

# Muscle-to-Brain communication in the context of obesity: impact of physical exercise?

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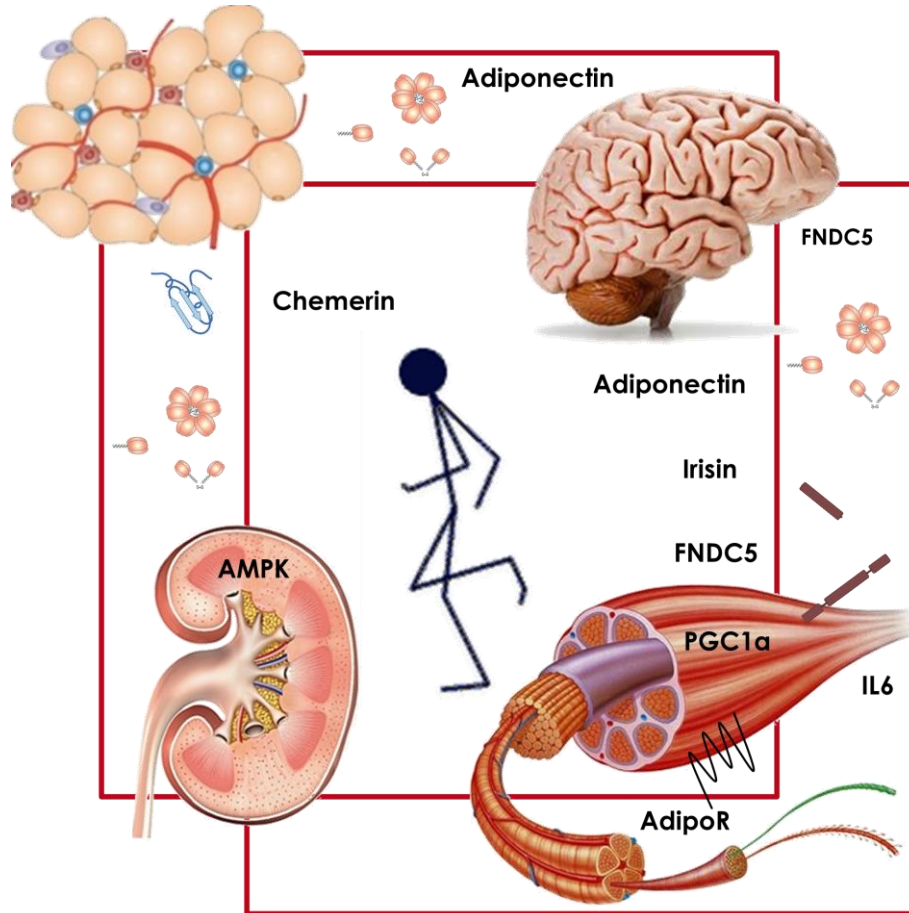
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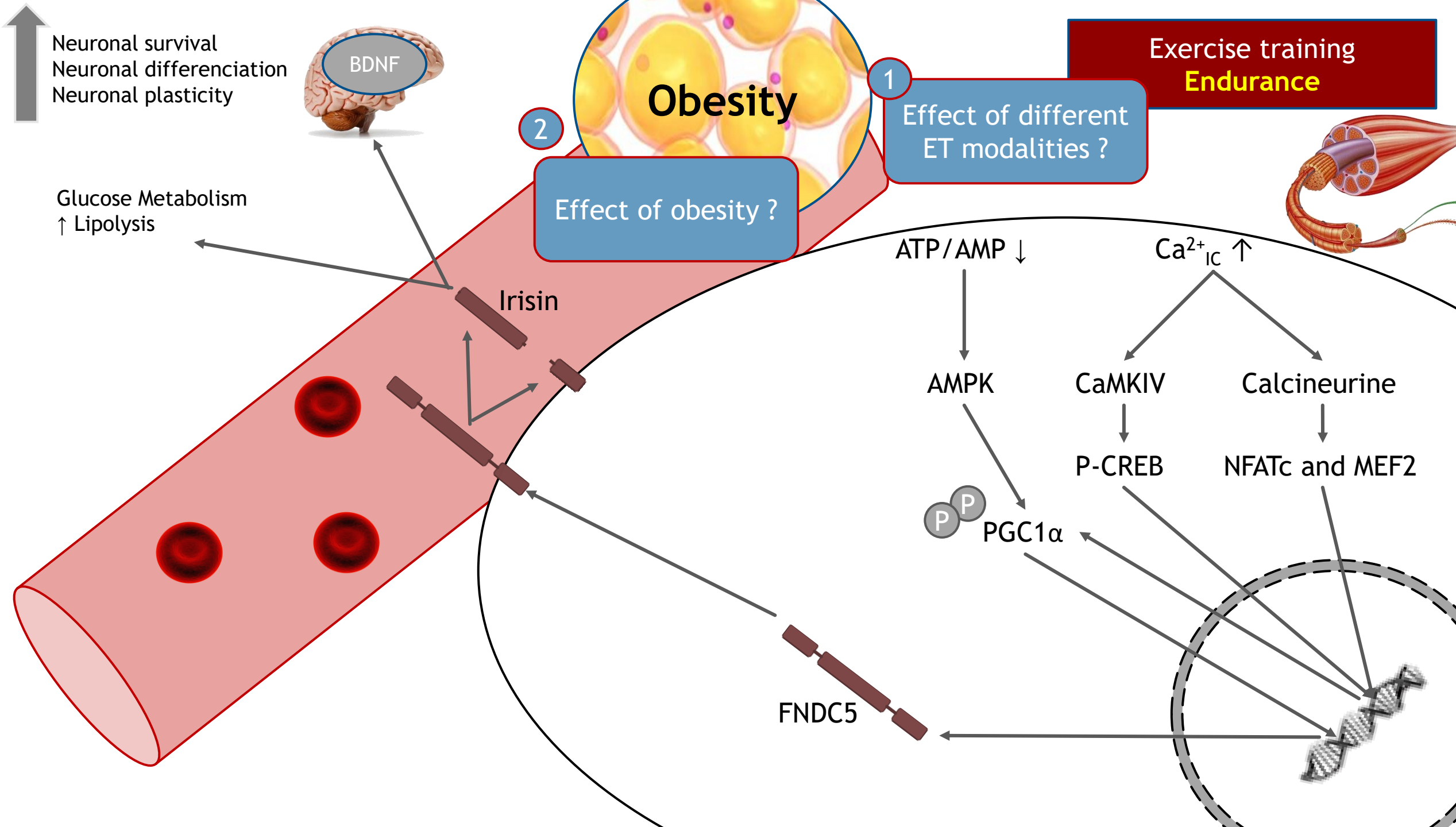


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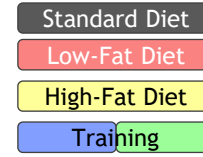
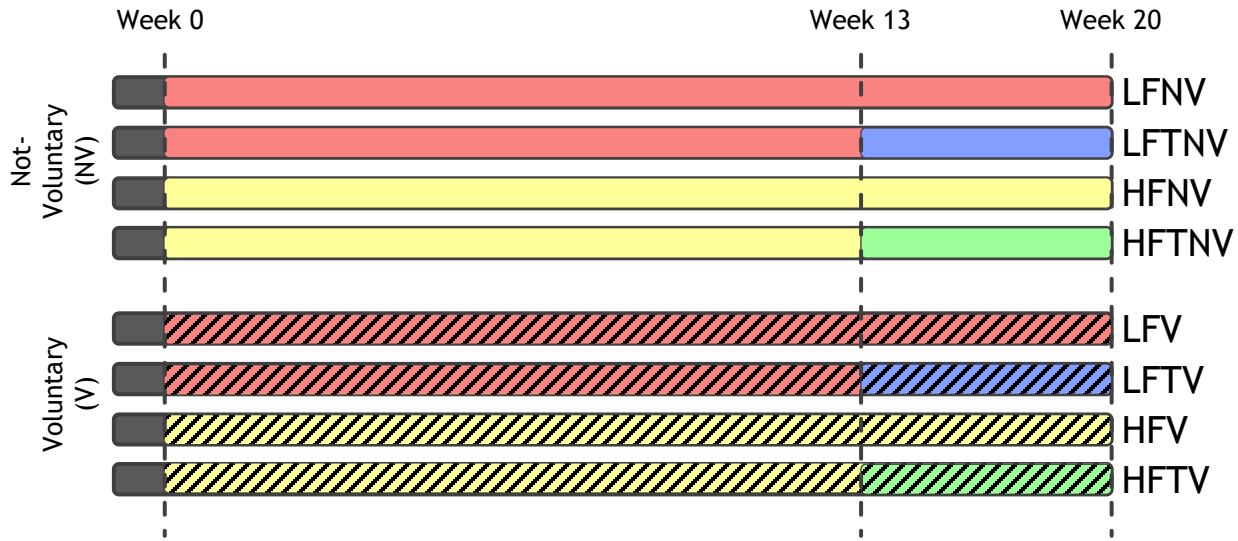
# « *Mens sana in corpore sano* »



Iris, Messenger of Gods



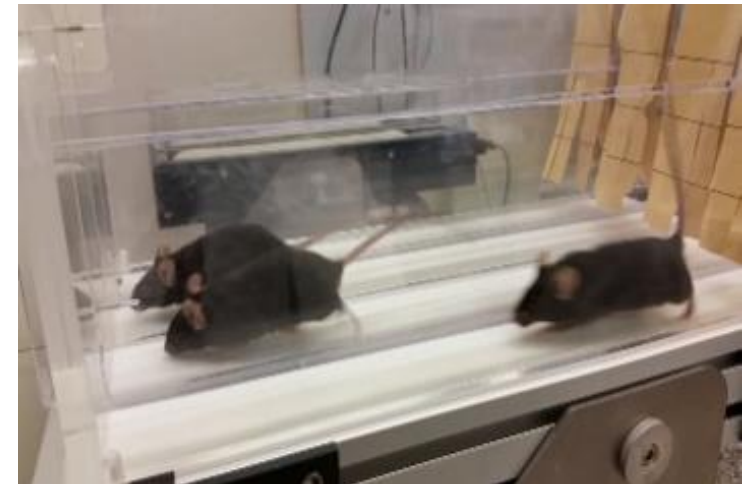
## *In vivo model*



Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Speed (cm/s)	5	15	70% MRV	70% MRV	70% MRV	70% MRV	70% MRV	70% MRV	
Time (min)	5	10	<div>↓ MRV test</div>	10	20	30	40	50	60

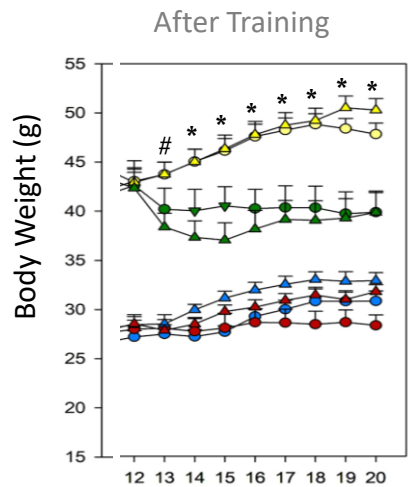
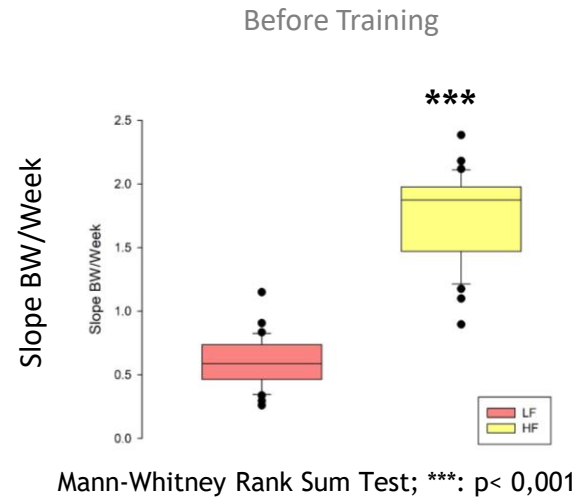
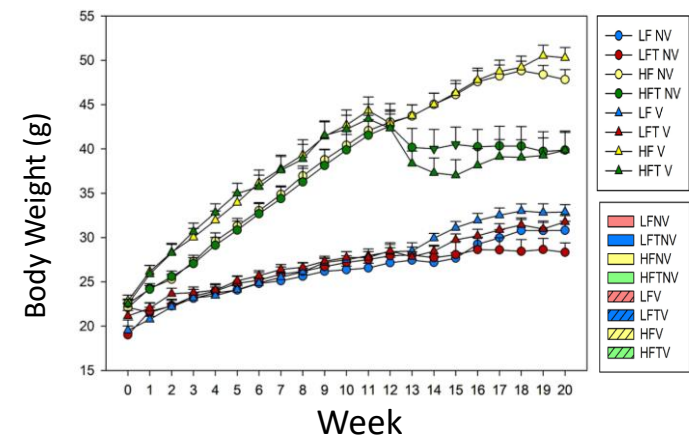


Voluntary (V)

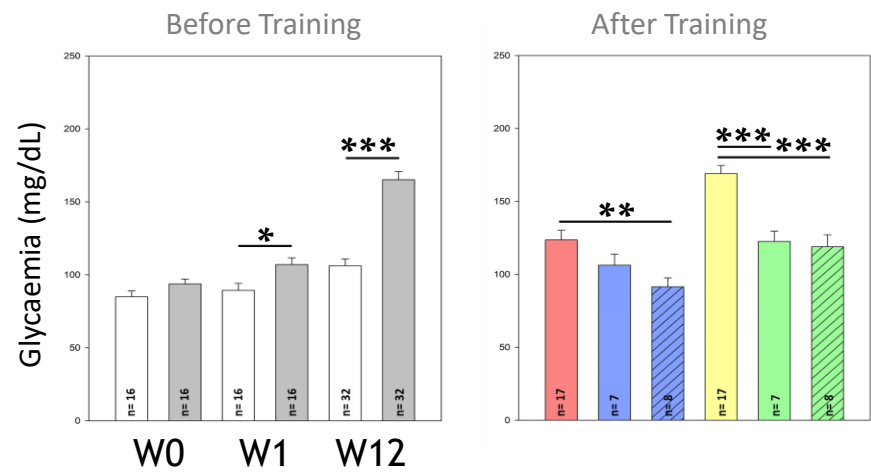


Not-Voluntary (NV)

# Exercise training stabilizes body weight and restores fasting glycaemia in High-Fat diet mice



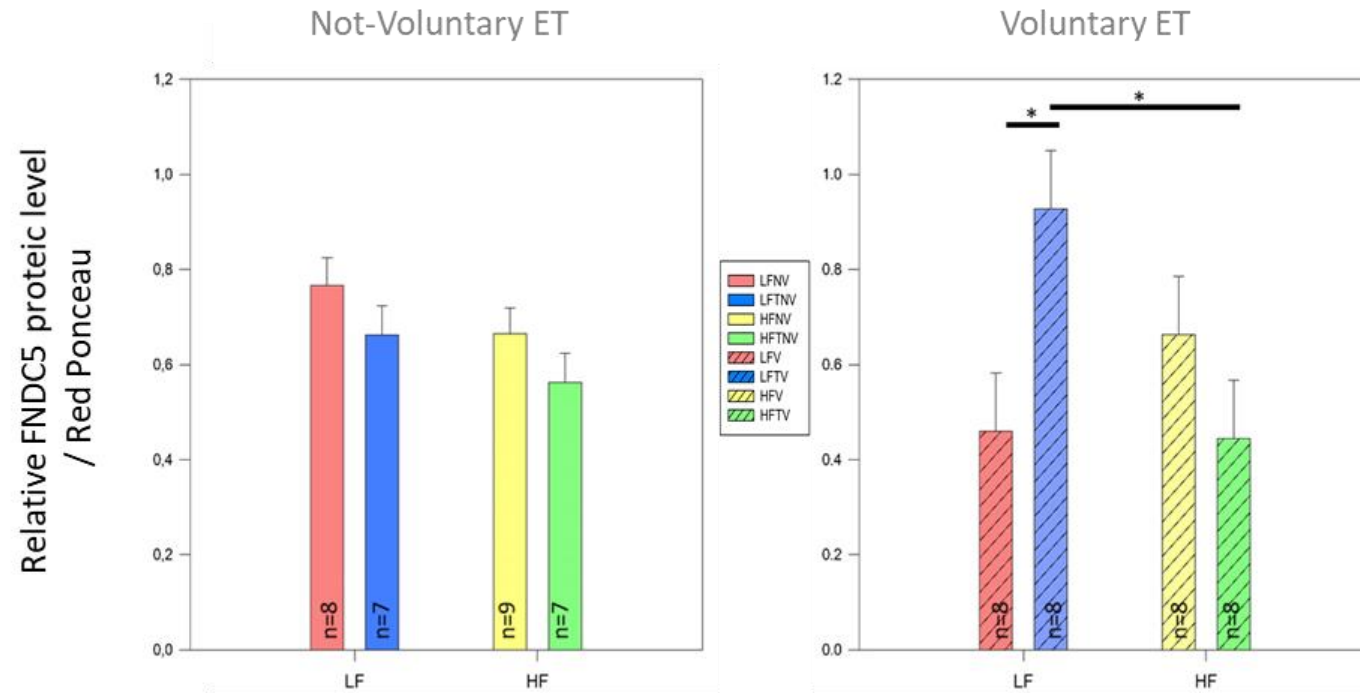
Two Way ANOVA on RM  
 #  $p < 0,001$  HFV Vs HFTV ;  
 \*  $p < 0,001$  T vs UT in HF groups



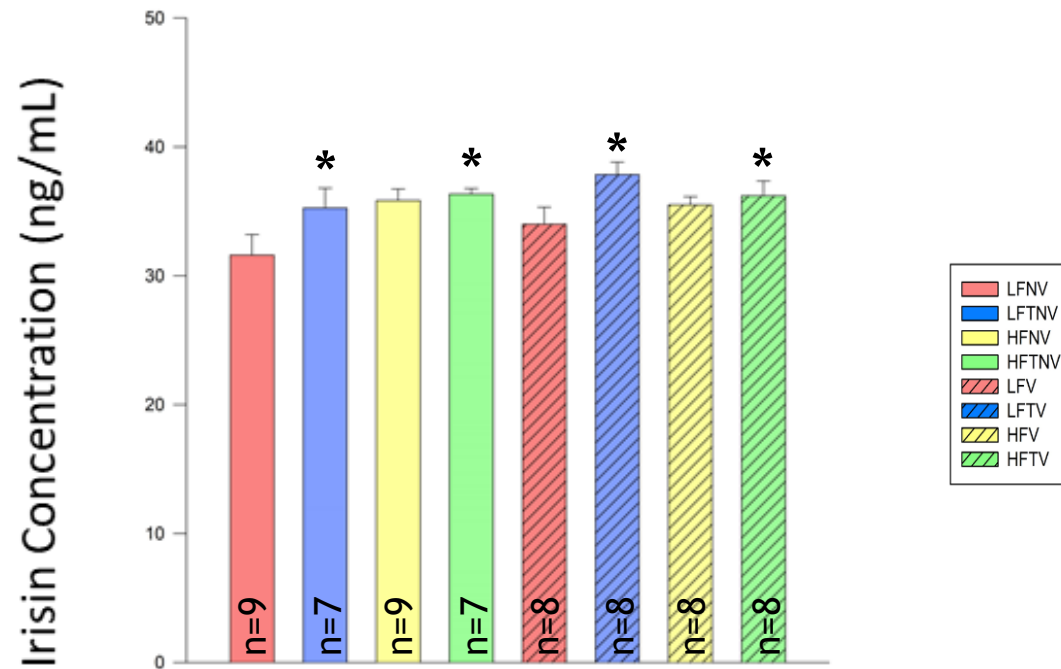
One Way ANOVA, \*\*\* :  $p < 0,001$  ; \*\* :  $p = 0,002$  ; \* :  $p < 0,05$



In muscle, the increase of FNDC5 protein level associated to voluntary exercise is inhibited by obesity

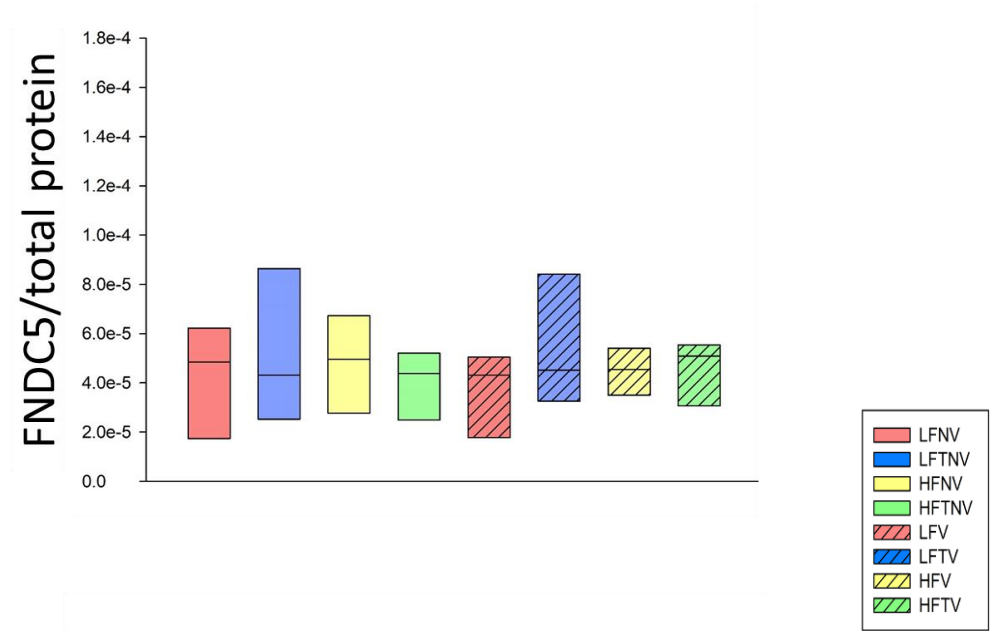


# Exercise training increases Irisin plasmatic level

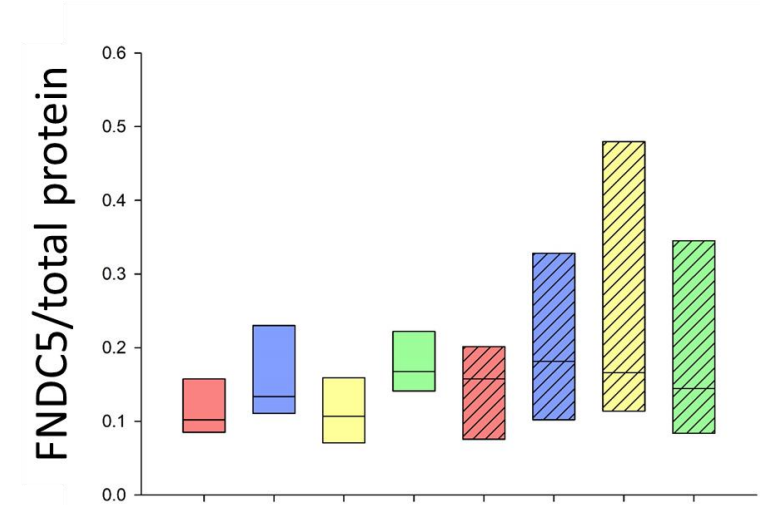


In brain, FNDC5 protein level is not modified by exercise or HF diet

Brain cortex



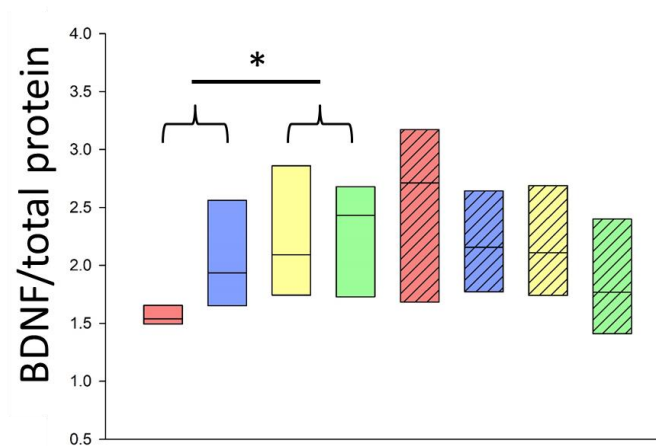
Hippocampus



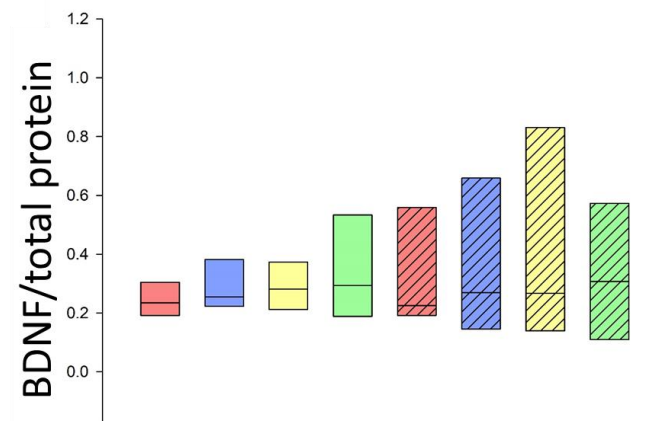


In Not-Voluntary trained mice, BDNF protein level is increased by exercise and HF diet in brain cortex but not in the hippocampus

Brain cortex

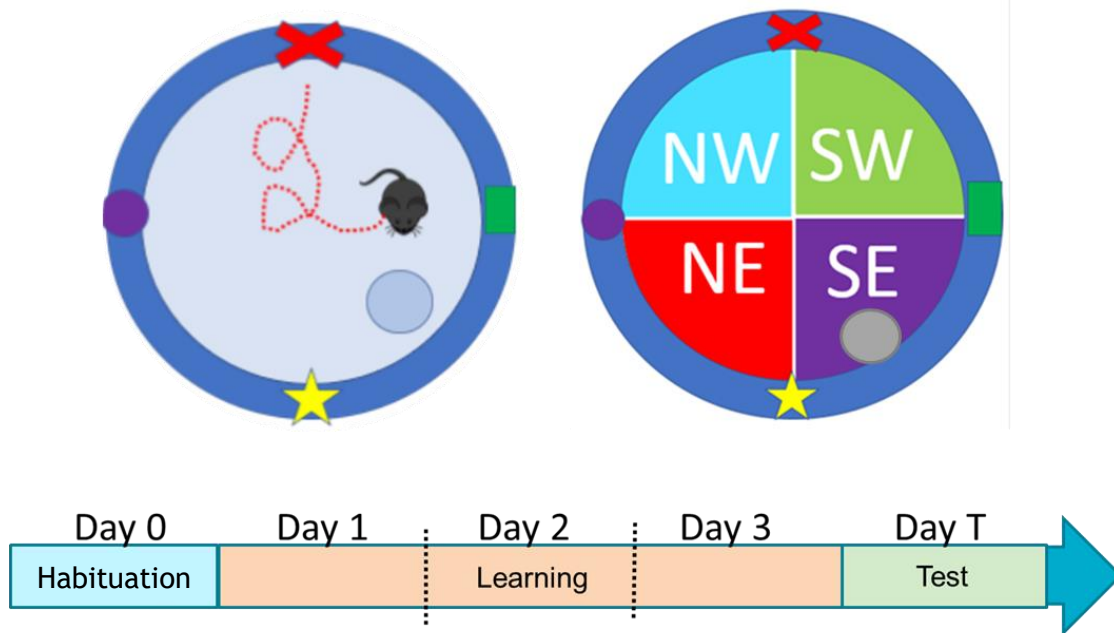


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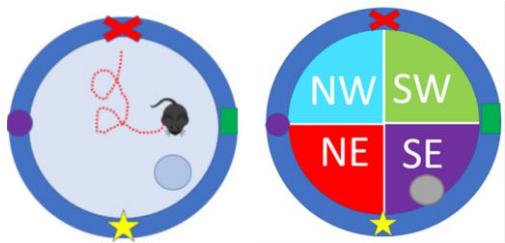
Three Way ANOVA, B. \* :  $p < 0,05$  and  $p < 0,05$  T Vs UT in NV

# Evaluation of spatial learning and memory

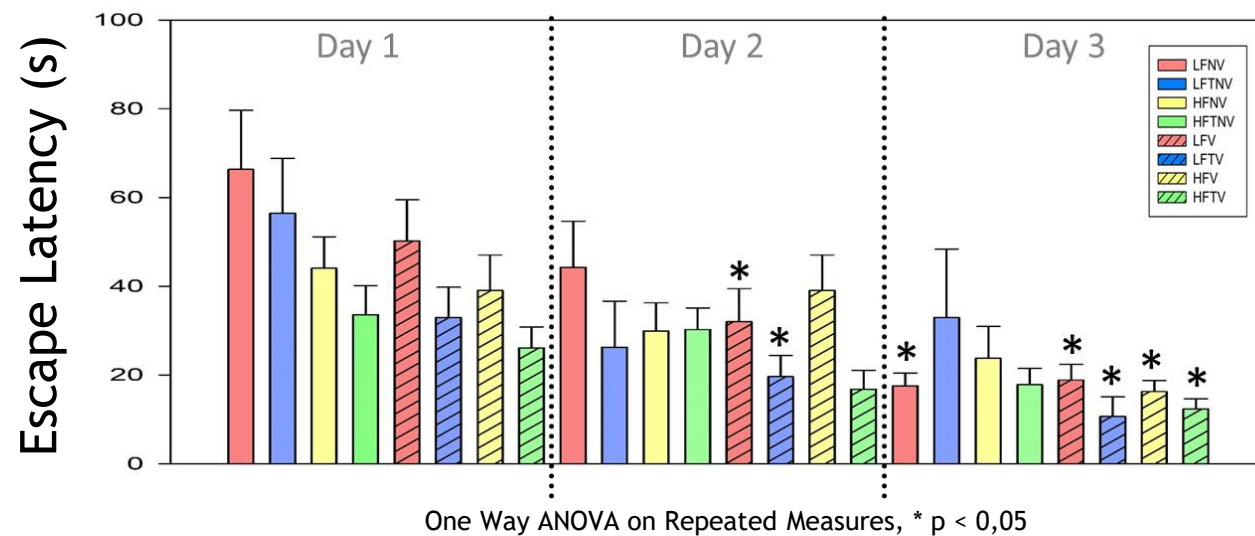


Morris Water Maze

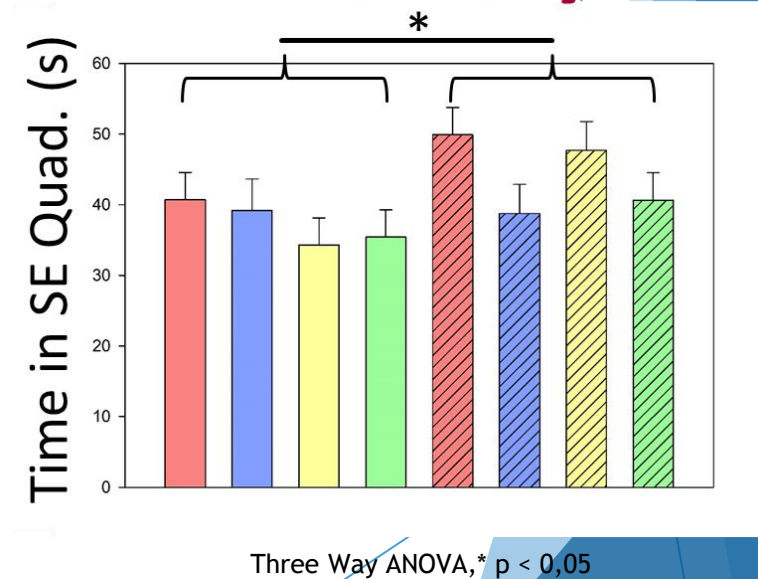
# The enrichment applied in Voluntary trained mice improves spatial learning and memorization



## Learning



## Memory



# Conclusion and take home message

ET in mice increases **Irisin** plasmatic level.

**FNDC5** protein level in skeletal muscle depends on training modalities and is influenced by diet:

- only voluntary ET induces FNDC5 protein expression.
- this effect is impaired in obese mice.

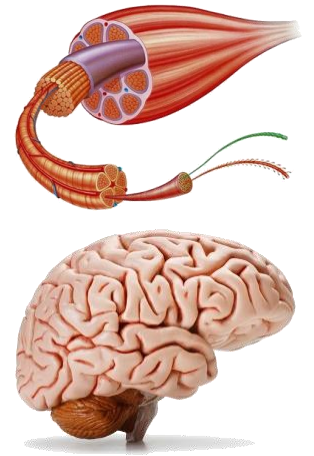
**FNDC5** protein level in the brain cortex and hippocampus are not modified by ET or diet.

Enrichment, *per se*, improves **spatial learning and memory**.

This effect is not associated to BDNF expression changes in the hippocampus.

BDNF protein level in the cortex is influenced by ET and diet in Not-Voluntary groups.

→ **Differential regulation of FNDC5 expression and cleavage into Irisin according to ET modalities and diet.**





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