

Comparative adipose transcriptome analysis digs out genes related to fat deposition in two pig breeds

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Table S3. DEGs related to lipid metabolism and adipogenesis

| Ensemble ID | Gene Symble | Gene title | Function | Log ₂ (Fold change) | FDR |
|--------------------|----------------|--|---|-----------------------------------|----------|
| ENSSSCG00000018080 | ATP8 | ATP synthase F0 subunit 8 | Metabolic pathways 、 Oxidative phosphorylation and citric acid (TCA) cycle | -4.22 | 4.39E-13 |
| ENSSSCG00000024476 | CES3 | carboxylesterase 3 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins 、 Biological oxidations 、 LDL-mediated lipid transport 、 Lipid digestion, mobilization, and transport | -2.64 | 1.80E-09 |
| ENSSSCG00000006719 | HSD3B1 | hydroxy-delta-5-steroid dehydrogenase, 3 beta- and steroid delta-isomerase 1 | Aldosterone synthesis and secretion 、 Glucocorticoid biosynthesis 、 Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins 、 Metabolism of steroid hormones 、 Steroid hormone biosynthesis | -2.30 | 1.29E-08 |
| ENSSSCG00000038521 | CHAC1 | ChaC glutathione specific gamma-glutamylcyclotransferase 1 | Glutathione synthesis and recycling 、 Biological oxidation | -1.86 | 3.97E-06 |
| ENSSSCG00000040464 | LEP | leptin | Adipocytokine signaling pathway 、 AMPK signaling pathway、 Incretin synthesis | -1.57 | 8.64E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000039862 | TRIB3 | tribbles pseudokinase 3 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | -1.56 | 1.46E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000005638 | LCN2 | lipocalin 2 | Members of this family transport small hydrophobic molecules such as lipids, steroid hormones and retinoids. | -1.46 | 1.91E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000036438 | GPX3 | glutathione peroxidase 3 | Arachidonic acid metabolism、 Glutathione metabolism | -1.45 | 2.65E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000000647 | OLR1 | oxidized low density lipoprotein receptor 1 | PPAR signaling pathway | -1.40 | 4.93E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000030345 | INPP5J | inositol polyphosphate-5-phosphatase J | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | -1.38 | 2.78E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000003138 | HSD17B14 | hydroxysteroid 17-beta dehydrogenase 14 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | -1.31 | 2.96E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000015355 | DGKB | diacylglycerol kinase beta | Glycerolipid metabolism 、 Glycerophospholipid | -1.24 | 6.02E-03 |

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| ENSSSCG0000006890 | ABCA4 | ATP binding cassette subfamily A member 4 | metabolism active transport of a wide variety of substrates such as ions, sugars, lipids, sterols, peptides, proteins, and drugs | -1.23 | 2.72E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000010055 | GGT5 | gamma-glutamyltransferase 5 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | -1.18 | 3.80E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000032843 | AHRR | aryl-hydrocarbon receptor repressor | Fatty acid, triacylglycerol, and ketone body metabolism、Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins、PPARA activates gene expression | -1.16 | 1.19E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000011297 | ABHD5 | abhydrolase domain containing 5 | Lipid digestion, mobilization, and transport、Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins、Regulation of lipolysis in adipocytes、triacylglycerol biosynthesis | -1.14 | 1.53E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000028204 | TREH | trehalase | Metabolism of carbohydrates | -1.13 | 2.24E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000000660 | A2M | alpha-2-macroglobulin | Lipid digestion, mobilization, and transport、Lipoprotein metabolism、Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | -1.13 | 3.43E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000003788 | PTGER3 | prostaglandin E receptor 3 | Regulation of lipolysis in adipocytes | -1.09 | 2.40E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000011125 | GATA3 | GATA binding protein 3 | Adipogenesis | -1.07 | 2.82E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000012889 | CHKA | choline kinase alpha | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | -1.06 | 2.76E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000002828 | LPCAT2 | lysophosphatidylcholine acyltransferase 2 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | -1.05 | 3.35E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000016877 | NNT | nicotinamide nucleotide transhydrogenase | Pyruvate metabolism and Citric Acid (TCA) cycle | 1.00 | 4.65E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000006848 | SLC25A2 | solute carrier family 25 member 24 | ATP transport、mitochondrial transport | 1.01 | 4.87E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000016100 | NDUFB3 | NADH:ubiquinone oxidoreductase subunit B3 | Oxidative phosphorylation、the citric acid (TCA) cycle and respiratory electron transport | 1.03 | 4.61E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000009259 | PAQR3 | progesterin and adipoQ receptor family member 3 | Insulin receptor signalling cascade | 1.03 | 4.99E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000037792 | COX7A1 | cytochrome c oxidase subunit 7A1 | Oxidative phosphorylation | 1.04 | 4.22E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000006107 | PDP1 | pyruvate dehydrogenase phosphatase | Pyruvate metabolism and Citric Acid (TCA) cycle | 1.06 | 3.45E-02 |

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| | | catalytic subunit 1 | | | |
| ENSSSCG0000002374 | DLST | dihydrolipoamide S-succinyltransferase | Citrate cycle (TCA cycle) | 1.06 | 3.08E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000016516 | ATP6V0A4 | ATPase H ⁺ transporting V0 subunit a4 | Oxidative phosphorylation | 1.06 | 4.09E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000004172 | SLC2A12 | solute carrier family 2 member 12 | Transport of glucose and other sugars | 1.07 | 3.54E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000023818 | MRPS27 | mitochondrial ribosomal protein S27 | Mitochondrial translation | 1.09 | 4.06E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000015435 | NAMPT | nicotinamide phosphoribosyltransferase | Adipogenesis | 1.09 | 3.65E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000035537 | RUNX1 | RUNX family transcription factor 1 | Transport of glucose and other sugars | 1.11 | 1.92E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000025901 | LCLAT1 | lysocardiolipin acyltransferase 1 | Triacylglycerol biosynthesis | 1.11 | 1.91E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000024015 | FADS1 | fatty acid desaturase 1 | Biosynthesis of unsaturated fatty acids | 1.14 | 1.96E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000022197 | HS6ST1 | heparan sulfate 6-O-sulfotransferase 1 | Glycosaminoglycan biosynthesis | 1.15 | 1.31E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000029515 | PON3 | paraoxonase 3 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | 1.16 | 1.92E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000033626 | SREBF1 | sterol regulatory element binding transcription factor 1 | Adipogenesis, Insulin signaling pathway | 1.16 | 3.61E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000005719 | RAPGEF1 | Rap guanine nucleotide exchange factor 1 | Insulin signaling pathway | 1.17 | 3.35E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000014149 | MEF2C | myocyte enhancer factor 2C | Adipogenesis | 1.20 | 3.28E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000027017 | NR1D2 | nuclear receptor subfamily 1 group D member 2 | carbohydrate and lipid metabolism | 1.21 | 4.87E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000014437 | PPARGC1B | PPARG coactivator 1 beta | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | 1.22 | 8.79E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000008629 | ROCK2 | Rho associated coiled-coil containing protein kinase 2 | Leptin signaling pathway | 1.26 | 3.42E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000007507 | PCK1 | phosphoenolpyruvate carboxykinase 1 | Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis, Adipogenesis, PPAR signaling pathway, Pyruvate metabolism | 1.27 | 5.32E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000013072 | FADS2 | fatty acid desaturase 2 | Biosynthesis of unsaturated fatty acids, PPAR signaling pathway | 1.29 | 1.03E-02 |

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| ENSSSCG00000015617 | G0S2 | G0/G1 switch 2 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins 、 Regulation of lipid metabolism | 1.30 | 1.13E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000013399 | TEAD1 | TEA domain transcription factor 1 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | 1.30 | 3.40E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000006089 | PTDSS1 | phosphatidylserine synthase 1 | Glycerophospholipid Biosynthetic Pathway | 1.31 | 1.08E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000009889 | ALDH2 | aldehyde dehydrogenase 2 family member | Fatty acid degradation、 Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis、 Pyruvate metabolism | 1.34 | 4.94E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000001906 | CYP1A1 | cytochrome P450 family 1 subfamily A member 1 | synthesis of cholesterol, steroids and other lipids | 1.36 | 2.41E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000010301 | PPP3CB | protein phosphatase 3 catalytic subunit beta | Glucagon signaling pathway | 1.36 | 4.28E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000007873 | ABCC6 | ATP binding cassette subfamily C member 6 | ABC transporters | 1.36 | 6.72E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000030643 | SELENOI | selenoprotein I | Glycerophospholipid biosynthesis 、 Phosphatidylethanolamine (PE) biosynthesis | 1.39 | 9.12E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000006328 | RXRG | retinoid X receptor gamma | Adipocytokine signaling pathway 、 PPAR signaling pathway | 1.41 | 1.62E-02 |
| ENSSSCG00000037559 | ACOT11 | acyl-CoA thioesterase 11 | Fatty Acyl-CoA Biosynthesis 、 Triglyceride Biosynthesis | 1.43 | 4.60E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000009937 | ACACB | acetyl-CoA carboxylase beta | Fatty acid biosynthesis、 | 1.45 | 3.62E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000010947 | FBP2 | fructose-bisphosphatase 2 | Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis 、 Gluconeogenesis 、 Glucose metabolism、 Insulin signaling pathway | 1.46 | 2.85E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000024814 | PFKFB1 | 6-phosphofructo-2-kinase/fructose-2,6-biphosphatase 1 | Gluconeogenesis、 Glucose metabolism | 1.48 | 5.58E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000015356 | AGMO | alkylglycerol monoxygenase | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | 1.54 | 1.24E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000005229 | VLDLR | very low density lipoprotein receptor | Lipid digestion | 1.56 | 4.63E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000026554 | PRXL2B | peroxiredoxin like 2B | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | 1.56 | 1.12E-04 |

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| ENSSSCG00000032498 | IDH3A | isocitrate dehydrogenase (NAD(+)) 3 alpha | Citrate cycle (TCA cycle)、Pyruvate metabolism | 1.59 | 9.69E-05 |
| ENSSSCG00000038465 | VAPA | VAMP associated protein A | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | 1.65 | 2.04E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000008803 | ATP8A1 | ATPase phospholipid transporting 8A1 | Ion channel transport | 1.67 | 1.38E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000018023 | COX10 | cytochrome c oxidase assembly factor heme A:farnesyltransferase COX10 | Oxidative phosphorylation | 1.69 | 1.78E-03 |
| ENSSSCG00000032911 | DUSP8 | dual specificity phosphatase 8 | Insulin receptor signalling cascade | 1.75 | 8.99E-06 |
| ENSSSCG00000003154 | GYS1 | glycogen synthase 1 | Glucose metabolism 、 Glycogen synthesis 、 Insulin signaling pathway、 Metabolism of carbohydrates | 1.77 | 8.67E-06 |
| ENSSSCG00000011363 | PRKAR2A | protein kinase cAMP-dependent type II regulatory subunit alpha | Insulin signaling pathway 、 Glucagon signaling in metabolic regulation | 1.77 | 5.25E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000004419 | MFSD4B | major facilitator superfamily domain containing 4B | Transport of glucose and other sugars, bile salts and organic acids, metal ions and amine compounds | 1.80 | 3.66E-05 |
| ENSSSCG00000015949 | SLC25A12 | solute carrier family 25 member 12 | Glucose metabolism、 Gluconeogenesis | 1.97 | 3.48E-07 |
| ENSSSCG00000029811 | PLCL2 | phospholipase C like 2 | lipid metabolic | 2.01 | 8.85E-08 |
| ENSSSCG00000014861 | MOGAT2 | monoacylglycerol O-acyltransferase 2 | Triacylglyceride Synthesis | 2.05 | 9.47E-08 |
| ENSSSCG00000036614 | PGP | phosphoglycolate phosphatase | Carbon metabolism 、 Glyoxylate and dicarboxylate metabolism | 2.10 | 1.55E-08 |
| ENSSSCG00000002873 | GPI | glucose-6-phosphate isomerase | Gluconeogenesis、 Glucose metabolism、 Glycolysis | 2.18 | 5.51E-09 |
| ENSSSCG00000001852 | IDH2 | isocitrate dehydrogenase (NADP(+)) 2 | Pyruvate metabolism and Citric Acid (TCA) cycle | 2.18 | 8.51E-09 |
| ENSSSCG00000015872 | GPD2 | glycerol-3-phosphate dehydrogenase 2 | Metabolism of lipids and lipoproteins | 2.23 | 5.97E-08 |
| ENSSSCG00000038007 | HACD1 | 3-hydroxyacyl-CoA dehydratase 1 | Fatty acid biosynthesis | 2.28 | 4.60E-04 |
| ENSSSCG00000007744 | PHKG1 | phosphorylase kinase catalytic subunit gamma 1 | Glucagon signaling pathway 、 Glucose metabolism 、 Insulin signaling pathway、 Metabolism of carbohydrates | 2.40 | 1.72E-05 |
| ENSSSCG00000039425 | BPGM | bisphosphoglycerate mutase | Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis | 2.56 | 2.60E-12 |

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| ENSSSCG00000012440 | PGK1 | phosphoglycerate kinase 1 | Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis、 Glucose metabolism | 2.57 | 5.24E-12 |
| ENSSSCG00000014838 | PGM2L1 | phosphoglucomutase 2 like 1 | Starch and sucrose metabolism | 2.60 | 5.04E-10 |
| ENSSSCG00000011698 | GYG1 | glycogenin 1 | Glucose metabolism、 glycogen biosynthesis、 Starch and sucrose metabolism | 2.66 | 3.29E-09 |
| ENSSSCG00000002844 | PHKB | phosphorylase kinase regulatory subunit beta | Glucose metabolism、 Insulin signaling pathway、 Metabolism of carbohydrates | 2.69 | 3.96E-13 |
| ENSSSCG00000010464 | PPP1R3C | protein phosphatase 1 regulatory subunit 3C | Glucose metabolism、 Insulin signaling pathway、 Metabolism of carbohydrates | 2.98 | 4.80E-16 |
| ENSSSCG00000001930 | PKM | pyruvate kinase M1/2 | Carbon metabolism、 Glucose metabolism、 Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis、 Pyruvate metabolism | 3.57 | 2.70E-07 |
| ENSSSCG00000003812 | PGM1 | phosphoglucomutase 1 | Glucose metabolism、 Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis、 Metabolism of carbohydrates、 Starch and sucrose metabolism | 3.86 | 2.23E-21 |
| ENSSSCG00000000694 | GAPDH | glyceraldehyde-3-phosphate dehydrogenase | Carbon metabolism、 Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis | 4.25 | 5.69E-08 |
| ENSSSCG00000024018 | SLC16A3 | solute carrier family 16 member 3 | Pyruvate metabolism and Citric Acid (TCA) cycle | 4.27 | 1.44E-11 |
| ENSSSCG00000013366 | LDHA | lactate dehydrogenase A | Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis、 Pyruvate metabolism、 The citric acid (TCA) cycle | 4.41 | 4.00E-09 |
| ENSSSCG00000016200 | PRKAG3 | protein kinase AMP-activated non-catalytic subunit gamma 3 | key enzymes involved in regulating de novo biosynthesis of fatty acid and cholesterol | 4.44 | 2.35E-21 |
| ENSSSCG00000006872 | AGL | amylo-alpha-1, 6-glucosidase, 4-alpha-glucanotransferase | Glucose metabolism、 Metabolism of carbohydrates | 4.47 | 2.50E-17 |
| ENSSSCG00000012411 | PHKA1 | phosphorylase kinase alpha 1 | Glucose metabolism、 Insulin signaling pathway | 4.72 | 1.83E-34 |
| ENSSSCG00000032556 | ALDOA | aldolase, fructose-bisphosphate A | Carbon metabolism、 Glucose metabolism | 5.08 | 5.16E-14 |
| ENSSSCG00000021129 | PFKM | phosphofructokinase, muscle | Galactose metabolism、 Glucose metabolism、 Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis | 6.13 | 9.86E-26 |

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| ENSSSCG00000016720 | PGAM2 | phosphoglycerate mutase 2 | | | Carbon metabolism、 Glucose metabolism、 Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis 、 superpathway of conversion of glucose to acetyl CoA and entry into the TCA cycle | 8.32 | 2.91E-26 |
| ENSSSCG00000017904 | ENO3 | enolase 3 | | | Glucose metabolism、 Carbon metabolism、 Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis | 8.66 | 3.78E-28 |
| ENSSSCG00000013022 | PYGM | glycogen associated | phosphorylase, | muscle | Glucose metabolism 、 Insulin resistance 、 Starch and sucrose metabolism | 9.15 | 1.41E-34 |

“+” and “-” in Log₂(Fold change) indicate the up- and down-regulated expression in Songliao group, respectively

Table S9. DEGs overlap QTLs.doc

| Differentially expressed genes | Gene Symbl | QTL related to fat deposition and metabolism |
|--------------------------------|------------|--|
| ENSSSCG0000000810 | AMIGO2 | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000000811 | - | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000001068 | CAP2 | leaf fat weight, subcutaneous adipose thickness, back fat thickness, back fat thickness, |
| ENSSSCG0000001493 | PRIM2 | meat fatty acid content, |
| ENSSSCG0000001500 | - | back fat thickness, intramuscular fat content |
| ENSSSCG0000001683 | POLH | backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000001852 | IDH2 | shoulder subcutaneous fat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000001873 | CSPG4 | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000002285 | GPHN | back fat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000003582 | SMPDL3B | backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000003693 | MYOM1 | backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000003768 | - | back fat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000004022 | RPS6KA2 | intramuscular fat content |
| ENSSSCG0000004367 | POPDC3 | dressed carcass fat content, back fat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000005229 | VLDLR | abdominal fat weight, back fat weight |
| ENSSSCG0000005713 | - | dressed carcass fat percentage |
| ENSSSCG0000005905 | SLC39A4 | backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000006089 | - | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000006137 | WWP1 | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000006160 | STMN2 | meat unsaturated fatty acid content, backfat at last rib |
| ENSSSCG0000006218 | PDE7A | backfat at first rib |
| ENSSSCG0000006338 | DDR2 | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000006542 | - | meat fatty acid content, meat unsaturated fatty acid content, |
| ENSSSCG0000006872 | - | back fat thickness, meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000008446 | SIX2 | average backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000008991 | FRAS1 | back fat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000009125 | - | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000009192 | - | intramuscular fat content, meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000009693 | XKR6 | average backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000010603 | NEURL1 | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG0000011363 | PRKAR2A | backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000011367 | ARIH2 | average backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000012371 | AR | back fat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000013022 | PYGM | average backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG0000013043 | MACROD1 | meat fatty acid content, subcutaneous adipose thickness, intramuscular fat content, back fat thickness |

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| ENSSSCG00000013101 | MS4A4A | average backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG00000015402 | CACNA2D1 | belly fat area |
| ENSSSCG00000015617 | G0S2 | meat polyunsaturated fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG00000015917 | XIRP2 | intramuscular fat content |
| ENSSSCG00000016685 | - | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG00000016722 | UBE2D4 | meat lipid content |
| ENSSSCG00000016956 | - | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG00000017282 | - | meat fatty acid content, fat percentage in carcass |
| ENSSSCG00000018007 | LOC396711 | intramuscular fat content, |
| ENSSSCG00000020785 | DES | intramuscular fat content |
| ENSSSCG00000022945 | - | average backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG00000023296 | - | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG00000026164 | SOHLH2 | average backfat thickness |
| ENSSSCG00000027992 | MST1R | meat oleic acid content, meat monounsaturated fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG00000028052 | OBSL1 | intramuscular fat content |
| ENSSSCG00000028172 | FAM78A | dressed carcass fat percentage |
| ENSSSCG00000028420 | EIF4E | meat fatty acid content |
| ENSSSCG00000029441 | - | intramuscular fat content, total body fat weight |
| ENSSSCG00000030643 | SELENOI | average backfat thickness |

Table S10. The result compared with previous similar reports

| Previous reports | similar | Common DEGs | Log ₂ FC in this study | Log ₂ FC in previous reports | Description | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|-------|---------------------------|
| Jeju Native Pig (obesity) | VS. | COL11A2 | -1.02 | -93.49 | collagen type XI alpha 2 chain | | | |
| | | Berkshire (lean) | PPL | -1.56 | 5.92 | periplakin | | |
| | | | CCL4 | 1.40 | -11.20 | CCR-like protein 4 | | |
| | | | FMO1 | 1.56 | -4.03 | flavin containing monooxygenase 1 | | |
| | | | ITGA8 | 1.57 | -4.86 | integrin alpha 8 | | |
| | | | LCN2 | 1.78 | -6.95 | lipocalin 2 | | |
| Korean native pig (obesity) | VS. | CPEB4 | -2.63 | 1.87 | cytoplasmic polyadenylation element binding protein 4 | | | |
| | | Yorkshire (lean) | DBNDD2 | -1.05 | 1.49 | dysbindin domain containing 2 | | |
| | | | FBP2 | -1.24 | 1.58 | Fat body protein 2 | | |
| | | | NR4A3 | -2.04 | 4.70 | nuclear receptor subfamily 4 group A member 3 | | |
| | | | PDE4D | -2.51 | -1.56 | phosphodiesterase 4D | | |
| | | | SLC25A4 | -1.63 | -2.03 | solute carrier family 25 member 4 | | |
| | | | TPM2 | -3.80 | 2.17 | tropomyosin 2 | | |
| | | | A2M | 1.18 | 4.11 | alpha-2-macroglobulin | | |
| | | | C4BPA | 1.07 | -2.43 | complement component 4 binding protein alpha | | |
| | | | CES3 | 2.70 | 1.46 | carboxylesterase 3 | | |
| | | | GMFG | 1.01 | 1.62 | glia maturation factor gamma | | |
| | | | Rongchang piglet (obesity) | VS. | FOS | -2.18 | 6.47 | FBJ osteosarcoma oncogene |
| | | | | | Landrace (lean) | CLDN7 | -1.41 | 2.78 |
| RCAN1 | -1.88 | 3.77 | | | | regulator of calcineurin 1 | | |
| TRIM63 | -3.80 | 2.68 | | | | tripartite motif containing 63 | | |
| CLEC7A | 1.21 | 8.99 | | | | C-type lectin domain family 7, member a | | |
| HES6 | -1.06 | 2.82 | | | | hes family bHLH transcription factor 6 | | |
| OLR1 | 1.30 | 3.14 | | | | oxidized low density lipoprotein receptor 1 | | |
| S100A4 | 1.51 | 4.44 | | | | S100 calcium binding | | |

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| Italian | Large | HSPB8 | -5.10 | -.181 | protein A4 |
| White pigs with | high backfat | GMFG | 1.01 | 1.23 | heat shock protein family B (small) member 8 |
| thickness | (obesity) | VS. LYZ | 2.41 | 2.03 | glia maturation factor gamma |
| Italian | Large | OLR1 | 1.30 | 1.26 | lysozyme |
| White pigs with | low backfat | PADI2 | 1.02 | 1.6 | oxidized low density lipoprotein receptor 1 |
| thickness (lean) | | ST14 | 1.16 | 1.79 | peptidyl arginine deiminase 2 |
| | | STMN2 | 1.32 | 1.85 | suppression of tumorigenicity 14 stathmin-like 2 |

Table S11. Forward and reverse primers used for qPCR validation of 7 genes from RNASeq.

| Gene | Primer Sequences for qPCR (5'-3') | Amplicon length (bp) |
|-------|--|----------------------|
| PGM1 | F GATCCTGTGGACGGAAGCAT R ATGTACAGTCGGATGGTGGC | 122 |
| LDHA | F AGTGCACTCCCGATTCCCTT R AACAGCACCAACCCCAACAA | 129 |
| PGK1 | F GCTGGACGTGAAGGGAAAGA R CTGACTTGGCTCCGTTGTCT | 140 |
| ABCA4 | F AAATGACGCACGACTTCCCT R AACCTGGAGGCACCTATCCT | 142 |
| LNC2 | F GTCAGGTGGACGGACCATAAA R GCCACAGGAGACTTAGGGC | 126 |
| VDR | F TGGTTGGAAGTGTCTGGGAG R GGCACATTCCGGTCAAAGTC | 140 |
| ACACB | F CCCGACCATGTTTGTCTCA R GGTGAGGCGGTAAGTGTGA | 145 |
| GAPDH | F GGGCATGAACCATGAGAAGT R AAGCAGGGATGATGTTATGG | 230 |