

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Effects of Toxicologically Relevant Xenobiotics and the Lipid-Derived Electrophile 4-Hydroxynonenal on Macrophage Cholesterol Efflux: Silencing Carboxylesterase 1 Has Paradoxical Effects on Cholesterol Uptake and Efflux

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Figure S1. Cholesteryl ester (CE) mass in THP-1 macrophages incubated in culture medium containing acLDL (50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$) for 24 h, followed by overnight incubation in equilibration medium (i.e., no cholesterol acceptors present in media). The end of the cholesterol-loading phase is defined as time 0. CE mass was also measured after a 24-h efflux phase in which foam cells were incubated in culture medium containing the universal cholesterol acceptor, 10% FBS. Data represent the mean \pm SD of 3 dishes per group; * $p < 0.05$, relative to non-acLDL loaded cells, Student's *t*-test; # $p < 0.05$, relative to acLDL-loaded cells at time 0, Student's *t*-test.

Figure S2. Cholesterol mass (CE, FC, and TC) in THP-1 macrophage foam cells (loaded with 50 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ acLDL for 24 h, followed by overnight incubation in equilibration medium) after 24-h incubation in FBS-free medium containing either vehicle (-) or ACATi (+). CE, cholesteryl esters; FC, free cholesterol; TC, total cholesterol. Data represent the mean \pm SD of 2 dishes per group.

Figure S3. Evidence for the knockdown of CES1 expression in THP-1 cells. (A) Immunoblot of THP-1 macrophage lysates, Control (scrambled shRNA) and CES1 KD (CES1 shRNA) cells. rCES1 indicates recombinant human CES1 protein used as a marker. CES1 and β -actin proteins were detected with antibodies specific for each protein. (B) Activity-based protein profiling blot of Control and CES1 KD THP-1 monocytes. Note the absence of a CES1 band in the CES1 KD cells around 60 kDa. Cathepsin (Cath) G and PPT1 designations are based on Wang et al. (2013).¹ rCES1 indicates recombinant human CES1 protein. (C) Esterase activities (mAbsorbance/min) of Control and CES1 KD THP-1 monocytes following treatment with increasing amounts of paraoxon. Equivalent amounts of cell lysate protein were treated with indicated amount of paraoxon or vehicle (ethanol, 0.1% v/v) for 30 min, followed by

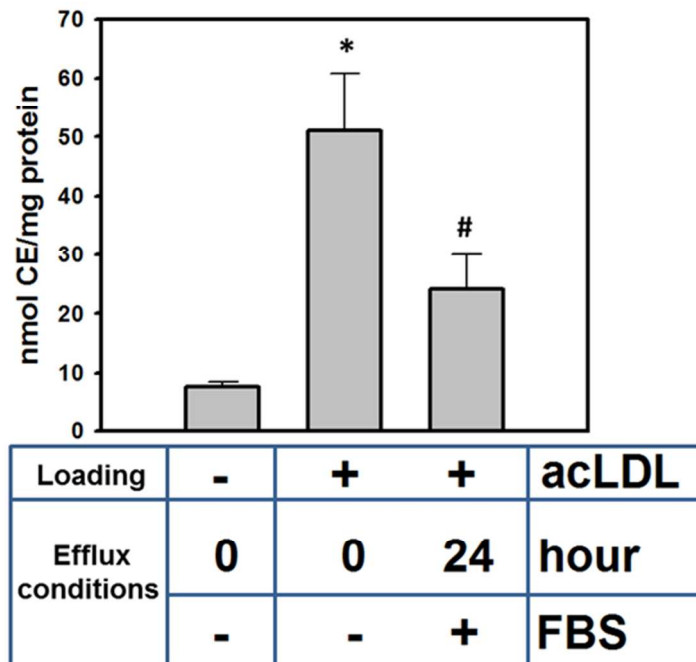
determination of the p-nitrophenyl valerate (pNPV) hydrolysis activity.² Data represent the mean \pm SD of 3 determinations.

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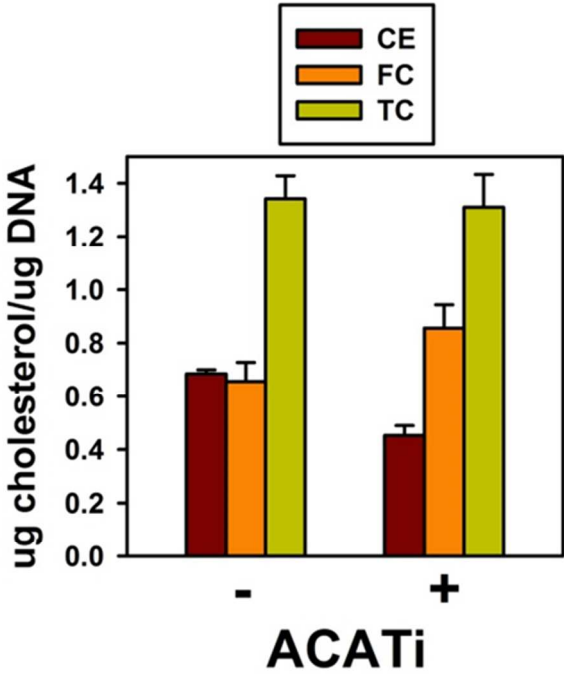
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Supplementary Figure 1



Supplementary Figure 2



Supplementary Figure 3

