 0,072 | 0,066 | 0,176 | -0,64 | -2,20 | -2,69 | -2,50 |
| L1PN [nmol/L] | 0,093 | 1,000 | 0,308 | 0,955 | 4,17 | 0,01 | 1,11 | 0,83 | 0,093 | 0,013 | 0,001 | 0,009 | 4,17 | 4,32 | 5,47 | 7,84 |
| L2PN [nmol/L] | 0,533 | 0,827 | 0,431 | 0,955 | 1,75 | -1,34 | -0,96 | 3,81 | 0,533 | 0,933 | 0,779 | 0,832 | 1,75 | -0,75 | -1,01 | 0,84 |
| L3PN [nmol/L] | 0,942 | 0,132 | 0,585 | 0,955 | -0,15 | -2,18 | -2,44 | 0,68 | 0,942 | 0,686 | 0,382 | 0,751 | -0,15 | -0,06 | -0,72 | 0,72 |
| L4PN [nmol/L] | 0,093 | 0,132 | 0,774 | 0,955 | -8,57 | -4,82 | -1,76 | -2,62 | 0,093 | 0,013 | 0,004 | 0,129 | -8,57 | -8,68 | -12,27 | -6,62 |
| L5PN [nmol/L] | 0,093 | 0,820 | 0,717 | 0,955 | -10,30 | -1,59 | -0,29 | -4,31 | 0,093 | 0,014 | 0,003 | 0,053 | -10,30 | -8,91 | -14,58 | -16,12 |
| L6PN [nmol/L] | 0,345 | 0,747 | 0,569 | 0,955 | -4,07 | 1,13 | 4,77 | 0,84 | 0,345 | 0,288 | 0,445 | 0,194 | -4,07 | -4,70 | -4,93 | -9,82 |
| VLTG [mg/dL] | 0,499 | 0,311 | 0,717 | 0,955 | -0,95 | -1,73 | 1,16 | -1,51 | 0,499 | 0,012 | 0,006 | 0,043 | -0,95 | -3,75 | -3,36 | -5,36 |
| IDTG [mg/dL] | 0,134 | 0,196 | 0,617 | 0,955 | -1,50 | -7,63 | -0,61 | -3,22 | 0,134 | 0,014 | 0,004 | 0,016 | -1,50 | -7,64 | -8,54 | -12,76 |
| LDTG [mg/dL] | 0,535 | 0,700 | 0,963 | 0,990 | 0,60 | -0,52 | -0,07 | -0,11 | 0,535 | 0,967 | 0,792 | 0,747 | 0,60 | -0,41 | 0,50 | 2,98 |
| HDTG [mg/dL] | 0,533 | 0,867 | 0,869 | 0,955 | 0,47 | 0,61 | 0,61 | -0,21 | 0,533 | 0,364 | 0,583 | 0,378 | 0,47 | 0,52 | 2,64 | 2,03 |

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|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| VLCH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,700 | 0,015 | 0,662 | 6,93 | 0,66 | 3,91 | 3,29 | 0,093 | 0,017 | 0,003 | 0,020 | 6,93 | 8,79 | 11,96 | 17,94 |
| IDCH [mg/dL] | 0,285 | 0,912 | 0,119 | 0,922 | 6,02 | 0,00 | 12,29 | 4,16 | 0,285 | 0,214 | 0,015 | 0,009 | 6,02 | 7,67 | 18,83 | 20,49 |
| VLFC [mg/dL] | 0,438 | 0,955 | 0,015 | 0,662 | 1,78 | -0,25 | 2,93 | 1,28 | 0,438 | 0,522 | 0,090 | 0,129 | 1,78 | 2,65 | 5,56 | 6,78 |
| IDFC [mg/dL] | 0,134 | 0,834 | 0,185 | 0,943 | 7,94 | 0,00 | 8,69 | 5,38 | 0,134 | 0,107 | 0,009 | 0,011 | 7,94 | 4,80 | 14,52 | 21,77 |
| LDFC [mg/dL] | 0,345 | 0,176 | 0,951 | 0,955 | -1,16 | -1,92 | -0,76 | -0,31 | 0,345 | 0,045 | 0,014 | 0,230 | -1,16 | -2,17 | -2,82 | -2,41 |
| HDFC [mg/dL] | 0,787 | 0,311 | 0,303 | 0,990 | 1,67 | -2,50 | 2,23 | -0,53 | 0,787 | 0,329 | 0,505 | 0,832 | 1,67 | -0,53 | -0,81 | 1,07 |
| VLPL [mg/dL] | 1,000 | 0,584 | 0,273 | 0,955 | 0,21 | -0,81 | 1,94 | 1,08 | 1,000 | 0,364 | 0,894 | 0,863 | 0,21 | -1,26 | 1,75 | 0,46 |
| IDPL [mg/dL] | 0,859 | 0,132 | 0,440 | 0,955 | 0,05 | -3,61 | 2,09 | -1,83 | 0,859 | 0,045 | 0,164 | 0,218 | 0,05 | -5,72 | -3,22 | -2,98 |
| LDPL [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,132 | 0,590 | 0,990 | -0,86 | -0,93 | -0,62 | -0,95 | 0,093 | 0,012 | 0,004 | 0,021 | -0,86 | -3,23 | -3,89 | -2,49 |
| HDPL [mg/dL] | 0,448 | 0,311 | 0,313 | 0,955 | 0,82 | -0,96 | 0,90 | 0,03 | 0,448 | 0,655 | 0,295 | 0,194 | 0,82 | -0,32 | 1,05 | 0,75 |
| HDA1 [mg/dL] | 0,723 | 0,311 | 0,440 | 0,955 | -0,29 | -0,81 | 0,62 | -0,32 | 0,723 | 0,153 | 0,404 | 0,856 | -0,29 | -1,42 | -1,12 | -0,04 |
| HDA2 [mg/dL] | 0,535 | 0,747 | 0,185 | 0,955 | -1,17 | 0,35 | 2,20 | -1,21 | 0,535 | 0,435 | 0,908 | 0,832 | -1,17 | -1,07 | -1,15 | 0,58 |
| VLAB [mg/dL] | 0,237 | 0,132 | 0,071 | 0,662 | 1,41 | 1,64 | 1,61 | 1,22 | 0,237 | 0,018 | 0,005 | 0,025 | 1,41 | 2,38 | 4,30 | 4,32 |
| IDAB [mg/dL] | 0,170 | 0,983 | 0,082 | 0,662 | 5,92 | 0,95 | 8,29 | 5,89 | 0,170 | 0,112 | 0,006 | 0,011 | 5,92 | 5,98 | 11,36 | 15,58 |
| LDAB [mg/dL] | 0,345 | 0,740 | 0,905 | 0,955 | -0,64 | -0,63 | 0,45 | -1,20 | 0,345 | 0,072 | 0,066 | 0,176 | -0,64 | -2,21 | -2,69 | -2,50 |
| V1TG [mg/dL] | 0,137 | 0,311 | 0,905 | 0,776 | -5,27 | -3,59 | -2,37 | -3,92 | 0,137 | 0,001 | 0,015 | 0,000 | -5,27 | -7,30 | -9,52 | -11,39 |
| V2TG [mg/dL] | 0,535 | 0,324 | 0,590 | 0,933 | -0,82 | -4,13 | -1,60 | -2,79 | 0,535 | 0,252 | 0,145 | 0,176 | -0,82 | -1,80 | -4,13 | -4,50 |
| V3TG [mg/dL] | 0,631 | 0,834 | 0,964 | 0,955 | 2,03 | -1,13 | 0,59 | -0,75 | 0,631 | 0,999 | 1,000 | 0,863 | 2,03 | 2,41 | 1,40 | 4,57 |
| V4TG [mg/dL] | 0,476 | 0,761 | 0,617 | 0,955 | 1,96 | -0,96 | 0,15 | 0,81 | 0,476 | 0,859 | 0,340 | 0,529 | 1,96 | 1,48 | 2,13 | 3,18 |
| V5TG [mg/dL] | 0,531 | 0,985 | 0,452 | 0,955 | 2,56 | -0,12 | 0,58 | -0,40 | 0,531 | 0,872 | 0,617 | 0,318 | 2,56 | 0,60 | 0,77 | 2,56 |
| V1CH [mg/dL] | 0,161 | 0,615 | 0,003 | 0,922 | 2,96 | 1,09 | 4,08 | 3,09 | 0,161 | 0,069 | 0,010 | 0,075 | 2,96 | 5,55 | 13,56 | 12,77 |
| V2CH [mg/dL] | 0,170 | 0,747 | 0,065 | 0,955 | 12,92 | 2,20 | 8,62 | 3,59 | 0,170 | 0,097 | 0,014 | 0,061 | 12,92 | 12,22 | 23,47 | 23,53 |
| V3CH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,747 | 0,071 | 0,955 | 9,70 | 0,00 | 3,20 | 0,91 | 0,093 | 0,015 | 0,006 | 0,055 | 9,70 | 7,84 | 20,73 | 24,93 |
| V4CH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,840 | 0,031 | 0,662 | 4,18 | 0,18 | 6,88 | 4,96 | 0,093 | 0,013 | 0,003 | 0,009 | 4,18 | 6,70 | 14,01 | 21,52 |
| V5CH [mg/dL] | 0,610 | 0,740 | 0,523 | 0,955 | 1,88 | 0,84 | -2,03 | -0,04 | 0,610 | 0,132 | 0,560 | 0,387 | 1,88 | 2,16 | 2,08 | 3,48 |
| V1FC [mg/dL] | 0,631 | 0,179 | 0,653 | 0,955 | -0,22 | -4,53 | 0,00 | -0,55 | 0,631 | 0,053 | 0,066 | 0,025 | -0,22 | -4,26 | -1,64 | -2,91 |
| V2FC [mg/dL] | 0,134 | 0,311 | 0,062 | 0,662 | 7,00 | 5,23 | 5,64 | 5,32 | 0,134 | 0,030 | 0,006 | 0,033 | 7,00 | 17,81 | 30,83 | 32,02 |
| V3FC [mg/dL] | 0,120 | 0,311 | 0,038 | 0,662 | 8,11 | 0,58 | 3,55 | 1,79 | 0,120 | 0,013 | 0,004 | 0,025 | 8,11 | 10,10 | 19,73 | 25,24 |

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|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| V4FC [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,700 | 0,065 | 0,706 | 9,00 | 0,00 | 8,90 | 4,01 | 0,093 | 0,028 | 0,004 | 0,009 | 9,00 | 12,09 | 24,93 | 39,05 |
| V5FC [mg/dL] | 0,304 | 0,176 | 0,105 | 0,706 | 2,85 | 7,45 | 10,04 | 7,06 | 0,304 | 0,090 | 0,015 | 0,011 | 2,85 | 6,50 | 22,28 | 24,74 |
| V1PL [mg/dL] | 0,237 | 0,345 | 0,634 | 0,662 | -3,35 | -4,27 | -2,44 | -4,43 | 0,237 | 0,042 | 0,014 | 0,009 | -3,35 | -4,02 | -6,80 | -13,71 |
| V2PL [mg/dL] | 1,000 | 0,420 | 0,894 | 0,662 | 2,19 | -2,64 | -0,44 | -2,75 | 1,000 | 0,591 | 0,779 | 0,523 | 2,19 | -0,77 | -0,22 | 1,57 |
| V3PL [mg/dL] | 0,112 | 1,000 | 0,273 | 0,955 | 3,84 | 0,00 | 2,54 | -0,15 | 0,112 | 0,110 | 0,008 | 0,043 | 3,84 | 3,30 | 6,80 | 6,04 |
| V4PL [mg/dL] | 0,162 | 0,820 | 0,071 | 0,922 | 3,45 | -1,25 | 1,93 | 3,29 | 0,162 | 0,112 | 0,013 | 0,056 | 3,45 | 3,77 | 5,51 | 7,16 |
| V5PL [mg/dL] | 0,295 | 0,596 | 0,734 | 0,969 | 1,76 | 0,79 | -0,86 | 0,00 | 0,295 | 0,070 | 0,066 | 0,102 | 1,76 | 1,67 | 3,70 | 1,64 |
| L1TG [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,615 | 0,617 | 0,955 | 3,62 | 1,16 | -0,32 | 1,31 | 0,093 | 0,013 | 0,004 | 0,017 | 3,62 | 3,92 | 5,60 | 7,69 |
| L2TG [mg/dL] | 0,120 | 0,910 | 0,979 | 0,955 | 7,14 | 0,65 | -1,46 | 0,00 | 0,120 | 0,108 | 0,019 | 0,078 | 7,14 | 3,00 | 4,76 | 9,38 |
| L3TG [mg/dL] | 0,170 | 0,311 | 0,717 | 0,955 | -0,52 | -0,56 | 0,00 | -0,78 | 0,170 | 0,030 | 0,009 | 0,041 | -0,52 | -1,41 | -1,45 | -1,91 |
| L4TG [mg/dL] | 0,457 | 0,492 | 0,685 | 0,990 | -5,08 | -3,44 | -1,25 | -4,50 | 0,457 | 0,112 | 0,066 | 0,482 | -5,08 | -7,15 | -12,58 | -4,66 |
| L5TG [mg/dL] | 0,735 | 0,747 | 0,774 | 0,955 | 5,33 | -3,38 | 0,00 | -0,39 | 0,735 | 0,706 | 0,478 | 0,789 | 5,33 | 0,00 | 0,00 | 1,21 |
| L6TG [mg/dL] | 0,345 | 0,834 | 0,774 | 0,955 | -2,23 | 0,28 | 0,72 | -1,91 | 0,345 | 0,252 | 0,340 | 0,088 | -2,23 | -3,73 | -3,09 | -7,14 |
| L1CH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,910 | 0,291 | 0,955 | 4,86 | -0,82 | 1,78 | 1,06 | 0,093 | 0,018 | 0,001 | 0,011 | 4,86 | 4,97 | 5,77 | 7,15 |
| L2CH [mg/dL] | 0,535 | 0,634 | 0,357 | 0,955 | 1,21 | -1,70 | -0,90 | 2,92 | 0,535 | 0,933 | 0,634 | 0,878 | 1,21 | -0,60 | -1,33 | 0,18 |
| L3CH [mg/dL] | 0,956 | 0,132 | 0,542 | 0,955 | -0,69 | -2,13 | -1,84 | 0,45 | 0,956 | 0,476 | 0,164 | 0,218 | -0,69 | -1,59 | -1,95 | -2,14 |
| L4CH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,132 | 0,532 | 0,955 | -10,15 | -4,97 | -0,52 | -2,60 | 0,093 | 0,011 | 0,004 | 0,053 | -10,15 | -9,88 | -12,88 | -10,87 |
| L5CH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,747 | 0,634 | 0,955 | -12,07 | -0,84 | -4,81 | -3,13 | 0,093 | 0,012 | 0,001 | 0,053 | -12,07 | -11,32 | -15,10 | -17,90 |
| L6CH [mg/dL] | 0,295 | 0,906 | 0,590 | 0,955 | -5,89 | 1,17 | 6,38 | 0,56 | 0,295 | 0,131 | 0,346 | 0,124 | -5,89 | -5,40 | -7,18 | -11,30 |
| L1FC [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,834 | 0,403 | 0,955 | 4,79 | -0,70 | 2,03 | 1,25 | 0,093 | 0,017 | 0,004 | 0,011 | 4,79 | 3,79 | 6,52 | 8,47 |
| L2FC [mg/dL] | 0,631 | 0,584 | 0,928 | 0,955 | 0,42 | -1,69 | 0,15 | 0,45 | 0,631 | 0,469 | 0,511 | 0,751 | 0,42 | -1,78 | -0,71 | 1,69 |
| L3FC [mg/dL] | 0,731 | 0,311 | 0,979 | 0,955 | -0,60 | -2,80 | 0,28 | 0,90 | 0,731 | 0,159 | 0,064 | 0,474 | -0,60 | -2,77 | -3,33 | -1,41 |
| L4FC [mg/dL] | 0,112 | 0,311 | 0,590 | 0,955 | -5,89 | -3,75 | -2,29 | -2,83 | 0,112 | 0,013 | 0,004 | 0,093 | -5,89 | -6,19 | -10,49 | -9,32 |
| L5FC [mg/dL] | 0,126 | 0,752 | 0,738 | 0,955 | -6,69 | -1,73 | 2,21 | -3,33 | 0,126 | 0,017 | 0,009 | 0,090 | -6,69 | -7,66 | -10,82 | -14,83 |
| L6FC [mg/dL] | 0,285 | 0,521 | 0,590 | 0,955 | -7,60 | -2,93 | -2,72 | -2,84 | 0,285 | 0,014 | 0,009 | 0,053 | -7,60 | -6,14 | -9,09 | -10,72 |
| L1PL [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,958 | 0,303 | 0,955 | 4,01 | -0,24 | 1,06 | 0,75 | 0,093 | 0,036 | 0,001 | 0,020 | 4,01 | 4,52 | 5,34 | 6,33 |
| L2PL [mg/dL] | 0,535 | 0,615 | 0,373 | 0,955 | 1,90 | -1,34 | -0,90 | 2,84 | 0,535 | 1,000 | 0,721 | 1,000 | 1,90 | -0,32 | -0,77 | 0,88 |
| L3PL [mg/dL] | 0,956 | 0,132 | 0,494 | 0,955 | -0,52 | -1,96 | -1,98 | 0,39 | 0,956 | 0,602 | 0,346 | 0,308 | -0,52 | -0,72 | -1,32 | -0,18 |

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|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| L4PL [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,132 | 0,483 | 0,955 | -9,57 | -3,53 | -1,75 | -2,45 | 0,093 | 0,003 | 0,002 | 0,049 | -9,57 | -10,72 | -12,35 | -14,88 |
| L5PL [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,747 | 0,590 | 0,955 | -8,96 | -1,32 | -0,23 | -2,78 | 0,093 | 0,011 | 0,001 | 0,053 | -8,96 | -8,98 | -15,28 | -14,67 |
| L6PL [mg/dL] | 0,304 | 0,955 | 0,634 | 0,955 | -4,45 | 0,50 | 3,76 | -0,04 | 0,304 | 0,143 | 0,320 | 0,088 | -4,45 | -3,71 | -5,86 | -9,73 |
| L1AB [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 1,000 | 0,308 | 0,955 | 4,17 | -0,04 | 1,14 | 0,84 | 0,093 | 0,013 | 0,003 | 0,009 | 4,17 | 4,34 | 5,49 | 7,84 |
| L2AB [mg/dL] | 0,533 | 0,823 | 0,431 | 0,955 | 1,74 | -1,34 | -0,95 | 3,80 | 0,533 | 0,933 | 0,761 | 0,832 | 1,74 | -0,76 | -1,03 | 0,85 |
| L3AB [mg/dL] | 0,940 | 0,149 | 0,585 | 0,955 | -0,17 | -2,13 | -2,45 | 0,71 | 0,940 | 0,665 | 0,404 | 0,751 | -0,17 | -0,08 | -0,71 | 0,73 |
| L4AB [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,132 | 0,774 | 0,955 | -8,58 | -4,79 | -1,71 | -2,54 | 0,093 | 0,014 | 0,004 | 0,129 | -8,58 | -8,66 | -12,27 | -6,61 |
| L5AB [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,820 | 0,717 | 0,955 | -10,27 | -1,63 | -0,16 | -4,32 | 0,093 | 0,013 | 0,003 | 0,053 | -10,27 | -8,96 | -14,56 | -16,22 |
| L6AB [mg/dL] | 0,345 | 0,747 | 0,569 | 0,955 | -4,06 | 1,15 | 4,79 | 0,84 | 0,345 | 0,276 | 0,445 | 0,194 | -4,06 | -4,69 | -4,96 | -9,83 |
| H1TG [mg/dL] | 0,254 | 0,747 | 0,590 | 0,955 | 3,65 | 5,41 | 2,02 | 1,55 | 0,254 | 0,131 | 0,066 | 0,176 | 3,65 | 4,38 | 6,96 | 6,81 |
| H2TG [mg/dL] | 0,373 | 0,955 | 0,440 | 0,955 | 3,20 | -0,97 | -1,75 | -0,15 | 0,373 | 0,706 | 0,758 | 0,509 | 3,20 | 0,00 | 1,29 | 2,73 |
| H3TG [mg/dL] | 0,428 | 0,521 | 0,759 | 0,955 | 0,20 | 1,66 | 0,00 | -0,65 | 0,428 | 0,339 | 0,242 | 0,328 | 0,20 | 0,28 | 1,17 | -0,38 |
| H4TG [mg/dL] | 0,170 | 0,311 | 0,202 | 0,955 | -1,01 | 1,26 | -0,92 | -0,14 | 0,170 | 0,686 | 0,404 | 0,175 | -1,01 | -0,39 | -0,83 | -1,36 |
| H1CH [mg/dL] | 0,170 | 0,311 | 0,569 | 0,955 | 2,42 | -0,79 | 0,49 | 0,74 | 0,170 | 0,602 | 0,164 | 0,194 | 2,42 | 1,77 | 1,69 | 2,54 |
| H2CH [mg/dL] | 0,535 | 0,634 | 0,303 | 0,990 | 1,08 | -1,01 | 1,42 | 0,65 | 0,535 | 0,758 | 0,518 | 0,516 | 1,08 | -0,90 | 0,06 | 1,53 |
| H3CH [mg/dL] | 0,856 | 1,000 | 0,253 | 0,955 | 0,47 | 0,29 | 1,60 | 0,08 | 0,856 | 0,933 | 0,589 | 0,489 | 0,47 | 0,27 | 0,56 | -0,04 |
| H4CH [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,834 | 0,905 | 0,955 | -2,98 | 0,10 | -0,01 | -0,75 | 0,093 | 0,013 | 0,008 | 0,043 | -2,98 | -3,00 | -3,82 | -4,81 |
| H1FC [mg/dL] | 0,631 | 0,230 | 0,313 | 0,955 | 0,97 | -3,34 | 2,21 | -1,64 | 0,631 | 0,418 | 0,896 | 0,832 | 0,97 | -0,69 | -0,28 | 1,61 |
| H2FC [mg/dL] | 0,523 | 0,747 | 0,331 | 0,955 | 2,76 | -1,71 | 3,90 | 0,85 | 0,523 | 0,956 | 0,295 | 0,093 | 2,76 | -0,47 | 2,65 | 4,36 |
| H3FC [mg/dL] | 0,762 | 0,560 | 0,743 | 0,955 | -0,07 | -2,85 | 0,25 | -0,19 | 0,762 | 0,382 | 0,404 | 0,751 | -0,07 | -1,62 | -2,72 | 1,10 |
| H4FC [mg/dL] | 0,428 | 0,747 | 0,979 | 0,969 | -1,77 | -0,31 | -0,16 | -2,34 | 0,428 | 0,128 | 0,135 | 0,269 | -1,77 | -1,59 | -2,84 | -2,00 |
| H1PL [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,311 | 0,403 | 0,955 | 4,15 | -1,35 | 0,80 | 1,19 | 0,093 | 0,105 | 0,007 | 0,057 | 4,15 | 3,42 | 2,75 | 4,98 |
| H2PL [mg/dL] | 0,123 | 0,761 | 0,308 | 0,990 | 2,66 | -0,53 | 0,72 | 0,76 | 0,123 | 0,118 | 0,059 | 0,043 | 2,66 | 1,59 | 2,53 | 4,86 |
| H3PL [mg/dL] | 0,177 | 0,984 | 0,303 | 0,955 | 1,34 | -0,82 | 1,08 | 0,68 | 0,177 | 0,252 | 0,054 | 0,053 | 1,34 | 1,04 | 2,30 | 2,07 |
| H4PL [mg/dL] | 0,093 | 0,607 | 0,990 | 0,955 | -1,37 | -0,48 | -0,21 | -0,69 | 0,093 | 0,017 | 0,033 | 0,088 | -1,37 | -1,64 | -1,55 | -2,61 |
| H1A1 [mg/dL] | 0,237 | 0,311 | 0,313 | 0,955 | 2,40 | -2,02 | 2,02 | 1,39 | 0,237 | 0,597 | 0,230 | 0,124 | 2,40 | -1,21 | 1,92 | 4,02 |
| H2A1 [mg/dL] | 0,533 | 0,747 | 0,273 | 0,955 | 0,99 | 0,16 | 0,74 | 0,03 | 0,533 | 0,602 | 0,174 | 0,176 | 0,99 | 0,57 | 1,64 | 1,33 |
| H3A1 [mg/dL] | 0,648 | 0,955 | 0,237 | 0,955 | 1,00 | -0,31 | 1,59 | 0,32 | 0,648 | 0,721 | 0,174 | 0,172 | 1,00 | 0,36 | 1,38 | 0,83 |

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|---------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| H4A1 [mg/dL] | 0,123 | 0,747 | 0,905 | 0,955 | -1,70 | 0,10 | 0,11 | -0,54 | 0,123 | 0,012 | 0,010 | 0,053 | -1,70 | -2,32 | -2,77 | -3,52 |
| H1A2 [mg/dL] | 0,112 | 0,958 | 0,136 | 0,955 | 6,16 | -0,47 | 6,43 | 1,44 | 0,112 | 0,090 | 0,010 | 0,011 | 6,16 | 4,48 | 7,90 | 13,95 |
| H2A2 [mg/dL] | 0,145 | 0,837 | 0,131 | 0,955 | 5,05 | -0,52 | 3,58 | 0,27 | 0,145 | 0,107 | 0,011 | 0,020 | 5,05 | 4,99 | 9,60 | 10,77 |
| H3A2 [mg/dL] | 0,467 | 0,955 | 0,185 | 0,955 | 0,92 | -0,09 | 2,39 | 0,09 | 0,467 | 0,660 | 0,066 | 0,104 | 0,92 | 0,12 | 2,64 | 1,98 |
| H4A2 [mg/dL] | 0,156 | 0,834 | 0,348 | 0,955 | -1,88 | 0,70 | 1,55 | -0,71 | 0,156 | 0,129 | 0,202 | 0,150 | -1,88 | -2,88 | -2,05 | -4,52 |

*: An example for calculating median percentage change: median percentage change of FTC1-2 = median ((FTC2-FTC1)/FTC1*100)

 Significant accumulated increase at FTC5 compared to FTC1

 Significant accumulated decrease at FTC5 compared to FTC1

Table S5. Effects of FTCs on serum metabolite concentrations

| Serum metabolites | Consecutive FTCs | | | | | | | | Compared to FTC1 | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Adjusted p-values of Wilcox tests | | | | Median percentage change* | | | | Adjusted p-values of Wilcox tests | | | | Median percentage change* | | | |
| | FTC1-2 | FTC2-3 | FTC3-4 | FTC4-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC2-3 | FTC3-4 | FTC4-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC1-3 | FTC1-4 | FTC1-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC1-3 | FTC1-4 | FTC1-5 |
| Acetic acid | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,783 | 0,814 | 11,88 | 0,75 | 2,29 | 2,76 | 0,990 | 0,315 | 0,118 | 0,010 | 11,88 | 6,65 | 15,66 | 29,06 |
| Pyruvic acid | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,783 | 0,753 | -0,57 | -1,62 | 1,13 | 2,49 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,840 | 0,753 | -0,57 | -3,15 | 1,23 | 3,99 |
| Acetoacetic acid | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,990 | 0,753 | 8,52 | -2,27 | 0,80 | 6,22 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,668 | 0,604 | 8,52 | 7,92 | 1,74 | 5,33 |
| Formic acid | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,807 | 0,977 | -6,21 | 6,23 | 0,76 | -1,99 | 0,990 | 0,990 | 0,728 | 0,945 | -6,21 | -5,80 | 3,21 | 4,74 |
| Glycine | 0,990 | 0,921 | 0,807 | 0,814 | 4,78 | -1,96 | -1,98 | 2,03 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,705 | 0,604 | 4,78 | 1,02 | 1,31 | 1,82 |
| D-Glucose | 0,990 | 0,977 | 0,783 | 0,852 | -0,48 | 0,18 | 0,91 | -0,16 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,840 | 0,945 | -0,48 | -0,64 | 0,14 | 0,00 |
| Valine | 0,990 | 0,962 | 0,693 | 0,977 | 1,42 | -5,43 | 4,58 | -0,88 | 0,990 | 0,990 | 0,668 | 0,693 | 1,42 | 2,47 | 2,90 | 1,01 |
| L-Isoleucine | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,807 | 0,753 | 7,16 | 3,25 | -2,34 | -3,63 | 0,990 | 0,315 | 0,668 | 0,945 | 7,16 | 11,90 | 5,69 | -3,83 |
| Leucine | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,807 | 0,735 | -1,10 | 5,43 | -2,88 | -13,30 | 0,990 | 0,958 | 0,990 | 0,532 | -1,10 | 2,10 | -0,74 | -7,70 |
| Glutamine | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,807 | 0,753 | 0,14 | -1,61 | -0,08 | -1,78 | 0,990 | 0,958 | 0,668 | 0,945 | 0,14 | 1,11 | 2,06 | -1,32 |
| Phenylalanine | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,807 | 0,753 | -2,54 | 3,78 | 3,87 | 8,39 | 0,990 | 0,958 | 0,840 | 0,604 | -2,54 | -2,90 | 4,34 | 5,03 |
| Alanine | 0,990 | 0,962 | 0,783 | 0,814 | 0,07 | 0,45 | 1,71 | 1,57 | 0,990 | 0,958 | 0,668 | 0,693 | 0,07 | -0,90 | 1,83 | 1,21 |
| Acetone | 0,990 | 1,000 | 0,783 | 0,103 | -7,32 | -3,20 | -9,26 | 24,27 | 0,990 | 0,958 | 0,668 | 0,945 | -7,32 | -10,08 | -18,76 | -7,90 |
| Creatinine | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,788 | 0,753 | 4,91 | -3,15 | 2,43 | -1,41 | 0,990 | 0,980 | 0,705 | 0,945 | 4,91 | 1,83 | 3,95 | -4,04 |
| Creatine | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,783 | 0,735 | -1,13 | 5,52 | -6,32 | 10,07 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,705 | 0,604 | -1,13 | 6,86 | -6,61 | 17,10 |
| Lactic acid | 0,990 | 0,962 | 0,990 | 0,735 | 0,20 | -0,66 | 0,43 | 1,63 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,668 | 0,604 | 0,20 | 1,71 | 1,90 | 2,07 |
| DL-Tyrosine | 0,990 | 0,962 | 0,783 | 0,990 | 2,69 | -1,47 | 1,13 | 3,17 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,557 | 0,315 | 2,69 | 3,90 | 3,11 | 5,87 |
| Histidine | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,783 | 0,753 | 2,76 | -2,85 | 4,01 | -2,29 | 0,990 | 0,990 | 0,840 | 0,945 | 2,76 | 2,69 | 3,61 | 2,62 |
| Trimethylamine-N-oxide | 0,990 | 0,875 | 0,783 | 0,753 | 1,60 | 65,74 | -12,14 | 33,32 | 0,990 | 0,945 | 0,977 | 0,921 | 1,60 | 40,40 | -16,81 | 58,65 |
| Citric acid | 0,990 | 0,962 | 0,807 | 0,814 | -7,65 | 0,36 | -7,13 | 5,34 | 0,990 | 0,980 | 0,668 | 0,990 | -7,65 | -11,72 | -11,17 | 3,72 |

*: An example for calculating median percentage change: median percentage change of FTC1-2 = median ((FTC2-FTC1)/FTC1 *100)

Table S6. Effects of FTCs on urine metabolite concentrations

| Urine Metabolites | Consecutive FTCs | | | | | | | | | | Compared to FTC1 | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------------------|--|--|
| | Adjusted p-values of Wilcox tests | | | | | Median percentage change* | | | | | Adjusted p-values of Wilcox tests | | | | | Median percentage change* | | |
| | FTC1-2 | FTC2-3 | FTC3-4 | FTC4-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC2-3 | FTC3-4 | FTC4-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC1-3 | FTC1-4 | FTC1-5 | FTC1-2 | FTC1-3 | FTC1-4 | FTC1-5 | | |
| Creatinine | 0,919 | 0,506 | 1,000 | 0,844 | 0,20 | 0,41 | 0,32 | -0,08 | 0,919 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,758 | 0,20 | 0,42 | 0,27 | -0,32 | | |
| Creatine | 0,919 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -0,09 | 1,16 | -2,45 | -29,24 | 0,919 | 0,834 | 0,986 | 0,862 | -0,09 | -9,01 | -1,67 | 0,49 | | |
| D-Glucose | 0,919 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 0,844 | 3,85 | 1,53 | 3,49 | -2,90 | 0,919 | 0,792 | 0,464 | 0,754 | 3,85 | 9,53 | 6,74 | 4,77 | | |
| D-Lactose | 0,829 | 0,957 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -1,42 | 0,49 | -2,60 | 0,38 | 0,829 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,758 | -1,42 | 1,15 | 0,13 | -4,10 | | |
| Alanine | 0,919 | 0,506 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 0,44 | 0,74 | -0,06 | -0,03 | 0,919 | 0,420 | 0,986 | 0,525 | 0,44 | 1,76 | 0,73 | 0,78 | | |
| Lactic acid | 0,541 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -2,94 | 3,28 | -1,28 | -0,70 | 0,541 | 0,834 | 0,986 | 0,758 | -2,94 | 0,18 | -1,00 | -1,03 | | |
| Acetic acid | 0,541 | 0,525 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 3,54 | 3,95 | -0,32 | -1,41 | 0,541 | 0,245 | 0,464 | 0,263 | 3,54 | 4,60 | 4,74 | 4,78 | | |
| Succinic acid | 0,541 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 6,20 | 1,07 | 0,77 | 0,02 | 0,541 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,758 | 6,20 | 5,85 | 1,90 | 2,71 | | |
| Citric acid | 0,583 | 0,420 | 1,000 | 0,550 | -0,17 | 1,52 | 0,84 | -1,36 | 0,583 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,525 | -0,17 | 0,02 | 0,55 | -0,54 | | |
| Dimethylamine | 0,919 | 0,420 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 0,53 | 1,02 | -0,94 | -0,73 | 0,919 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,758 | 0,53 | 0,80 | 0,08 | -0,34 | | |
| Trimethylamine | 0,829 | 0,957 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,10 | -0,18 | -1,66 | 0,06 | 0,829 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,758 | 1,10 | 2,48 | 1,24 | 1,16 | | |
| Betaine | 0,829 | 0,957 | 1,000 | 0,805 | 0,42 | 0,65 | 0,81 | -1,65 | 0,829 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,926 | 0,42 | 2,65 | 1,33 | 0,11 | | |
| Glycine | 0,919 | 0,506 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 0,56 | 0,96 | -1,09 | 0,53 | 0,919 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,926 | 0,56 | -0,02 | 0,10 | -0,50 | | |
| Fumaric acid | 0,541 | 0,817 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -4,69 | 2,95 | -1,58 | -1,18 | 0,541 | 0,834 | 0,679 | 0,525 | -4,69 | 0,08 | -5,52 | -3,34 | | |
| Formic acid | 0,919 | 0,420 | 1,000 | 0,844 | -0,18 | 2,41 | 1,28 | -2,73 | 0,919 | 0,245 | 0,464 | 0,754 | -0,18 | 3,53 | 4,24 | 2,58 | | |
| 1-Methylnicotinamide | 0,829 | 0,817 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -1,50 | 2,17 | -0,01 | -0,06 | 0,829 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,869 | -1,50 | 2,34 | 2,71 | -0,40 | | |
| N,N-Dimethylglycine | 0,829 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -0,21 | 1,61 | 0,15 | 0,40 | 0,829 | 0,834 | 0,986 | 0,881 | -0,21 | 1,06 | 2,53 | 0,45 | | |
| Taurine | 0,919 | 0,913 | 1,000 | 0,778 | 0,62 | -0,20 | 0,60 | -1,61 | 0,919 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,525 | 0,62 | -0,53 | -0,10 | -1,75 | | |
| Hippuric acid | 0,541 | 0,917 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,08 | -0,78 | -0,41 | 0,41 | 0,541 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,758 | 1,08 | 0,59 | 0,09 | -0,68 | | |

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|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Acetone | 0,923 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 0,550 | 0,55 | -0,85 | -2,07 | 2,55 | 0,923 | 0,834 | 0,986 | 1,000 | 0,55 | -0,99 | -1,79 | -0,01 |
| Acetoacetic acid | 0,541 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -1,58 | 0,59 | -0,46 | 0,37 | 0,541 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,881 | -1,58 | 2,96 | -0,48 | -0,34 |
| Valine | 0,541 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 0,817 | 1,70 | -1,61 | -1,00 | 2,51 | 0,541 | 0,792 | 0,988 | 0,840 | 1,70 | 1,17 | -1,09 | -0,22 |
| Arginine | 0,829 | 0,506 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 0,34 | 1,24 | 0,29 | -0,45 | 0,829 | 0,792 | 0,464 | 0,754 | 0,34 | 1,49 | 2,21 | 2,25 |
| Sarcosine | 0,919 | 0,957 | 1,000 | 0,550 | 0,22 | 0,55 | 7,27 | -5,32 | 0,919 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,525 | 0,22 | 0,00 | 4,74 | -2,98 |
| Trigonelline | 0,541 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 2,49 | -1,39 | -0,17 | 0,78 | 0,541 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,754 | 2,49 | 0,44 | 0,38 | 2,35 |
| Pyruvic acid | 0,919 | 0,420 | 1,000 | 0,550 | -0,48 | 2,26 | -2,91 | 1,40 | 0,919 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,758 | -0,48 | 1,65 | 0,14 | 0,20 |
| Oxaloacetic acid | 0,541 | 0,817 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,65 | -0,40 | 0,26 | 0,02 | 0,541 | 0,930 | 0,986 | 0,881 | 1,65 | 0,21 | 0,12 | 0,86 |
| Allantoin | 0,541 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 0,835 | 7,21 | 1,10 | -1,78 | 3,57 | 0,541 | 0,245 | 0,986 | 0,525 | 7,21 | 7,72 | -0,98 | 6,18 |
| Caffeine | 0,919 | 0,957 | 1,000 | 0,817 | -0,03 | 0,15 | 0,29 | -0,75 | 0,919 | 0,834 | 0,986 | 0,758 | -0,03 | 0,31 | 0,75 | -0,64 |
| Inosine | 0,541 | 0,817 | 1,000 | 0,550 | -3,79 | 2,76 | 0,32 | -0,74 | 0,541 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,754 | -3,79 | -1,61 | -2,73 | -1,03 |
| Allopurinol | 0,829 | 0,902 | 1,000 | 1,000 | -0,81 | 0,47 | 0,98 | -0,13 | 0,829 | 0,804 | 0,986 | 0,758 | -0,81 | -0,22 | 0,44 | 1,90 |
| Tartaric acid | 1,000 | 0,907 | 1,000 | 0,844 | -3,27 | -1,97 | 0,30 | -3,07 | 1,000 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,263 | -3,27 | -1,51 | -2,47 | -5,14 |
| Proline betaine | 0,919 | 0,506 | 1,000 | 0,778 | 0,26 | 0,99 | -0,25 | -1,49 | 0,919 | 0,792 | 0,986 | 0,886 | 0,26 | 3,66 | 0,25 | -0,06 |
| 2-Oxoglutaric acid | 0,919 | 0,990 | 1,000 | 0,550 | -1,12 | -1,37 | -2,22 | 6,25 | 0,919 | 0,834 | 0,986 | 0,881 | -1,12 | 0,03 | -9,98 | -0,73 |
| Guanidinoacetic acid | 1,000 | 0,817 | 0,665 | 0,550 | 0,38 | 0,80 | -1,24 | 0,94 | 1,000 | 0,792 | 1,000 | 0,758 | 0,38 | 0,88 | 0,07 | 0,24 |

*: An example for calculating median percentage change: median percentage change of FTC1-2 = median((FTC2-FTC1)/FTC1*100)