## Supplementary information for:

## Extended indirect calorimetry with isotopic CO<sub>2</sub> sensors for prolonged and continuous quantification of exogenous *vs.* total substrate oxidation in mice

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## Supplementary Table S1 and Supplementary Figures S1 and S2

**Supplementary Table S1.** Metabolic characteristics of the female C57BL/6JRccHsd mice fed HDD and LDD from postnatal week (PW) 4 to PW 6, and HFD from PW 7 to PW 15 (second mouse study).

Parameter	PW 6			PW 15		
	HDD	LDD	<i>P</i> -value	HDD	LDD	<i>P</i> -value
BW (g)	17.02 (15.40, 19.28)	17.42 (15.35, 18.49)	0.0266	$30.69 \pm 3.00$	$32.44 \pm 3.63$	0.0744
FM (g)	1.51 (0.76, 2.83)	1.47 (0.82, 2.65)	0.8902	$9.38 \pm 2.47$	$11.04 \pm 3.06$	0.0442
LM (g)	$14.56 \pm 0.70$	$14.83 \pm 0.67$	0.1794	$19.87\pm0.91$	$19.90 \pm 0.69$	0.8744
FM gain (g) <sup>1</sup>	0.63 (0.02, 1.96)	0.66 (-0.07, 1.80)	0.9425	$7.85 \pm 2.29$	$9.48 \pm 2.96$	0.0381
dEI (MJ) <sup>1</sup>	0.88 (0.73, 1.05)	0.97 (0.86, 1.04)	< 0.0001	$3.67 \pm 0.30$	$3.71 \pm 0.25$	0.5839
24 h EE (kJ $d^{-1}$ ) <sup>2</sup>	ND	ND	-	$43.93 \pm 2.91$	$44.55 \pm 2.99$	0.4745
24 h RER <sup>3</sup>	ND	ND	-	$0.82 \pm 0.04$	$0.80 \pm 0.03$	0.0698
$\Delta \text{RER} (\text{RER}_{44} - \text{RER}_0)^2$	ND	ND	-	0.17 (0.10, 0.19)	0.16 (0.11, 0.20)	0.4436
Fasting glucose (mmol l <sup>-1</sup> )	ND	ND	-	5.8 (4.9, 7.2)	6.0 (5.2, 7.1)	0.5245
Fasting insulin (ng ml <sup>-1</sup> )	ND	ND	-	2.72 (0.85, 8.95)	2.31 (1.06, 3.45)	0.6049
Postprandial glucose (mmol l <sup>-1</sup> )	ND	ND	-	7.1 ± 1.3	6.8 ± 1.7	0.6811
Postprandial insulin (ng ml <sup>-1</sup> )	ND	ND	-	$4.31 \pm 2.85$	$4.48 \pm 1.42$	0.8622

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distributed data) or a Mann Whitney test (non-normally distributed data). Data is presented as median and range (BW PW 6, FM PW 6, FM gain PW 6, dEI PW 6,  $\Delta$ RER, fasting blood glucose, fasting blood insulin) or otherwise as mean ± SD, *n* = 24 per group (except  $\Delta$ RER, HDD: *n* = 24, LDD: *n* = 23; fasting glucose and insulin, *n* = 12 per group; and postprandial glucose and insulin, HDD: *n* = 11, LDD: *n* = 12)



**Supplementary Figure S1.** Changes in food intake and <sup>13</sup>CO<sub>2</sub> enrichment in mice fed chow and then switched HDD or LDD, or remaining on chow. Chow-fed mice (n = 12) were adapted to indirect calorimetry cages for 2 d, after which mice were allowed a restricted amount (1.1 g) of chow 1 h before the onset of the dark phase. At the end of the following light phase, mice were re-fed with a restricted amount (1.1 g) of chow, or HDD or LDD (n = 4). Before the following dark phase mice received *ad libitum* access to the same diet they were allocated the day before, and measurements continued for 5.5 d (see Fernández-Calleja *et al.*<sup>1</sup> for details). (**a**) 24 h cumulative food intake and (**b**) 24 h mean <sup>13</sup>C enrichment immediately before food restriction and the day after *ad libitum* re-feeding. Tables show statistical output of repeated-measures 2-way analysis of variance. \*P < 0.05, \*\*P < 0.01, Bonferroni multiple comparisons. Data is presented as mean ± SD. HDD, highly digestible starch-diet; LDD, lowly digestible starch-diet.



**Supplementary Figure S2.** Refeeding metabolic response to a liquid mixed meal and its relation to body fat mass (FM) in mice fed a HFD for nine weeks (second mouse study). (a) Respiratory exchange ratio (RER) was measured in PW 14-15 after gavage of a single liquid mixed meal containing 36 energy% glucose and 64 energy% fat in mice fed the HDD (n = 24) or the LDD (n = 23) during early life and subsequently fed a HFD for nine weeks. Data was analysed with repeated-measures 2-way analysis of variance to directly test the hypothesis that RER response is influenced by the post-weaning diet. There were no significant effects of the post-weaning diet or its interaction with time. Data is presented as mean ± SD. Shaded areas represent the dark phase. (b) Data from panel (a), emphasizing the early postprandial 2 h period. Correlation analysis between FM and the re-feeding response ( $\Delta$ RER), measured as the increase from baseline RER to RER at 44 min postprandial, in mice originally fed HDD (c) or LDD (d) during early post-weaning. HDD, highly digestible starch-diet; LDD, lowly digestible starch-diet.

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