

Supplementary Material

TABLE S1 Clinical Outcomes of Randomized Controlled Trials categorized as per Lipid Emulsion Formulation Type

No	Cited Studies	Patient Type	n (IG/CG)	Control Group	Duration (days)	IIO*	NO*	CO*	Cellular FAC Changes*	Significant Outcomes*	Jadad Score†
RCTs with Soybean Oil Lipid Emulsion (SOLE)											
1	Dionigi <i>et al</i> , 1985	Malnourished GI cancer surgery	8/7	Lipid Free PN	21	+, -	NR	+	NR	↑ PMN cells for IG group. No change in IgG, IgM, C3c, Factor B for IG. ↓ sepsis score for IG.	2
2	Gogos <i>et al</i> , 1990	Malnourished critically ill	20/20	Lipid Free PN	10	-	NR	NR	NR	↓ ratio of helper to suppressor T cells for IG	1
3	Sedman <i>et al</i> , 1991	Malnourished GI cancer surgery	12/9	Lipid Free PN	7	+, -	NR	NR	NR	↓ LAK cell activity, ↑ IL-2 activity for IG.	1
4	Battisela <i>et al</i> , 1997	Polytrauma	30/27	Lipid Free PN	10	NR	NR	-	NR	↑ infections, ↑ ICU stay, ↑ hospital stay, ↑ duration MV for IG.	2
5	Furukawa <i>et al</i> , 2002	Gastric, Colorectal esophageal surgery	17/17	Lipid Free PN	21	-	-	NR	NR	↑ IL-6 & ↑ CRP, ↓ lymphocyte proliferation in severe stress IG. ↑ Glucagon, cumulative NB negative in severe stress IG.	2
6	Monson <i>et al</i> , 1986	Malnourished, septic, cancer surgery	12/11	Lipid Free PN	14	+	NR	NR	NR	↑ IL2, ↑ T cells, & Helper T cells, ↑ ADCC function for IG.	2
7	Waitzberg <i>et al</i> , 1997	Malnourished GI cancer surgery	10/10	Lipid Free PN	2	-	NR	NR	NR	↓ bacteria killing mediated by neutrophils for IG.	2

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RCTs with Physical Mixture MCT/LCT Lipid Emulsion											
8	Sedman <i>et al</i> , 1991	Malnourished GI cancer surgery	12/12	SOLE	7	+	NR	NR	NR	↑ NK & ↑ LAK cell activity for IG.	1
9	Ball 1993	Ventilated ICU	10/10	SOLE	8	NR	+	NR	NR	↓ negative NB for IG	1
10	Jiang <i>et al</i> , 1993	Abdominal surgery	6/6	SOLE	10	NR	+, -	NR	NR	↓ Body Weight, ↑ insulin, ↓ TG, ↑ β hydroxybutyrate for IG	1
11	Smirmiotis <i>et al</i> , 1998	Post operative, ICU, sepsis, ARDS	11/10	SOLE	1	NR	NR	+	NR	↑ oxygen consumption, VO ₂ for IG.	1
12	Garnacho-Montero <i>et al</i> , 2002	ICU with sepsis	26/26	SOLE	10	NR	+	NR	NR	↑ Retinol Binding Protein, ↑ insulin, improved NB for IG	3
13	Grau <i>et al</i> , 2003	Malnourished surgery & cancer	26/31	SOLE	5	NR	NR	+	NR	↓ intra-abdominal infection for IG. ↓ mortality in IG group without cancer	2
14	Chen <i>et al</i> , 2005	GI surgery	15/15	SOLE	7	NR	+	NR	NR	↑ pre-albumin, ↑ insulin for IG	2
15	Iovinelli <i>et al</i> , 2007	COPD on MV in ICU	7/7	SOLE	15	+,-	NR	+	NR	No change in immune markers for IG ↓ time of MV for IG	2
RCTs with Structured Triglycerides Lipid Emulsion (STGLE)											
16	Chambrier <i>et al</i> , 1999	Post abdominal surgery	19/19	MCT/LCT	5	NR	+	NR	NR	No ↑ TG, No ↑ ASAT, No ↑ ALAT, NB positive for IG	3
17	Kruimel <i>et al</i> , 2001	Postoperative aortic prosthesis	12/13	MCT/LCT	5	NR	+	NR	NR	Improved cumulative NB, Less ↑ TG for IG	4

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18	Lindgren <i>et al</i> , 2001	ICU	9/11	SOLE	5	NR	+	NR	NR	Improved cumulative NB for IG	4
19	Sandstrom <i>et al</i> , 1995	Post abdominal surgery	19/18	SOLE	6	NR	+,-	NR	NR	↑ carbon dioxide production, ↑ whole-body fat oxidation, ↑ Free Fatty Acid, ↑ plasma glycerol, ↑ 3-hydroxybutyric acid, with STGLE in part 2	4
RCTs with Olive Oil Lipid Emulsion (OOLE)											
20	Vahedi <i>et al</i> , 2005	Home parenteral nutrition with intestinal failure	7/6	SOLE	90	NR	NR	NR	+	↑ γ -LA, ↑ oleic acid, ↑ mead acid in plasma for IG	4
21	Onar <i>et al</i> , 2011	Abdominal oncologic surgery	10/10	SOLE	7	NR	+,-	+,-	NR	↑ ALP, ↑ GGT, ↑ total protein, ↑ albumin, ↓ total bilirubin for IG No changes on catheter infections for IG	3
22	Demirer <i>et al</i> , 2016	Elective GI surgery	13/18	MCT/LCT	4	NR	NR	+	NR	↑ Weight, ↓ TBARS for IG	1
RCTs with Fish Oil Lipid Emulsion (FOLE)											
23	Morlion 1996	Abdominal surgery	10/10	SOLE	5	NR	NR	NR	+	↑ plasma phospholipid EPA, DHA and ALA for IG	2
24	Wachtler <i>et al</i> , 1997	Major intestinal surgery	20/20	MCT/LCT	5	+	NR	NR	NR	↑ LTB ₅ , ↓ LTB ₄ , ↓ LTB ₄ /LTB ₅ ratio, ↓ TNF- α for IG	3
25	Roulet <i>et al</i> , 1997	Elective total esophagectomy	10/9	SOLE	7	NR	NR	NR	+	↑ EPA and EPA/AA in platelet phospholipids for IG	2
26	Linseisen <i>et al</i> , 2000	Major abdominal cancer surgery	17/16	SOLE	5	NR	+	NR	+	↑ α -tocopherol, ↓ γ -tocopherol for IG ↑ plasma EPA, ↓ LA for IG	3

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27	Weiss <i>et al</i> , 2002	Elective abdominal surgery	12/11	SOLE	6	+	NR	+	NR	↓ IL-6, ↑ HLA-DR for IG ↓ post-operative stay on medical ward for IG	2
28	Schauder <i>et al</i> , 2002	Large bowel surgery	19/20	SOLE	6	+,-	NR	NR	NR	↑ IL-2, ↑ TNF, ↑ CD4/CD8 + for IG	2
29	Koller <i>et al</i> , 2003	Elective abdominal surgery	14/16	SOLE	5	+	NR	NR	NR	↑ in LTB ₅ , ↑ LTB ₅ /LTB ₄ ratio for IG	2
30	Grimm <i>et al</i> , 2006	Major abdominal surgery	19/14	SOLE	5	+	+	+	+	↑ in LTB ₅ , ↑ LTB ₅ /LTB ₄ ratio, ↑ α-tocopherol, ↓ length of hospital stay, ↑ total n-3 FA, ↑ plasma EPA & DHA, ↑ EPA/AA ratio, ↑ n-3:n-6 ratio for IG	2
31	Senkal <i>et al</i> , 2007	Elective colorectal surgery	19/21	MCT/LCT	5	NR	NR	NR	+	↑ EPA & DHA, ↑ n-3:n-6 ratio for IG	5
32	Wichmann <i>et al</i> , 2007	Major abdominal surgery	127/ 129	SOLE	5	+	+	NR	NR	↑ in LTB ₅ , ↑ LTB ₅ /LTB ₄ ratio for IG ↑ α-tocopherol for IG	3
33	Liang <i>et al</i> , 2008	Radical colorectal cancer surgery	20/21	SOLE	7	+	NR	NR	NR	↓ IL-6, ↑ CD4+/CD8+ for IG	5
34	Berger <i>et al</i> , 2008	Abdominal aortic aneurysm	12/12	MCT/LCT	4	NR	NR	NR	+	↑ in EPA & DHA for IG	3
35	Piper <i>et al</i> , 2009	Post abdominal surgery or cancer	22/22	OOLE	5	NR	+	NR	NR	↓ AST, ↓ ALT, ↓ α-GST, ↓ TG for IG	4

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36	Badia-Tahull <i>et al</i> , 2010	Elective GI surgery	13/14	OOLE	5	NR	NR	+	NR	↓ Infection rates for IG	5
37	Jiang <i>et al</i> , 2010	GI/colonic cancer	100/ 103	SOLE	7	NR	NR	+	NR	↓ SIRS, ↓ hospital stay for IG	5
38	Ma <i>et al</i> , 2012	GI tumour surgery	20/20	MCT/LCT	5	NR	+	NR	NR	↓ Low Density Lipoprotein for IG	2
39	Zhu <i>et al</i> , 2012	Colorectal cancer surgery	29/28	SOLE	7	+,-	NR	+	NR	↓ CD4+/CD8+, ↓ IL-6, ↓ TNF- α for IG ↓ duration of SIRS, ↓hospital stay	2
40	Wang <i>et al</i> , 2012	GI surgery	32/32	MCT/LCT	5	+,-	+,-	NR	NR	↑ TNF- α , ↑ NF-K β , ↑ LTB ₅ /LTB ₄ ratio for IG ↑ APTT, ↓ total bilirubin for IG	3
41	Klek <i>et al</i> , 2013	Intestinal failure	34/39	SOLE	28	NR	+	NR	+	↓ AST, ↓ ALT ↓ total bilirubin, ↑ α -tocopherol for IG ↑ EPA & DHA in plasma & RBC, ↓ n-6:n-3 ratio for IG	5
42	De Miranda Torrinhas <i>et al</i> , 2013	GI cancer	31/32	MCT/LCT	3	+	NR	NR	NR	↓ IL-6, ↓ IL-10 for IG	5
43	Wu <i>et al</i> , 2014	GI surgery	20/15	MCT/LCT	5	NR	+	NR	NR	Less ↑ TG & ↓ Glucose for IG	2
44	Ma <i>et al</i> , 2015	Gastric, Colorectal cancer surgery	45/41	MCT/LCT	8	NR	+	NR	NR	Less ↑ TG, Less ↓HDL, Less ↓ Free Fatty Acid for IG	5
45	Demirer <i>et al</i> , 2016	Elective GI surgery	21/18	MCT/LCT	4	NR	+	NR	NR	↑ body weight, ↓ TBARS for IG	1

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46	Mayer <i>et al</i> , 2003	Sepsis	5/5	SOLE	10	+	NR	NR	+	↑ Neutrophil Inositol Phosphate, ↑ PAF, ↑ LTB ₅ for IG ↑ respiratory burst for IG, ↑ EPA & DHA in plasma for IG	1
47	Mayer <i>et al</i> , 2003	Sepsis	10/9	SOLE	5	+	NR	NR	+	↓ TNF- α , ↓ IL-1B, ↓ IL-6 and ↓ IL-8 for IG ↑ EPA & DHA in plasma & leukocytes for IG	2
48	Wang <i>et al</i> , 2008	Acute pancreatitis	20/20	SOLE	5	+	NR	+	+	↓ CRP, improvement in oxygenation index for IG ↓ CRRT days, ↑ plasma EPA for IG	4
49	Barbosa <i>et al</i> , 2010	SIRS/Sepsis	13/10	MCT/LCT	6	+	NR	+	+	↓ IL-6, ↓ IL-10, ↓ TNF- α , ↓ IL-1 β for IG ↓ hospital stay, ↑ PO ₂ /FiO ₂ , ↑ EPA in plasma for IG	3
50	Sungurtekin <i>et al</i> , 2011	SIRS/Sepsis	10/10	MCT/LCT	7	+,-	NR	NR	NR	↑ IL-10, ↓ IL-6, ↓ TNF- α , ↓ IL-1 for IG with sepsis	1
51	Sabater <i>et al</i> , 2011	ARDS	8/8	SOLE	12 hours	+	NR	NR	NR	↓ LTB ₄ for IG	2
52	Han <i>et al</i> , 2012	Surgical ICU	18/12	MCT/LCT	7	+	NR	NR	NR	↓ IL-1, ↓ IL-8, ↓ IFN- γ , ↓ IL-6, ↓ TNF- α for IG	5
53	Gultekin <i>et al</i> , 2014	Sepsis	16/16	OOLE	5	+	+	NR	NR	↓ LTB ₄ , ↓ CRP, ↑ albumin for IG	3
54	Metry <i>et al</i> , 2014	Post-surgery ICU	41/42	SOLE	7	+	NR	NR	NR	↓ IL-6 for IG	5
55	Grau-Carmona <i>et al</i> , 2015	ICU	81/78	MCT/LCT	5	NR	NR	+	NR	↓ nosocomial infections, ↑ predicted time free of infection for IG	5

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56	Chen <i>et al</i> , 2017	Sepsis	41/37	SOLE	7	NR	NR	+	NR	↓ 60 day mortality for IG	3
57	Bohnert <i>et al</i> , 2018	Home Parenteral Nutrition	15/18	MCT/LCT	56	-	-	-	+	↑ EPA, ↑ DHA, ↑ DPA in erythrocytes, platelets, serum phospholipids for IG	5

AA, Arachidonic Acid; ADCC, Antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity; ALA, Alpha Linolenic Acid; ALAT, Alanine aminotransferase; ALP, Alkaline phosphatase; ALT, Alanine transaminase; APTT, Activated Partial Thromboplastin Time; ASAT/AST, Aspartate aminotransferase; CD4/CD8+, T4 helper cells/T8 suppressor cells; CG, Control Group; CO, Clinical Outcome; CRP, C-Reactive Protein; CRRT, Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy; DHA, docosahexaenoic acid; DPA, Docosapentaenoic acid; EPA, Eicosapentaenoic acid; FAC, Fatty Acid Composition; GGT, Gamma-Glutamyl Transferase; GI, Gastrointestinal; GST, Glutathione S-transferase; HLA-DR, Human Leukocyte Antigen-antigen D related; ICU, intensive care unit; IFN, Interferon; Ig, Immunoglobulin; IG, Intervention Group; IIO, Immuno-Inflammatory Outcome; IL, Interleukin; LA, Linoleic Acid; LAK, Lymphokine Activated Killer; LTB₄, Leukotriene B₄; LTB₅, Leukotriene B₅; MV, Mechanical Ventilation; NB, Nitrogen Balance; NF-κB, nuclear factor-κB; NK, Natural Killer; NO, Nutrition Outcome; PAF, Platelet Activating Factor; PMN, Polymorphonuclear; PN, Parenteral Nutrition; PO₂/FiO₂, partial pressure of oxygen/fraction of inspired oxygen; SIRS, Systemic Inflammatory Response Syndrome; TBARS, Thiobarbituric Acid Reactive Substances; TG, Triglyceride; TNF, Tumour Necrosis Factor.

Footnote:

*“+”, benefit; “-”, risk; NR, Not Reported; “↓”, significantly reduced; “↑”, significantly increased.

†Jadad Score an instrument used to limit the risk of introducing bias and assess quality of RCTs. Scoring was given based on RCTs described as randomized, double-blinded and withdrawals or drop-outs were stated. Additional points were given if method to generate the sequence of randomization and double-blinding was described and it was appropriate. However points will be deducted if the method to generate the sequence of randomization and double-blinding was described but was inappropriate. Additionally if withdrawals were not mentioned, no points will be given. High quality RCTs are scored at 4- 5 and low quality at 1-2.