

Expanded View Figures

Figure EV1.

Figure EV1. DSS leads to efficient induction of intestinal inflammation.

- A Representative H&E staining of colon histology and quantification on day 7 after DSS colitis induction (n = 3/group) from one independent experiment.
- B Colon length measured after 1.5–2% DSS colitis regime on day 7 (n = 10-11/group).
- C Spleen weight and mesenteric lymph node weight after 1.5-2% colitis regime on day 7 (n = 9-10/group).
- D TNF α levels in serum were measured in wild-type mice on day 7 after water and DSS treatment (n = 5/group).
- E Absolute number of colonic CD45⁺ immune cells on day 7 post-DSS treatment (n = 6-7/group).
- F Frequency of CD11b⁺ myeloid cells, CD3⁺ T cells and CD19⁺ B cells in colon on day 7 post-DSS treatment (n = 5-7/group).
- G Colon length of mice upon DSS-induced colitis treated with anti-isotype or anti-TNF α neutralizing antibody (n = 7/group).
- H Body weight development upon DSS-induced colitis of mice treated either with anti-isotype or anti-TNF α neutralizing antibody (n = 7/group).
- 1 Tissue weight of mWAT or gWAT upon DSS-induced colitis of mice treated either with anti-isotype or anti-TNFα neutralizing antibody (n = 7/group).

Data are represented as mean \pm s.e.m. (A–E) Unpaired Student's *t*-test. (G, I) Two-way ANOVA. (H) Repeat-measure two-way ANOVA. **P < 0.01, ***P < 0.001, ***P < 0.001.

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Figure EV2.

Figure EV2. Expansion of intestinal Treg populations is blunted in adipocyte autophagy-deficient mice without affecting intestinal resolution.

- A Schematic of experimental design. Sex-matched and age-matched littermates were treated with DSS for 5 days and mice were sacrificed 14 days after start of DSS treatment.
- B Colon length from noninflamed control mice (n = 8/group), adipocyte autophagy-sufficient WT mice and adipocyte autophagy-deficient mice (n = 12/group).
- C Representative H&E staining images (10× magnification) of distal colon sections and quantification of histopathological score (n = 7–13/group).
- D Frequency (left panel) and absolute number (right panel) of CD4⁺ FOXP3⁺ cells in the colon on day 14 post-DSS treatment (n = 8–11/group).
- E Frequency of peripheral and thymic Treg (pTreg and tTreg, respectively) cell populations in colon on day 14 post-DSS treatment (n = 8–11/group).

Data are represented as mean \pm s.e.m. (B–D) One-way ANOVA. (E) Two-way ANOVA. *P < 0.05, **P < 0.01, ****P < 0.001. Source data are available online for this figure.



Figure EV3. Loss of adipocyte autophagy had no effects on adipose tissue and circulating levels of leptin and adiponectin.

A Adipose tissue mass at steady state and on day 7 post-DSS induction (n = 7-11/group).

B Circulating levels of adiponectin (n = 3-12/group).

C Circulating levels of leptin (n = 4-12/group).

Data are represented as mean \pm s.e.m. (A) Unpaired Student's *t*-test. (B, C) One-way ANOVA. **P < 0.01. Source data are available online for this figure.



Figure EV4.

Figure EV4. Intestinal inflammation induces distinct transcriptional programs in primary visceral adipocytes.

- A Principal component analysis of all mice revealing a strong sex effect in the overall transcriptome.
- B Differential gene expression assessing transcriptional changes associated with DSS-induced inflammation after regressing effect of sex and genotypes in visceral adipocytes.
- C Pathway enrichment analysis of significantly differentially expressed genes in visceral adipocytes during DSS colitis.
- D Heatmap representing differentially expressed genes associated in fatty acid metabolism during DSS-induced colitis in visceral adipocytes.
- E Heatmap representing differentially expressed genes associated with macroautophagy during DSS-induced colitis in visceral adipocytes.
- F Normalized counts of Atg8 homologs in visceral adipocytes (n = 12/group).

Data are represented as mean \pm s.e.m. (F) Unpaired Student's t-test. *P < 0.05, ***P < 0.001 Source data are available online for this figure.



Figure EV5. Loss of autophagy-related genes results in the induction of epoxy hydrolases in adipocytes.

A GSEA enrichment analysis between Atq7-deficient and Atq7-sufficient adipocytes during DSS treatment.

B Fragments per kilobase of exon per million mapped fragments (FPKM) counts from bulk RNAseq dataset of Cai et al (2018) (n = 4/group)

C Fragments per kilobase of exon per million mapped fragments (FPKM) counts from bulk RNAseq dataset of Son et al (2020) (n = 3/group).

D Normalized ratios of epoxy fatty acid precursors to their corresponding diol fatty acids pairs in plasma (n = 8/group).

Data are represented as mean \pm s.e.m. (B, C) Unpaired Student's t-test. (D) Two-way ANOVA. *P < 0.05, **P < 0.01. Source data are available online for this figure.