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## Supplemental information

## Estradiol cycling drives female

### obesogenic adipocyte hyperplasia

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#### Figure S1



# Figure S1. Cell cycle pathways are upregulated in female APCs at the onset of HFD feeding, Related to Figure 1.

Top diet-induced upregulated (positive) and downregulated (negative) GO terms (**A**) and KEGG pathways (**B**) in VWAT APCs. Top diet-induced upregulated (positive) and downregulated (negative) GO terms (**C**) and KEGG pathways (**D**) in SWAT APCs. N= 5 samples per group, 3 mice pooled for each sample. GO: gene ontology, KEGG: Kyoto encyclopedia of genes and genomes, VWAT: perigonadal fat, SWAT: inguinal subcutaneous fat, HFD: high-fat diet.

Figure S2





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Lin-, CD34+, CD29+, Sca1+



## Figure S2. Estradiol drives female APC proliferation in an ER $\alpha$ -dependent manner, Related to Figure 3.

(A) Body weight change during vehicle or E2 treatment (day 0 to 2 of a HFD) in female mice (n= 14-19 mice per group). (B) Representative flow cytometry plot identifying transplanted wildtype APCs (RFP+) into wildtype male VWAT. (C) Representative histogram of BrdU incorporation into endogenous (RFP -) and transplanted (RFP+) APCs demonstrating that wildtype APCs maintain proliferation capacity after transplantation as described in Jeffery et. al. 2016. (D) Representative flow cytometry plot identifying transplanted ER $\alpha$ -KO APCs (GFP+) in female recipient SWAT. Statistical significance was determined by one-way ANOVA with Šidák's tests for panel A. Error bars represent mean  $\pm$  S.E.M. E2: 17 $\beta$ -estradiol, HFD: high-fat diet, FSC: forward scatter, BrdU: bromodeoxyuridine, Endog: endogenous cells, FMO: fluorescence minus one.





## Figure S3. Timing of HFD determines hyperplasia in female mice, Related to Figure 4.

(A) Body weight and lean mass weight (B) of female mice during 12 weeks of SD or HFD feeding. (C) Liver and iBAT weight after 12 weeks of SD or HFD feeding. (D) WAT distribution (SWAT/VWAT) after 12 weeks of SD or HFD feeding. (E) Blood glucose levels during glucose tolerance test. N= 6-10 mice per group. Statistical significance was determined by ordinary two-way ANOVA with Tukey's test for panels A, B, and E and ordinary one-way ANOVA with Tukey's test for panel C and D. Error bars represent mean  $\pm$  S.E.M. ns= not significant, \*p<0.05, \*\*p<0.01, \*\*\*p<0.001, \*\*\*\*p<0.0001. SD: standard diet, HFD: high-fat diet, iBAT: interscapular brown adipose tissue.



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# Figure S4. Timing of HFD does not impact expression of fibrotic or adipogenic genes in WAT, Related to Figure 4.

Gene expression of several fibrotic genes quantified by qPCR in SWAT (**A**) and (**B**) VWAT of female mice after 12 weeks of SD or HFD feeding. Gene expression of several adipogenic genes quantified by qPCR in SWAT (**C**) and (**D**) VWAT of female mice after 12 weeks of SD or HFD feeding. Data presented as fold change (FC) over SD after normalizing to housekeeping gene (*Tbk1*). N= 6-10 mice per group. Statistical significance was determined by ordinary one-way ANOVA for every gene with Tukey's test. Error bars represent mean  $\pm$  S.E.M. ns= not significant, \*p<0.05, \*\*p<0.01, \*\*\*p<0.001. SD: standard diet, HFD: high-fat diet, VWAT: perigonadal fat, SWAT: inguinal subcutaneous fat.

 Table S1. Primers used for qPCR analysis, Related to Figure 4 and Figure S4.

Gene name	Forward Primer (5'-3')	Reverse Primer (5'-3')
Tbk1	AGGGCTTTGTGACGGGAACAG	GGCACCCGGTCAAATGAGA
Cd9	ATGCCGGTCAAAGGAGGTAG	GCCATAGTCCAATAGCAAGCA
Tnfα	GCCTGTAGCCCACGTCGTAGC	CGGGGCAGCCTTGTCCCTTG
Fn1	GGCCACCATTACTGGTCTGG	GGAAGGGTAACCAGTTGGGG
Tgfβ1	ACTGGAGTTGTACGGCAGTG	GGGGCTGATCCCGTTGATT
Adiponectin	GGAGATGCAGGTCTTCTTGG	GCGATACACATAAGCGGCTTC
Ppary	GCCTGCGGAAGCCCTTTGGT	AAGCCTGGGCGGTCTCCACT
Cebpa	CCCAGAGGACCAATGAAATGAAG	TAGCCGGAGGAAGCTAAGAC
Fabp4	GGGATGGAAAGTCGACCACA	CGCCTTTCATAACACATTCCACC
Perilipin	GGGCTGTCTGAGACTGAGGT	TCCTTACTCTCCACGCTGTAAC
Fasn	GGAGGTGGTGATAGCCGGTAT	TGGGTAATCCATAGAGCCCAG