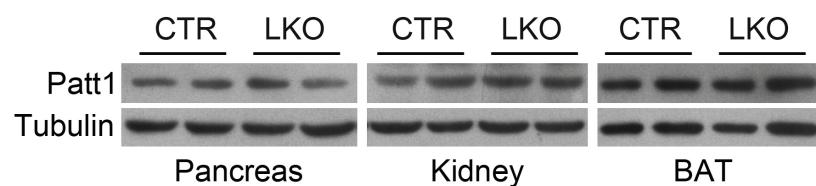
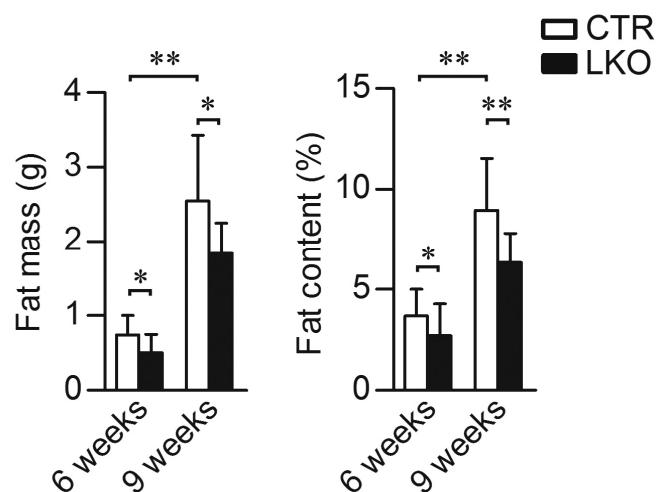


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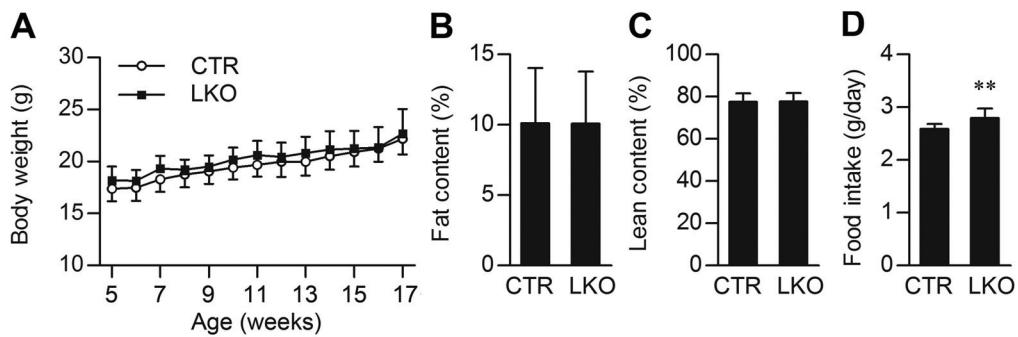
### Supplementary figures



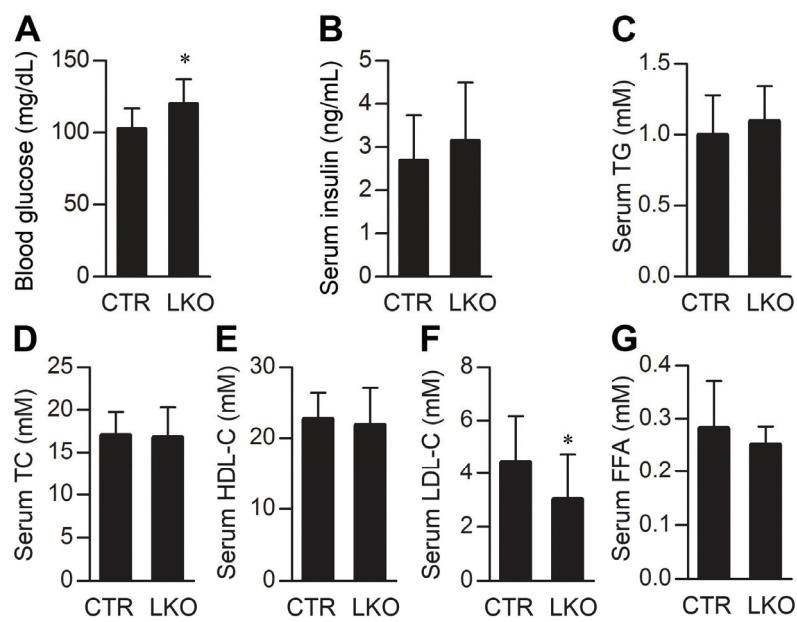
**Supplementary Fig. S1.** Patt1 protein levels remain unchanged in pancreas, kidney and brown adipose tissue (BAT) of Patt1 LKO mice. Expression of Patt1 was measured by immunoblot, and tubulin was measured as a loading control.



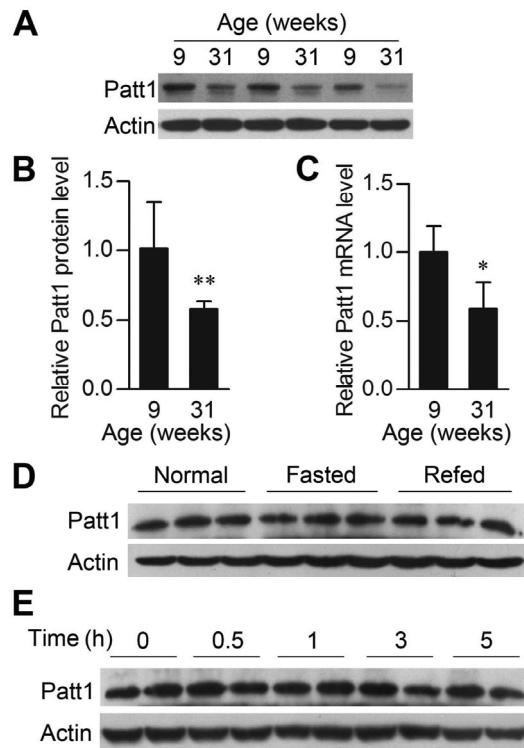
**Supplementary Fig. S2.** Male Patt1 LKO mice showed decreased fat mass and fat content at the age of 6 and 9 weeks. n = 8-12/group, \*p<0.05, \*\*p < 0.01.



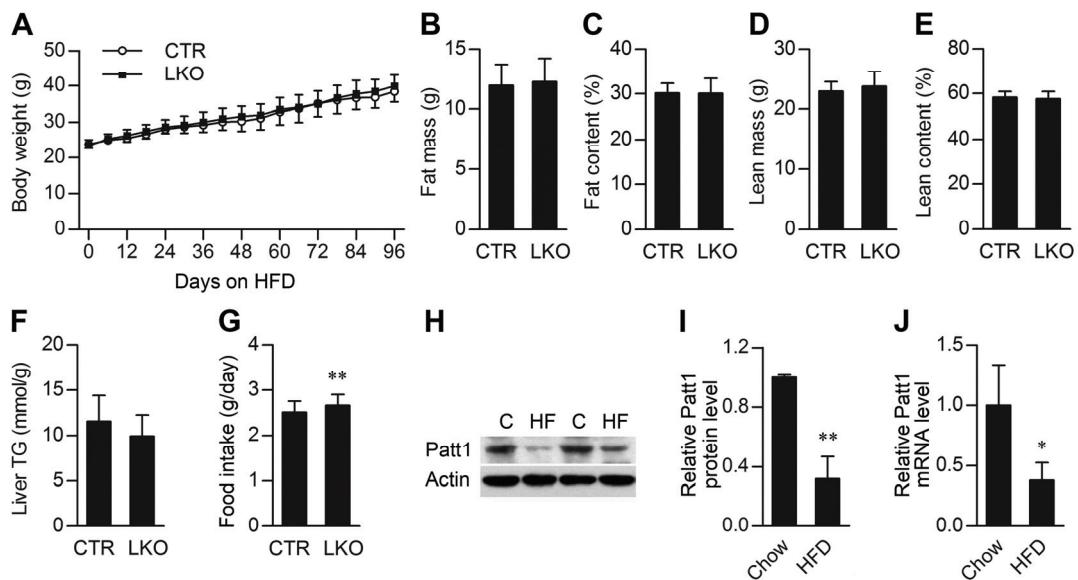
**Supplementary Fig. S3.** **(A)** Female *Patt1* LKO mice exhibited similar body weight as their littermate controls. **(B and C)** Female *Patt1* LKO mice at the age of 20 weeks exhibited similar fat content and lean content as their littermate controls. **(D)** Food intake of the female *Patt1* LKO mice was slightly increased when monitored at the age of 15 to 17 weeks. n = 6-9/group, \*\*p < 0.01.



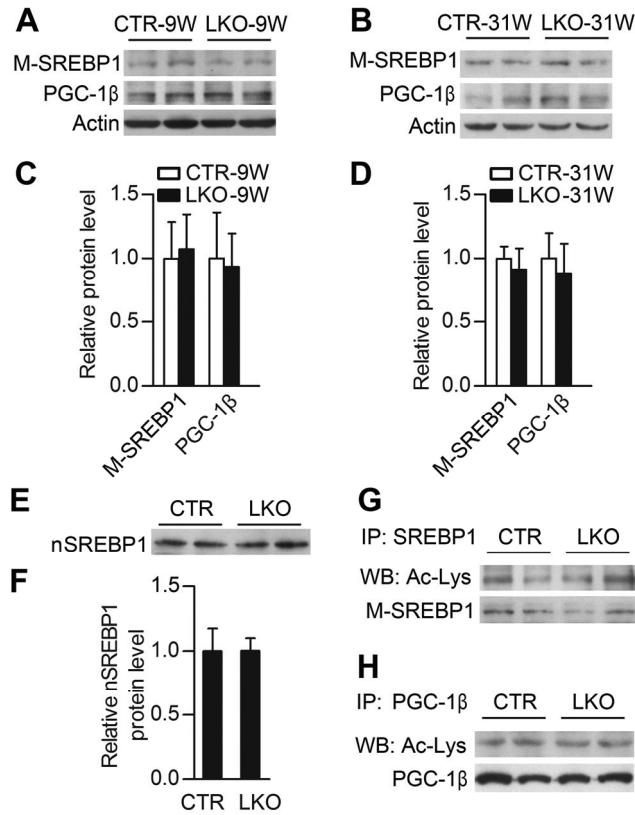
**Supplementary Fig. S4.** **(A)** Blood glucose was increased in 15-week-old male Patt1 LKO mice fasted for 14 h. **(B-G)** Serum insulin, triglyceride (TG), total cholesterol (TC), HDL-cholesterol (HDL-C) and free fatty acid (FFA) remained unchanged, while LDL-cholesterol (LDL-C) was attenuated in 31-week-old male Patt1 LKO mice fasted for 6 h. n = 10-12/group, \*p < 0.05.



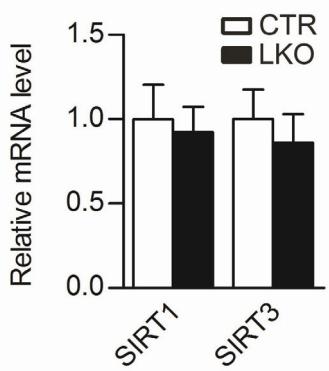
**Supplementary Fig. S5.** **(A)** Hepatic Patt1 protein level was downregulated in 31-week-old male mice compared with that in 9-week-old male mice. **(B)** Quantification of the Patt1 protein level in **(A)**. n = 6/group, \*\*p < 0.01. **(C)** Hepatic Patt1 mRNA level was also downregulated in 31-week-old male mice. n = 6/group, \*p < 0.05. **(D)** Hepatic Patt1 protein level remained unchanged in 9-week-old male mice fasted for 24 h, or fasted for 24 h and then refed for 24 h. n = 3. **(E)** Primary mouse hepatocytes treated with 100 nM insulin for the indicated times had similar Patt1 protein level.



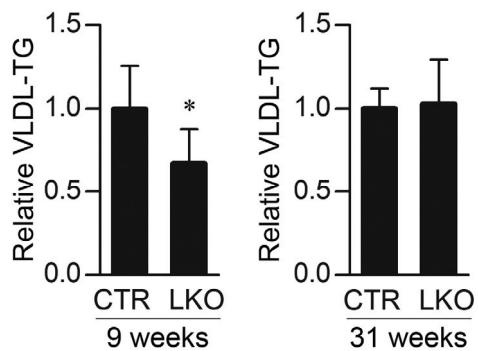
**Supplementary Fig. S6.** **(A-F)** After fed HFD for 14 weeks, body weight, fat mass, fat content, lean mass, lean content and liver triglyceride were similar between the 22-week-old male *Patt1* LKO mice and their littermate controls. n = 12/group. **(G)** Food intake was increased in male *Patt1* LKO mice fed HFD when monitored at the age of 15-17 weeks. n = 12/group, \*\*p < 0.01. **(H)** Hepatic *Patt1* protein level was dramatically decreased in the 22-week-old mice fed HFD (HF) for 14 weeks compared with that in mice fed chow (C). **(I)** Quantification of the *Patt1* protein level in **(H)**. n = 6/group, \*\*p < 0.01. **(J)** Hepatic *Patt1* mRNA level was also significantly downregulated in the 22-week-old mice fed HFD for 14 weeks. n = 6/group, \*p < 0.05.



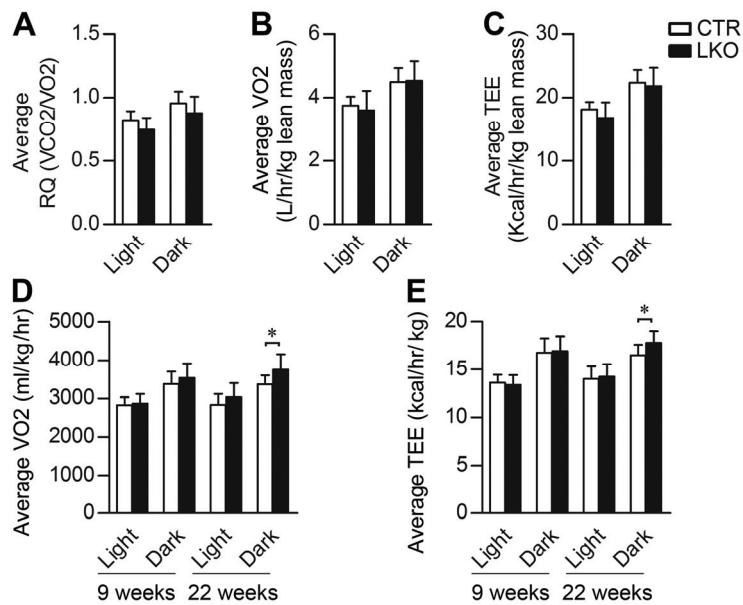
**Supplementary Fig. S7.** **(A and B)** Mature SREBP1 (M-SREBP1) and PGC-1 $\beta$  protein levels remained unchanged in the liver of male Patt1 LKO mice at the age of 9 or 31 weeks. **(C and D)** Quantification of the indicated protein levels in **(A and B)**. n = 3. **(E)** Nuclear SREBP1 (nSREBP1) was not affected by hepatic Patt1 knockout. Liver nuclear extracts with equal amount of total protein from 15-week-old male Patt1 LKO mice and the littermate controls were subjected to immunoblot analysis. **(F)** Quantification of the nuclear SREBP1 protein levels in **(E)**. n = 3. **(G and H)** Acetylation of mature SREBP1 and PGC-1 $\beta$  was similar between male Patt1 LKO mice and the littermate controls. Liver lysates from 9-week-old male Patt1 LKO mice and the littermate controls were immunoprecipitated with the indicated antibodies and then measured by western blot.



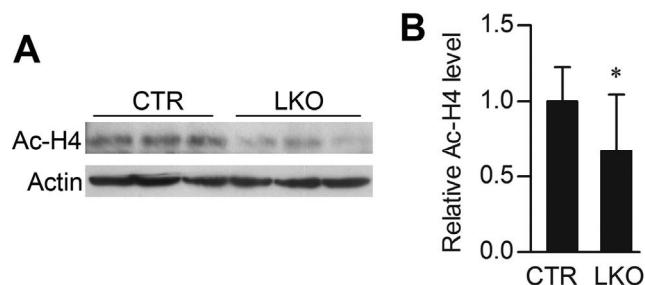
**Supplementary Fig. S8.** SIRT1 and SIRT3 mRNA levels were unchanged in 9-week-old male *Patt1* LKO mice compared with those in littermate controls. n = 6/group.



**Supplementary Fig. S9.** Serum triglyceride in VLDL (VLDL-TG) was significantly downregulated in 9-week-old but not 31-week-old male *Patt1* LKO mice. n = 6-8/group, \*p < 0.05.



**Supplementary Fig. S10. (A-C)** 9-week-old male Patt1 LKO mice showed similar respiratory quotient (RQ), oxygen consumption (VO<sub>2</sub>) and total energy expenditure (TEE) when measured by a comprehensive laboratory animal monitoring system. n = 6-8/group. **(D-E)** Oxygen consumption and total energy expenditure normalized to body weight during the dark phase were increased in 22-week-old but not 9-week-old male Patt1 LKO mice when compared with littermate controls. n = 6-10/group, \*p < 0.05.



**Supplementary Fig. S11. (A)** Acetylated of histone H4 (Ac-H4) was decreased in 31-week-old male Patt1 LKO mice when measured by immunoblot. **(B)** Quantification of the acetylated histone H4 in (A). n = 9, \*p < 0.05.

**Supplemental Table 1**

Primers used in real-time PCR.

Gene	Forward primer	Reverse primer
CD36	5'-ATGGGCTGTGATCGGAACTG-3'	5'-GTCTTCCAATAAGCATGTCTCC-3'
FATP	5'-CACGATCCCGTCATCTCC-3'	5'-AGCATTGGAGTAGGTGTCCAG-3'
PPAR $\alpha$	5'-GAGAAGTTGCAGGAGGGATTGTG-3'	5'-AAGACTACCTGCTACCGAAATGGG-3'
PPAR $\gamma$	5'-GTGCCAGTTCGATCCGTAGA-3'	5'-GCCAGCATCGTAGATGA-3'
C/EBP $\alpha$	5'-GAACAGCAACGAGTACCGGGTA-3'	5'-GCCATGGCCTTGACCAAGGAG-3'
LXR $\alpha$	5'- GCAGGACCAGCTCCAAGTAG-3'	5'- GGCTCACCAAGCTTCATTAGC-3'
SREBP1C	5'- GGAGCCATGGATTGCACATT -3'	5'-GGAAGTCACTGTCTTGGTTGTTGA -3'
ACL	5'-TGGATGCCACAGCTGACTAC-3'	5'-GGTCAGCAAGGTCAGCTTC-3'
ACC1	5'-TGAATCTCACCGCCTACTATG-3'	5'-ATGACCCCTGTTGCCTCCAAAC-3'
FAS	5'-AAGTTGCCGAGTCAGAGAA-3'	5'-CGTCGAACCTGGAGAGATCC-3'
ELOVL6	5'-GAAAAGCAGTTCAACGAGAACG-3'	5'-AGATGCCGACCACCAAAGATA-3'
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DGAT1	5'-TGTTCAGCTCAGACAGTGGTT-3'	5'-CCACCAGGATGCCATACTTGAT-3'
DGAT2	5'-GCGCTACTTCCGAGACTACTT-3'	5'-GGGCCTTATGCCAGGAAACT-3'
Patt1	5'-TGCAGACGATGTATGAGCAA-3'	5'-CACATCAAACCGGAAGTGAG-3'
SIRT1	5'-GCCAGAGTCCAAGTTAGAAGA-3'	5'-CCATCAGTCCCAAATCCAG-3'
SIRT3	5'-TCTATACACAGAACATCGACGGG-3'	5'-AGACCGTGCATGTAGCTGTTA-3'
Actin	5'-GGCTGTATTCCCTCCATCG-3'	5'-CCAGTTGGTAACAATGCCATGT-3'