

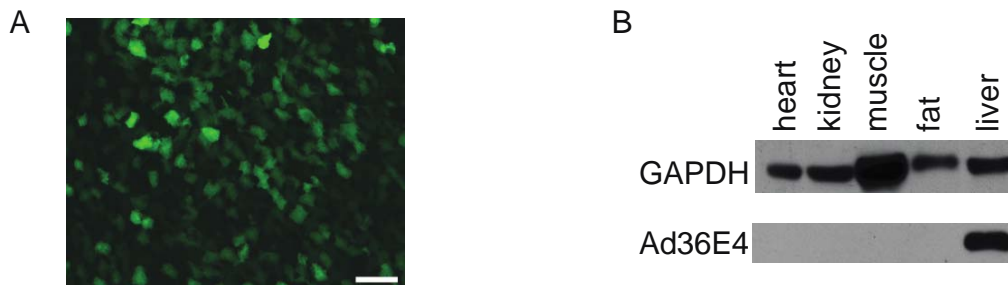
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**Hepatic Expression of Adenovirus 36 E4ORF1 Improves Glycemic Control and Promotes Glucose Metabolism via Akt Activation**

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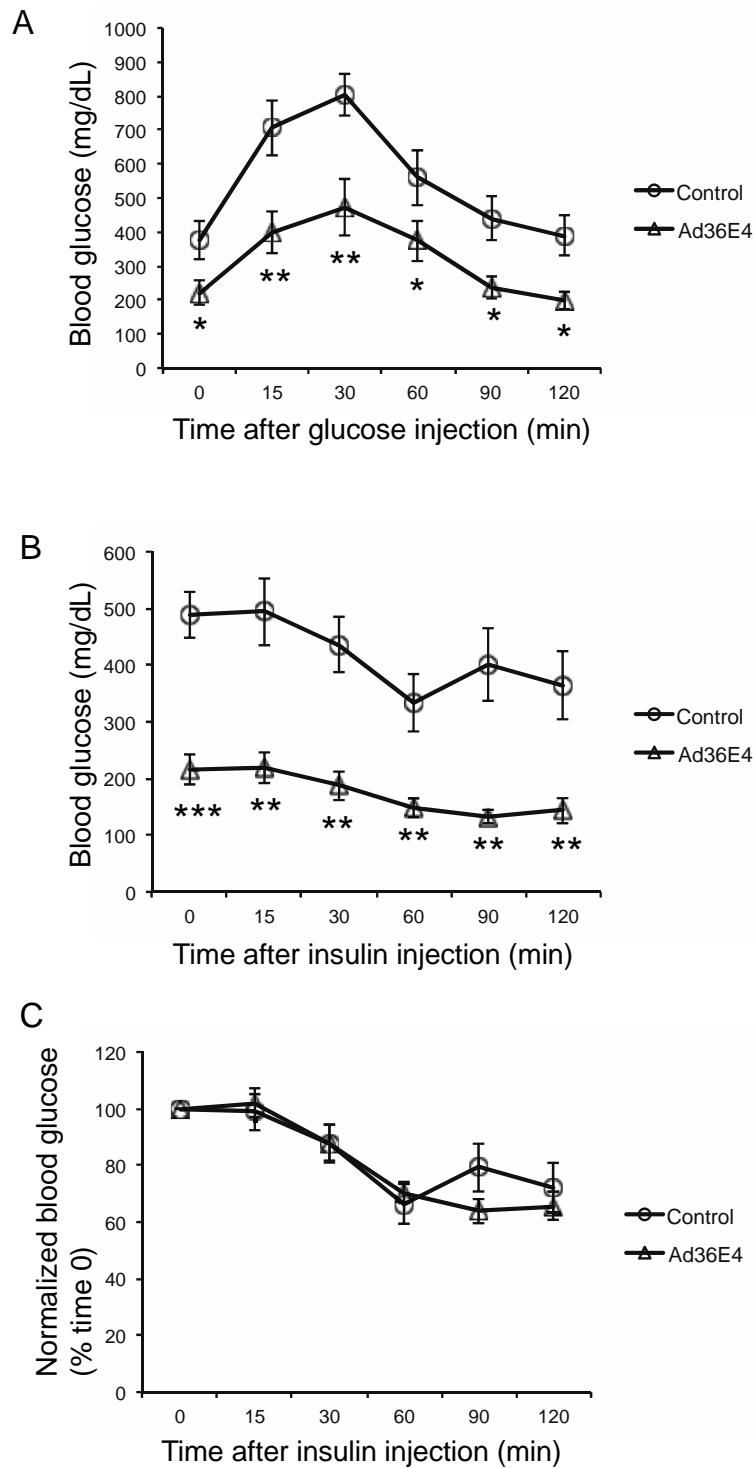
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**Supplementary Figure S1. Pilot study of intravenous injection of rAAV to wild type mice.** (A) GFP fluorescence in the liver of mice receiving rAAV-GFP. Scale bar: 100  $\mu$ m. (B) Western blots of Ad36E4ORF1 in various tissues of a mouse receiving rAAV-Ad36E4ORF1.



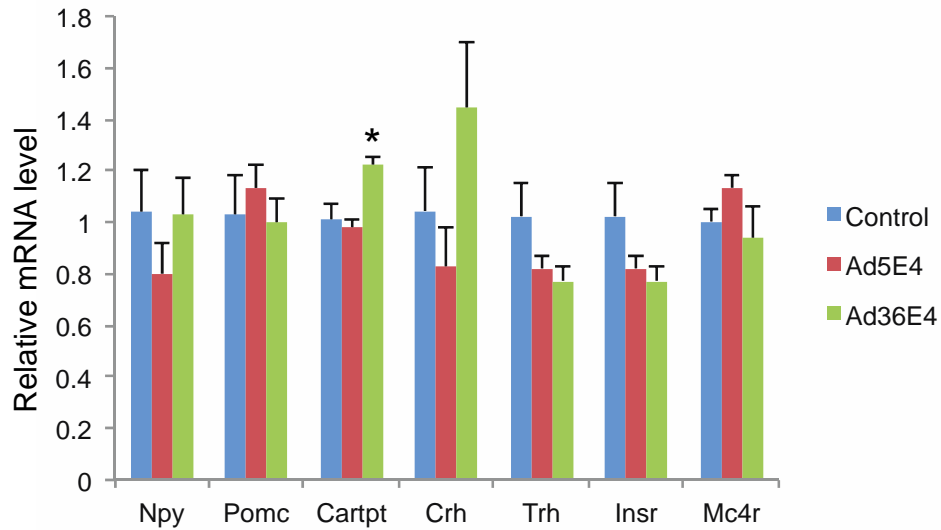
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**Supplementary Figure S2. Ad36E4ORF1 gene transfer in *db/db*.** (A) Glucose tolerance test. (B, C) Insulin tolerance test. n=8 per group. Data are means  $\pm$  SEM. \*  $P < 0.05$ , \*\*  $P < 0.01$ , \*\*\*  $P < 0.001$ .



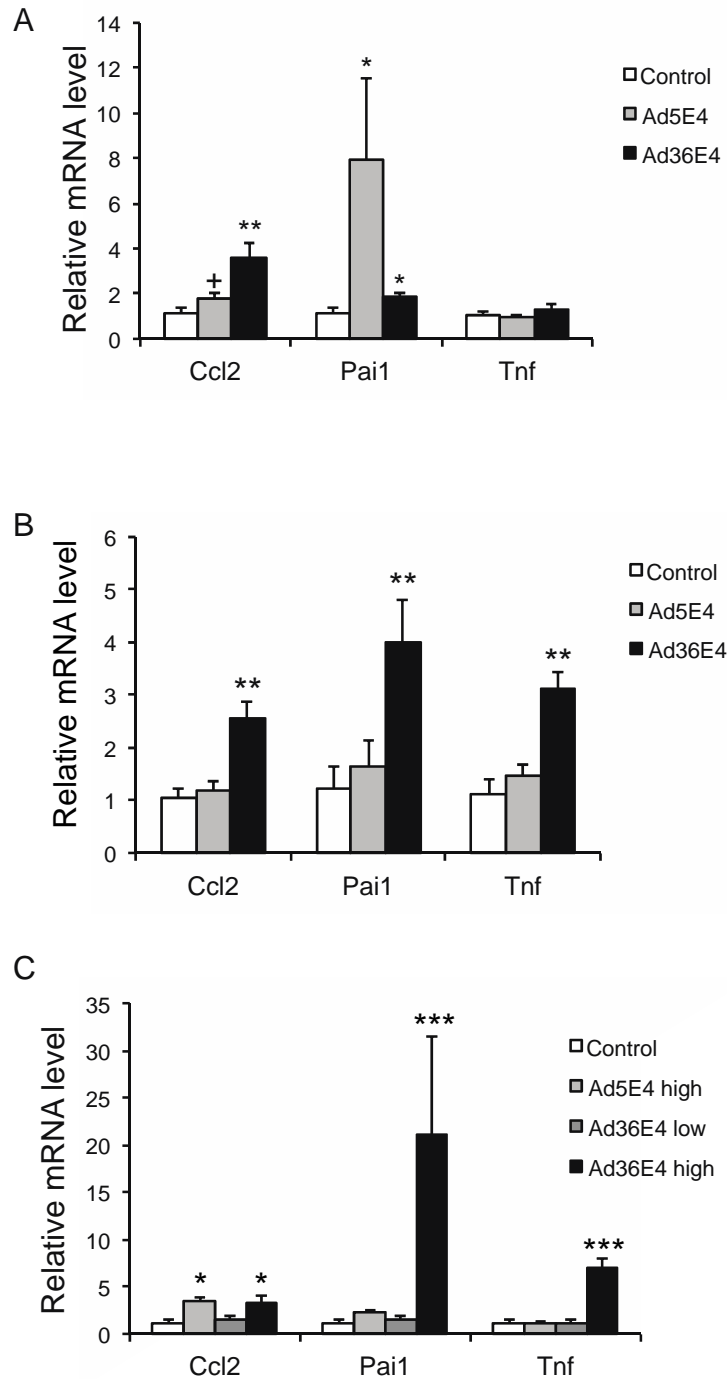
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**Supplementary Figure S3. Gene expression of hypothalamus in Ad36E4ORF1 and Ad5E4ORF1 treated *db/db* mice.** n=4 per group. \*  $P < 0.05$  compared to YFP control. Npy, neuropeptide Y; Pomc, proopiomelanocortin; Cartpt, cocaine-amphetamine-regulated transcript; Crh, corticotropin-releasing hormone; Trh, thyrotropin-releasing hormone; Insr, insulin receptor; Mc4r, melanocortin-4 receptor



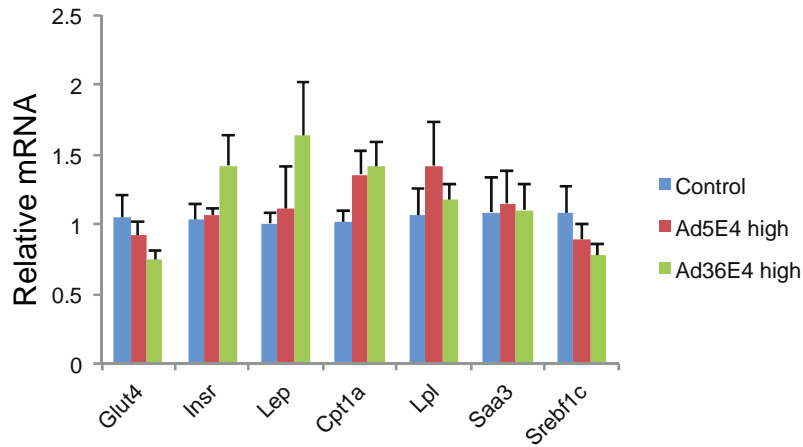
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**Supplementary Figure S4. Inflammatory gene expression of liver in Ad36E4ORF1 and Ad5E4ORF1 treated *db/db*, DIO, and normal wild type mice.** (A) *db/db* mice. n=8 Control, n=5 Ad5E4ORF1, n=5 Ad36E4ORF1. (B) DIO mice. n=5 per group. (C) Normal wild type mice. n=5 per group. Low:  $2 \times 10^9$ , high:  $2 \times 10^{10}$  vg per mouse. Data are means  $\pm$  SEM. \*  $P < 0.05$ , \*\*  $P < 0.01$ , \*\*\*  $P < 0.001$  compared to YFP control.



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**Supplementary Figure S5. Gene expression of abdominal fat depot in Ad36E4ORF1 and Ad5E4ORF1 treated wild type mice.** n=5 per group. Data are means  $\pm$  SEM. high:  $2 \times 10^{10}$  vg per mouse. Glut4, glucose transporter type 4; Insr, insulin receptor; Lep, leptin; Cpt1a, carnitine palmitoyltransferase 1A; Lpl, lipoprotein lipase; Saa3, serum amyloid A3; Srebf1c, sterol regulatory element-binding protein.



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**Supplementary Table S1. Liver function panel of *db/db* mice**

	<b>ALB</b> (g/dL)	<b>ALP</b> (U/L)	<b>ALT</b> (U/L)	<b>AST</b> (U/L)	<b>DBILI</b> (mg/dL)	<b>GGT</b> (U/L)	<b>GLOB</b> (U/L)	<b>TBILI</b> (mg/dL)	<b>TPROT</b> (g/dL)
<b>Control</b>	3.45±0.09	193.86±10.26	205.88±41.20	230.25±23.66	0.26±0.04	3.13±0.44	2.09±0.06	0.29±0.04	5.54±0.11
<b>Ad5E4</b>	3.35±0.10	238.38±13.03*	244.75±49.44	383.75±87.35	0.24±0.02	4.5±0.65	2.25±0.06	0.24±0.02	5.6±0.10
<b>Ad36E4</b>	3.56±0.06	326.88±13.20*	289.50±23.51	295.25±22.12	0.28±0.05	3.75±0.53	2.48±0.08*	0.31±0.04	6.04±0.13*

Data are means ± SEM. n=8 per groups, \*  $P<0.05$  compared to Control.

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**Supplementary Table S2. Quantification of western blot of *db/db* mice**

	pAKT S473	pAKT T308	Ras	ric1	Myc	pFoxo1	pIR	pIRS2	Chrebp	Srebp1
<b>Control</b>	1±0.08	1±0.26	1±0.04	1±0.21	1±0.01	1±0.11	1±0.19	1±0.10	1±0.13	1±0.32
<b>Ad5E4</b>	0.74±0.08	0.97±0.60	1.34±0.09*	0.77±0.05	0.99±0.09	0.68±0.09	0.92±0.13	1.24±0.62	0.53±0.04	0.33±0.10
<b>Ad36E4</b>	1.51±0.05**	3.38±0.81*	1.16±0.14	0.71±0.20	0.95±0.03	0.66±0.17	0.69±0.08	0.80±0.08	0.60±0.04	0.35±0.12

Data are means ± SEM. n=3 per groups, \*  $P<0.05$ , \*\*  $P<0.01$  compared to Control. Phospho-proteins are calibrated to the respective total protein.



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**Supplementary Table S3. Quantification of western blot of DIO mice**

	pAKT S473	pAKT T308	Ras	ricor	pFoxo1	pIR	Chrebp	Srebp1
<b>Control</b>	1±0.38	1±0.30	1±0.28	1±0.13	1±0.09	1±0.30	1±0.19	1±0.11
<b>Ad5E4</b>	0.42±0.23	0.40±0.19	1.17±0.23	0.74±0.19	1.16±0.12	1.38±0.12	0.89±0.11	0.58±0.07*
<b>Ad36E4</b>	1.59±0.13*	2.88±0.45*	0.64±0.06	0.54±0.06*	0.75±0.14	1.05±0.21	0.52±0.03	0.70±0.11

Data are means ± SEM. n=3 per groups, \*  $P<0.05$ , \*\*  $P<0.01$  compared to Control. Phospho-proteins are calibrated to the respective total protein. Quantification by Image J or Image Studio. Some blots had high background and were unable to be processed by the software.

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**Supplementary Table S4. Quantification of western blot of normal WT mice**

	pAKT S473	pAKT T308	Ras	riCTOR	pFoxo1	Chrebp	Srebp1
<b>Control</b>	1±0.12	1±0.33	1±0.10	1±0.15	1±0.15	1±0.14	1±0.10
<b>Ad5E4</b>	1.99±0.75	3.05±0.92	0.74±0.10	1.54±0.06*	1.27±0.11*	1.06±0.21	1.21±0.34
<b>Ad36E4</b>	2.48±0.14***	5.72±1.15*	0.85±0.16	1.11±0.08	2.28±0.26*	1.49±0.09*	1.47±0.08*

Data are means ± SEM. n=3-5 per groups, \*  $P<0.05$ , \*\*\*  $P<0.001$  compared to Control. Phospho-proteins are calibrated to the respective total protein. Quantification by Image J or Image Studio.