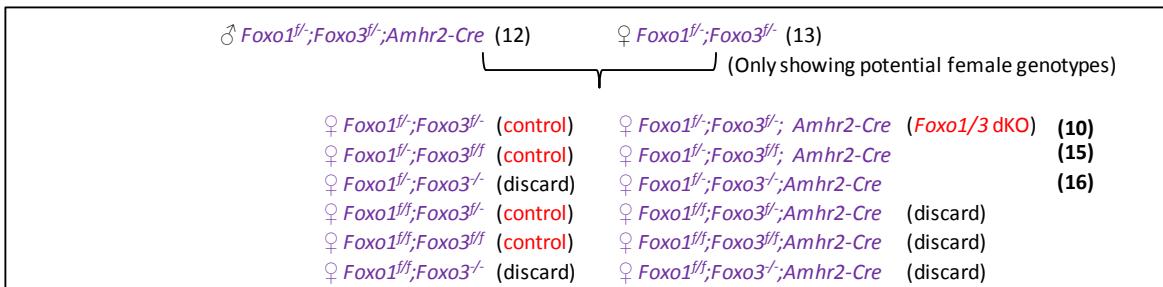


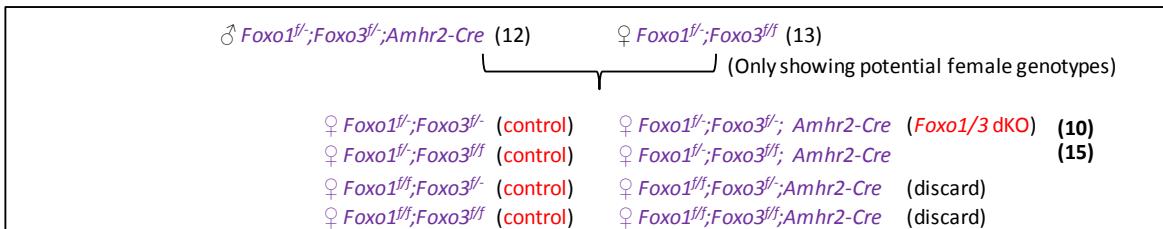
Supplemental Data



Maintenance breeding scheme I for *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* : (same for *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Cyp19-Cre*)



Maintenance breeding scheme II for *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* : (same for *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Cyp19-Cre*)



Supplemental Figure 1: Outlined breeding scheme of *Foxe* mutant mice.

Briefly, we obtained the *Foxo1*^{f/f}, *Foxo3*^{f/f}, and *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Foxo4*^{f/f} mice (1) from Dr. Diego H. Castrillon , *Amhr2-Cre* mice (2) from Dr. Richard R. Behringer, and *Gdf9-Cre* mice (3) from Dr. Austin J. Cooney. The *Cyp19-Cre* mice, originally generated at Organon (4), have been characterized and developed in our own laboratory.

We initially mated the *Foxo1*^{f/f}, *Foxo3*^{f/f}, and *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Foxo4*^{f/f} female mice (1) to *Amhr2-Cre*+ males (2) to generate *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* (**Line 1**), *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* (**Line 2**) and *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Foxo4*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* (**Line 3**) mice. These mice are viable and fertile, likely due to the low efficiency of *Amhr2-Cre*.

To overcome this, we employed a strategy used by many (5-7) to generate germ-line depletion of *Foxo1* and *Foxo3* alleles. Specifically *Gdf9-Cre*+ males (3) were crossed with *Foxo1*^{f/f} and *Foxo3*^{f/f} mice to generate germ-line depletion of the *Foxo1* and *Foxo3* alleles (**Line 4, 5 and 6**). These mice were then crossed with the mice carrying *Amhr2-Cre* to ultimately obtain the mice with one null allele as well as the *Amhr2-Cre* gene, as illustrated (**Line 7, 8, and 9**). (Notice: *Foxo4* is on chromosome X. So in the male, it has just one allele, as demonstrated in Line 9. In the following lines, this was not pointed out again as the female and male were mentioned together in Line 12 and 13).

As *Foxo4* is not critical for the ovarian function, we removed the *Foxo4* floxed allele from the triple mutant strains and maintained it as wild type allele to get the *Foxo1* and *Foxo3* double mutant mice (**Line 10 and 11**). **Line 10 is our experimental line, designated as *Foxo1/3 dKO*.**

The same strategy was used to get *Foxo1* and *Foxo4* double mutant mice (**Line 12 and 13**). These mice were similar to the *Foxo1* single mutant mice (data not shown).

To support the observed phenotype in *Amhr2-Cre* strains and to exclude the possibility that the phenotype was due to leakage of *Amhr2-Cre* in other tissues, we also used *Cyp19-Cre* mice (4) to generate the *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Cyp19-Cre* (**Line 14**). The *Cyp19* promoter is more ovarian-granulosa-cell-specific but expressed at a later stage of follicle development than *Amhr2-Cre*. These mice exhibit same phenotype as *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* mice.

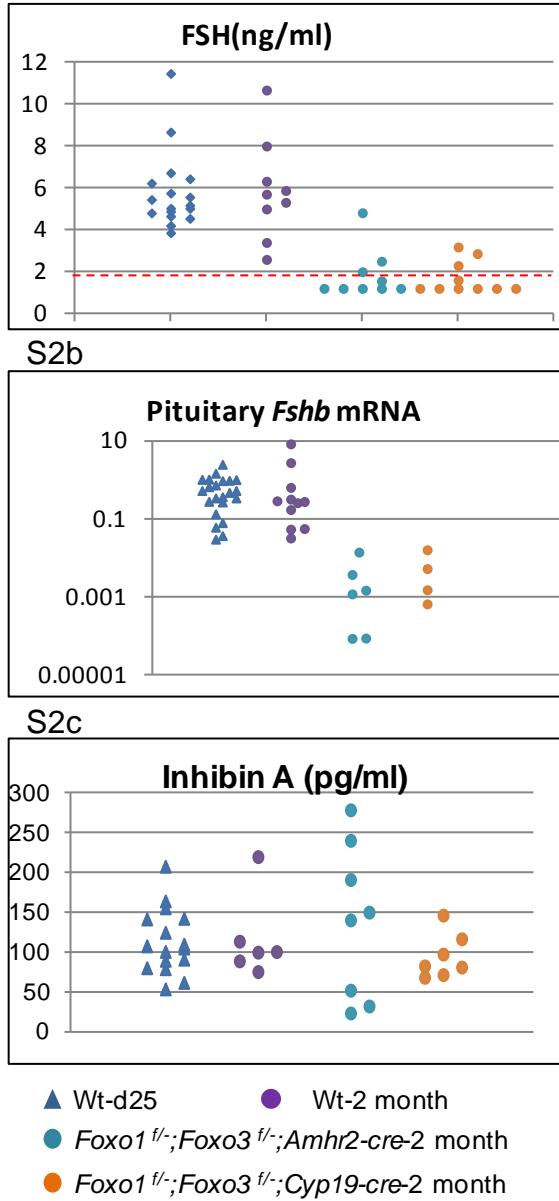
Two breeding strategies were used to generate and maintain the appropriate mutant mice. The male *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* mice were fertile and used for breeding. In the first scheme, female *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f} mice were used to obtain the *Foxo3* germ line depletion mice: *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* (**Line 16**). In the second scheme, female *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f} mice were used to generate more *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* (**Line 10**) and *Foxo1*^{f/f}; *Foxo3*^{f/f}; *Amhr2-Cre* (**Line 15**) mice.

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Fig 2a

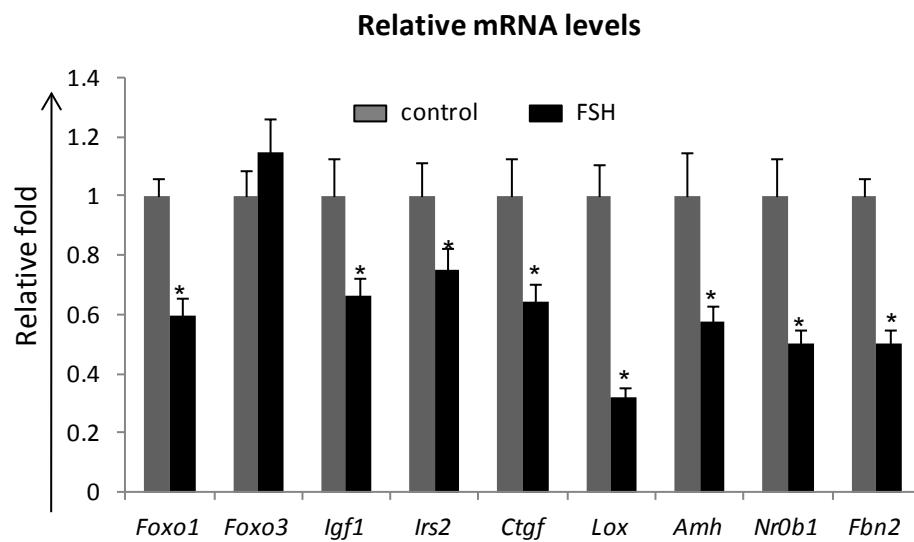


Supplemental Figure 2: *Foxo1/3 dKO* mice have reduced serum FSH levels, reduced pituitary *Fshb* mRNA expression, yet comparable serum inhibin A levels.

A: Serum FSH levels were significantly reduced in both *Foxo1/3 dKO* (*Amhr2-Cre*) and *Foxo1/3 dKO* (*Cyp19-Cre*) mice.

B: Pituitary *Fshb* mRNA levels were significantly reduced in both *Foxo1/3 dKO* (*Amhr2-Cre*) and *Foxo1/3 dKO* (*Cyp19-Cre*) mice.

C: Serum inhibin A levels were comparable in control mice, *Foxo1/3 dKO* (*Amhr2-Cre*) and *Foxo1/3 dKO* (*Cyp19-Cre*) mice (P>0.4 for both when compared to control samples).



Supplemental Figure 3: FSH down regulates FOXO1 and *Foxo1/3* target genes.

Granulosa cells were isolated from wild type mice and cultured with or without FSH (100ng/ml) for 24h. RNA was isolated and mRNA transcripts were measured by qPCR. The values shown represent the mean fold induction from 3 experiments. Asterisk * denotes genes significantly down-regulated by FSH.

Supplemental Table 1: Primer Sets for Real-time RT-PCR.

Gene	Primer-Forward	Primer-Reverse
<i>Amh</i>	ACCCTTCAACCAAGCAGAGA	AAGCGAGTGAGGGTCTCTAGG
<i>Bcl2l11</i>	TTCCACTTGGATTCACACCA	GCTGCAATTGTCCACCTCT
<i>BMP2</i>	GCTCCACAAACGAGAAAAGC	AGCAAGGGAAAAGGACACT
<i>Cga</i>	TTGCTTCTCCAGGGCATATC	GCGCTCAGAACGCTACGACTT
<i>Ctgf</i>	AAGACACATTGGCCCAGAC	GACAGGCTTGGCGATTTAG
<i>Egr1</i>	GAGCGAACAAACCCATGAGC	AGGCCACTGACTAGGCTGAA
<i>Fbn2</i>	GAATGGGCTTCAACAAAGGA	TACGCTCTCCAGGCTGATT
<i>Fos</i>	GGGGCAAAGTAGAGCAGCTA	GGCTGCCAAAATAAACTCCA
<i>FosB</i>	AAAACAAACAAACCCGCAAG	AGAAAACCAGAGACGGAGCA
<i>Foxl2</i>	ACATGTTCGAGAAGGGCAAC	GCCAGGAGTTGTTGAGGAAC
<i>Foxo1</i>	GTGAACACCATGCCTCACAC	TGGACTGCTCCTCAGTTCT
<i>Foxo1</i>	TATTGAGCGCTTGGACTGTG	TGGACTGCTCCTCAGTTCT
<i>Foxo4</i>	CAGTGACCTCATGGATGGTG	GAGGGCTCAAGGAGGAAAAG
<i>Fst</i>	AGAGGTCGCTGCTCTCTG	TCCTCCCTCCTCCTCTCCTC
<i>Gata2</i>	GCACCTGTTGTGCAAATTGT	GCCCCTTTCTTGCTCTTCTT
<i>Gh</i>	CTGGCTGCTGACACCTACAA	AAGCGAAGCAATTCCATGTC
<i>Igfl</i>	TGGATGCTCTTCAGTCGTG	GTCTTGGGCATGTCAGTGTG
<i>INHA</i>	ATGCACAGGACCTCTGAACC	GGATGGCCGGAATACATAAG
<i>INHBA</i>	ATCATCACCTTGCCGAGTC	CCCTTTAACCCCATTTCCTC
<i>INHBB</i>	CGAGATCATCAGCTTGAG	TCCACCTTCTTCTCCACCAC
<i>Irs2</i>	GTAGTTCAAGGTCGCCCTG	CAGCTATTGGGACCACCACT
<i>Jun</i>	AAAACCTTGAAGCGAAAAA	CGCAACCAGTCAAGTTCTCA
<i>Junb</i>	GCAGCTACTTTCGGGTCAG	TTCATCTTGTGCAGGTCGTC
<i>Klf5</i>	GCCAGTTAACCGCCAACTC	GGTGCACTTGTAGGGCTTCT
<i>Lhb</i>	AGTTCTGCCAGTCTGCATC	GACCCCCACAGTCAGAGCTA
<i>Lhcgr</i>	CTGAAAACCTGCCCTCCAG	AATCGTAATCCCAGCCACTG
<i>Lox</i>	CAGGGATTGAGCCTGGATG	ACTGGGAACTGGGCTTCTT
<i>Mapk10</i>	GATGAAAGGGAGCACACCAT	AGTGTCAAGATGCGAGGGTCT
<i>Pdk4</i>	GCTTGCCTAACCTCTCGTCT	CCTGCTTGGATACACCAGT
<i>Pomc</i>	GAAGATGCCGAGATTCTGCT	TTTCAGTCAGGGCTGTT
<i>Prl</i>	CAAGGAACAAGCCCTGAAAG	ATCCCATTCTTGGCTTC
<i>Star</i>	AGAGGTTCCACCTGTGTGCT	GGTTGGCGAACTCTATCTGG
<i>Tshb</i>	TCAACACCACCATCTGTGCT	TCTGACAGCCTCGTGTATGC

Supplemental Table 2:
Verification of microarray data for selected genes by qPCR.

Gene Symbol	Foxo-d25/wt (array/qPCR)	Foxo-2m/wt (array/qPCR)
Foxo family members		
<i>Foxo1</i>	-6.7 -8.2	-40.6 -66.8
<i>Foxo3</i>	1.9 12.9	1.4 -8.4
<i>Foxo4</i>	-1.1 -3.1	-1.1 -48.6
TGF beta family		
<i>Inha</i>	1 1	1 1.4
<i>Inhba</i>	1.4 2.1	1.2 2.1
<i>Inhbb</i>	1.2 1.4	1.1 1.7
<i>Fst</i>	-1.1 1.1	-1.9 -1.9
<i>Gdf9</i>	1.9 3.5	-1.3 1.1
Steroids		
<i>Cyp11a1</i>	1.6 2.4	5.2 11.5
<i>Cyp17a1</i>	1.9 3.6	9.9 33
<i>Cyp19a1</i>	-2.2 -2.3	-1.1 2.2
<i>Akr1c14</i>	-2.3 -2.1	-3.5 -3.6
<i>Star</i>	-1.6 -1.1	5.2 16.2
Transcription Factor		
<i>Nr0b1</i>	-3.5 -2.9	-5.5 -3.4
<i>Nr5a1</i>	-1.5 -1.1	1.6 3.1
<i>Nr5a2</i>	-2.1 1	-2.3 1
Apoptosis		
<i>Arnt2</i>	-1.9 -1.6	-5.1 -4.4
<i>Bcat1</i>	-5.0 -3.0	-10.6 -6.9
<i>Bcl2l11</i>	-1.5 -3.8	-1.5 -4.9
<i>Mapk10</i>	-2.1 -2	-2.5 -1.9
Cancer		
<i>Myc</i>	-2.1 -1.6	-3.5 -2.9
<i>Trp53</i>	-1.5 -1.1	-1.8 -1.2
DNA damage		
<i>Gadd45a</i>	-2.1 -8.1	-2.6 -4.5
Other genes of Interest		
<i>Stc1</i>	24.7 66.1	19.1 51.1
<i>Mylk</i>	4.2 9.6	5.3 16.9
<i>Fbn2</i>	-6.0 -5.2	-9.2 -9.8
<i>Rgs13</i>	-5.8 -3.9	-5.2 -4
<i>Fshr</i>	1.3 1.9	1.2 2.1
<i>Lhcgr</i>	1.7 2.4	5.5 14.8
<i>Ccnd2</i>	-1.4 -1.3	-1.9 -1.6
<i>Ctgf</i>	-2.4 -2.2	-2.8 -2.3
<i>Hoxc8</i>	2.7 3.4	3.3 6.1
<i>Hoxd8</i>	2.6 4.6	4.7 9.7
<i>Igflr</i>	-2 -2.4	-2.6 -3.6

Note: Data are the average fold change for the indicated samples.

Supplemental Table 3: Top bio functions of genes changed in d25 dKO samples.

Category	Gene Names	# Genes
Cardiovascular Disease	ANGPT2,BCAN,BCAT1,CASQ2,CDH13,CNTF,CRYAB,CTNNA2,DDAH1,FAM19A5,FAM40B,FHL2,FOXO1,FOXP1,HBA1/HBA2,IRS2,ITIH5,KCNQ5,LIMCH1,LRP8,MTUS2,MYBPC3,MYLK,MYOM1,NT5E,PDE5A,PIK3R1,PLA2G5,PLN,PNPT1,RGS13,SERPINA5,SLC25A48,THBS2,TNC1,UNC13D	36
Gastrointestinal Disease	CNTF,CXCL2,FOXO1,IRS2,MYLK,NEU3,NT5E,PDE5A,PIK3R1,SERPINNA1,SMPX,THBS4,TNNC1	13
Developmental Disorder	ANGPT2,CASQ2,CNTF,CRYAB,FHL2,H19,ITGA7,MYBPC3,MYOM1,NR0B1,NT5E,PDE5A,PIK3R1,PLN	14
Endocrine System Disorders	BCAT1,CD7,CDH13,CNTF,CTNNA2,DDAH1,FAM19A5,FOXO1,FOXO4,FOXP1,HBA1/HBA2,IRS2,ITIH5,KCNQ5,LIMCH1,LRP8,MTUS2,MYLK,MYOM1,NEU3,NR0B1,PDE5A,PIK3R1,SERPINA1,SERPINA5,SPECC1,TDGF1,TRIM15	28
Metabolic Disease	ASS1,CNTF,FOXO1,FOXO4,IRS2,NEU3,PIK3R1	7

Supplemental Table 4: Top bio functions of genes changed in 2 month old *Foxo1/3dKO* mice.

Category	Gene Names	# Genes
Cancer	1600029D21Rik, ADH1C, ADM, AGTR1, ALDH1A1, ANG, AOC3, BCAN, BCL11A, CAMK2N1, CAPN6, CDH5, CENPA, Clca1/Clca2, CTSC, CXCL2, CXCR7, CYP11A1, CYP17A1, CYTIP, DPYSL4, EDN1, EFEMP1, EFS, ENPEP, EPHX1, ETS1, FBN2, FHL2, FOLR1, FOXO1, FOXO4, FST, FUBP1, H19, HMGA2, HSD17B11, HSD17B3, IGF1R, IL13RA1, IRS2, ITIH5, JAK1, KCNJ5, KCNK2, KRT20, LGALS3, LHCGR, LRP8, MAF, MGLL, MLF1, MSI1, MYC, MYF5, NR0B1, NR3C1, NRP1, PDE5A, PDK4, PIK3R1, PLP1, RGNEF, RNASEL, SECTM1, SERPINA3, SERPINA5, SLC9A3R1, SMC4, ST5, STAR, STAT1, STC1, SULT1A1, TDGF1, TEK, TGM2, TLR2, TM4SF1, TNC, TNS4, TUBA8, ZBTB16	83
Cardiovascular Disease	ABLIM1,ADAMTS19,ADM,AFF3,AGTR1,ALDH1A1,ANK2,AOC3,AQP2,BCAN,BCAT1,BCL11A,CASQ2,CNTF,CNTN4,COL9A2,CTSC,CXCR7,DDAH1,DNAH7,EDN1,ENPEP,EPHX1,ETS1,FBN2,FGD5,FHL2,FOLR1,FOXO1,HJURP,HMGA2,IGF1R,IRS2,ITIH5,JPH1,KCNJ5,KCNK2,KCNQ5,LHCGR,LIMCH1,LRP8,MGLL,MLF1,MSI1,MYH6,MYLK,MYOM1,NCF2,NR3C1,PDE5A,PID1,PIK3R1,PLN,PPP1R12B,RGS13,RNF182,SERPINA5,SLC26A7,SYBU,TAC1,TEK,TLR2,TNFAIP6,TNNT2,TUBA8,UNC13D	66
Developmental Disorder	ADM,AGTR1,ALDH1A1,ANK2,CASQ2,CNTF,COL9A2,CTSC,CYP11A1,EDN1,FBN2,FHL2,FST,H19,HMGA2,IGF1R,KCNJ5,LGALS3,LHCGR,MYC,MYH6,MYOM1,NR0B1,PDE5A,PIK3R1,PLN,STC1,TLR2,TNNT2,WNNT4	30
Endocrine System Disorders	ABLIM1,AFF3,AGTR1,ALDH1A1,ANK2,AOC3,BCAT1,CENPE,CNTF,CNTN4,COL27A1,CXCR7,CYP11A1,CYP17A1,DDAH1,DNAH7,EFEMP1,ETS1,FADS2,FAM129A,FBN2,FOXO1,FOXO4,FST,HSD17B3,IGF1R,IRS2,ITIH5,KCNJ5,KCNK1,KCNQ5,LGALS3,LHCGR,LIMCH1,LRP8,MLF1,MYC,MYLK,MYOM1,NCF2,NR0B1,NR3C1,NRP1,NTNG1,PDE5A,PIK3R1,PLAGL1,PLCH1,PPP1R12B,RGNEF,SERPINA3,SERPINA5,SPEC1,STAR,TDGF1,TGM2,TMEFF1,TNNT2,TUBA8,ZBTB16,ZNF385B	61
Genetic Disorder	ABCD2,ABLIM1,ADAMTS19,ADH1C,ADM,AFF3,AGTR1,ALAS2,ALDH1A1,ANG,ANK2,AOC3,AQP2,ARNT2,BCAN,BCAT1,BCL11A,CAMK2N1,CAPN6,CASQ2,CDC42EP3,CENPA,CENPE,CNTF,CNTN4,COL14A1,COL27A1,COL9A2,CTSC,CXCL2,CXCR7,CYP11A1,CYP17A1,CYTIP,DDAH1,DNAH7,EDN1,EFEMP1,ENPEP,EPHX1,FADS2,FAM129A,FAM81A,FBN2,FGD5,FHL2,FOLR1,FOXO1,FST,FUBP1,FXYD1,H19,HJURP,HLA-DMB,HMGA2,HSD17B11,HSD17B3,IGF1R,IL13RA1,IRS2,ITIH5,IVNS1ABP,JAK1,JPH1,KCNJ5,KCNK1,KCNK2,KCNQ5,KRT20,LDB3,LGALS3,LHCGR,LIMCH1,LRP8,LRRK3B,MAF,MGLL,MLF1,MYC,MYH6,MYLK,MYOM1,NCF2,NR0B1,NR3C1,NRP1,NTNG1,PDE5A,PDK4,PIK3R1,PLA2G1B,PLAGL1,PLN,PLP1,PPARGC1B,PPP1R12B,PTPRB,RGNEF,RGS13,RNASEL,SERPINA3,SERPINA5,SLC26A7,SLC9A3R1,SLCO2A1,SLITRK1,SMC4,SNCAIP,SPEC1,STAR,STAT1,SULT1A1,SYBU,TAC1,TDGF1,TEK,TGM2,TLR2,TMEFF1,TMPRSS13,TNC,TNFAIP6,TNNT2,TNS4,TUBA8,TUFT1,UBA7,UNC13D,WNT4,ZBTB16,ZNF385B	131

Supplemental Table 5:
Number of putative transcription factor
DNA binding response elements in the
proximal promoters of genes of interest.

Gene promoter	SMAD	FOXO	SP1	AP1	SF1
Growth-related Genes					
<i>Ctgf(ccn2)*</i>	1	6	1	1	0
<i>Amh</i>	1	2	6	0	4
<i>Lox</i>	5	2	6	0	1
<i>Foxo1</i>	1	2	8	0	0
<i>Foxo3</i>	1	1	13	4	0
<i>Igfl</i>	4	9	4	20	2
<i>Nr0b1*</i>	0	3	1	0	0
<i>Inhba</i>	1	3	1	2	0
<i>Irs2</i>	2	9	20	4	2
Metabolism & Apoptosis-related Genes					
<i>Bmp2</i>	2	2	7	0	0
<i>Klf5*</i>	1	6	9	2	1
<i>Bcl2l11(Bim)*</i>	1	1	13	1	0
<i>Mapk10</i>	1	3	7	6	1
<i>Pdk4*</i>	2	2	4	3	1

Note: Putative transcription factor DNA binding response elements in the proximal promoters (-800bp) of growth-related, metabolism and apoptosis-related genes. *Denotes genes known to be up-regulated by FOXO1. The results are summarized according to the promoter information obtained from Genomatix (<http://www.genomatix.de/en/index.html>).