Exendin-4 Exhibits Enhanced Anti-tumor Effects in

Diabetic Mice

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Supporting Information

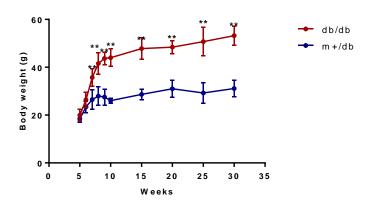
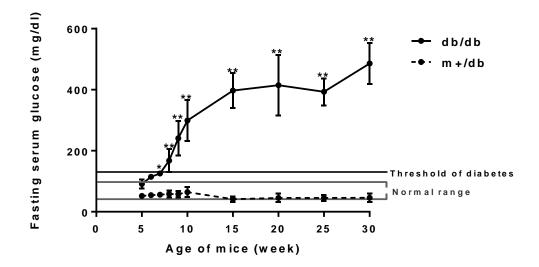


Figure S1. Change in body weight with age in db/db and m+/db (control) mice. Body weight of db/db and non-diabetic littermates (m+/db) was measured weekly from 5 to 30 weeks of age (n=10). Each point represents means \pm S.D. ** p < 0.001, diabetic group compared with control group.

A. Fasting serum glucose concentration of db/db and m+/db mice



B. Serum glucose concentration at 2 hours during OGTT of db/db and m+/db mice

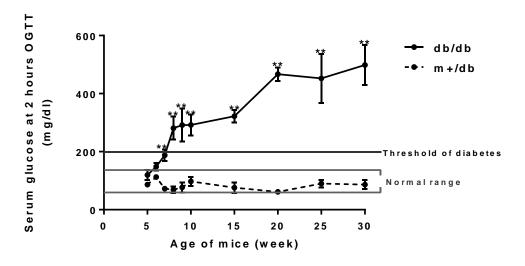


Figure S2. Change in blood glucose level with age in db/db and m+/db mice. Oral glucose tolerance test (OGTT) was performed weekly in db/db and m+/db mice from 5 to 30 weeks of age (n=10). Serum glucose concentration was measured using Autokit Glucose (Wako, Japan). (A) Fasting serum glucose concentration and (B) Serum glucose concentration at 2 hours during OGTT of db/db and m+/db mice are shown. The solid line indicates the threshold for diagnosis of diabetes. Each point represents mean \pm S.E.M. * P < 0.05, ** P < 0.001, db/db compared with m+/db mice

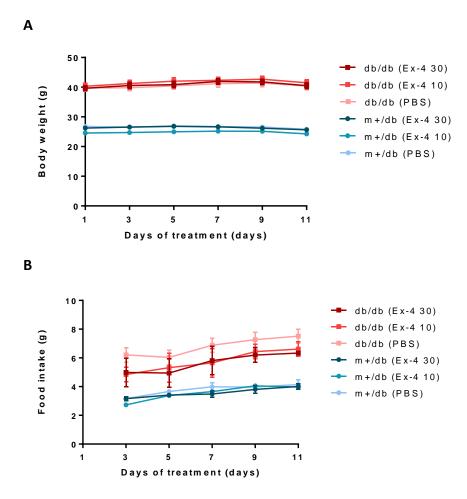


Figure S3. Body weight and daily food consumption in CUP-1 subcutaneous allograft db/db and m+/db mice injection with exendin-4 or PBS (control). Male db/db and db/m+ mice inoculated with $2x10^7$ CUP-1 cells were injected with exendin-4 intraperitoneally (10 or 30 nM/kg body weight) or PBS daily for 13 days. (A) Body weight and (B) daily food consumption were measured every other day in the db/db and m+/db mice (n = 10). Data are expressed as mean \pm S.E.M. Ex4 30 indicates the mice treated with 30 nM/kg body weight Exendin-4; Ex4 10 indicates the mice treated with 10 nM/kg body weight Exendin-4.

Parameter	db/db			db/m+		
	PBS	Ex-4 10	Ex-4 30	PBS	Ex-4 10	Ex-4 30
Fasting insulin (ng/ml) ^a	1.7 ± 0.6	2.5 ± 0.6*	2.6 ± 0.6*	0.3 ± 0.1	0.3 ± 0.1	0.2 ± 0.1
HOMA-IR ^b HOMA-IS ^b	18.3 ± 0.5 65.5 ±8.2	12.1 ± 1.3 ^{**} 113.4 ± 69.7 ^{**}	8.5 ± 1.3 ^{**} 127.1 ± 50.4 ^{**}	0.9 ± 0.2 26.8 ± 9.96	1.2 ± 0.3 28.5 ± 2.38	0.7 ± 0.1 20.4 ± 3.36

Table S1 Fasting serum insulin, HOMA-IR and HOMA-IS of db/db and m+/db mice in 13-day exendin-4 treatment

Ex-4 10 and Ex-4 30 represent mice treated with 10 and 30 nM/kg exendin-4, respectively. PBS indicates the mice injected with PBS as control. Data are expressed as mean \pm S.E.M. * P < 0.005, ** P < 0.001, compared with PBS in the corresponding db/db or m+/db group.

^a Fasting serum insulin level was measured at day 13 of exendin-4 treatment using insulin ELISA Kit (Millipore, USA).

^b Homeostasis model assessment of insulin resistance (HOMA-IR) and insulin secretion (HOMA-IS) were calculated to measure insulin resistance and insulin secretion, respectively.