

Supplemental information

**KLF15 controls brown adipose
tissue transcriptional flexibility and metabolism
in response to various energetic demands**

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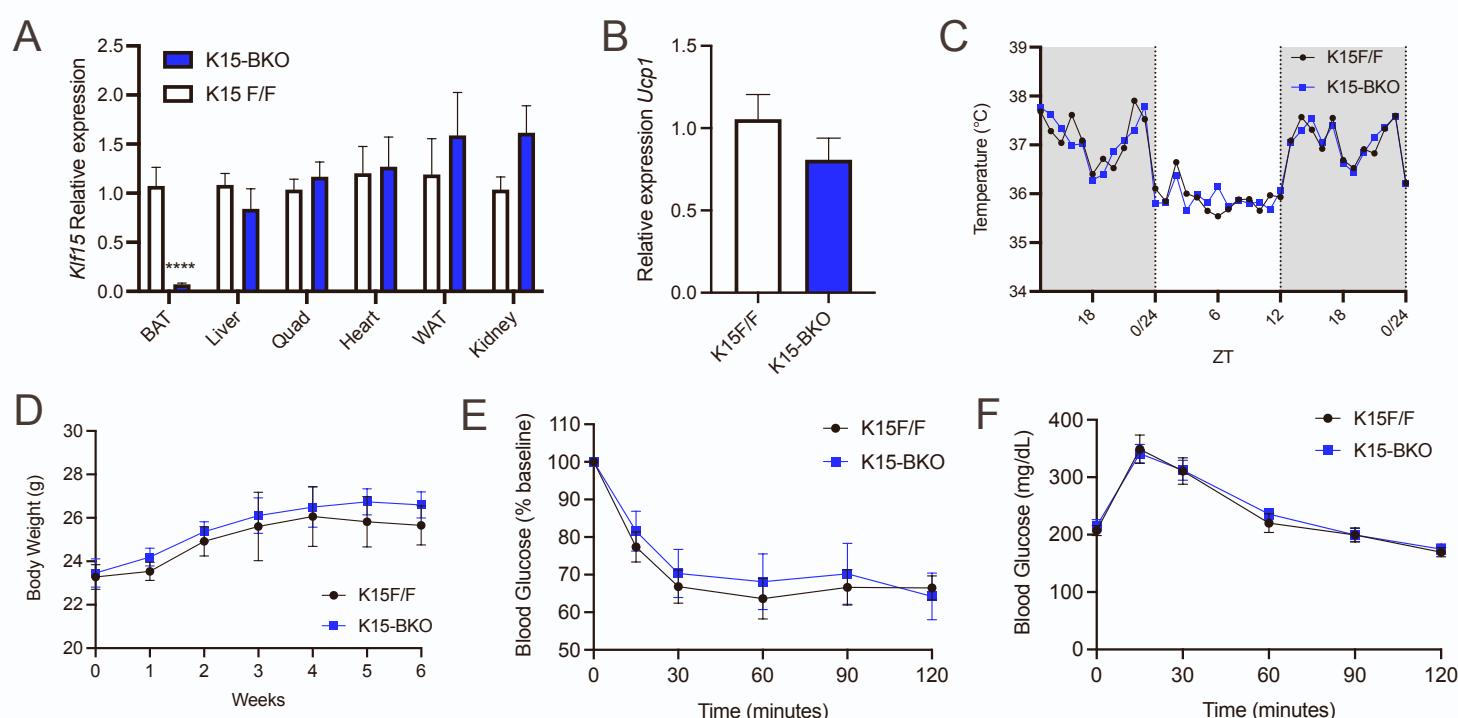
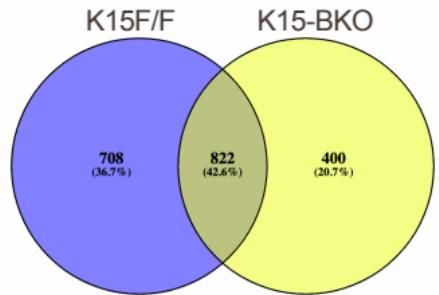


Figure S1. Baseline metabolic characterization of K15-BKO mouse, Related to Figure 1. (A) *Klf15* expression across multiple organs demonstrating specificity of BAT *Klf15* KO in K15-BKO animals (n=4-6). (B) Relative *Ucp1* expression in BAT of K15F/F vs K15-BKO (n=5-6). (C) Continuous core body temperature measurement using implantable temperature telemetry devices at room temperature (n=6). (D) Body weight (g) measurements starting from 8 weeks of age. (E) Intraperitoneal insulin tolerance test (IPITT) and (F) Intraperitoneal glucose tolerance test in K15F/F and K15-BKO at 8-10 weeks of age (n=8-11). Data represent mean \pm SEM. Comparisons between groups were performed using an unpaired, 2-tailed Student's t test, *p<0.05, **p<0.01, ***p<0.001, ****p<0.0001.

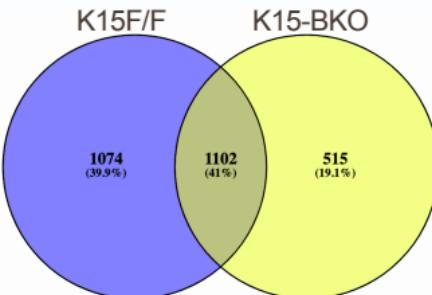
RT vs Cold

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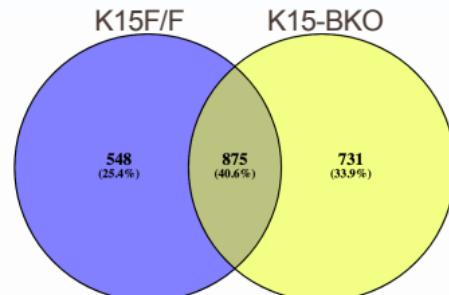
RT vs Fasting

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RT vs C+F

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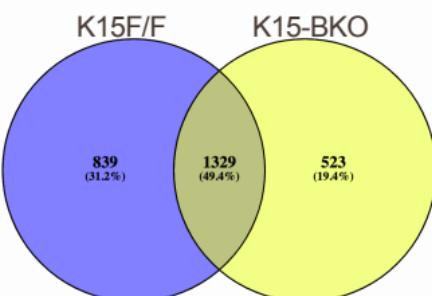


Figure S2. K15-BKO mice demonstrate significant deviations from normal transcriptional adaptions to energy demanding states, Related to Figure 2. Comparison of overlap of up- and down-regulated genes identified in K15F/F and K15-BKO BAT in response to cold challenge, fasting, and C+F.

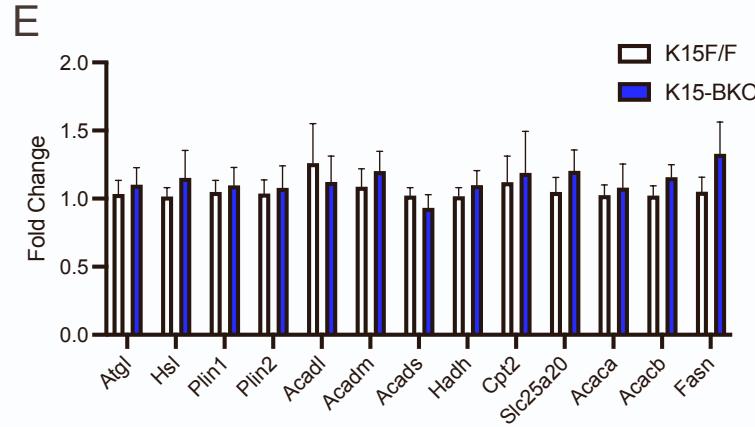
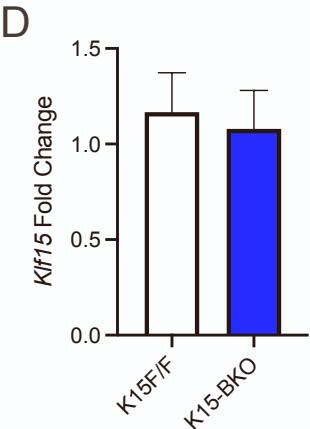
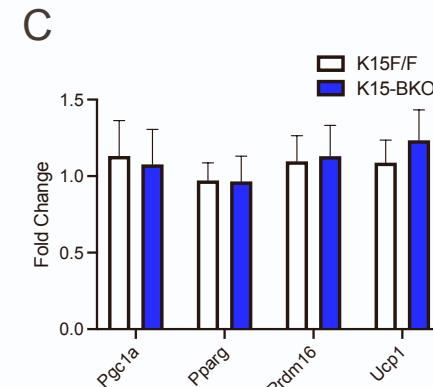
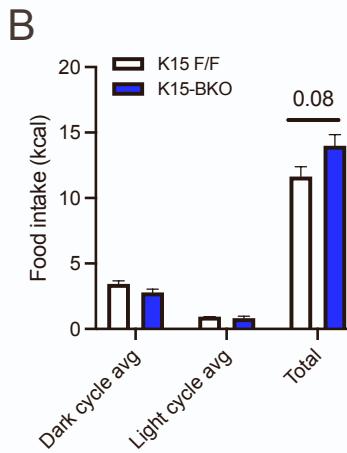
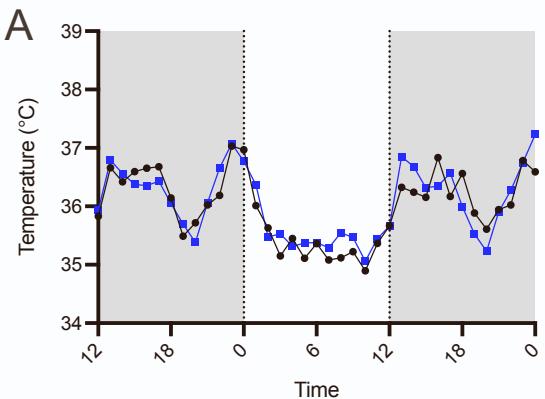


Figure S3. K15-BKO maintain temperature in cold, Related to Figure 3. (A) Continuous core body temperature measurement using implantable temperature telemetry devices at 4°C cold challenge (n=6). (B) Food intake during dark cycle, light cycle, and total across 24h cycle (n=4). (C) Fold change of browning genes in subcutaneous adipose tissue of K15F/F vs K15-BKO in C+F condition (n=8). (D) Fold change in *Klf15* expression in subcutaneous adipose tissue in C+F condition (n=8). (E) Fold change of select lipid metabolism genes in the subcutaneous adipose tissue of K15F/F and K15-BKO mice with C+F condition (n=8). Data represent mean \pm SEM. Comparisons between groups were performed using an unpaired, 2-tailed Student's t test.

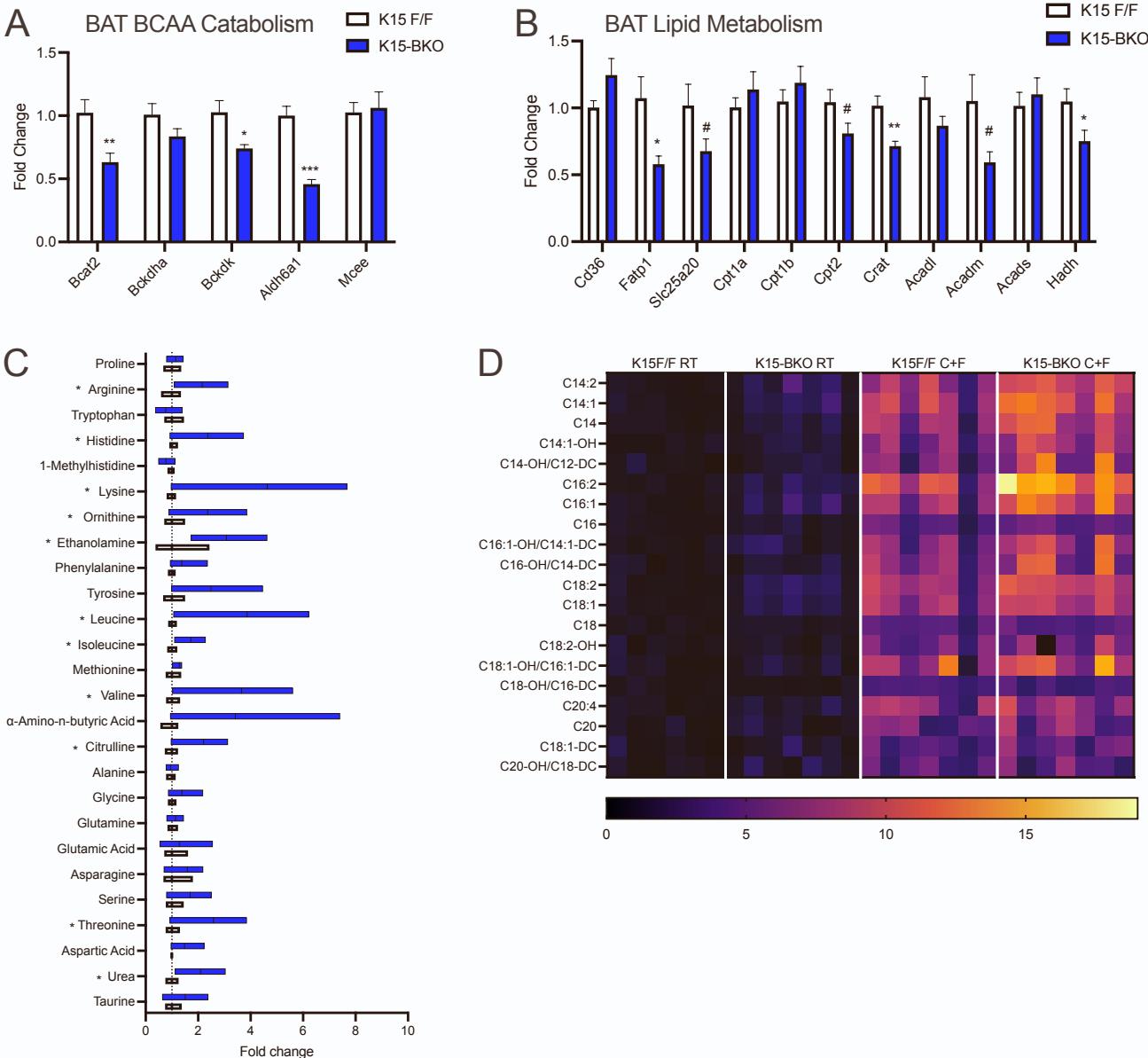


Figure S4. K15-BKO experience altered BCAA and FA metabolism in C+F conditions, Related to Figure 4. (A) qPCR of BCAA catabolism genes in BAT of K15 F/F vs K15-BKO mice (n=6-8). (B) qPCR of BCAA catabolism genes in BAT of K15 F/F vs K15-BKO mice (n=6-8). (C) Circulating amino acid levels at C+F, normalized to K15F/F (n=5). (D) Heatmap depicting circulating acylcarnitine levels K15F/F and K15-BKO at RT and after C+F, normalized to K15F/F RT (n=7). Data represent mean \pm SEM. Comparisons between groups were performed using an unpaired, 2-tailed Student's t test, #p < 0.1, *p < 0.05, **p < 0.01, ***p < 0.001.

Table S1. PCR primers, Related to STAR Methods.

Gene name	Forward	Reverse
Klf15	ACAGGCGAGAACGCCCTT	CATCTGAGCGGGAAACCT
Cyclophilin B	TTCTTCATAACCACAGTCAAGACC	ACCTTCCGTACCACATCCAT
Fatp1	GACAAGCTGGATCAGGCAAG	GAGGCCACAGAGGCTGTT
Cd36	TTGTACCTATACTGTGGCTAAATGAGA	CTTGTGTTTGAAACATTCTGCTT
Cpt1a	GACGAATCGGAACAGGGATA	TGGCATAGCTGTCATAGATGC
Cpt1b	GAGTGACTIONGGGGAAAGAATATG	GCTGCTTGACATTTGTGTT
Slc25a20	TGAAGGCCCTGTTACACTCA	CCTCCAGAGAGTCAGCCATC
Cpt2	CCAAAGAACGCAGCGATGG	TAGAGCTCAGGCAGGGTGA
Alt1	CCTTCAAGCAGTTCAAGCA	GCTCCGTGAGTTAGCCTTG
Alt2	GGAGCTAGCGACGGTATTCT	GATACTGGGGATGGGAATC
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Bckdhb	ATTAGCCAAAGACCCCCACTG	CGTAAACCAACAGTGCATCG
Ucp1	GGCAATCCTCTGTTTGC	CCAAAGTCCGCCTTCAGA
Mut	TGCAGTGGGACAATGTTAT	GCACACTGCCAGACATCG
Fah	CCTGCAGACTCTTAGACATGGA	GATTGGCTCTCCGAATCTGT
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Got1	GCTGTGCTCTCGCCTAGTT	AAGACTGCACCCCTCCAAC
Got2	ATGGCTGCTGCCTTCAC	GATCTGGAGGTCCCATTCA
Acaa1	GGTCTTATGACATTGGCATGG	CTCTGGCTTCTCACTCTCA
Aldh6a1	CTGGGCAGAGTCGGTGAG	GGCATTACCTTAGAAGAACCTG
Fh1	GCACCCCAATGATCATGTTA	ATTGCTGTTGGAAAGGTGTC
Sdhd	CCTGCTCTGTGGTGGACTACT	CCCATGAACGTAGTCGGTAAC
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Idh3a	GAGGTTTGCTGGTGGTGT	TGAAATTCTGGGCCAATT
Idh3b	ATGCTGCGGCATCTCAAT	CCATGTCTCGAGTCCGTACC
Idh3g	CATCCTCATTGTACGGGAAAA	ACCACTCCTGCTACGCTCTC
Ogdh	TCTCATCACAGACAAACTGG	AGGAAGTGCTGGCTCCTGT
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Suclg2	GAAAATCTGGGCTTCCTTGG	GAAAATCTGGGCTTCCTTGG
Sdha	TGTCAGTCCACCCACA	TCTCCACGACACCCCTCTG
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Pcx	TCCGTGTCGAGGGTGTAAA	CAGGAACTGCTGGTTGTTGA
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