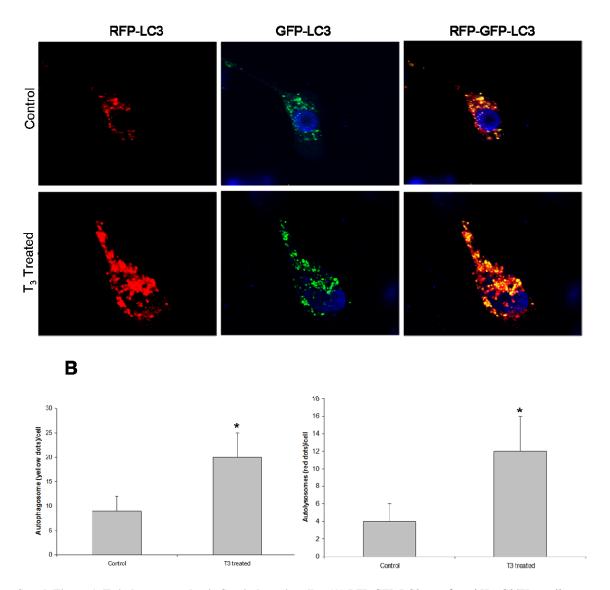
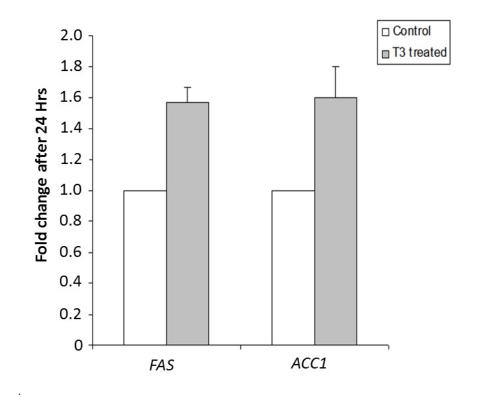
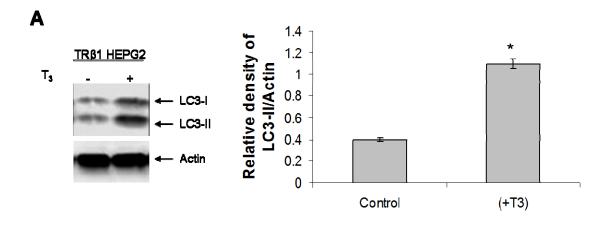
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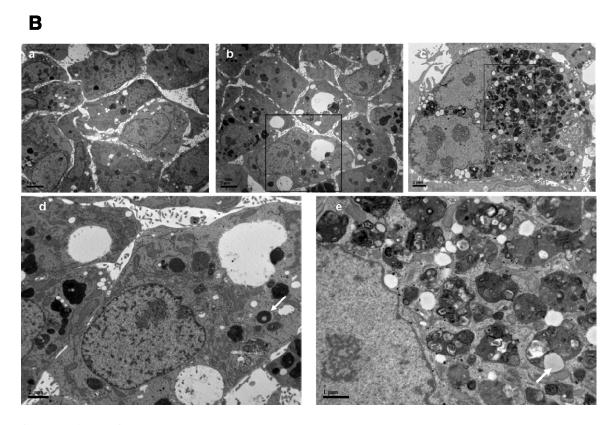


Suppl. Figure 1. T₃ induces autophagic flux in hepatic cells. (A) RFP-GFP-LC3 transfected HepG2/TRα cells were visualized and cells were quantified for RFP-LC3–puncta (red dots) representing both autolysosomes and autophagosomes (far left panels). GFP-LC3 (green dots) puncta denote autophagosomes (middle panels). When middle panels are overlaid with left panels, yellow dots represent autophagosomes and red dots are autolysosomes (far right panels) since acidification abolishes green fluorescence. **(B)** The number of autophagosomes (yellow dots) and autolysosomes (red dots) in the overlay (far right panels) were quantitated. Images were performed by confocal microscopy (40X magnification) after 48 hrs T₃ treatment. The p values for assessing the number of LC3-II-positive autophagosomes and autolysosomes using ImageJ were determined using Student's t-test (n=3; p<0.05).



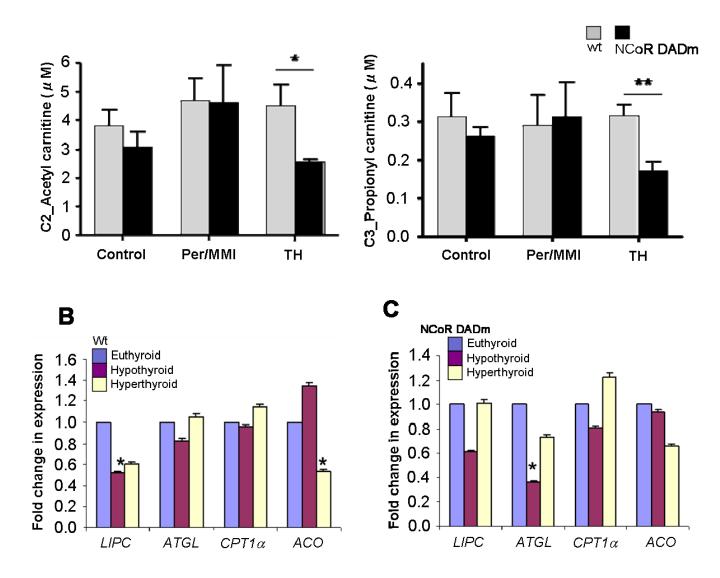
Suppl. Figure 2. Real-Time PCR analysis of *FAS* & *ACC1* mRNA in HepG2/TRα cells (*p<0.05, n=3).





Suppl. Figure 3. T_3 induces autophagy in HepG2/TR β cells. (A) Immunoblot and densitometric analysis of LC-3-II accumulation upon T_3 treatment in HepG2/TR β cells (n=3, *p<0.05). Electron micrographs and immunoblot of untreated control (B) and T_3 -treated (C-F) HepG2/TR β cells show increased autophagy. Panel E and F are magnified images of boxed area in C and D respectively. White arrows in E & F indicate autolysosomes laden with lipid cargo. Scale Bars in (B,C) are 5 μ m, (D,E) are 2 μ m and in (F) is 1 μ m.

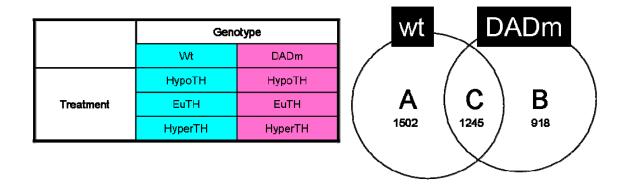
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Suppl. Figure 4. Metabolomic, and lipolytic target gene regulation of wt and NCoR DADm mice.

(A) Metabolomic analysis of short chain acyl carnitines in wt and NCoR DADm mice Fresh drinking water was provided daily containing 1% perchlorate and 0.05% methimazole for 2 wk (hypothyroid group). Fourteen hours before they were killed, all animals were given a sc injection of vehicle (0.9% saline in 100 μ l volume) for control and hypothyroid group or 40.0 μ g/100 g T₄ with 4.0 μ g/100 g T₃ for hyperthyroid group (*p<0.05, n=5). Real-Time PCR analysis of *LIPC*, *ATGL*, *CPT-1* α and *ACO* in (B) Wild-type (wt) and (C) NCoR DADm mice, (*p<0.05, n=3).

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A+C: gene changes by thyroid hormone in wt mouse (2747)

B+C: gene changes by thyroid hormone in DADm mouse (2163)

A: gene changes by thyroid hormone but ONLY in wt mouse(1502)

B: gene changes by thyroid hormone but ONLY in DADm mouse (918)

C: COMMON gene changes by thyroid hormone in BOTH wt AND DADm mouse (1245)

B

process

A: gene changes by thyroid hormone but ONLY in wt mouse(1502)

oxidation reduction
translation
cofactor metabolic process
coenzyme metabolic process
nitrogen compound biosynthetic process
organic acid catabolic process
carboxylic acid catabolic process

cofactor biosynthetic process
hexose metabolic process
monosaccharide metabolic process
antigen processing and presentation of peptide
antigen via MHC class I
glycerolipid metabolic process
cellular amino acid derivative metabolic
ion transmo

B: gene changes by thyroid hormone but ONLY in DADm mouse(918)

generation of precursor metabolites and energy oxidative phosphorylation electron transport chain proton transport hydrogen transport ATP synthesis coupled proton transport energy coupled proton transport, down electrochemical gradient ion transmembrane transport oxidation reduction mitochondrion organization translation

phosphorylation nucleoside triphosphate metabolic process amine catabolic process phospholipid metabolic process organophosphate metabolic process coenzyme biosynthetic process lipid catabolic process

alcohol catabolic process cellular lipid catabolic process glycerolipid biosynthetic process

fatty acid metabolic process

cellular response to reactive oxygen species cellular carbohydrate catabolic process biogenic amine metabolic process acylglycerol metabolic process cellular amino acid biosynthetic process

generation of precursor metabolites and energy triglyceride metabolic process

cellular amino acid catabolic process

purine nucleoside triphosphate metabolic process nucleoside triphosphate biosynthetic process phosphorus metabolic process phosphate metabolic process purine nucleoside triphosphate biosynthetic process

transmembrane transport

ATP biosynthetic process

nucleobase, nucleoside, nucleotide and nucleic acid biosynthetic process

nucleobase, nucleoside and nucleotide biosynthetic process

phosphoinositide metabolic process

ATP metabolic process

cellular macromolecule localization

ribonucleoside triphosphate biosynthetic process purine ribonucleoside triphosphate biosynthetic process

mitochondrial transport

protein targeting to mitochondrion protein localization in mitochondrion

Suppl. Figure 5. (A) Scheme of animal groups used for microarray analysis. **(B)** Pathway analysis of differentially expressed genes in hyperthyroid wt and NCoR DADm (given $40.0\mu g/100 \text{ g}$ T₄ with $4.0\mu g/100 \text{ g}$ T₃ for 14 hrs before sacrifice) mice using DAVID Bioinformatics Resources 6.7. Note the lipid and amino acid catabolic process (red) showing up exclusively in wt mice.

Table 1: Primer Sequences

Human	
FAS (sense)	5'- ACAGGGACAACCTGGAGTTCT
FAS (antisense)	5'- CTGTGGTCCCACTTATGAGT
ACC1 (sense)	5'- GTTGCACAAAAGGATTTCAG
ACC1 (antisense)	5'- CGCATTACCATGCTCCGCAC
Actin (sense)	5'- GCACAGAGCCTCGCCTTTGCC
Actin (antisense)	5'- CATGCCCACCATCACGCCCTGG
Mouse	
ACO (sense)	5'- ATATTTACGTCACGTTTACCCCGG
ACO (antisense)	5'- GGCAGGTCATTCAAGTACGACAC
<i>CPT-1α</i> (sense)	5'- CGCACGGAAGGAAAATGG
<i>CPT-1α</i> (antisense)	5'- TGTGCCCAATATTCCTGG
ATGL (sense)	5'- AACACCAGCATCCAGTTCAA
ATGL (antisense)	5'- GGTTCAGTAGGCCATTCCTC
LIPC (sense)	5'- GACGGGAAGAACAAGATTGGAA
LIPC (antisense)	5'- TTGGCATCAGGAGAAAGG
Actin (sense)	5'- GCGAGCACAGCTTCTTTGCA
Actin (antisense)	5'- ACGCAGCTCAGTAACAGTCC