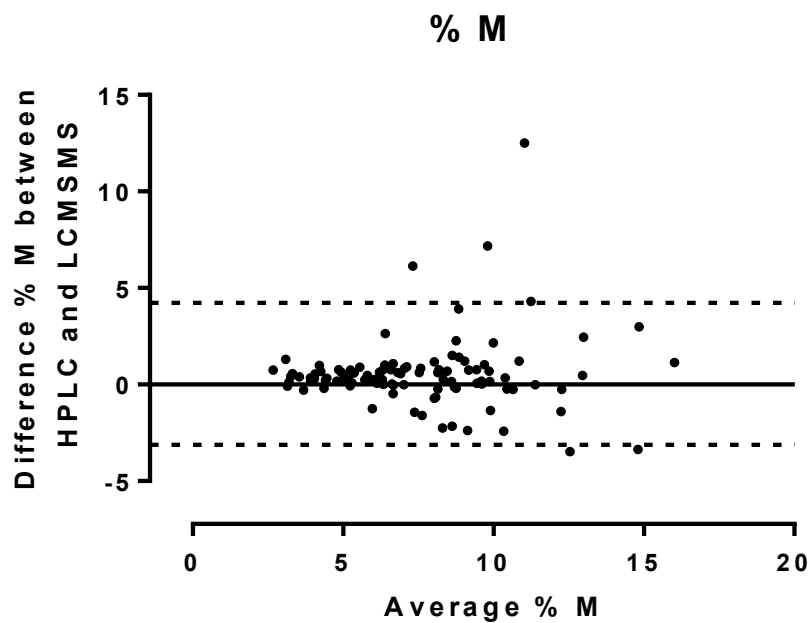
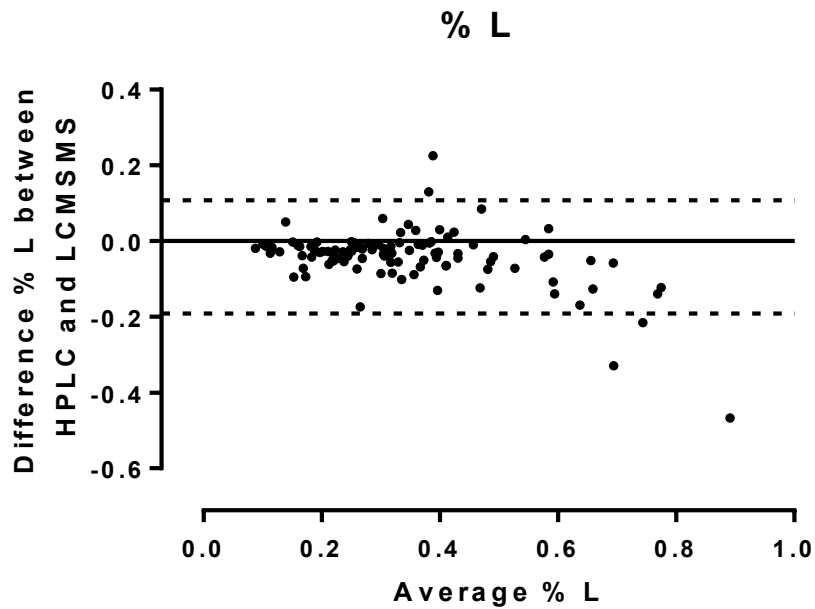


**SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 1.** Comparison of the measurements of lactulose (%L) and mannitol (%M) using two methods of analysis: HPLC (high performance liquid chromatography) and LC-MSMS (liquid chromatography-tandem mass spectrometry).



Bland-Altman plots show the differences in %L and %M, the solid horizontal line represents the mean and the dashed lines the 95% confidence interval, referred as the limits of agreement.