

Electronic supplementary material

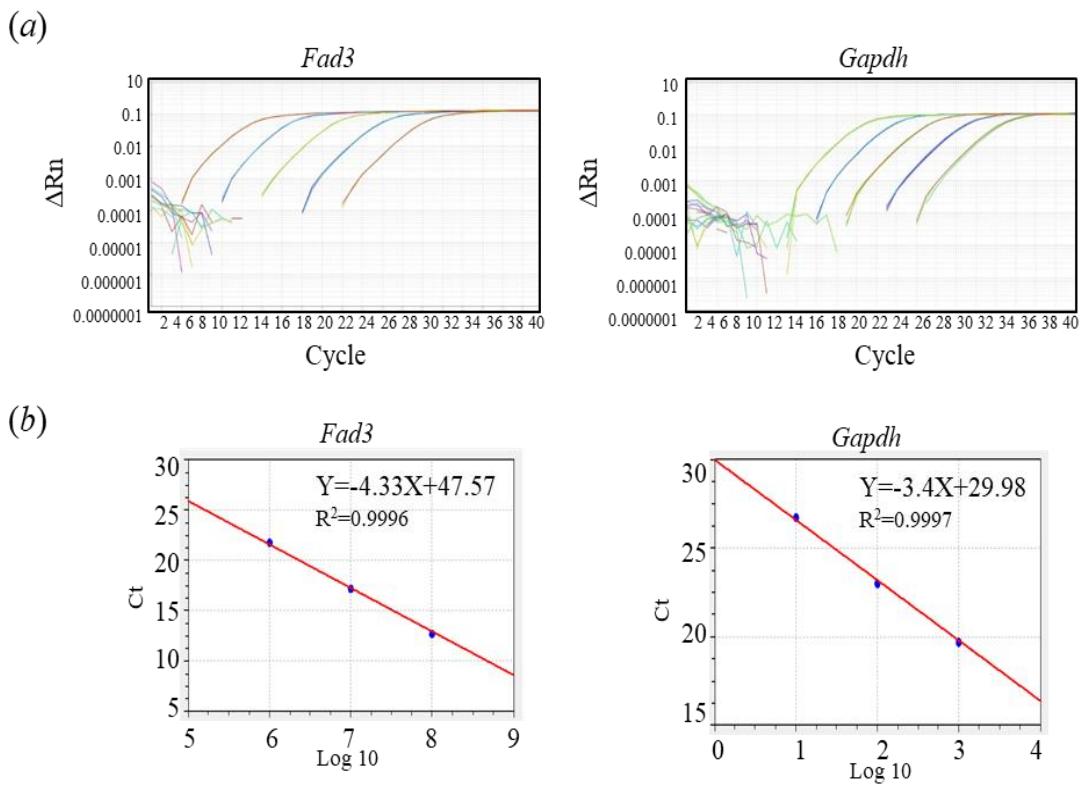


Figure S1. Standard curve of *Fad3* and *Gapdh*.

- (a) Amplification curve of *Fad3* and *Gapdh*.
- (b) Standard curve and equation of *Fad3* and *Gapdh*.

Table S1. Ct values obtained from the *Fad3* and *Gapdh* standards and the corresponding copies by qPCR.

Standard Samples	Mean Ct value	copies
10 ⁵ - <i>Fad3</i>	25.94	1.00×10 ⁵
10 ⁶ - <i>Fad3</i>	21.74	1.00×10 ⁶
10 ⁷ - <i>Fad3</i>	17.15	1.00×10 ⁷
10 ⁸ - <i>Fad3</i>	12.70	1.00×10 ⁸
10 ⁹ - <i>Fad3</i>	8.80	1.00×10 ⁹
10 ⁰ - <i>Gapdh</i>	30.00	1.00×10 ⁰
10 ¹ - <i>Gapdh</i>	26.70	1.00×10 ¹
10 ² - <i>Gapdh</i>	23.01	1.00×10 ²
10 ³ - <i>Gapdh</i>	19.70	1.00×10 ³
10 ⁴ - <i>Gapdh</i>	16.50	1.00×10 ⁴

Table S2. Ct Values and the copies of *Fad3* and *Gapdh* in the *Fad3* single and *Fad2-Fad3* double transgenic mice genome.

Genotype-number		<i>Fad3</i>		<i>Gapdh</i>		The copies of transgenic mice
		Average Ct	Copies	Average Ct	Copies	
<i>Fad3-2</i>	♂	25.45	128394.09	16.43	9667.05	13.28
<i>Fad3-4</i>	♀	26.72	65349.53	17.53	4589.49	14.24
<i>Fad3-11</i>	♀	26.62	68918.72	15.96	13290.14	5.19
<i>Fad2-Fad3-1</i>	♂	23.11	445615.96	14.75	30158.64	14.78
<i>Fad2-Fad3-3</i>	♀	27.82	36408.34	16.65	8328.91	4.37
<i>Fad2-Fad3-4</i>	♀	27.74	37990.65	16.78	7626.99	4.98
<i>Fad2-Fad3-5</i>	♀	24.36	229233.00	15.59	17074.69	13.43
<i>Fad2-Fad3-7</i>	♀	29.70	13397.41	18.93	1778.28	7.53

Table S3. PUFA compositions of seven major tissues in *Fad3* F0/F1 transgenic mice and wild-type mice.

Fatty acids	Skeletal muscle			Fat			Heart			Liver			Spleen			Lung			Kidney		
	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad3</i> F0(n=3)	<i>Fad3</i> F1(n=8)	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad3</i> F0(n=3)	<i>Fad3</i> F1(n=8)	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad3</i> F0(n=3)	<i>Fad3</i> F1(n=8)	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad3</i> F0(n=3)	<i>Fad3</i> F1(n=8)	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad3</i> F0(n=3)	<i>Fad3</i> F1(n=8)	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad3</i> F0(n=3)	<i>Fad3</i> F1(n=8)	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad3</i> F0(n=3)	<i>Fad3</i> F1(n=8)
OA	24.32±2.99 ^a	24.23±2.7 ^a	25.03±3.12 ^a	28.01±3.14 ^a	27.03±2.15 ^a	26.93±4.32 ^a	16.66±1.26 ^a	14.98±0.6 ^a	15.67±0.12 ^a	17.78±1.23 ^a	16.12±2.38 ^a	15.89±1.34 ^a	13.32±0.37 ^a	12.05±1.29 ^a	11.91±2.70 ^a	12.21±1.14 ^a	11.95±0.26 ^a	12.57±3.11 ^a	14.03±1.4 ^a	13.76±2.01 ^a	15.23±2.16 ^a
LA	12.03±0.42 ^a	4.32±0.33 ^b	4.53±0.12 ^b	15.45±0.09 ^a	6.33±0.27 ^b	5.64±0.47 ^b	8.74±0.04 ^a	5.43±0.18 ^b	3.98±0.38 ^c	10.02±0.38 ^a	5.73±0.29 ^b	6.00±0.35 ^b	6.54±0.49 ^a	4.32±0.13 ^b	3.23±0.46 ^c	6.56±0.73 ^c	3.53±0.59 ^b	3.05±0.54 ^b	7.84±0.31 ^a	3.43±1.85 ^b	4.42±2.13 ^b
γ-LA	0.32±0.02 ^a	0.18±0.02 ^b	0.23±0.04 ^b	0.24±0.02 ^a	0.11±0.01 ^b	0.05±0.04 ^b	0.23±0.01 ^a	0.09±0.02 ^b	0.07±0.04 ^b	0.32±0.02 ^a	0.04±0.01 ^b	0.04±0.01 ^b	0.07±0.04 ^a	0.05±0.03 ^b	0.04±0.02 ^b	0.07±0.02 ^a	0.02±0.65 ^b	0.04±0.02 ^b	0.17±0.02 ^a	0.02±0.01 ^b	0.02±0.01 ^b
AA	1.21±0.42 ^a	0.93±0.49 ^b	0.73±0.04 ^b	2.31±0.50 ^a	1.12±0.03 ^b	1.32±0.30 ^b	1.18±0.22 ^a	0.33±0.08 ^b	0.29±0.08 ^b	1.33±0.40 ^a	0.89±0.22 ^b	0.87±0.15 ^b	0.90±0.32 ^a	0.50±0.13 ^b	0.58±0.02 ^b	2.31±0.29 ^a	1.23±0.19 ^b	1.23±0.14 ^b	1.09±0.13 ^a	0.42±0.12 ^b	0.37±0.11 ^b
ALA	0.21±0.10 ^a	0.42±0.33 ^b	0.33±0.05 ^b	0.32±0.06 ^a	0.77±0.36 ^b	0.82±0.05 ^b	0.32±0.03 ^a	0.56±0.20 ^b	0.78±0.12 ^b	0.23±0.03 ^a	0.44±0.22 ^b	0.53±0.23 ^b	0.12±0.03 ^a	0.33±0.07 ^b	0.21±0.01 ^b	0.22±0.08 ^a	0.53±0.11 ^b	0.45±0.03 ^b	0.56±0.09 ^a	1.21±0.38 ^b	1.54±0.48 ^c
EPA	0.44±0.02 ^a	0.78±0.2 ^b	0.87±0.03 ^b	0.12±0.03 ^a	0.44±0.22 ^b	0.36±0.13 ^b	0.13±0.05 ^a	0.30±0.09 ^b	0.34±0.04 ^b	0.30±0.13 ^a	0.71±0.17 ^b	0.67±0.10 ^b	0.21±0.12 ^a	0.42±0.15 ^b	0.55±0.14 ^b	0.09±0.01 ^a	0.19±0.18 ^b	0.16±0.04 ^b	0.23±0.04 ^a	0.42±0.20 ^b	0.32±0.45 ^b
DHA	4.53±0.37 ^a	10.65±1.04 ^b	8.75±0.63 ^b	7.04±0.32 ^a	12.03±0.73 ^b	11.53±1.31 ^b	3.22±0.54 ^a	8.80±0.57 ^b	9.06±1.40 ^b	5.52±0.05 ^a	10.93±0.53 ^b	8.97±1.02 ^b	2.39±0.61 ^a	4.23±0.15 ^b	5.43±0.12 ^b	3.56±0.07 ^a	6.97±0.39 ^b	9.65±1.22 ^c	3.49±0.62 ^a	6.56±0.09 ^b	5.54±0.14 ^b
n-6 total	13.56±0.86 ^a	5.43±0.84 ^b	5.49±0.20 ^b	18.00±0.61 ^a	7.56±0.31 ^b	7.01±0.81 ^b	10.15±0.27 ^a	5.85±0.28 ^b	4.34±0.50 ^b	11.67±2.30 ^a	6.66±0.52 ^b	6.91±0.51 ^b	7.51±0.85 ^a	4.87±0.29 ^b	3.85±0.50 ^b	8.94±1.04 ^a	4.78±1.43 ^b	4.32±0.80 ^b	9.10±0.46 ^a	3.87±1.98 ^b	4.81±2.25 ^b
n-3 total	5.18±0.49 ^a	11.85±1.58 ^b	9.95±0.71 ^b	7.48±0.41 ^a	13.24±1.31 ^b	12.71±1.49 ^b	3.67±0.62 ^a	9.66±0.86 ^b	10.18±1.56 ^b	6.05±0.21 ^a	12.08±0.92 ^b	10.17±1.35 ^b	2.72±0.76 ^a	4.98±0.37 ^b	6.19±0.27 ^c	3.87±0.16 ^a	7.69±0.68 ^b	10.26±1.29 ^c	4.28±0.75 ^a	8.19±0.67 ^b	7.40±1.07 ^b

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Fatty acids	Skeletal muscle			Fat			Heart			Liver			Spleen			Lung			Kidney		
	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad2-Fad3</i>	<i>Fad2-Fad3</i>	WT (n=8)	<i>Fad2-Fad3</i>	<i>Fad2-Fad3</i>															
OA	24.32±2.99 ^a	12.32±1.03 ^b	13.02±1.26 ^b	28.01±3.14 ^a	10.03±1.06 ^c	12.21±1.73 ^b	16.66±1.26 ^a	10.44±1.73 ^b	8.78±0.34 ^c	17.78±1.23 ^a	8.47±2.03 ^b	8.34±0.43 ^b	13.32±0.37 ^a	6.54±2.07 ^b	7.75±2.54 ^b	12.21±1.14 ^a	4.33±0.41 ^b	3.23±0.02 ^b	14.03±1.4 ^a	10.04±0.56 ^b	8.75±0.67 ^c
LA	12.03±0.42 ^a	15.01±1.17 ^b	15.65±0.21 ^b	15.45±0.09 ^a	19.21±1.9 ^b	18.31±1.05 ^b	8.74±0.04 ^a	13.74±2.05 ^b	12.03±1.74 ^b	10.02±0.38 ^a	14.01±2.03 ^b	15.04±1.03 ^b	6.54±0.49 ^a	9.98±1.32 ^b	9.34±0.55 ^b	6.56±0.73 ^a	10.22±0.89 ^b	9.49±1.30 ^b	7.84±0.31 ^a	12.75±1.48 ^b	11.09±1.09 ^b
γ-LA	0.32±0.02 ^a	1.21±0.05 ^b	1.53±0.03 ^c	0.24±0.02 ^a	0.41±0.38 ^b	0.44±0.12 ^b	0.23±0.01 ^a	0.60±0.41 ^b	0.41±0.03 ^b	0.32±0.02 ^a	0.65±0.21 ^b	0.43±0.12 ^b	0.07±0.04 ^a	0.12±0.08 ^a	0.23±0.05 ^b	0.07±0.02 ^a	0.13±0.01 ^a	0.14±0.01 ^b	0.17±0.02 ^a	0.34±0.09 ^b	0.32±0.03 ^b
AA	1.21±0.42 ^a	2.21±0.71 ^b	1.56±0.22 ^b	2.31±0.50 ^a	3.31±0.04 ^b	3.27±0.38 ^b	1.18±0.22 ^a	2.54±0.06 ^b	2.12±0.13 ^b	1.33±0.40 ^a	2.98±0.69 ^b	2.74±0.22 ^b	0.90±0.32 ^a	1.93±0.92 ^b	2.53±0.38 ^b	2.31±0.29 ^a	3.67±0.09 ^b	3.33±0.82 ^b	1.09±0.13 ^a	1.71±0.19 ^b	1.76±0.22 ^b
ALA	0.21±0.10 ^a	1.21±0.14 ^b	0.89±0.05 ^b	0.32±0.06 ^a	0.61±0.31 ^b	0.72±0.20 ^b	0.32±0.03 ^a	0.55±0.03 ^b	0.45±0.04 ^b	0.23±0.03 ^a	1.12±0.46 ^b	1.12±0.03 ^b	0.12±0.03 ^a	0.24±0.16 ^b	0.22±0.03 ^b	0.22±0.08 ^a	0.64±0.03 ^b	0.89±0.12 ^b	0.56±0.09 ^a	1.98±0.13 ^b	1.78±0.06 ^b
EPA	0.44±0.02 ^a	2.22±0.03 ^b	1.77±0.23 ^b	0.12±0.03 ^a	0.54±0.08 ^b	0.63±0.09 ^b	0.13±0.05 ^a	0.54±0.16 ^b	0.42±0.13 ^b	0.30±0.13 ^a	1.56±0.21 ^b	1.67±0.21 ^b	0.21±0.12 ^a	0.43±0.22 ^b	2.53±0.40 ^c	0.09±0.01 ^a	0.47±0.06 ^b	0.45±0.05 ^b	0.23±0.04 ^a	0.63±0.09 ^b	0.76±0.20 ^b
DHA	4.53±0.37 ^a	17.34±1.21 ^b	16.23±1.55 ^b	7.04±0.32 ^a	19.32±0.98 ^b	21.43±1.61 ^b	3.22±0.54 ^a	15.54±0.05 ^c	11.44±2.01 ^b	5.52±0.05 ^a	15.96±0.22 ^b	17.43±1.76 ^b	2.39±0.61 ^a	8.87±0.52 ^b	9.49±0.29 ^b	3.56±0.07 ^a	12.98±1.07 ^b	10.79±0.49 ^b	3.49±0.62 ^a	12.94±1.08 ^b	15.68±0.17 ^c
n-6 total	13.56±0.86 ^a	18.43±1.93 ^b	18.74±0.46 ^b	18.00±0.61 ^a	22.93±2.32 ^b	22.02±1.55 ^b	10.15±0.27 ^a	16.88±2.52 ^b	14.56±1.90 ^b	11.67±2.30 ^a	17.64±2.93 ^b	18.21±1.37 ^b	7.51±0.85 ^a	12.03±2.32 ^b	12.10±0.98 ^b	8.94±1.04 ^a	14.02±0.99 ^b	12.96±2.13 ^b	9.10±0.46 ^a	14.8±1.76 ^b	13.17±1.34 ^b
n-3 total	5.18±0.49 ^a	20.77±1.38 ^b	18.89±1.83 ^b	7.48±0.41 ^a	20.47±1.37 ^b	22.78±1.90 ^b	3.67±0.62 ^a	16.63±0.24 ^c	12.31±2.18 ^b	6.05±0.21 ^a	18.64±0.89 ^b	20.22±2.00 ^b	2.72±0.76 ^a	9.54±0.90 ^b	12.24±0.72 ^c	3.87±0.16 ^a	14.09±1.16 ^b	12.13±0.66 ^b	4.28±0.75 ^a	15.55±1.30 ^b	18.22±0.43 ^b

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Table S5. A tabulation of primer sequences.

Application	Gene	Sequence (5'-3')	Length
Genes amplification	<i>Fad3</i>	forward: AAAACTGTGGCTCTGCAGGA reverse: CAGCCTGCATATATCAGAGC	1,233 bp
	<i>Fad2</i>	forward: CACACTCGGCCTCTCCTTC reverse: AAAATTACAAATAATTGTGT	1,627 bp
Genotyping of transgenic mice	<i>Fad3</i>	forward: GTTCTGGGCAGTCTTGTT reverse: GGTACGGAACTTGGGAATA	865 bp
	<i>Fad2</i>	forward: GCTGGAACAATGGGTGC reverse: GCCAAGGGTTAGCGTCA	573 bp
RT-PCR	<i>Fad3</i>	forward: CTCCAATGTTGCTTATCC reverse: CGAGCCATGCCACGAAT	235 bp
	<i>Fad2</i>	forward: ACCATTGCGTTCCCTCCTC reverse: AAGCCAACAGTGTACATCG	191 bp
	<i>Gapdh</i>	forward: GAGTGTTCCTCGTCCCCG reverse: CCGTTGAATTGCCGTGA	193 bp
Detection of copy number	<i>Fad3</i>	forward: AGCCGAAGAAAATCAGGG reverse: TTGGGAATATGTGGTCAG	127 bp
	<i>Gapdh</i>	forward: GGCCCTCCAAGGAGTAAGAAA reverse: GCCCCTCCTGTTATTATGG	141 bp
qPCR	<i>Fasn</i>	forward: GGAGGTGGTGATAGCCGGTAT reverse: TGGGTAATCCATAGAGCCCAG	140 bp
	<i>Scd1</i>	forward: TTCTTGCATACACTCTGGTGC reverse: CGGGATTGAATGTTCTTGTGCGT	98 bp
	<i>Acc</i>	forward: ATGGGCAGGAATGGTCTCTTC reverse: TGGGGACCTTGTCTTCATCAT	148 bp
	<i>Lipe</i>	forward: CCAGCCTGAGGGCTTACTG reverse: CTCCATTGACTGTGACATCTCG	106 bp
	<i>Lpl</i>	forward: GGGAGTTGGCTCCAGAGTTT reverse: TGTGTCTTCAGGGGCTTAG	115 bp
	<i>PPARy</i>	forward: TCGCTGATGCACTGCCCTATG R: GAGAGGTCCACAGAGCTGATT	103 bp
	<i>Lcad</i>	forward: TCTTTCTCGGAGCATGACA reverse: GACCTCTACTCACTTCTCCAG	113 bp
	<i>Fabp4</i>	forward: AAGGTGAAGAGCATCATAACCCT reverse: TCACGCCTTCATAACACATTCC	133 bp
	<i>Gapdh</i>	forward: GTGGCAAAGTGGAGATTGTTG reverse: CTCCTGGAAGATGGTGATGG	164 bp