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**ABSTRACT**

Evidence suggests that breast cancer, long recognized as a hormonal disease, also has a metabolic component influencing its development. However, etiologic mechanisms of breast cancer, including those related to metabolism, remain elusive given its heterogenous nature. Investigation of metabolomics can provide information on biochemical processes key to breast cancer development. Further, because some breast cancer risk factors differ by menopausal status at diagnosis, evaluating metabolomics and risk factors by menopausal groups is important to capture underlying disease mechanisms. Research into risk factors with opposing associations with pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancers will allow better understanding of the biologic development of this disease.

In this dissertation, I explore potential etiologic mechanisms for pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer through metabolomics and examine differences in risk factor profiles based on menopausal status at diagnosis. In **Chapter 1** I took an agnostic approach to examine metabolite associations with breast cancer risk in a nested matched case-control study (N cases=939, N controls=939) in the Nurses' Health Study (NHS). I uncovered several metabolite groups associated with risk of breast cancer, including cholesteryl esters (inversely associated with risk), triacylglycerols (TAGS) with <3 double bonds (positively associated with risk), and TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds (inversely associated with risk). I noted changing associations between metabolite groups and breast cancer risk dependent on timing of measurement. In **Chapter 2**, I took a closer look at adiposity as a risk factor for pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer and evaluated metabolomic profiles for adiposity measures. I found that metabolomic scores were often more informative than self-reported measures for adiposity in determining breast cancer risk, suggesting metabolic dysregulation as a key etiologic component to

breast cancer. I also found that metabolite profiles for adiposity measures were similar by menopausal status, though associations with risk were opposite. In **Chapter 3**, I developed a risk prediction model for premenopausal breast cancer to identify risk factors important to development of this disease. I found that many risk factors identified as significant in primarily postmenopausal cohorts were similarly important for premenopausal breast cancer, including premenopausal duration, ever having a birth, time from menarche to first birth, height, alcohol use, BMI in young adulthood, family history of breast cancer, and history of benign breast disease.

Overall, this dissertation suggests that mechanisms of metabolic dysregulation are key components for breast cancer development. Differences seen in risk of pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer with respect to certain risk factors, such as adiposity, may be explained by differential action of metabolic dysregulation across the life-course. Discovery that most reproductive and hormonal risk factors for premenopausal breast cancer align with those for postmenopausal breast cancer supports the notion that metabolic dysregulation may be a key element to distinguish the two diseases. Evaluation of the factors of metabolic dysregulation that may be responsible for differences in pre-vs. postmenopausal breast cancer risk can enhance knowledge about etiologic mechanisms for development of breast cancer over time.

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## **INTRODUCTION**

Breast cancer is the leading cause of cancer among women worldwide, with 2.3 million new cases diagnosed in 2020.<sup>1</sup> Over the past 10 years, incidence has continued to rise at a modest rate in developed nations, while rates have accelerated in transitioning countries.<sup>1</sup> Breast cancer is the fifth leading cause of cancer mortality worldwide, accounting for 6.9% of all cancer deaths.<sup>1</sup> The five-year survival rate is high among women diagnosed with stage I or stage II breast cancer (80-90%), though survival for late-stage diagnoses remains low (24%).<sup>2</sup> Given the widespread nature of this disease, working toward prevention by gaining insight into risk factors and etiologic mechanisms is key.

Breast cancer is a heterogeneous disease, with several molecular subtypes that exhibit different prognostic features. Importantly, breast cancer characteristics differ based on whether diagnosis occurs before or after menopause. The vast majority of breast cancers are diagnosed after menopause. However, diagnosis before menopause generally results in a more aggressive form of the disease that is associated with worse prognosis.<sup>3</sup> In addition, early detection of breast cancer is more difficult for younger women, as premenopausal women tend to have higher breast density, making identification of tumors in mammograms even more elusive.<sup>4,5</sup> Due to these inherent differences, there is a need to study breast cancer separately by menopausal status at diagnosis.

Several breast cancer risk factors have already been identified across the life-course, with most research focusing on primarily postmenopausal breast cancers. Most prominently, characteristics associated with increased estrogen burden over time are associated with increased breast cancer risk.<sup>6</sup> These include earlier age at menarche, later age at menopause, and use of postmenopausal hormone therapy.<sup>7</sup> Pregnancy is associated with an initial increase in breast cancer risk, followed by a decline in risk that grows over time and with additional births.<sup>8</sup> The few known modifiable risk factors associated with breast cancer include exogenous estrogen exposure, adiposity, and alcohol intake.<sup>9</sup>

When examining risk factors, an additional layer of complexity is added due to differential associations of risk factors based on menopausal status at diagnosis. Although childhood adiposity is consistently associated with lower risk of both pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer, adulthood adiposity is differentially associated with risk by menopausal status.<sup>10,11</sup> For instance, adiposity, measured

any time while a woman is premenopausal, is inversely associated with premenopausal breast cancer.<sup>12</sup> However, adulthood adiposity, measured either before or after menopause, is consistently associated with an increased risk of postmenopausal breast cancer.<sup>13,14</sup> Premenopausal breast cancer is less well understood than postmenopausal breast cancer due to more limited cases of premenopausal breast cancer in existing cohort studies. Overall, understanding of etiologic mechanisms underlying risk factors for breast cancer remains elusive given the complexity of this disease. To start, we may begin thinking of cancer as a metabolic disease.

The recognition of cancer as a metabolic disease stems from the central idea of the Warburg effect, wherein Otto Warburg identified differential uptake of glucose between tumors and normal tissue and use of aerobic instead of anaerobic glycolysis by tumor cells to survive.<sup>15</sup> As a natural progression for the study of metabolic disease, we can use the new field of metabolomics to explore biochemical processes that contribute to risk and ultimately may help explain risk factor relationships. The metabolome is defined as a complete collection of metabolites found in a given organelle, cell, organ, biofluid, or organism.<sup>16</sup> Individual metabolites are essentially any small molecule that is detectable, including endogenous compounds such as amino acids, lipids, and nucleic acids, and their breakdown products, as well as exogenous compounds from the diet or environment, such as food additives or pollutants.<sup>17</sup> The sensitivity of the metabolome to internal and external variables, such as age or diet, makes it ideal for studying how risk factors relate to breast cancer on a biochemical level. Metabolites can be measured via mass spectrometry instruments: liquid chromatography (LC-MS), gas chromatography (GC-MS), capillary electrophoresis (CE-MS), integration ion mobility (IMS-MS) or through nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR technology).<sup>17</sup> Compounds are identified through detection of peaks and spectral deconvolution. In terms of measurement, tissues can be used, though blood is often preferred, given ease of collection and evidence that it serves as a good proxy for all parts of an organism.<sup>18</sup>

Metabolomic studies over the past decade have advanced our understanding of breast cancer. For example, the finding that metabolomic spectra differ based on molecular subtypes reveals information about differential action of breast cancer subtypes as well.<sup>19</sup> Discovery of oncometabolites, endogenously produced metabolites that initiate or sustain tumorigenesis, have led to targeted

prevention efforts.<sup>20</sup> Metabolomic analyses have also revealed potential to predict treatment response or anticipate recurrence.<sup>19</sup>

While metabolomics can help us understand the biologic basis for disease, given the limited knowledge on premenopausal breast cancer, we also need to continue uncovering general risk factors for disease. Current risk prediction models are most interpretable for postmenopausal breast cancers, given the limited number of premenopausal cases involved in derivation.<sup>7,8,21</sup> As noted, the degree to which risk factors predictive of postmenopausal breast cancer risk similarly predict premenopausal breast cancer is unclear. Identification of novel or consistent risk factors will provide a framework for future work at the biochemical level to identify etiologic mechanisms of risk.

In **Chapter 1**, I begin by presenting an agnostic evaluation of how metabolites and metabolite groups relate to overall breast cancer risk, via a study that was completed in majority postmenopausal women. In **Chapter 2**, I delve into a specific risk factor, adiposity, and examine the relationship between adiposity-related metabolites with pre- and postmenopausal breast cancers. Contrasting how metabolomic data informs us about pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer can allow us to better understand why differences in risk occur at different stages in life. In **Chapter 3**, I explore the potential contribution of breast cancer risk factors established for postmenopausal breast cancer in premenopausal breast cancer, and test candidate risk factors for inclusion in a premenopausal risk prediction model. Identification of risk factors specific to premenopausal breast cancer will allow further exploration of the biochemical processes behind these relationships. Through this dissertation, I seek to add to our understanding of pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer etiology, with the long-term goal of accelerating prevention efforts.

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## CHAPTER 1

Title: Plasma metabolites and breast cancer risk among postmenopausal women in the Nurses' Health Study

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## ABSTRACT

Metabolite profiles reflect the integrated impact of the genome and exogenous exposures on the metabolic state and may provide insight into biologic mechanisms contributing to breast cancer development. To better understand this, we explored the association between pre-diagnostic plasma metabolites (N=307) and invasive breast cancer among women in the Nurses' Health Study. Plasma metabolites were profiled for cases and controls via liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometry (LC-MS) using samples taken  $\geq 10$  years prior to diagnosis (distant, N=939 cases), and  $< 10$  years prior to diagnosis (proximate, N=592 cases).

Multivariable conditional logistic regression adjusting for standard breast cancer risk factors was used to estimate odds ratios (ORs) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs) for a 2.5 standard deviation change in metabolite level, using the number of effective tests to account for testing multiple correlated hypotheses. Changes over time were assessed using cross-classification of high v. low levels of metabolites at each time point and through latency analysis. Metabolite set enrichment analysis (MSEA) was used to group molecularly-similar metabolites based on pre-defined classes. Weighted gene co-expression network analysis (WGCNA) identified data-driven metabolite modules based on their interconnectedness; associations between resulting module scores and breast cancer risk were examined. Multiple testing in MSEA and WGCNA was accounted for using the false discovery rate.

Though no individual metabolites were significantly associated with breast cancer risk, several patterns emerged. At the distant timepoint, cholesteryl esters were inversely associated with risk [e.g.: C22:5 CE OR = 0.82, 95% CI=0.75-0.9]. TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds were inversely associated with breast cancer at the proximate timepoint [e.g.: C58:7 TAG OR=0.81, 95% CI=0.72-0.92]. MSEA showed negative enrichment (corresponding to an inverse association with breast cancer) of cholesteryl esters at the distant (normalized enrichment score (NES)=-2.26,  $p_{adj}$ =0.02) timepoint. Though positive enrichment of TAGs with  $< 3$  double bonds was observed at both time points, TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds were significantly inversely associated with breast cancer at the proximate time point (NES=-2.91,  $p_{adj}$ =0.03). Overall, the results suggest that cholesteryl esters may be inversely related to early development of

breast cancer, while TAGs with many double bonds appear inversely associated with development of breast cancer closer to diagnosis.

## INTRODUCTION

Metabolite profiles reflect the integrated impact of the genome and exogenous exposures on the metabolic state and may provide insight into biologic mechanisms contributing to disease development. It is particularly important to study metabolomics in diseases with limited knowledge on etiological mechanisms, such as breast cancer. Breast cancer is the most common cancer among women worldwide.<sup>1</sup> The use of metabolomics can help reveal insights into biologic mechanisms of development. A handful of recent studies have explored metabolite associations with breast cancer incidence,<sup>2-9</sup> though only a few have taken an agnostic approach to explore the metabolomics of breast cancer,<sup>3,8,9</sup> instead focusing on weight-associated or nutritional metabolites. Among the studies that have explored metabolites overall with respect to breast cancer risk, one had a very small sample size (N=84 cases),<sup>8</sup> and all used different metabolomic platforms for measurement. All studies thus far have only captured metabolite profiles at a single point in time. We sought to add to the literature on metabolomics and breast cancer and identify potential pathways of etiologic interest. Here we used an agnostic approach in the Nurses' Health Study to investigate associations between metabolite levels, measured prior to diagnosis, and future breast cancer risk. We also examined how these measures changed over time, using measures from two different blood collections, approximately 10 years apart.

## MATERIAL & METHODS

### **Cohort**

We conducted a nested case-control study within the Nurses' Health Study (NHS), a prospective cohort of 121,700 female nurses that was started in 1976. Biennial follow up questionnaires collect risk factor information as well as new disease diagnoses. Blood samples were collected in 1989-1990 from 32,826 cohort members, aged 43-69 years at blood collection. A subset of these women (N=18,743) provided a second blood sample between 2000-2002. Breast cancer cases were identified by self-report

and confirmed by medical record review. Deaths were captured by next of kin, postal service, or review of the National Death Index. Cases were all women diagnosed with invasive breast cancer between 2000-2010 who provided a blood sample at either time point (N=939 for distant 1989-90 blood collection; N=592 for proximate 2000-02 blood collection). Controls were matched to cases on factors at each blood draw, including age (+/- 1 year), month ( $\pm 1$  month), time of day ( $\pm 2$  h), fasting status ( $\geq 10$  h since a meal vs.  $< 10$  h or unknown), postmenopausal hormone use (yes/no), and menopausal status (pre/post/unknown).

### **Metabolite Profiling**

Plasma metabolites were profiled at the Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard (Cambridge, MA). Two different liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometry (LC/MS-MS) platforms were used for identification of metabolites, designed to measure polar metabolites and lipids, and free fatty acids, described elsewhere.<sup>10-13</sup> Specifics on measurement procedures are described in a previous publication.<sup>14</sup> Briefly, matched case-control pairs were distributed randomly within batch, pooled reference samples were included every 20 samples, and 64 quality controls were randomly distributed. Measures were standardized using the ratio of the value of the sample to the value of the nearest pooled reference multiplied by the median of all reference values for the metabolite. For metabolites measured with multiple metabolomics platforms, the assay laboratory provided a list of the preferred measurement platform. For metabolites measured multiple times with the same platform, the metabolite with the lowest CV was used for analysis. Metabolites that had poor stability due to delay in processing were excluded (N=51).<sup>13</sup> Following this initial data cleaning, a total of 307 known metabolites were successfully measured and included in the study. Metabolites were annotated by superclass, class, and subclass distinctions.

### **Covariates**

Identified risk factors for breast cancer were included as covariates in the analyses, including the following: (1) weight factors: BMI at age 18 (kg/m<sup>2</sup>) & weight change since age 18 (kg); (2) reproductive factors: age at first birth and parity (nulliparous, 1-2 kids  $< 25$  y, 1-2 kids  $25+$  y, 3+ kids  $< 25$ y, 3+ kids  $25+$  y), age at menarche (years) & breastfeeding history (yes/no); (3) disease history factors: history of

benign breast disease (yes/no) & family history of breast cancer (yes/no), and (4) lifestyle factors: physical activity (MET-hours/week) & alcohol intake (g/day), hormone use as a combination of oral contraceptive and/or menopausal hormone therapy (yes/no).

## **Statistical Analysis**

### *Individual Metabolites*

Metabolites with <10% missing were imputed with ½ the minimum value (N=39 at distant blood collection, N=0 at proximate blood collection). Metabolites with >10% missing (N=15 at distant blood collection, N=16 at proximate blood collection) were not imputed. We used probit transformation for all metabolites. Multivariable conditional logistic regression (CLR) was used to determine the association of individual metabolites with breast cancer at both distant and proximate blood collections.

Four different models were run to explore the influence of covariates on the results: (1) CLR, unadjusted for other covariates; (2) CLR, adjusted for BMI at age 18; (3) CLR, adjusted for BMI at age 18 and weight change since age 18; (4) CLR adjusted for BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18 (kg), and all reproductive, lifestyle, and disease history variables noted above.

Unconditional logistic regression (UCLR) with additional adjustment for matching factors was used to assess the association between metabolites and ER+ and ER- breast cancers. ER- models were not adjusted for hormone status at blood draw, as there was no variation of this variable.

We accounted for testing for multiple correlated hypotheses by calculating the number of effective tests among controls by performing a principal components analysis of all metabolites and calculating the number of PCs that explained 99.5% of the total variance.<sup>15</sup> For this method,  $p_{adj} = p_{unadjusted} / \text{number of effective tests}$ . This method has been shown to have similar performance to permutation-based multiple comparison testing correction.<sup>15</sup> All models were assessed looking at a 2.5 standard deviation (SD) increase in metabolites, representing the comparison for 90th-10th percentile of metabolite value.

In a separate analysis, we explored the association of presence vs. absence of metabolites with >10% missingness with breast cancer risk; no significant associations were identified.

### *Difference and Average*

Correlations between metabolite measurements at distant and proximate time points were assessed using Spearman correlations, both unadjusted, and adjusted for fasting, age at blood draw, and weight change since age 18. This was restricted to the subset of participants with both blood measures available (N=592 cases). The value of studying the difference between metabolites was assessed using logistic regression, including metabolite measures at both time points in the same regression along with an interaction term; the p-value for the interaction term was used to determine potential interest in the difference measures.

The difference of metabolite levels at proximate – distant blood collection was analyzed via logistic regression, including only those participants with both blood measures. All models included the distant blood metabolite level and were interpreted as a 2.5 SD change in metabolite level from distant to proximate blood, adjusted for distant blood, e.g.:  $\text{logit}(Y) = \beta_0 + \beta_1(X_1) + \beta_0(X_2 - X_1)$ , where  $X_1$  is the metabolite level at distant blood, and  $X_2$  is the metabolite at proximate blood. For both average and difference analyses, fasting status was assessed as a combination of fasting status between the two time points (fasting at both, fasting at neither, fasting at one), and combined menopausal status (premenopausal at both, postmenopausal at both, switch from pre- to postmenopausal). The remaining covariates were taken from the proximate blood collection.

#### *Cross classification*

To further assess the changing influence of metabolites on breast cancer based on measurement time, we conducted a cross-classification analysis. Only individuals with metabolite measures for both blood samples were included in the analysis. Metabolites were classified for participant as below the median value, or equal to or greater than the median value at each time point. Unconditional logistic regression with adjustment for matched factors (as defined above in the difference analysis) was used to determine the association between metabolite levels that increased (<median to  $\geq$ median), decreased ( $\geq$ median to <median), or remained  $\geq$  the median value from distant to proximal time points and breast cancer risk, compared to metabolites that were below the median value at both time points.

#### *Latency analysis*

To add to our understanding of how risk changes over time based on metabolite levels, we conducted a latency analysis. The analysis considered metabolite levels at both time points, as well as the time from blood draw to diagnosis for each measure. The following equation was applied to our sample:

$$\begin{aligned}\log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) &= \beta x_1 e^{-\lambda t_1} + \beta x_2 e^{-\lambda t_2} \cong \beta x_1(1 - \lambda t_1) + \beta x_2(1 - \lambda t_2) \\ &= \beta_1(x_1 + x_2) - \beta_2(x_1 t_1 + x_2 t_2)\end{aligned}$$

The parameter  $\beta_2 = \beta \lambda$ , and  $\lambda$  is a dampening parameter representing the influence of time from blood collection to diagnosis on the association between metabolite level and risk. A positive  $\lambda$  suggests more importance of the proximal time point measure to the association between metabolite and breast cancer risk, while a negative value suggests more importance to the distant time point. The calculation of  $\lambda$  is simply  $-\beta_2/\beta_1$ , as calculated from our logistic regression analysis. The significance that time of blood collection represents is equivalent to the p-value for the  $\beta_2$ . This analysis was modeled both linearly (as shown above), and quadratically as shown below.

$$\begin{aligned}\log\left(\frac{p}{1-p}\right) &= \beta x_1 e^{-\lambda_1 t_1 - \lambda_2 t_1^2} + \beta x_2 e^{-\lambda_1 t_2 - \lambda_2 t_2^2} \cong \beta x_1(1 - \lambda_1 t_1 - \lambda_2 t_1^2) + \beta x_2(1 - \lambda_1 t_2 - \lambda_2 t_2^2) \\ &= \beta_1(x_1 + x_2) - \beta_2(x_1 t_1 + x_2 t_2) - \beta_3(x_1 t_1^2 + x_2 t_2^2)\end{aligned}$$

In this equation  $\beta_3 = \beta \lambda_2$  and  $\beta_2 = \beta \lambda_1$ .

#### *Metabolite Set Enrichment Analysis*

Metabolites were grouped based on biologic or molecular similarities. The subclasses provide a way to classify metabolites based on structural similarities. Metabolite set enrichment analysis (MSEA) combines the effect estimates from logistic regressions performed on individual metabolites by defined groups, to determine a summary Enrichment Score (ES) and Normalized Enrichment Score (NES) adjusted for group size. All MSEA models are thus adjusted for the same covariates listed above in the individual metabolite analyses. The ES represents the degree to which the metabolite set is overrepresented compared to other sets when analyzing breast cancer as the outcome of interest; where a positive ES represents a significant positive enrichment in breast cancer (i.e., a harmful association), while a significant negative score indicates a group that is negatively enriched in breast cancer (i.e., a protective association). P-values are adjusted using the False Discovery Rate (FDR) to account for multiple comparisons.<sup>16</sup>

### *Weighted metabolite co-expression network analysis*

Weighted gene (metabolite) co-expression network analysis (WGCNA) in R was used to identify metabolite modules associated with breast cancer risk. This analysis process is described in detail elsewhere.<sup>17</sup> Briefly, a gene (or in our case, metabolite) co-expression network is constructed using the absolute values of the correlation coefficients between metabolites to identify interconnected “nodes” based on a threshold value of similarity. Hierarchical clustering based on scale-free topology is used to identify densely interconnected metabolites from the identified network, and modules are identified by using a Dynamic Tree Cut method.<sup>18</sup> Within each subset of interest, (overall BC, ER+ BC, and ER- BC), all metabolites were assigned a module score based on their loading on the first principal component of each module, which was either negative or positive. Module scores were derived in control subjects at each time point separately. These scores were then related to breast cancer risk via UCLR. The resulting OR represents the association of a particular module with breast cancer risk. The loading status of individual metabolites into each module was examined to determine the influence of individual metabolites on the resultant module association. Key metabolites driving module scores were also identified by examining their corresponding loadings on each module.<sup>17</sup>

## RESULTS

### **Descriptive**

A total of 939 cases and 939 controls were included for distant blood collection analysis, and 592 cases and 592 controls were included for the proximate blood collection. At first blood collection, mean age was 55 years (SD=6.9); 25% of women were premenopausal (**Table 1.1**). At the second blood draw, 98% of women were postmenopausal. Family history of breast cancer, particularly at second collection, was higher among cases (23%) compared to controls (15%). As expected, weight gain since age 18 was higher at the second blood draw; at both time points cases tended to have approximately 2kg more weight gain compared to controls.

**Table 1.1.** Descriptive characteristics of participants in NHS who provided blood samples at distant and proximate dates.\*

| Characteristic   | Distant Blood   |                    | Proximate Blood |                    |
|--|-----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
|  | Case<br>(N=939) | Control<br>(N=939) | Case<br>(N=592) | Control<br>(N=592) |
| Age at blood draw (mean (SD))                                  | 55.5 (6.9)      | 55.6 (6.9)         | 66.4 (6.9)      | 66.5 (6.8)         |
| Fasting at blood draw (N (%))                                  | 626 (67%)       | 683 (73%)          | 515 (87%)       | 547 (92.4)         |
| Menopausal status & PMH use at blood draw (N (%))              |                 |                    |                 |                    |
| Premenopausal  | 239 (26%)       | 240 (26%)          | 3 (1%)          | 5 (1%)             |
| Postmenopausal, no PMH use                                     | 288 (31%)       | 289 (31%)          | 188 (32%)       | 186 (31%)          |
| Postmenopausal, PMH use  | 293 (31%)       | 292 (31%)          | 393 (66%)       | 395 (67%)          |
| Unknown  | 0               | 0                  | 8 (1%)          | 6 (1%)             |
| Age at menarche (mean (SD))                                    | 12.5 (1.4)      | 12.6 (1.4)         | 12.5 (1.4)      | 12.6 (1.4)         |
| Nulliparous (N (%))  | 90 (9.6)        | 75 (8.0)           | 51 (8.6)        | 35 (5.9)           |
| Parity (mean (SD))^  | 3.1 (1.4)       | 3.2 (1.6)          | 3.1 (1.3)       | 3.2 (1.6)          |
| Age at first birth (mean (SD))^                                | 25 (3.1)        | 25 (3.1)           | 24.9 (3.1)      | 24.7 (3.0)         |
| Breastfeeding history (N (%))^                                 | 604 (64%)       | 583 (62%)          | 399 (67%)       | 381 (64%)          |
| History of benign breast disease (%)                           | 492 (52%)       | 430 (46%)          | 53 (50%)        | 47 (50%)           |
| Family history of breast cancer (%)                            | 136 (15%)       | 101 (11%)          | 135 (23%)       | 87 (15%)           |
| Weight change from age 18 to blood draw in kg (mean (SD))      | 12.3 (10.9)     | 10.6 (11.2)        | 15.1 (12.8)     | 13.5 (12.8)        |
| BMI at blood draw kg/m <sup>2</sup> (mean (SD))                | 25.7 (4.3)      | 25.2 (4.7)         | 26.7 (5.0)      | 26.4 (5.1)         |
| Average alcohol consumption at blood draw in g/day (mean (SD)) | 7.0 (9.8)       | 5.9 (8.2)          | 6.7 (9.2)       | 5.8 (7.7)          |
| Activity level at blood draw in MET-hours/week (mean (SD))     | 15.4 (18.8)     | 15.9 (17.6)        | 25.7 (42.0)     | 23.4 (31.7)        |

\*Distant blood draw was >10 years before diagnosis date for cases. Proximate blood draw was ≤10 years before diagnosis date for cases.

^ Among parous women

### Individual metabolite associations with breast cancer

Conditional logistic regression results at distant and proximate time points did not reveal any metabolites that were significantly associated with breast cancer risk after adjusting for the number of effective tests (NEF distant=193, NEF proximate=186, p-value adj. T1=0.0003, p-value adj. T2=0.0002) (**Supplemental Tables 1.1a & 1.1b**). Despite the lack of significance at this level, several metabolites and classes of metabolites stood out as nominally significant (**Table 1.2**). In particular, the amino acid phenylalanine was positively associated with breast cancer risk at both distant (odds ratio (OR)=1.41, 95% confidence interval (CI)=1.08-1.85; nominal p-value=0.01), and proximate time points (OR= 1.76, 95% CI=1.25-2.48; nominal p-value=0.001). Similar positive associations at both time points were seen for the amino acid proline. When examining groups of metabolites, we found strong positive associations



for triacylglycerols (TAGs) with <3 double bonds at the distant time point, (e.g.: C51:0 TAG OR= 1.3, 95% CI=1.01-1.68; nominal p-value=0.04). At the proximate time point, several TAGs with high numbers of double bonds were inversely associated with breast cancer risk (e.g.: C56:10 TAG OR= 0.64, 95% CI=0.47-0.87; nominal p-value=0.005).

The majority of metabolites with >10% missingness were drug related metabolites and were not significantly associated with breast cancer risk (**Supplemental Tables 1.2a & 1.2b**).

While most associations remained consistent for ER+ and ER- breast cancer separately, several metabolites were associated in opposite directions for ER+ vs. ER- breast cancers (**Table 1.3; Supplemental Tables 1.3a & 1.3b (ER+), Supplemental Tables 1.4a & 1.4b (ER-)**), though most did not demonstrate significant heterogeneity. For example, at the proximate time point TAGs with <3 double bonds were strongly positively associated with ER+ breast cancers, but suggestively inversely associated with ER- breast cancers (e.g.: C52:0 TAG ER+ OR= 1.49, 95% CI=1.04-2.15; nominal p-value=0.03; ER- OR= 0.55, 95% CI=0.27-1.10; nominal p-value=0.09, p-het=0.25).

**Table 1.2.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolites<sup>^</sup> measured at distant or proximate blood.

| Metabolite Name      | HMDB ID      | Class                            | Sub Class                            | Unadjusted       |         | Multivariate Adjusted <sup>†</sup> |         |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|---------|------------------------------------|---------|
|                      |              |                                  |                                      | OR (95% CI)      | p value | OR (95% CI)                        | p value |
| <b>Distant Blood</b> |              |                                  |                                      |                  |         |                                    |         |
| phenylalanine        | HMDB0000159  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.50 (1.17-1.94) | 0.002   | 1.41 (1.08-1.85)                   | 0.012   |
| proline              | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.37 (1.07-1.75) | 0.012   | 1.33 (1.03-1.72)                   | 0.032   |
| homoarginine         | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.41 (1.11-1.80) | 0.005   | 1.3 (1.01-1.68)                    | 0.039   |
| lysine               | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.38 (1.08-1.77) | 0.011   | 1.31 (1.01-1.69)                   | 0.040   |
| C5:1 carnitine       | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                    | 0.80 (0.64-1.01) | 0.064   | 0.73 (0.57-0.93)                   | 0.010   |
| C5-DC carnitine      | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                    | 0.72 (0.57-0.92) | 0.007   | 0.73 (0.57-0.93)                   | 0.012   |
| C51:0 TAG            | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 1.46 (1.15-1.86) | 0.002   | 1.30 (1.01-1.68)                   | 0.044   |
| C22:5 LPC            | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids             | Glycerophosphocholines               | 0.78 (0.61-0.99) | 0.041   | 0.78 (0.60-1.00)                   | 0.047   |
| C22:0 LPE            | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids             | Glycerophosphoethanolamines          | 0.69 (0.54-0.89) | 0.004   | 0.75 (0.58-0.98)                   | 0.035   |
| C38:6 PE plasmalogen | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids             | Glycerophosphoethanolamines          | 0.82 (0.65-1.03) | 0.088   | 0.78 (0.61-0.99)                   | 0.039   |
| thyroxine            | HMDB0000248  | NA                               | NA                                   | 1.50 (1.16-1.95) | 0.002   | 1.56 (1.19-2.05)                   | 0.001   |
| acetyl-galactosamine | HMDB0000212  | Organooxygen compounds           | Carbohydrates and conjugates         | 1.42 (1.1-1.84)  | 0.008   | 1.35 (1.02-1.77)                   | 0.035   |
| 2-methylguanosine    | HMDB0005862  | Purine nucleosides               | NA                                   | 1.38 (1.07-1.77) | 0.014   | 1.32 (1.01-1.72)                   | 0.039   |
| guanosine            | HMDB0000133  | Purine nucleosides               | NA                                   | 0.77 (0.61-0.97) | 0.027   | 0.78 (0.61-0.99)                   | 0.041   |
| C22:5 CE             | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.61 (0.48-0.77) | <0.001  | 0.67 (0.52-0.86)                   | 0.002   |

Table 1.2 (continued). Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolites

|                         |              |                                     |                                  |                  |        |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|--------|------------------|-------|
| C18:3 CE                | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters               | 0.70 (0.55-0.88) | 0.003  | 0.69 (0.54-0.89) | 0.004 |
| C20:5 CE                | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters               | 0.75 (0.60-0.95) | 0.016  | 0.74 (0.58-0.95) | 0.017 |
| <b>Proximate Blood</b>  |              |                                     |                                  |                  |        |                  |       |
| 2-aminohippuric acid    | NA**         | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives    | 1.39 (1.01-1.93) | 0.046  | 1.45 (1.02-2.06) | 0.038 |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids               | 1.38 (1.02-1.85) | 0.034  | 1.41 (1.03-1.94) | 0.032 |
| phenylalanine           | HMDB0000159  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 1.77 (1.29-2.42) | <0.001 | 1.76 (1.25-2.48) | 0.001 |
| proline                 | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 1.52 (1.12-2.07) | 0.007  | 1.59 (1.13-2.22) | 0.007 |
| isoleucine              | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 1.55 (1.15-2.08) | 0.004  | 1.56 (1.12-2.17) | 0.009 |
| leucine                 | HMDB0000687  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 1.50 (1.12-2.02) | 0.007  | 1.48 (1.06-2.06) | 0.02  |
| N-alpha-acetylgarginine | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 1.39 (1.03-1.89) | 0.033  | 1.45 (1.06-2.00) | 0.022 |
| serine                  | HMDB0000187  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 1.35 (0.99-1.85) | 0.058  | 1.46 (1.05-2.02) | 0.023 |
| N-acetylorithine        | HMDB0003357  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 0.78 (0.58-1.03) | 0.081  | 0.71 (0.53-0.96) | 0.026 |
| betaine                 | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 1.27 (0.91-1.79) | 0.164  | 1.47 (1.03-2.12) | 0.035 |
| C5-DC carnitine         | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                         | Fatty acid esters                | 0.67 (0.5-0.91)  | 0.010  | 0.71 (0.52-0.97) | 0.030 |
| myristoleic acid        | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls                         | Fatty acids and conjugates       | 1.5 (1.07-2.1)   | 0.018  | 1.58 (1.11-2.24) | 0.012 |
| C58:7 TAG               | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.60 (0.44-0.82) | 0.001  | 0.59 (0.42-0.82) | 0.002 |
| C56:9 TAG               | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.68 (0.51-0.91) | 0.010  | 0.64 (0.46-0.87) | 0.004 |
| C56:10 TAG              | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.69 (0.52-0.93) | 0.013  | 0.63 (0.46-0.86) | 0.004 |

Table 1.2 (continued). Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolites

|                           |              |                            |   |                  |       |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|---|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C54:9 TAG                 | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.70 (0.52-0.94) | 0.017 | 0.64 (0.47-0.87) | 0.005 |
| C54:8 TAG                 | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.70 (0.52-0.94) | 0.017 | 0.65 (0.47-0.88) | 0.006 |
| C58:11 TAG                | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.70 (0.52-0.94) | 0.017 | 0.64 (0.47-0.88) | 0.006 |
| C56:8 TAG                 | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.69 (0.51-0.93) | 0.015 | 0.66 (0.48-0.90) | 0.008 |
| C58:9 TAG                 | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.67 (0.50-0.91) | 0.010 | 0.66 (0.47-0.90) | 0.010 |
| C58:10 TAG                | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.69 (0.51-0.93) | 0.014 | 0.66 (0.48-0.90) | 0.010 |
| C56:7 TAG                 | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.74 (0.55-0.99) | 0.044 | 0.68 (0.50-0.94) | 0.017 |
| C58:6 TAG                 | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.68 (0.49-0.92) | 0.013 | 0.68 (0.49-0.94) | 0.018 |
| C52:7 TAG                 | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.76 (0.57-1.02) | 0.065 | 0.69 (0.50-0.94) | 0.019 |
| C54:7 TAG                 | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.73 (0.54-0.97) | 0.031 | 0.70 (0.51-0.95) | 0.021 |
| C60:12 TAG                | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.76 (0.56-1.02) | 0.071 | 0.71 (0.51-0.98) | 0.035 |
| C52:6 TAG                 | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids              | Triacylglycerols                            | 0.79 (0.59-1.06) | 0.114 | 0.73 (0.53-0.99) | 0.046 |
| C18:3 LPC                 | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids  | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines                 | 1.40 (1.04-1.90) | 0.026 | 1.40 (1.02-1.93) | 0.035 |
| C16:1 LPC                 | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids  | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines                 | 1.39 (1.04-1.87) | 0.028 | 1.39 (1.02-1.89) | 0.038 |
| C16:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids  | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines                 | 1.40 (1.04-1.89) | 0.026 | 1.38 (1.01-1.89) | 0.042 |
| C18:1 LPC                 | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids  | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines                 | 1.32 (0.97-1.79) | 0.072 | 1.39 (1.01-1.93) | 0.046 |
| C38:6 PE                  | HMDB0009102* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids  | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines            | 0.76 (0.55-1.05) | 0.091 | 0.69 (0.49-0.97) | 0.035 |
| tryptophan                | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and<br>derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic<br>acids and derivatives | 1.39 (1.04-1.87) | 0.028 | 1.40 (1.03-1.9)  | 0.030 |
| C16:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1) | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                   | 1.62 (1.18-2.22) | 0.003 | 1.72 (1.23-2.40) | 0.002 |
| C24:1 Ceramide<br>(d18:1) | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                   | 1.46 (1.08-1.98) | 0.014 | 1.42 (1.04-1.94) | 0.028 |
| C22:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1) | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                   | 1.43 (1.06-1.94) | 0.020 | 1.39 (1.01-1.92) | 0.044 |

Table 1.2 (continued). Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolites

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<sup>^</sup>Selected metabolites are those with nominal p value <0.05 in fully adjusted models among metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values were imputed with 1/2 the minimum value. Results sorted by class, subclass & p-value for fully adjusted model.

<sup>†</sup> Multivariate model adjusted for: BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (MET-hrs/week). P values are nominal p-values before correction for multiple testing.

\*Representative HMDBID

\*\*No HMDBID

**Table 1.3.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolite levels<sup>^</sup> measured at distant or proximate blood, by ER status of case.

| Metabolite Name         | HMDB ID      | Class                               | Subclass                         | ER+                      |         | ER-                      |         |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|--------------------------|---------|
|                         |              |                                     |                                  | OR (95% CI) <sup>†</sup> | p value | OR (95% CI) <sup>†</sup> | p value |
| <b>Distant Blood</b>    |              |                                     |                                  |                          |         |                          |         |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives    | 0.67 (0.50-0.90)         | 0.007   | 1.02 (0.57-1.82)         | 0.952   |
| N-alpha-acetylgarginine | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 0.70 (0.53-0.94)         | 0.016   | 0.69 (0.39-1.23)         | 0.214   |
| citrulline              | HMDB0000904  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, analogues | 0.74 (0.55-0.99)         | 0.045   | 0.82 (0.46-1.46)         | 0.496   |
| C5:1 carnitine          | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls                         | Fatty acid esters                | 0.59 (0.44-0.79)         | <0.001  | 1.12 (0.61-2.06)         | 0.715   |
| C3 carnitine            | HMDB0000824  | Fatty Acyls                         | Fatty acid esters                | 0.72 (0.54-0.97)         | 0.029   | 1.16 (0.64-2.10)         | 0.621   |
| C4 carnitine            | HMDB0002013  | Fatty Acyls                         | Fatty acid esters                | 0.69 (0.52-0.92)         | 0.012   | 0.91 (0.50-1.64)         | 0.748   |
| C5-DC carnitine         | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                         | Fatty acid esters                | 0.70 (0.53-0.93)         | 0.015   | 0.94 (0.52-1.68)         | 0.823   |
| C34:2 DAG               | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls                         | Lineolic acids and derivatives   | 1.50 (1.12-2.02)         | 0.007   | 1.49 (0.81-2.78)         | 0.203   |
| C36:3 DAG               | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls                         | Lineolic acids and derivatives   | 1.35 (1.01-1.80)         | 0.040   | 1.29 (0.70-2.39)         | 0.419   |
| C32:0 DAG               | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids                       | Diacylglycerols                  | 1.44 (1.06-1.94)         | 0.018   | 1.49 (0.80-2.77)         | 0.209   |
| C34:1 DAG               | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids                       | Diacylglycerols                  | 1.38 (1.03-1.87)         | 0.034   | 1.41 (0.75-2.66)         | 0.284   |
| C52:4 TAG               | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 1.43 (1.07-1.90)         | 0.015   | 1.22 (0.67-2.25)         | 0.518   |
| C50:2 TAG               | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 1.44 (1.06-1.96)         | 0.021   | 1.26 (0.67-2.38)         | 0.476   |
| C50:1 TAG               | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 1.42 (1.05-1.93)         | 0.027   | 1.24 (0.66-2.33)         | 0.508   |
| C52:2 TAG               | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 1.39 (1.02-1.88)         | 0.035   | 1.25 (0.67-2.36)         | 0.479   |
| C50:3 TAG               | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 1.38 (1.02-1.86)         | 0.035   | 1.45 (0.78-2.73)         | 0.245   |
| C51:1 TAG               | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 1.38 (1.02-1.86)         | 0.036   | 1.46 (0.79-2.68)         | 0.227   |
| C43:2 TAG               | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                 | 1.37 (1.01-1.85)         | 0.041   | 1.46 (0.80-2.67)         | 0.220   |

Table 1.3 (continued). Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolite levels

|                             |              |                          |   |                  |        |                  |       |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|---|------------------|--------|------------------|-------|
| C55:2 TAG                   | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids            | Triacylglycerols                          | 1.35 (1.00-1.82) | 0.047  | 1.18 (0.64-2.19) | 0.591 |
| C22:5 LPC                   | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphocholines                    | 0.58 (0.43-0.77) | <0.001 | 0.71 (0.39-1.27) | 0.248 |
| C18:2 LPC                   | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphocholines                    | 0.64 (0.47-0.87) | 0.005  | 0.78 (0.41-1.49) | 0.453 |
| C20:5 LPC                   | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphocholines                    | 0.65 (0.48-0.88) | 0.006  | 0.82 (0.43-1.54) | 0.535 |
| C18:1 LPC                   | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphocholines                    | 0.68 (0.51-0.91) | 0.011  | 0.96 (0.52-1.74) | 0.889 |
| C18:0 LPC                   | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphocholines                    | 0.69 (0.51-0.93) | 0.014  | 1.09 (0.58-2.03) | 0.789 |
| C36:5 PC plasmalogen-B      | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphocholines                    | 0.75 (0.57-0.99) | 0.043  | 0.84 (0.47-1.47) | 0.534 |
| C22:0 LPE                   | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphoethanolamines               | 0.65 (0.48-0.88) | 0.005  | 0.96 (0.51-1.80) | 0.900 |
| C38:6 PE plasmalogen        | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphoethanolamines               | 0.72 (0.54-0.95) | 0.022  | 0.72 (0.41-1.27) | 0.254 |
| C36:5 PE plasmalogen        | HMDB0011410* | Glycerophospholipids     | Glycerophosphoethanolamines               | 0.73 (0.55-0.97) | 0.028  | 0.84 (0.48-1.47) | 0.542 |
| serotonin                   | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives  | Tryptamines and derivatives               | 1.37 (1.04-1.81) | 0.025  | 1.03 (0.59-1.80) | 0.925 |
| C20:4 LPC                   | HMDB0010395  | NA                       | NA  | 0.66 (0.50-0.88) | 0.004  | 0.94 (0.52-1.67) | 0.823 |
| <b>thyroxine</b>            | HMDB0000248  | NA                       | NA  | 1.50 (1.11-2.04) | 0.009  | 2.16 (1.15-4.13) | 0.018 |
| C20:1 LPE                   | HMDB0011512* | NA                       | NA  | 0.69 (0.52-0.92) | 0.011  | 0.71 (0.39-1.30) | 0.270 |
| trigonelline                | HMDB0000875  | NA                       | NA  | 0.71 (0.53-0.95) | 0.021  | 0.66 (0.37-1.18) | 0.161 |
| carnitine                   | HMDB0000062  | Organonitrogen compounds | Quaternary ammonium salts                 | 0.73 (0.54-0.99) | 0.041  | 1.12 (0.60-2.07) | 0.729 |
| <b>acetyl-galactosamine</b> | HMDB0000212  | Organooxygen compounds   | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | 1.26 (0.95-1.69) | 0.110  | 1.85 (1.04-3.33) | 0.037 |
| <b>2-methylguanosine</b>    | HMDB0005862  | Purine nucleosides       | NA  | 1.34 (1.00-1.79) | 0.054  | 2.02 (1.13-3.64) | 0.019 |

Table 1.3 (continued). Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolite levels

|                                |              |                                     |                                      |                  |        |                  |       |
|--------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|--------|------------------|-------|
| C22:5 CE                       | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.52 (0.39-0.70) | <0.001 | 0.65 (0.35-1.18) | 0.160 |
| C20:5 CE                       | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.61 (0.46-0.82) | 0.001  | 0.60 (0.33-1.10) | 0.103 |
| C18:3 CE                       | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.65 (0.49-0.86) | 0.003  | 0.55 (0.30-1.01) | 0.054 |
| C20:4 CE                       | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.67 (0.50-0.89) | 0.006  | 0.77 (0.42-1.38) | 0.374 |
| C18:0 CE                       | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.68 (0.51-0.91) | 0.010  | 0.99 (0.53-1.83) | 0.965 |
| C20:3 CE                       | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.73 (0.55-0.96) | 0.026  | 0.69 (0.38-1.25) | 0.225 |
| C18:1 CE                       | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid derivatives    | Cholesterol esters                   | 0.72 (0.54-0.97) | 0.030  | 0.77 (0.41-1.42) | 0.404 |
| <b>Proximate Blood</b>         |              |                                     |                                      |                  |        |                  |       |
| hippurate                      | HMDB0000714  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.64 (0.45-0.91) | 0.014  | 0.52 (0.26-1.03) | 0.062 |
| <b>N1,N12-diacetylspermine</b> | HMDB0002172  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.46 (1.02-2.08) | 0.038  | 2.33 (1.14-4.81) | 0.020 |
| proline                        | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.52 (1.04-2.21) | 0.029  | 1.67 (0.80-3.50) | 0.171 |
| phenylalanine                  | HMDB0000159  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.48 (1.03-2.14) | 0.035  | 1.31 (0.62-2.79) | 0.487 |
| isoleucine                     | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.47 (1.00-2.16) | 0.049  | 0.89 (0.41-1.91) | 0.760 |
| C5-DC carnitine                | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                         | Fatty acid esters                    | 0.60 (0.42-0.86) | 0.004  | 1.46 (0.72-2.97) | 0.289 |
| C52:0 TAG                      | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                     | 1.49 (1.04-2.15) | 0.030  | 0.55 (0.27-1.10) | 0.093 |
| C54:9 TAG                      | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.68 (0.48-0.98) | 0.037  | 0.55 (0.26-1.15) | 0.113 |
| C58:11 TAG                     | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.69 (0.48-0.98) | 0.038  | 0.60 (0.29-1.23) | 0.160 |



Table 1.3 (continued). Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of selected metabolite levels

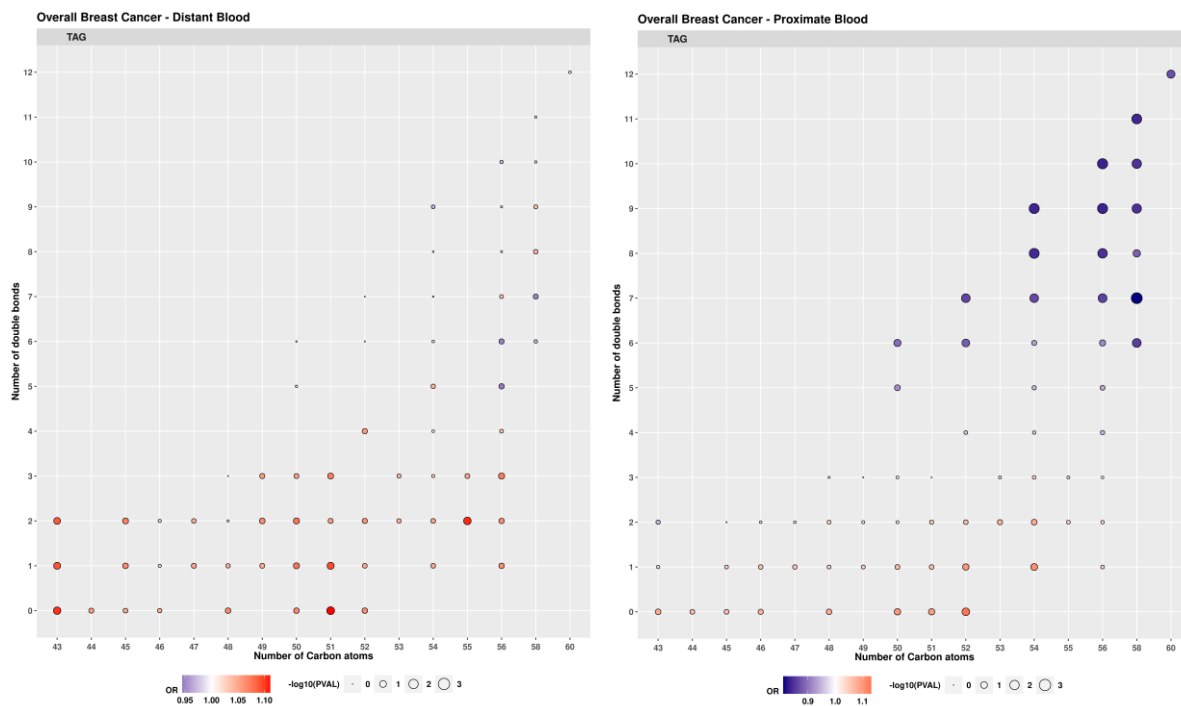
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|-----------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C58:9 TAG                         | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                         | 0.69 (0.48-0.99) | 0.043 | 0.61 (0.29-1.27) | 0.189 |
| C58:7 TAG                         | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                         | 0.68 (0.47-0.99) | 0.044 | 0.67 (0.32-1.37) | 0.272 |
| C56:10 TAG                        | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                         | 0.69 (0.49-0.99) | 0.045 | 0.70 (0.34-1.46) | 0.345 |
| C58:10 TAG                        | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                         | 0.70 (0.49-0.99) | 0.046 | 0.83 (0.41-1.70) | 0.614 |
| C52:1 TAG                         | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                         | 1.45 (1.01-2.09) | 0.047 | 0.86 (0.42-1.74) | 0.668 |
| tryptophan                        | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives          | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.56 (1.09-2.23) | 0.015 | 0.98 (0.49-1.97) | 0.956 |
| guanosine                         | HMDB0000133  | Purine nucleosides               | NA                                       | 1.45 (1.02-2.06) | 0.039 | 0.71 (0.35-1.42) | 0.332 |
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)            | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                                | 1.50 (1.05-2.16) | 0.027 | 1.89 (0.95-3.82) | 0.071 |
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1)            | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                                | 1.48 (1.03-2.13) | 0.035 | 1.28 (0.63-2.59) | 0.488 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)            | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                                | 1.48 (1.02-2.15) | 0.037 | 1.26 (0.61-2.60) | 0.533 |
| C22:5 CE                          | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                       | 0.69 (0.49-0.98) | 0.040 | 1.08 (0.56-2.10) | 0.814 |
| <b>hydroxyproline</b>             | HMDB0000725  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | 0.77 (0.54-1.10) | 0.157 | 2.03 (1.01-4.15) | 0.048 |
| <b>C5:1 carnitine</b>             | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                        | 0.80 (0.55-1.14) | 0.218 | 2.44 (1.19-5.07) | 0.015 |
| <b>C45:0 TAG</b>                  | HMDB0042093* | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                         | 1.16 (0.80-1.67) | 0.465 | 0.67 (0.33-1.34) | 0.039 |
| <b>C22:0 LPE</b>                  | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids             | Glycerophosphoethanolamines              | 0.96 (0.66-1.39) | 0.818 | 2.39 (1.16-5.01) | 0.018 |
| <b>deoxyguanosine</b>             | HMDB0000085  | NA                               | NA                                       | 1.18 (0.83-1.68) | 0.346 | 0.47 (0.23-0.98) | 0.043 |
| <b>methyl N-methylantranilate</b> | HMDB0034169  | NA                               | NA                                       | 1.10 (0.78-1.55) | 0.580 | 0.50 (0.25-0.98) | 0.045 |
| <b>kynurenic acid</b>             | HMDB0000715  | Quinolines and derivatives       | Quinoline carboxylic acids               | 0.97 (0.67-1.41) | 0.888 | 2.14 (1.03-4.5)  | 0.041 |

^Selected metabolites are those with <10% missingness and a nominal  $p < 0.05$  for either ER+ or ER- breast cancers. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted model. Metabolites in **bold** represent those chosen as top hits for ER- breast cancer.

† Multivariate model adjusted for: BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week). P values are nominal p-values before correction for multiple testing.

\*Representative HMDBID

Due to the differences noted in the association of TAGs with breast cancer by number of double bonds, this relationship was further explored by examining ORs by number of carbon atoms and number of double bonds in TAGs (**Figure 1.1**). We found a strong inverse association for TAGs with increasing carbon atoms and double bonds at the proximate time point. This inverse association was not notable for the distant time point, though we did see a trend of a more positive association with risk given lower number of carbon atoms and double bonds at the distant time point. Based on these findings, we grouped the subclass “TAGs” into two distinct segments for further analysis (TAGs with  $\geq 3$  vs. TAGs with  $< 3$  double bonds).



**Figure 1.1.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentile of triacylglycerols, by number of Carbon atoms and double bonds at distant & proximate blood. Models are for CLR, fully adjusted for: BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (MET-hrs/week). Y axis is number of double bonds, X axis is number of Carbon atoms. Protective associations are shown in blue, harmful associations are shown in red.

## **Association between metabolite subclasses and breast cancer risk**

MSEA results mirrored those found in individual metabolite analyses and revealed several subclasses of metabolites significantly associated with breast cancer risk after the FDR correction (**Figure 1.2, Supplemental Tables 1.5a & 1.5b**).

TAGs with <3 double bonds at the distant timepoint were strongly positively associated with risk of overall, ER+, and ER- breast cancers. This trend remained at the proximate blood draw for ER+ breast cancers, but no association was observed for ER- breast cancers. TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds were strongly inversely associated with breast cancer at the proximate blood draw for overall, ER+, and ER- breast cancers; however, at the distant blood draw this group had a significant positive association with ER+ breast cancer risk.

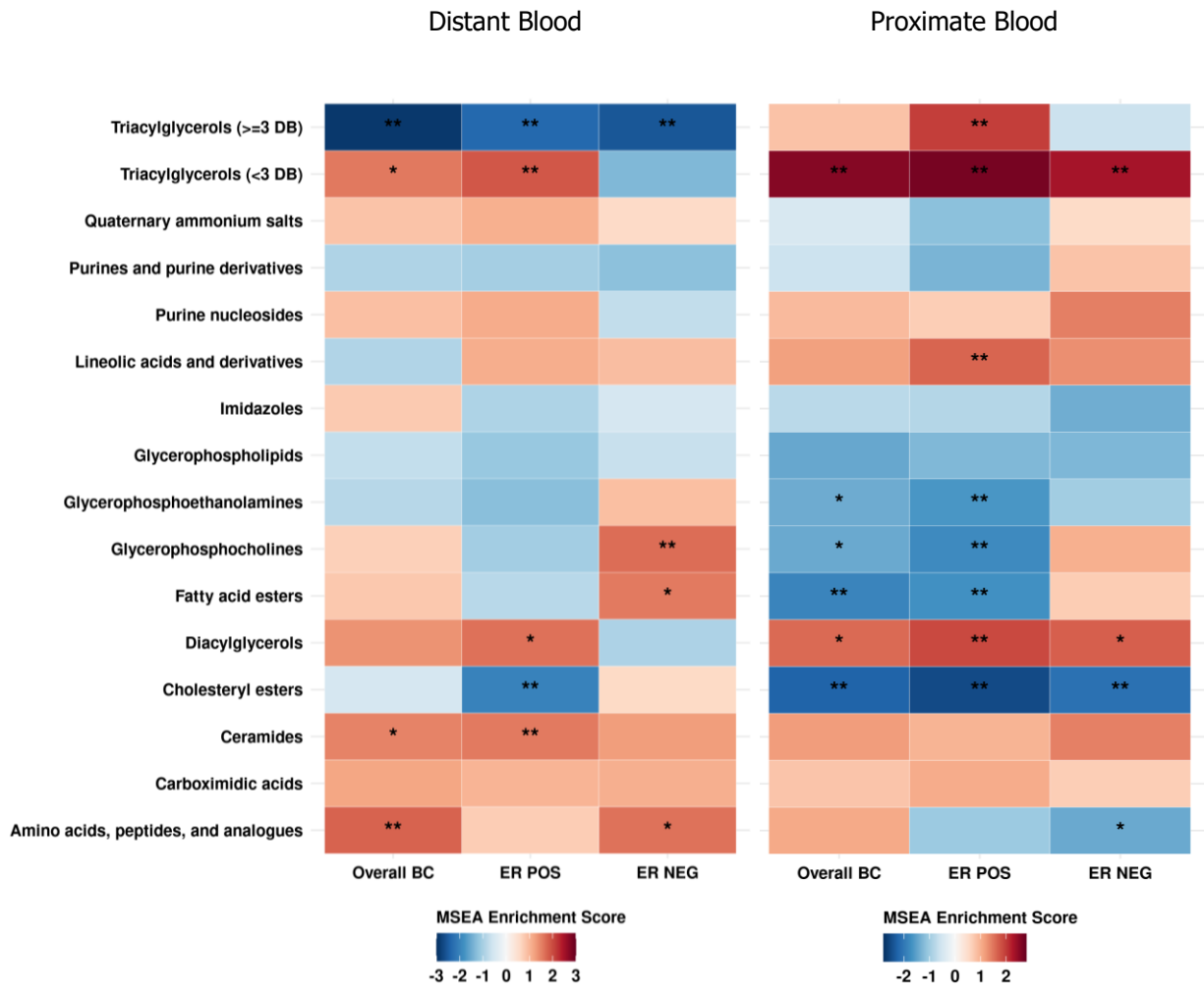
Another group of interest was cholesteryl esters, which appeared strongly inversely associated with risk at the distant time point, and less strongly, though still inversely associated with risk, at the proximate time point. Glycerophospholipids, Glycerophosphoethanolamines, and glycerophosphocholines all appeared inversely associated with risk at the distant time point for ER+ breast cancers, though associations were weaker and not significant at the proximate time point. Similarly, diacylglycerols (DAGs) were strongly positively associated with risk at the distant time point; while the association remained in the same direction, DAGs were less strongly associated at the proximate time point. Further, the group amino acids, peptides, and analogues was positively associated with overall, ER+ and ER- breast cancer at the proximate blood, though the result was stronger for ER- v. ER+ breast cancers. This group was not significantly associated with breast cancer risk at the distant time point.

## **Metabolite modules associated with breast cancer risk**

WGCNA defined 12 metabolite modules at distant collection, and 11 at proximate (Supplemental Figures 1.1a & 1.1b, **Supplemental Table 1.6**). At both time points, Module 1, the grey module, represents those metabolites that were left over after correlation analyses determined other metabolite groupings. While modules were not defined by one particular subclass, it was notable that most had a majority of one subclass, or a split between two subclass distinctions.

Metabolite module groupings and corresponding associations with breast cancer are displayed in Figure 3; key metabolites driving module scores are highlighted. At the distant time point, there were no modules that were significantly associated with breast cancer risk for overall breast cancer (**Supplemental Table 1.7a & 1.7b**). One module, defined by several glycerophospholipids and TAGs with high numbers of double bonds, was suggestively inversely associated with ER+ breast cancer (M7 red OR=0.66, 95% CI=0.49-0.89; nominal p-value=0.01, FDR adjusted p-value=0.08). TAGs with high numbers of double bonds were negatively weighted in this module, while glycerophospholipids were mainly positively weighted (**Supplemental Figure 1.2**). Thus, individuals with a high module 6 score, defined by more glycerophospholipids and fewer TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds, have a decreased risk of ER+ breast cancer. This result corresponds with the MSEA findings for the distant time point that TAGs  $\geq 3$  double bonds are positively associated with ER+ breast cancer risk, and glycerophospholipids are inversely associated with risk (**Figure 1.2**).

While glycerophospholipids as a group were not significantly associated with ER+ breast cancer in MSEA, our significant results from the WGCNA highlight the importance of a few key glycerophospholipids including C20:4 LPC (OR comparing 90th to 10th percentile=0.66, 95% CI=0.50-0.88,  $p=0.004$ ) and C18:2 LPC (OR =0.64, 95% CI=0.47-0.87,  $p=0.005$ ) (ORs from Supplemental Table 1.3). At the proximate time point, no modules were associated with breast cancer risk for overall, ER+, or ER- breast cancer. Despite this, associative patterns that arose in module groupings appeared to align with MSEA results; for example, metabolite module M3 (Supplemental Table 1.6), defined by positively weighted amino acids and negatively weighted TAGs with high double bonds, was positively associated with breast cancer risk, which is expected given the associations seen for these groups of metabolites at the proximate time point (Figure 1.2).



**Figure 1.2.** Gene set enrichment analysis by subclass of metabolites for overall, ER+, and ER- breast cancer, distant ( $\geq 10$ y before dx) & proximate blood (<10y before dx). Overall breast cancer results use conditional logistic regression; ER status specific models use unconditional logistic regression models adjusted for matched factors. Models are fully adjusted for the following: BMI at age 18, weight change from age 18 to blood draw, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (MET-hrs/week). Stars denote p-values adjusted by FDR: \* (padj < 0.2); \*\* (padj < 0.05). Darker blue is a more negative enrichment score; darker red is a more positive enrichment score.

### **Average & Difference between distant and proximate blood draws**

Metabolites with the most significant difference measures between blood draws included TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds appeared at the top of the list (**Table 1.4**). A 2.5 SD increase in TAGs with  $\geq 3$  db from distant to proximate blood measure was associated with a reduced risk of breast cancer (e.g.: for C56:10 TAG OR=0.62, 95% CI=0.43-0.88; nominal p-value=0.007).

To determine if averaging metabolite levels across 10 years was appropriate, metabolite correlations between the two time points were analyzed. The majority showed a spearman correlation between 0.4-0.5 (**Supplemental Table 1.8 & Supplemental Figure 1.3**). Analysis of metabolite associations with breast cancer risk taking the average of both time points revealed similarities with individual time point analyses, though some metabolite associations were somewhat weakened based on opposing associations, while others were strengthened by consistent associations (**Supplemental Table 1.9**). MSEA analysis of average values highlighted the strong inverse association seen for cholesteryl esters (**Supplemental Figure 1.4**), and the strong positive association seen for TAGS with  $< 3$  double bonds. However, TAGS with  $\geq 3$  double bonds showed strongly inverse associations for overall and ER- BC on average, but null associations with ER+ breast cancer, due to opposing directions of association at distant and proximate bloods.

### **Cross-classification and latency analyses**

The cross-classification analysis draws attention to several metabolites that were noteworthy in both measurements. Cross-classification of selected metabolites based on comparison to median values at each time point are included in **Table 1.5**. Metabolites shown are those that appeared as a top hit (nominal p-value for individual metabolite analysis at least one time point  $< 0.05$ ). Additional metabolites were assessed if they appeared with a p-value  $< 0.05$  in the difference analysis (see Table 1.4). Further, metabolites with strong associations ( $p < 0.01$ ) in cross-classification analysis were examined; those that demonstrated differing associations with breast cancer based on time of measurement were also included.

Phenylalanine, which appeared positively associated with breast cancer at both distant and proximate time points, demonstrated a strong positive association with breast cancer for individuals with

levels that were equal to or above the median value at both time points (OR=1.52, 95% CI=1.06-2.04, p=0.01). This was also true for those who had measured phenylalanine  $\geq$  median value at either time point, solidifying the results that this metabolite is positively associated with breast cancer regardless of time of measurement. The triacylglycerol C58:11 TAG demonstrated a significant inverse association with breast cancer when considering an increase in metabolite level over time compared to a consistently low metabolite level (OR=0.66, 95% CI=0.46-0.94), but a null association with breast cancer for a decrease in metabolite level (OR=1.27, 95% CI=0.88-1.82). This mirrors general findings in individual analyses suggesting TAGs with high numbers of double bonds are protective against breast cancer at the proximate time point.

The latency analysis revealed that for most metabolites deemed important at either time point, or in difference analysis, the proximate time point contributed more strongly to breast cancer risk (**Table 1.6**). The dampening parameter  $\lambda$  based on the linear model was positive for all metabolites previously acknowledged as top hits, and 23 of 59 had significant p-values. For example, for triacylglycerol C56:7 TAG  $\lambda=0.07$  and  $p=0.02$ . This general finding matches the positive ORs seen when examining the difference analysis for each of these metabolites (see Table 1.4). None of the metabolites appeared to follow a quadratic model for latency. Apart from those metabolites highlighted in Table 1.7 and 1.7b, our findings demonstrate similar associations by time point, with the proximate time point as the strongest determinant of association with breast cancer.

**Table 1.4.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk for 2.5-unit SD difference in proximate-distant metabolite measures for metabolites with nominal p-value <0.05.

| <b>Metabolite</b>      | <b>HMDB ID</b> | <b>Class</b>                     | <b>Subclass</b>                      | <b>OR (95% CI)</b> | <b>p value</b> | <b>Spearman correlation†</b> |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| N-alpha-acetylarginine | HMDB0004620    | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.86 (1.25-2.78)   | 0.002          | 0.461                        |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid   | HMDB0000991    | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.67 (0.48-0.93)   | 0.019          | 0.502                        |
| aminoisobutyric acid   | HMDB0001906    | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.65 (0.45-0.93)   | 0.020          | 0.412                        |
| isoleucine             | HMDB0000172    | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.43 (1.01-2.03)   | 0.044          | 0.403                        |
| myristoleic acid       | HMDB0002000    | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acids and conjugates           | 1.47 (1.03-2.11)   | 0.033          | 0.351                        |
| C58:9 TAG              | HMDB0005463    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.60 (0.42-0.85)   | 0.004          | 0.380                        |
| C56:9 TAG              | HMDB0005448    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.60 (0.42-0.86)   | 0.005          | 0.487                        |
| C58:11 TAG             | HMDB0010531    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.60 (0.42-0.86)   | 0.005          | 0.301                        |
| C56:10 TAG             | HMDB0010513    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.62 (0.43-0.88)   | 0.007          | 0.374                        |
| C56:7 TAG              | HMDB0005462    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.62 (0.43-0.88)   | 0.008          | 0.495                        |
| C58:7 TAG              | HMDB0005471    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.64 (0.45-0.90)   | 0.010          | 0.416                        |
| C56:8 TAG              | HMDB0005392    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.64 (0.46-0.90)   | 0.010          | 0.432                        |
| C54:8 TAG              | HMDB0010518    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.65 (0.46-0.91)   | 0.013          | 0.463                        |
| C54:9 TAG              | HMDB0010498    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.65 (0.46-0.92)   | 0.015          | 0.545                        |
| C58:10 TAG             | HMDB0005476    | Glycerolipids                    | Triacylglycerols                     | 0.64 (0.45-0.92)   | 0.015          | 0.549                        |



Table 1.4 (continued). Odds ratios for breast cancer risk for 2.5-unit SD difference in proximate-distant metabolite measures

|            |             |                           |                                  |                  |       |       |
|------------|-------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|-------|
| C60:12 TAG | HMDB0005478 | Glycerolipids             | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.64 (0.45-0.92) | 0.017 | 0.548 |
| C58:8 TAG  | HMDB0005413 | Glycerolipids             | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.67 (0.48-0.95) | 0.023 | 0.455 |
| C52:7 TAG  | HMDB0010517 | Glycerolipids             | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.68 (0.48-0.97) | 0.032 | 0.383 |
| C58:6 TAG  | HMDB0005458 | Glycerolipids             | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.70 (0.49-0.98) | 0.037 | 0.433 |
| C54:7 TAG  | HMDB0005447 | Glycerolipids             | Triacylglycerols                 | 0.71 (0.51-0.99) | 0.045 | 0.467 |
| C18:1 LPC  | HMDB0002815 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.47 (1.06-2.06) | 0.022 | 0.493 |
| C18:0 LPC  | HMDB0010384 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.45 (1.05-2.01) | 0.026 | 0.499 |
| C40:9 PC   | HMDB0008731 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 0.67 (0.46-0.98) | 0.039 | 0.426 |
| C38:6 PC   | HMDB0007991 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 0.67 (0.46-0.98) | 0.040 | 0.490 |
| C18:3 LPC  | HMDB0010387 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.38 (1.01-1.90) | 0.047 | 0.487 |
| C38:6 PE   | HMDB0009102 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphoethanol-<br>amines | 0.64 (0.44-0.92) | 0.017 | 0.522 |
| C22:0 LPE  | HMDB0011520 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphoethanol-<br>amines | 1.44 (1.03-2.03) | 0.035 | 0.434 |
| C20:1 LPE  | HMDB0011512 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophosphoethanol-<br>amines | 1.40 (1.00-1.94) | 0.048 | 0.420 |
| C22:6 LPE  | HMDB0011526 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.70 (0.49-1.00) | 0.048 | 0.457 |

|                        |             |                                  |  |                  |       |       |
|------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|-------|
| tryptophan             | HMDB0000929 | Indoles and derivatives          | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.42 (1.02-1.98) | 0.039 | 0.467 |
| ribothymidine          | HMDB0000884 | Pyrimidine nucleosides           | Pyrimidine nucleosides                   | 1.49 (1.03-2.16) | 0.033 | 0.502 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | HMDB0004949 | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                                | 1.57 (1.12-2.20) | 0.009 | 0.370 |
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | HMDB0004952 | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                                | 1.48 (1.04-2.12) | 0.030 | 0.505 |
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1) | HMDB0004953 | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                                | 1.44 (1.01-2.04) | 0.043 | 0.655 |
| C18:3 CE               | HMDB0010370 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                       | 1.53 (1.07-2.19) | 0.021 | 0.548 |
| C18:0 CE               | HMDB0010368 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                       | 1.44 (1.04-2.02) | 0.030 | 0.395 |

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^ All models adjusted for distant blood measure. Estimate is for difference proximate-distant blood measure. Results are sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for Model 2. ORs are for unconditional logistic regressions adjusted for BMI at age 18, weight change from 18 to blood draw, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week). P values are nominal p-values before correction for multiple testing.

† Correlations between proximate and distant time point, adjusted for fasting status and age at blood draw

Table 1.5 (continued). Multivariate adjusted odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing cross-classification of metabolite levels

**Table 1.5.** Multivariate adjusted odds ratios<sup>†</sup> for breast cancer risk comparing cross-classification of metabolite levels as below or above/equal to the median value at distant and proximate timepoints for metabolites identified as top hits at either time point, or identified in difference analysis with p<0.05.

| Metabolite Name                                    | HMDB ID      | Class                              | Low-Low     | Increase <sup>^</sup> |         | Decrease <sup>^</sup> |         | High-High        |         | Sp <sup>†</sup> |
|--|--------------|------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|------------------|---------|-----------------|
|  |              |                                    | OR (95% CI) | OR (95% CI)           | p value | OR (95% CI)           | p value | OR (95% CI)      | p value |                 |
| <b>Identified as top hits at either time point</b> |              |                                    |             |                       |         |                       |         |                  |         |                 |
| N1,N12-diacetyl-spermine                           | HMDB0002172  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.07 (0.75-1.52)      | 0.71    | 1.00 (0.71-1.41)      | 0.99    | 1.41 (1.06-1.88) | 0.02    | 0.49            |
| betaine  | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.22 (0.86-1.73)      | 0.27    | 1.14 (0.80-1.62)      | 0.48    | 1.11 (1.06-1.49) | 0.49    | 0.47            |
| homoarginine                                       | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.12 (0.78-1.60)      | 0.55    | 1.42 (0.99-2.04)      | 0.06    | 1.11 (1.06-1.48) | 0.46    | 0.52            |
| isoleucine   | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.41 (1.00-2.00)      | 0.05    | 1.22 (0.87-1.72)      | 0.25    | 1.41 (1.06-1.89) | 0.02    | 0.37            |
| leucine  | HMDB0000687  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.23 (0.87-1.75)      | 0.24    | 1.10 (0.78-1.56)      | 0.58    | 1.28 (1.06-1.71) | 0.09    | 0.37            |
| lysine   | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 0.92 (0.65-1.30)      | 0.62    | 1.15 (0.81-1.62)      | 0.44    | 1.32 (0.06-1.77) | 0.06    | 0.44            |
| N-acetylmethionine                                 | HMDB0003357  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.01 (0.67-1.52)      | 0.96    | 0.90 (0.60-1.35)      | 0.61    | 0.79 (1.06-1.03) | 0.08    | 0.73            |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine                             | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.30 (0.89-1.90)      | 0.18    | 0.82 (0.56-1.19)      | 0.29    | 1.07 (1.06-1.41) | 0.62    | 0.65            |
| phenylalanine                                      | HMDB0000159  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.45 (1.03-2.05)      | 0.03    | 1.41 (1.00-2.00)      | 0.05    | 1.52 (1.06-2.04) | 0.01    | 0.33            |
| proline  | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.53 (1.08-2.17)      | 0.02    | 1.16 (0.82-1.66)      | 0.40    | 1.28 (1.06-1.71) | 0.10    | 0.46            |
| serine   | HMDB0000187  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 1.0 (ref)   | 1.22 (0.86-1.72)      | 0.27    | 1.26 (0.89-1.78)      | 0.20    | 1.13 (1.06-1.52) | 0.40    | 0.42            |

Table 1.5 (continued). Multivariate adjusted odds ratios† for breast cancer risk comparing cross-classification of metabolite levels

|                  |              |               |              |                     |      |                     |      |                      |      |      |
|------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------------|------|---------------------|------|----------------------|------|------|
| C5:1 carnitine   | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.27<br>(0.89-1.81) | 0.18 | 0.89<br>(0.63-1.27) | 0.53 | 0.93 (<br>1.06-1.24) | 0.62 | 0.46 |
| C5-DC carnitine  | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.92<br>(0.63-1.35) | 0.69 | 0.88<br>(0.60-1.30) | 0.52 | 0.81<br>(0.06-1.06)  | 0.13 | 0.63 |
| myristoleic acid | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.06<br>(0.75-1.51) | 0.74 | 0.89<br>(0.62-1.28) | 0.53 | 1.21<br>(1.06-1.61)  | 0.19 | 0.50 |
| C51:0 TAG        | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.13<br>(0.80-1.58) | 0.49 | 1.13<br>(0.80-1.58) | 0.50 | 1.27<br>(1.06-1.71)  | 0.11 | 0.31 |
| C52:6 TAG        | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.78<br>(0.54-1.11) | 0.17 | 0.91<br>(0.64-1.31) | 0.62 | 1.00<br>(0.06-1.33)  | 1.00 | 0.47 |
| C52:7 TAG        | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.66<br>(0.46-0.93) | 0.02 | 1.03<br>(0.72-1.46) | 0.89 | 0.94<br>(0.06-1.26)  | 0.70 | 0.46 |
| C54:7 TAG        | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.68<br>(0.48-0.96) | 0.03 | 1.08<br>(0.76-1.52) | 0.67 | 0.86<br>(0.06-1.16)  | 0.34 | 0.38 |
| C54:8 TAG        | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.62<br>(0.43-0.88) | 0.01 | 1.01<br>(0.71-1.44) | 0.96 | 0.86<br>(0.06-1.15)  | 0.31 | 0.43 |
| C54:9 TAG        | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.65<br>(0.46-0.93) | 0.02 | 1.11<br>(0.78-1.58) | 0.57 | 0.77<br>(0.06-1.02)  | 0.07 | 0.47 |
| C56:10 TAG       | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.78<br>(0.55-1.11) | 0.17 | 1.21<br>(0.84-1.73) | 0.30 | 0.88<br>(0.06-1.17)  | 0.37 | 0.49 |
| C56:7 TAG        | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.60<br>(0.42-0.86) | 0.01 | 0.82<br>(0.57-1.17) | 0.27 | 1.07<br>(0.06-1.43)  | 0.65 | 0.50 |
| C56:8 TAG        | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.76<br>(0.53-1.06) | 0.11 | 1.12<br>(0.79-1.58) | 0.52 | 1.00<br>(0.06-1.34)  | 0.99 | 0.43 |
| C56:9 TAG        | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.67<br>(0.47-0.95) | 0.02 | 0.92<br>(0.65-1.31) | 0.65 | 0.91<br>(0.06-1.22)  | 0.54 | 0.49 |
| C58:10 TAG       | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.97<br>(0.68-1.37) | 0.85 | 1.36<br>(0.95-1.93) | 0.09 | 0.87<br>(0.06-1.17)  | 0.36 | 0.49 |
| C58:11 TAG       | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.66<br>(0.46-0.94) | 0.02 | 1.27<br>(0.88-1.82) | 0.20 | 0.85<br>(0.06-1.13)  | 0.28 | 0.52 |
| C58:6 TAG        | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.70<br>(0.49-1.00) | 0.05 | 0.92<br>(0.65-1.32) | 0.66 | 0.89<br>(0.06-1.20)  | 0.44 | 0.43 |
| C58:7 TAG        | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.72<br>(0.51-1.02) | 0.07 | 1.19<br>(0.83-1.69) | 0.35 | 0.83<br>(0.06-1.11)  | 0.22 | 0.42 |
| C58:9 TAG        | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.05<br>(0.74-1.49) | 0.77 | 1.43<br>(1.01-2.04) | 0.04 | 0.89<br>(1.06-1.18)  | 0.41 | 0.47 |

Table 1.5 (continued). Multivariate adjusted odds ratios† for breast cancer risk comparing cross-classification of metabolite levels

|                                       |                             |   |              |                     |      |                     |      |                     |      |      |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---|--------------|---------------------|------|---------------------|------|---------------------|------|------|
| C60:12 TAG                            | HMDB0005478*                | Glycerolipids                                   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.89<br>(0.63-1.27) | 0.52 | 1.15<br>(0.81-1.64) | 0.44 | 0.91<br>(0.06-1.21) | 0.53 | 0.50 |
| C16:0 LPC                             | HMDB0010382                 | Glycerophospholipids                            | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.07<br>(0.76-1.51) | 0.69 | 0.97<br>(0.69-1.36) | 0.85 | 1.25<br>(1.06-1.68) | 0.14 | 0.30 |
| C16:1 LPC                             | HMDB0010383*                | Glycerophospholipids                            | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.22<br>(0.86-1.72) | 0.27 | 1.16<br>(0.82-1.64) | 0.40 | 1.34<br>(1.06-1.79) | 0.05 | 0.38 |
| C18:1 LPC                             | HMDB0002815*                | Glycerophospholipids                            | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.08<br>(0.76-1.53) | 0.68 | 0.75<br>(0.53-1.06) | 0.11 | 1.08<br>(1.06-1.44) | 0.61 | 0.38 |
| C18:3 LPC                             | HMDB0010387*                | Glycerophospholipids                            | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.11<br>(0.79-1.56) | 0.55 | 1.08<br>(0.77-1.52) | 0.64 | 1.33<br>(1.06-1.79) | 0.06 | 0.30 |
| C22:0 LPE                             | HMDB0011520                 | Glycerophospholipids                            | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.48<br>(1.04-2.12) | 0.03 | 0.90<br>(0.63-1.27) | 0.53 | 0.78<br>(1.06-1.04) | 0.09 | 0.42 |
| C22:5 LPC                             | HMDB0010403*                | Glycerophospholipids                            | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.00<br>(0.71-1.41) | 0.98 | 0.71<br>(0.51-1.00) | 0.05 | 0.83<br>(1.06-1.12) | 0.22 | 0.40 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen<br>tryptophan | HMDB0011387*<br>HMDB0000929 | Glycerophospholipids<br>Indoles and derivatives | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.08<br>(0.77-1.53) | 0.64 | 1.01<br>(0.72-1.41) | 0.96 | 0.86<br>(1.06-1.16) | 0.33 | 0.40 |
| thyroxine                             | HMDB0000248                 | NA  | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.35<br>(0.95-1.92) | 0.10 | 0.98<br>(0.69-1.39) | 0.92 | 1.11<br>(1.06-1.48) | 0.49 | 0.40 |
| acetyl-<br>galactosamine              | HMDB0000212                 | Organooxygen<br>compounds                       | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.99<br>(0.69-1.41) | 0.95 | 1.35<br>(0.95-1.92) | 0.09 | 1.25<br>(0.06-1.67) | 0.12 | 0.41 |
| 2-<br>methylguanosine                 | HMDB0005862                 | Purine nucleosides                              | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.36<br>(0.96-1.93) | 0.08 | 1.26<br>(0.89-1.79) | 0.19 | 1.53<br>(1.06-2.05) | 0.00 | 0.43 |
| guanosine                             | HMDB0000133                 | Purine nucleosides                              | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.22<br>(0.87-1.71) | 0.24 | 1.44<br>(1.03-2.02) | 0.03 | 1.45<br>(1.06-1.99) | 0.02 | 0.24 |
| C16:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1)             | HMDB0004949                 | Sphingolipids                                   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.13<br>(0.81-1.57) | 0.48 | 0.77<br>(0.55-1.07) | 0.13 | 0.75<br>(1.06-1.03) | 0.08 | 0.19 |
| C22:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1)             | HMDB0004952                 | Sphingolipids                                   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.70<br>(1.20-2.42) | 0.00 | 1.51<br>(1.06-2.14) | 0.02 | 1.39<br>(1.06-1.87) | 0.03 | 0.41 |
| C24:1 Ceramide<br>(d18:1)             | HMDB0004953*                | Sphingolipids                                   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.29<br>(0.91-1.85) | 0.15 | 1.03<br>(0.72-1.46) | 0.87 | 1.37<br>(1.06-1.83) | 0.03 | 0.49 |
| C18:3 CE                              | HMDB0010370*                | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives             | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.34<br>(0.94-1.91) | 0.10 | 1.17<br>(0.83-1.67) | 0.37 | 1.42<br>(1.06-1.91) | 0.02 | 0.46 |
| C20:5 CE                              | HMDB0006731                 | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives             | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.11<br>(0.78-1.57) | 0.58 | 0.86<br>(0.60-1.23) | 0.42 | 0.85<br>(1.06-1.13) | 0.26 | 0.49 |
|                                       |                             |   | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.84<br>(0.59-1.20) | 0.34 | 0.86<br>(0.61-1.23) | 0.41 | 0.67<br>(0.06-0.89) | 0.01 | 0.48 |

Table 1.5 (continued). Multivariate adjusted odds ratios† for breast cancer risk comparing cross-classification of metabolite levels

|   |              |                                  |              |                     |      |                     |      |                     |      |      |
|---|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|------|---------------------|------|---------------------|------|------|
| C22:5 CE  | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.24<br>(0.87-1.78) | 0.24 | 0.86<br>(0.60-1.24) | 0.42 | 0.78<br>(1.06-1.04) | 0.09 | 0.47 |
| <b>Identified in difference analysis with significant interaction</b> |              |                                  |              |                     |      |                     |      |                     |      |      |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid  | HMDB0000991  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.86<br>(0.60-1.24) | 0.43 | 0.62<br>(0.43-0.89) | 0.01 | 0.98<br>(0.74-1.29) | 0.88 | 0.46 |
| amino-isobutyric acid   | HMDB0001906  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.90<br>(0.63-1.27) | 0.54 | 1.15<br>(0.54-1.63) | 0.43 | 0.97<br>(0.73-1.30) | 0.84 | 0.50 |
| C58:8 TAG   | HMDB0005413  | Glycerolipids                    | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.38<br>(0.98-1.95) | 0.07 | 0.82<br>(0.07-1.15) | 0.25 | 1.00<br>(0.75-1.34) | 0.99 | 0.46 |
| C18:0 LPC   | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids             | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.77<br>(0.54-1.10) | 0.16 | 1.56<br>(0.16-2.24) | 0.01 | 0.96<br>(0.72-1.28) | 0.77 | 0.35 |
| C20:1 LPE   | HMDB0011512  | Glycerophospholipids             |              | 0.80<br>(0.56-1.15) | 0.23 | 1.59<br>(0.23-2.28) | 0.01 | 1.13<br>(0.84-1.50) | 0.42 | 0.37 |
| C22:6 LPE   | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospholipids             | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.85<br>(0.59-1.22) | 0.39 | 1.35<br>(0.39-1.94) | 0.10 | 1.15<br>(0.87-1.53) | 0.33 | 0.43 |
| C38:6 PC  | HMDB0007991  | Glycerophospholipids             | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.93<br>(0.65-1.32) | 0.67 | 1.49<br>(0.67-2.14) | 0.03 | 1.05<br>(0.79-1.41) | 0.74 | 0.55 |
| C38:6 PE  | HMDB0009102  | Glycerophospholipids             | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.04<br>(0.74-1.47) | 0.82 | 0.92<br>(0.82-1.30) | 0.63 | 0.92<br>(0.68-1.22) | 0.55 | 0.55 |
| C40:9 PC  | HMDB0008731  | Glycerophospholipids             | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.01<br>(0.71-1.42) | 0.96 | 0.78<br>(0.96-1.09) | 0.15 | 0.91<br>(0.67-1.22) | 0.51 | 0.55 |
| ribothymidine   | HMDB0000884  | Pyrimidine nucleosides           | 1.0<br>(ref) | 1.07<br>(0.76-1.51) | 0.70 | 0.98<br>(0.70-1.39) | 0.93 | 0.96<br>(0.72-1.29) | 0.79 | 0.55 |
| C18:0 CE  | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 1.0<br>(ref) | 0.90<br>(0.63-1.29) | 0.56 | 1.27<br>(0.56-1.83) | 0.19 | 1.06<br>(0.80-1.40) | 0.71 | 0.40 |

† Multivariate regression models include: BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week). P values are nominal p-values before correction for multiple testing.

^ All models compared to group with metabolites remaining below the median at both time points

\* Representative HMDBID

‡ Spearman correlation between proximate and distant blood draw measures, adjusted for fasting status and age at blood draw, and weight change from age 18 to blood draw.

Table 1.6 (continued). Latency analysis based on linear & quadratic multivariate adjusted models

**Table 1.6.** Latency analysis based on linear & quadratic multivariate adjusted models,<sup>†</sup> for metabolites with nominal p-values <0.05 in individual analyses or significant interaction in difference analyses.

| Metabolite Name   | HMDB ID      | Class                              | Linear model <sup>^</sup> |         | Quadratic model <sup>^</sup> |                         |             |                         |
|---|--------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|
|   |              |                                    | $\lambda$                 | p value | $\lambda 1$                  | p value ( $\lambda 1$ ) | $\lambda 2$ | p value ( $\lambda 2$ ) |
| <b>Identified by nominal p-value in individual analysis</b> |              |                                    |                           |         |                              |                         |             |                         |
| N1,N12-diacetyl-spermine                                    | HMDB0002172  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives | 0.054                     | 0.013   | -0.044                       | 0.886                   | 0.004       | 0.612                   |
| betaine   | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.063                     | 0.031   | 0.083                        | 0.324                   | -0.001      | 0.584                   |
| homoarginine  | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.156                     | 0.419   | 0.427                        | 0.831                   | -0.019      | 0.714                   |
| isoleucine  | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.101                     | 0.181   | 0.126                        | 0.302                   | -0.004      | 0.203                   |
| leucine   | HMDB0000687  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.069                     | 0.023   | 0.111                        | 0.645                   | -0.004      | 0.540                   |
| lysine  | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.025                     | 0.821   | 0.152                        | 0.541                   | -0.004      | 0.510                   |
| N-acetylnornithine  | HMDB0003357  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.069                     | 0.101   | 0.110                        | 0.848                   | -0.001      | 0.946                   |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine                                      | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.041                     | 0.156   | 0.095                        | 0.024                   | -0.002      | 0.089                   |
| phenylalanine   | HMDB0000159  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.015                     | 0.818   | 0.320                        | 0.620                   | -0.009      | 0.579                   |
| proline   | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.412                     | 0.638   | 0.115                        | 0.207                   | -0.003      | 0.172                   |
| serine  | HMDB0000187  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives   | 0.026                     | 0.749   | 0.133                        | 0.087                   | -0.004      | 0.074                   |
| C5:1 carnitine  | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls                        | 0.108                     | 0.577   | 0.093                        | 0.027                   | -0.002      | 0.078                   |
| C5-DC carnitine   | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                        | 0.052                     | 0.383   | 0.062                        | 0.793                   | 0.001       | 0.919                   |

Table 1.6 (continued). Latency analysis based on linear &amp; quadratic multivariate adjusted models

|                  |              |               |        |       |        |       |        |       |
|------------------|--------------|---------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|
| myristoleic acid | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | 0.047  | 0.074 | 0.137  | 0.462 | -0.005 | 0.337 |
| C51:0 TAG        | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | -0.003 | 0.985 | 0.104  | 0.333 | -0.003 | 0.325 |
| C52:6 TAG        | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | 0.056  | 0.424 | 0.104  | 0.167 | -0.002 | 0.262 |
| C52:7 TAG        | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | 0.076  | 0.131 | 0.107  | 0.115 | -0.002 | 0.182 |
| C54:7 TAG        | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | 0.062  | 0.009 | 0.088  | 0.580 | -0.001 | 0.796 |
| C54:8 TAG        | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids | 0.072  | 0.082 | 0.089  | 0.536 | -0.001 | 0.760 |
| C54:9 TAG        | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | 0.063  | 0.021 | 0.098  | 0.481 | -0.002 | 0.659 |
| C56:10 TAG       | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | 0.057  | 0.007 | 0.075  | 0.719 | 0.000  | 0.969 |
| C56:7 TAG        | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | 0.065  | 0.024 | 0.024  | 0.926 | 0.002  | 0.739 |
| C56:8 TAG        | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | 0.071  | 0.069 | 0.264  | 0.554 | -0.012 | 0.318 |
| C56:9 TAG        | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids | 0.062  | 0.002 | -0.596 | 0.800 | 0.042  | 0.505 |
| C58:10 TAG       | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | 0.068  | 0.027 | 0.181  | 0.551 | -0.008 | 0.352 |
| C58:11 TAG       | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | 0.071  | 0.137 | -0.874 | 0.823 | 0.062  | 0.557 |
| C58:6 TAG        | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | 0.082  | 0.175 | 0.152  | 0.666 | -0.006 | 0.515 |
| C58:7 TAG        | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | 0.073  | 0.088 | 1.013  | 0.849 | -0.073 | 0.611 |
| C58:9 TAG        | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | 0.070  | 0.124 | 0.224  | 0.468 | -0.010 | 0.248 |
| C60:12 TAG       | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids | 0.083  | 0.227 | 0.158  | 0.266 | -0.006 | 0.145 |



Table 1.6 (continued). Latency analysis based on linear &amp; quadratic multivariate adjusted models

|                           |              |                            |       |       |       |       |        |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| C16:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospholipids       | 0.064 | 0.077 | 0.092 | 0.191 | -0.002 | 0.365 |
| C16:1 LPC                 | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospholipids       | 0.055 | 0.002 | 0.109 | 0.239 | -0.003 | 0.309 |
| C18:1 LPC                 | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids       | 0.105 | 0.250 | 0.089 | 0.139 | -0.002 | 0.327 |
| C18:3 LPC                 | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospholipids       | 0.051 | 0.013 | 0.097 | 0.102 | -0.002 | 0.209 |
| C22:0 LPE                 | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids       | 0.069 | 0.063 | 0.087 | 0.064 | -0.002 | 0.203 |
| C22:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids       | 0.078 | 0.314 | 0.082 | 0.210 | -0.001 | 0.443 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids       | 0.072 | 0.064 | 0.100 | 0.277 | -0.002 | 0.345 |
| tryptophan                | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and<br>derivatives | 0.075 | 0.244 | 0.160 | 0.281 | -0.006 | 0.145 |
| thyroxine                 | HMDB0000248  | NA                         | 0.052 | 0.003 | 0.078 | 0.240 | -0.001 | 0.474 |
| acetyl-<br>galactosamine  | HMDB0000212  | Organooxygen<br>compounds  | 0.047 | 0.105 | 0.159 | 0.118 | -0.005 | 0.063 |
| 2-<br>methylguanosine     | HMDB0005862  | Purine nucleosides         | 0.062 | 0.016 | 0.073 | 0.479 | -0.001 | 0.633 |
| guanosine                 | HMDB0000133  | Purine nucleosides         | 0.053 | 0.194 | 0.140 | 0.115 | -0.004 | 0.076 |
| C16:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1) | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids              | 0.042 | 0.510 | 0.113 | 0.268 | -0.002 | 0.370 |
| C22:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1) | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids              | 0.063 | 0.030 | 0.092 | 0.359 | -0.001 | 0.561 |
| C24:1 Ceramide<br>(d18:1) | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids              | 0.058 | 0.004 | 0.112 | 0.045 | -0.003 | 0.074 |

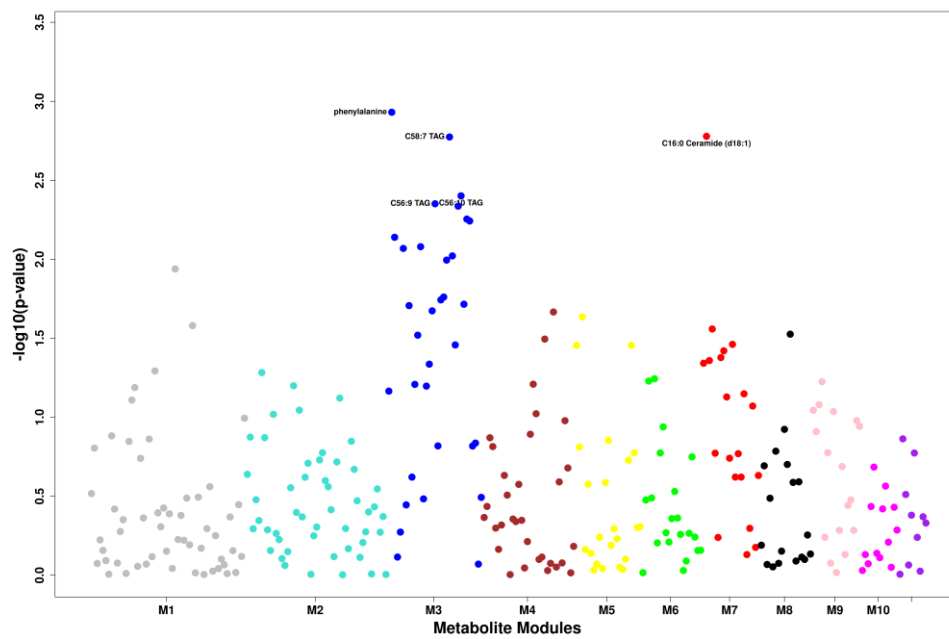
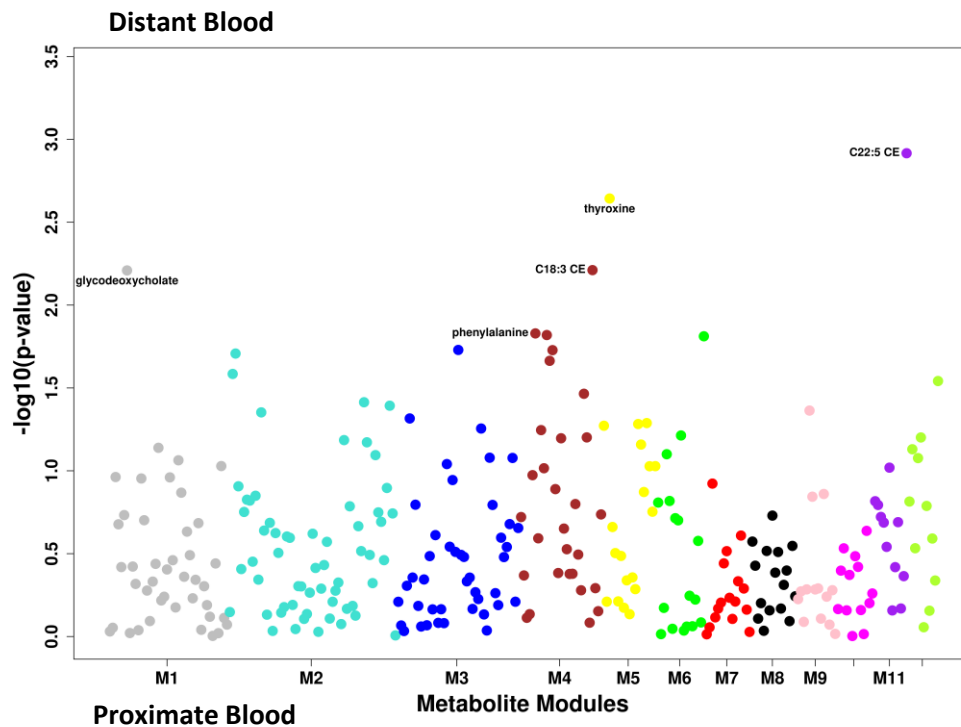
Table 1.6 (continued). Latency analysis based on linear & quadratic multivariate adjusted models

|   |              |                                  |       |       |       |       |        |       |
|---|--------------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| C18:3 CE  | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.076 | 0.089 | 0.071 | 0.275 | -0.001 | 0.650 |
| C20:5 CE  | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.064 | 0.027 | 0.099 | 0.207 | -0.002 | 0.251 |
| C22:5 CE  | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.071 | 0.095 | 0.048 | 0.639 | 0.000  | 0.966 |
| <b>Identified in difference analysis with significant interaction</b> |              |                                  |       |       |       |       |        |       |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid  | HMDB0000991  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.061 | 0.079 | 0.099 | 0.072 | -0.002 | 0.132 |
| aminoisobutyric acid  | HMDB0001906  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.060 | 0.002 | 0.032 | 0.820 | 0.002  | 0.682 |
| C58:8 TAG   | HMDB0005413  | Glycerolipids                    | 0.059 | 0.037 | 0.161 | 0.183 | -0.006 | 0.084 |
| C18:0 LPC   | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.059 | 0.003 | 0.080 | 0.187 | -0.001 | 0.469 |
| C20:1 LPE   | HMDB0011512  | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.061 | 0.094 | 0.099 | 0.146 | -0.002 | 0.238 |
| C22:6 LPE   | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.061 | 0.117 | 1.444 | 0.754 | -0.078 | 0.524 |
| C38:6 PC  | HMDB0007991  | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.062 | 0.028 | 0.253 | 0.474 | -0.011 | 0.243 |
| C38:6 PE  | HMDB0009102  | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.062 | 0.020 | 0.055 | 0.713 | 0.000  | 0.910 |
| C40:9 PC  | HMDB0008731  | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.064 | 0.034 | 0.247 | 0.504 | -0.011 | 0.271 |
| ribothymidine   | HMDB0000884  | Pyrimidine nucleosides           | 0.062 | 0.006 | 0.207 | 0.306 | -0.008 | 0.118 |
| C18:0 CE  | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.058 | 0.073 | 0.077 | 0.459 | -0.001 | 0.703 |

† Multivariate regression models include: BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week). P values are nominal p-values before correction for multiple testing. See methods for dampening models (linear v quadratic).

^ Linear and quadratic models are defined in the Methods section

\* Representative HMDBID



**Figure 1.3.** Metabolite associations with overall breast cancer risk (by Module grouping) at distant (top) and proximate (bottom) blood.

## DISCUSSION

In this prospective cohort study examining the association between 307 plasma metabolites and risk of breast cancer, we identified several metabolite groups, defined based on similar biochemical structure, that were associated with breast cancer risk. Individual metabolites did not reach statistical significance with correction for multiple comparisons in our analyses; however, associations informed a deeper dive into the interconnectedness of metabolites and consequent associations. Examined by subclass, cholesteryl esters were associated with a reduced risk of breast cancer, whereas amino acids and derivatives were associated with increased breast cancer risk. The association between breast cancer and the subclass TAGs was seemingly dependent on double bond status; TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds, i.e., highly unsaturated, were inversely associated, while TAGs with  $< 3$  double bonds were positively associated with risk. The unique ability to assess metabolite measures at two different time points also highlighted the potential for metabolites to independently influence different stages of breast cancer development, as several associations appeared to change based on time between blood draw and diagnosis.

Our results add novel knowledge and provide support for several findings from other similar agnostic metabolomic approaches. For example, a nested case-control study in EPIC (with 1,624 cases), examined 127 metabolites in prediagnostic samples, where diagnosis  $\geq 2$  years post-measurement.<sup>9</sup> While we did not see exact similarities between individual metabolite results in EPIC and our study, we did notice associations on the metabolite class level tended to concur. For example, we did not observe an inverse association between C2 carnitine and breast cancer as seen in EPIC, though we did observe an inverse association between high levels of carnitines and risk in general, with C5-DC carnitine appearing inversely related to breast cancer with a nominal p value  $< 0.05$  at both collected blood samples. This finding for carnitines was also supported in a recent study looking at 1,275 metabolites in prediagnostic serum in a nested case-control study of 782 postmenopausal breast cancer cases and controls within the Cancer Prevention Study 2,<sup>3</sup> in which acyl fatty acid derivatives of carnitine were inversely associated with risk. The carnitine system has been implicated in enhancing metabolic flexibility needed in cancer cells,<sup>19</sup> and the importance of carnitine in breast cancer development should be examined further.

Phosphatidylcholines appeared inversely associated with risk in EPIC; we found nominally significant inverse association between several glycerophosphocholines (which are derivatives of phosphatidylcholines) and risk, especially for ER+ breast cancer. This is interesting considering dietary intake of choline, including choline intake from glycerophosphocholines, was found to be inversely related to breast cancer risk in a Chinese case-control study.<sup>20</sup> Corresponding to this finding, in an earlier study within the EPIC-Heidelberg cohort, Kuhn et. al. found higher levels of lysophosphatidylcholines (lysoPCs) were associated with decreased breast cancer risk,<sup>6</sup> which was suggestive, though not statistically significant, in our study (e.g.: C18:0 LPC OR=0.78, 95% CI=0.6-1.01, p=0.06). In contrast, Moore et. al. found a positive association between glycerophosphocholines and breast cancer risk,<sup>3</sup> which was not mirrored in our study or in EPIC. The associations may be highly dependent on side chains of interest; because each study measured a slightly different set of metabolites, direct comparisons are impossible, though it appears this group may be important in breast cancer development.

Investigators in EPIC found an inverse association between arginine and breast cancer risk, which was not measured in our study. However, increased levels of the arginine derivative N-alpha-acetylarginine in our study were positively associated with risk (RR=1.45, 95% CI=1.06-2.00, p=0.02) for the proximate time point; this metabolite has been associated with oxidative stress in in vivo rat models.<sup>21</sup> With this joint evidence, we may consider the metabolism of arginine as a potential pathway of interest for breast cancer risk as well.

Yoo's study in the Korean Cancer Prevention Study II was of much smaller scale (N=84 cases), though their findings mimicked some of what we found. Overall, the authors found amino acid metabolism, fatty acid metabolism, and linoleic acid metabolism to differ between cases and controls.<sup>8</sup> Pathway analysis matched our finding that amino acid metabolism may be an important driver in breast cancer development (Figure 2). The authors observed an increased risk of breast cancer for higher expression of metabolites involved in phenylalanine, tyrosine, and tryptophan biosynthesis. It is interesting to note that downregulation of amino acid levels was apparent in cases at diagnosis compared to controls,<sup>22,23</sup> suggesting that the tumor-specific metabolic reprogramming focuses on use of amino acids. Perhaps a high level of amino acids many years prior to diagnosis provides a hospitable

environment for tumor cells that will later use these amino acids to drive their formation. In our analysis phenylalanine was one of the strongest hits at both the distant and proximate time points (e.g.: RR proximate blood=1.76, 95% CI=1.25-2.48, p=0.001). The importance of this metabolite may be further highlighted by the need for cancer cells to uptake phenylalanine to survive; in fact, a recent study used nanoparticles coated with phenylalanine to target and cause cancer cells to self-destruct.<sup>24</sup> Proline also appeared nominally significant in our analyses (RR proximate blood=1.59, 95% CI=1.13-2.22, p=0.007); this amino acid has been shown to play a key role in metabolic reprogramming important for cancer cell survival.<sup>25</sup> Further supporting our amino acid findings, plasma levels of amino acids including valine, lysine, arginine, glutamine were associated with increased breast cancer risk in SU.VI.MAX cohort. This study used untargeted NMR metabolomic profiles to assess 206 breast cancer cases and 396 controls.<sup>5</sup>

Remaining studies exploring circulating metabolites and breast cancer risk did not take an agnostic approach in identifying metabolites, and instead focused on nutritionally associated metabolites,<sup>4,7</sup> or BMI-associated metabolites.<sup>2</sup> Tobias et. al. examined BCAAs and obesity-related cancers, finding no associations with breast cancer risk.<sup>4</sup> In contrast, as we have reported separately,<sup>14</sup> we found nominally significantly increased risk of breast cancer with branched-chain amino acids valine, leucine, and isoleucine at the proximate blood (Supplemental Table 1b). In Moore's BMI-associated metabolite analysis within the Prostate, Lung, Colorectal, and Ovarian cancer screening (PLCO) cohort, acylcarnitines 3-methylglutarylcarnitine and 2-methylbutyrylcarnitine were associated with increased breast cancer risk,<sup>2</sup> contrasting with the finding of the agnostic analysis within CPS 2.<sup>3</sup> While our study generally agrees with the agnostic analysis, finding inverse associations with breast cancer risk for carnitines and derivatives, we did note a handful of carnitines that were positively associated with risk of breast cancer. Carnitines positive association with breast cancer may represent break down products of animal sources of protein. Higher levels of acylcarnitines have been associated with increased meat consumption, and higher blood concentrations may be indicative of changes in mitochondrial function and  $\beta$ -oxidation.<sup>26,27</sup> The combined evidence suggests a more complex relationship between the carnitine system and breast cancer risk.

Uniquely, in our study we observed a strong inverse association between cholesteryl esters as a subclass and breast cancer risk. Cholesteryl esters form the components of cholesterol, high density lipoprotein (HDL) and low-density lipoprotein (LDL), levels of which have been associated with risks of prostate<sup>28</sup> and breast cancer,<sup>29</sup> though epidemiologic evidence for these associations remain inconsistent.<sup>30</sup> In addition, laboratory studies and in vivo studies suggest cholesterol metabolism as a driver for breast cancer tumor growth.<sup>31</sup> Plasma levels of HDL and LDL are heavily influenced by the common medication statins, making them difficult to study independently; thus, it is notable that a mendelian randomization study found that genetically elevated HDL and LDL was associated with increased breast cancer risk.<sup>32</sup> The role of cholesteryl esters in lipid transport and lipid metabolism is of interest, as lipid metabolic reprogramming has been documented in cancer cells.<sup>33</sup> Our finding of an inverse association of cholesteryl esters with breast cancer risk was more notable at the distant time point. While the biologic basis for this difference over time is unclear, based on our results we hypothesize that women with more prominent cholesteryl ester profiles earlier in life may be more likely to benefit from their protective effect, making cholesterol metabolism across the life course an important avenue for further research.

A novel finding in our study, triacylglycerols were significantly associated with breast cancer risk, but in opposite directions depending on the size and number of carbon atom double bonds. Recent studies in the diabetes literature have shown that lipid composition is important in the association between lipids and diabetes.<sup>34</sup> This may be linked to the influence that TAGs have on insulin action; TAGs of low carbon atoms and low double bonds are associated with insulin resistance and consequently with diabetes, while TAGs of high carbon atoms and high double bonds are not typically represented in insulin resistant individuals and are more represented in individuals with normal insulin function.<sup>34</sup> Insulin signaling is a marker for metabolic health, which is a predictor of breast cancer risk.<sup>35,36</sup> Insulin signaling is responsible for activating the mitogen activated protein kinase (MAPK) and PI3K/Akt pathways, which promote cancer cell proliferation and invasion.<sup>37</sup> In addition, several TAGS with many double bonds and carbon atoms are associated with higher fish intake,<sup>38</sup> indicating a potential protective mechanism of dietary fish intake. More generally, polyunsaturated, omega-3, and omega-6 fatty acids are associated

with a higher alternative healthy eating index (AHEI) score,<sup>39</sup> further demonstrating potential of dietary intake to influence metabolite levels and future breast cancer risk. Again, we observed a difference in the relative importance of these measures when comparing distant and proximate blood timepoints. Women with high levels of TAGs with high double bond content at the proximal timepoint appeared to be at lower risk of breast cancer than women with similarly high levels at the distant time point. Conversely, women with high levels of TAGs with low double bond content at the distant time point had a higher risk of developing breast cancer than those women with high levels of TAGs with low double bond content at the proximal time point. In contrast to our findings, lower plasma levels of unsaturated lipids were associated with a higher risk of breast cancer in the SU.VI.MAX cohort.<sup>5</sup> Further research is needed to parse apart why these relationships change over time.

There are several differences between our study and previous studies evaluating metabolites and breast cancer risk. Importantly, the platforms used for metabolomic profiling are not directly comparable, which may account for the inconsistencies between studies.<sup>3</sup> Moreover, the timing of blood collections and median time from blood draw to diagnosis differed in these studies. Because we found differences between two blood collection time points and associations with risk, this may be an important factor for comparison. Studies with shorter median follow-up times may better capture the underlying tumor metabolic reprogramming as opposed to pre-tumorigenic factors contributing to risk, and this should be considered in interpretation.

There are several strengths of our study. First, we had the ability to control for covariates at the time of metabolite measure, as data were collected for all pertinent covariates every two years with follow-up questionnaires, and on blood draw specific questionnaires. We were thus able to have ample control for known breast cancer risk factors. Second, our study was the first to assess how metabolites associated with breast cancer change over time, with samples taken covering a period 0-20 years prior to cancer diagnosis. While others have examined lag-times between blood draw and diagnosis,<sup>6,9</sup> differences between time points have not been assessed. The measurement of metabolites on two separate platforms, and selection of measurement based on platform-specific performance was important in retrieving accurate metabolite profiles as well.



While the metabolomic platforms used for profiling were a strength of our study, these also represent a limitation in our ability to compare results to those of other studies using different methods. While we were able to assess by ER status of breast cancer, the small sample size for ER- breast cancers made it difficult to assess individual differences by ER status. We were unable to investigate premenopausal breast cancer, as most women in NHS were already postmenopausal by the second blood draw.

In conclusion, we found several metabolite subclasses that may be of further interest to explore with respect to etiology of breast cancer, including cholesteryl esters, amino acids, and TAGs. Moreover, our findings clarified some previous findings, supporting the idea that carnitine metabolism and glycerophosphocholines may be involved in reduction of breast cancer risk. Future studies will be needed to determine the intricacies of the biologic mechanisms contributing to breast cancer risk.

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## CHAPTER 2

A metabolomic analysis of adiposity measures and pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer risk in the  
Nurses' Health Studies

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## ABSTRACT

Adiposity is a known risk factor for many chronic diseases, including postmenopausal breast cancer. However, adiposity is consistently inversely associated with premenopausal breast cancer risk, a discrepancy that has yet to be fully explained. Moreover, standard measures of adiposity such as body mass index (BMI) and waist circumference may not reflect one's metabolic health, and thus may not be the best indicators for breast cancer risk.

In this nested case-control study of 1651 breast cancer cases and 1651 matched controls from the Nurses' Health Study (NHS) and the Nurses' Health Study II (NHSII), we explored metabolite associations with adiposity measures, and subsequently with breast cancer risk. First, we selected metabolites correlated with BMI, waist circumference, weight change since age 18, or derived fat mass, and developed a metabolomic score for each measure using LASSO regression. We assigned women a metabolomic adiposity score for each measure and used logistic regression, adjusted for breast cancer risk factors, to investigate the association between this score and breast cancer risk. All analyses were stratified by menopausal status at blood draw, and further stratified by menopausal status at diagnosis. We further explored risk of ER+ and ER- breast cancer within each group.

Across adiposity measures, metabolite correlations were very similar. Between 80 and 100 metabolites were identified for each measure as having a strong ( $r \geq |0.15|$ ) significant correlation (Benjamini Hochberg FDR  $p$ -value  $p < 0.05$ ). Metabolites with the largest correlations included TAGs and DAGs with few double bonds, glycerophosphocholines, and branched-chain amino acids. LASSO-developed models were strongly predictive of self-reported adiposity measures ( $R^2$  range: 0.32-0.50). Metabolites selected among only premenopausal or only postmenopausal women were very similar, and scores were highly correlated with scores developed in all women ( $r = 0.94-0.96$ ). Regression of metabolomic scores on breast cancer risk revealed similar and generally stronger associations compared with self-reported measures. Higher metabolomic adiposity scores were generally inversely related to breast cancer risk among premenopausal women, though only the metabolomic weight change score was statistically significant (odds ratio (OR) Q4 v. Q1 = 0.72, 95% confidence interval (CI) = 0.53-0.96,  $p$ -trend = 0.05). Among postmenopausal women, significant positive trends with risk were observed for

higher metabolomic adiposity scores (e.g., metabolomic waist circumference score OR Q4 v. Q1= 1.55, 95% CI=1.08-2.22, p-trend=0.01).

Groups of metabolites particularly influential in the relationship between adiposity and breast cancer risk, glycerophosphocholines and branched-chain amino acids, are closely linked to insulin resistance and thus representative of metabolic dysregulation. Our findings suggest that metabolomic scores may be more predictive of breast cancer risk than self-reported measures. This supports the idea that metabolic dysregulation may be a better representative risk factor for breast cancer than adiposity measures alone. In addition, the same metabolites were identified to represent adiposity in pre- and postmenopausal women despite the fact that the associations between metabolomic scores and breast cancer risk were in opposing directions depending on menopausal status. This suggests that metabolic dysregulation may act differentially on pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer. Exploration of these metabolites and their role in adiposity-related breast cancer risk should be further explored.

## INTRODUCTION

Body mass index (BMI) is a recognized risk factor for postmenopausal breast cancer, with higher adiposity associated with increased risk.<sup>1-8</sup> However, evidence consistently shows higher BMI is associated with a decreased risk of premenopausal breast cancer,<sup>1,3,4,6,7,9-12</sup> though the reasons for these conflicting relationships remain unclear. There are several different ways to examine adiposity among women, and determining which measure is the most representative of the underlying biology of adiposity remains elusive. Measures of waist circumference and weight change in adulthood have been used to capture adiposity;<sup>13,14</sup> in addition, fat mass, while difficult to collect directly, may represent adiposity in adulthood better than BMI alone.<sup>15</sup> It is also possible that none of these measures adequately provides insight into one's underlying metabolic health, which may be a more robust overall indicator of risk.

To better understand the relationship between adiposity and breast cancer we need to explore the biologic mechanisms behind the associations. Metabolomic analyses allow us to evaluate the contribution of metabolites, small molecules that are breakdown products within blood or urine, to various phenotypes. Several studies have identified metabolites that are associated with adiposity

measures, such as BMI or waist circumference.<sup>16-20</sup> While one has explored the association between BMI-related metabolites and postmenopausal breast cancer,<sup>17</sup> none to date have used metabolomic data to develop adiposity scores reflective of metabolic health. Here we derived a metabolomic score for different adiposity measures and examined the association between this score and breast cancer risk, by menopausal status. We seek to add knowledge about the metabolic profiles of these adiposity measures, determine if metabolomic scores can be used to assess risk and are beneficial beyond standard measures, and finally, to explore how metabolic state influences the development of breast cancer and whether these influences differ by menopausal status.

## METHODS

### **Study Population**

Participants included women in the Nurses' Health Study (NHS) and NHSII who were part of a breast cancer nested case-control study. Both the NHS and the NHSII are long-running prospective cohorts, started in 1976 and 1989, respectively. Case-control participants included 1188 NHS women who provided a blood sample (collected 2000-2002), and 2119 NHSII women who provided a blood sample (collected 1996-1999) and had metabolites profiled. Cases were women with a breast cancer diagnosis after blood collection and before 2010 (NHS) or 2011 (NHSII); controls were matched to cases by menopausal status at diagnosis (pre/post/unknown), and age ( $\pm 1$  year), month ( $\pm 1$  month), time of day ( $\pm 2$  h), fasting status ( $\geq 8$  h since a meal vs.  $< 8$  h or unknown), menopausal status and hormone use (premenopausal, postmenopausal, hormone user, postmenopausal, non-user, unknown) at blood draw. Risk factor information is collected in both cohorts via biennial questionnaires. Breast cancer cases were identified by self-report and confirmed by medical record review. Deaths were captured by next of kin, postal service, or review of the National Death Index.

### **Metabolomic Profiles**

Metabolites were profiled by Dr. Clary Clish's lab at the Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard (Cambridge, MA) using liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometry (LC/MS-MS) platforms designed to measure polar metabolites and lipids.<sup>21-24</sup> Matched case-control pairs were distributed



randomly within batch. Pooled reference samples were included every 20 samples and blinded quality control samples were also randomly distributed. Measures were standardized using the ratio of the value of the sample to the value of the nearest pooled reference multiplied by the median of all reference values for the metabolite. After removing metabolites impacted by delayed sample processing, as was utilized in both cohorts (ICC and Spearman rho <0.75 comparing immediately vs. within 24 to 48-hours post collection N=51 in NHS, N=52 in NHSII, there were 306 metabolites measured in NHS and 394 metabolites measured in NHSII.<sup>24</sup> For the primary analysis, metabolites were excluded if the blinded quality control samples CV was  $\geq 25\%$  (NHS N=47, NHSII N=53), though all metabolites were included in a sensitivity analysis. Metabolites with 0-<10% missingness (N=20 in NHS, N=320 in NHSII) were imputed with  $\frac{1}{2}$  the minimum value; metabolites with  $\geq 10\%$  missingness were excluded (N=2 in NHS, N=22 in NHSII). Finally, all metabolites that were included in both NHS and NHSII (N=248) were assessed in analyses.

### **Exposure & Covariate Measurement**

Adiposity measures assessed included BMI ( $\text{kg}/\text{m}^2$ ), waist circumference (cm), weight change since age 18 (kg), and predicted fat mass. BMI and weight change were assessed at blood draw. Waist circumference was assessed in 2000 for NHS and in 1993 for NHSII. Fat mass was derived from measures of age, weight, height, waist circumference, and race, through the National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES)-developed equation for women which strongly predicts dual-energy x-ray absorptiometry (DXA)-measured fat mass ( $R^2=0.90$ ).<sup>15</sup>

Additional covariates included standard breast cancer risk factors, selected at time of blood draw from corresponding questionnaires or prior reports for non-time-varying covariates: age at menarche, age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, BMI at age 18 ( $\text{kg}/\text{m}^2$ ), alcohol consumption (g/day) at blood draw, and physical activity level (MET-hrs/week) at blood draw. Missing values for these covariates were imputed with median values.

### **Statistical Methods**

*Derivation of metabolomics score for adiposity measures*

A metabolomics-based score was derived for each adiposity measure separately. First, all individuals missing the adiposity measure of interest were removed from the analysis. BMI analyses further excluded extreme outliers: women with BMI >60 or <15 kg/m<sup>2</sup>. Spearman correlations between probit-transformed metabolites and the adiposity measure, adjusted for case-control status and age at blood draw, were calculated. Metabolites with a correlation  $\geq |0.15|$  with the adiposity measure, and a Benjamini Hochberg FDR p-value <0.05 were selected to be carried forward in model development.<sup>25</sup> LASSO regression with cross-validation was used to select metabolites for inclusion in each model, resulting in a metabolomic adiposity score. LASSO regression is advantageous to derive unbiased estimates for our models; however, collinearity can still be an issue in variable selection. The LASSO equation will eliminate metabolites (by reducing the coefficients to zero) in the model if they are not deemed strong predictors of the outcome variable. However, when two metabolites are highly correlated, the penalty will apply to one of two correlated metabolites, and the model will arbitrarily choose one metabolite over another. While this is not completely unavoidable, we performed a sensitivity analysis using Ridge regression to avoid dropping correlated metabolites in our models.

Sensitivity analyses were also conducted by limiting derivation of the metabolomic equation to controls only and comparing selected metabolites with those derived using both cases and controls. In addition, the derivation of metabolomic scores was done in premenopausal and postmenopausal women separately and compared with the results using all women. Percent weight change, as opposed to continuous weight change in kg, was also assessed.

#### *Association of adiposity measures (self-reported/derived, and metabolomic scores) with breast cancer*

Unconditional logistic regression was used to assess the association between self-reported and metabolomic adiposity scores and breast cancer risk to maintain the maximum number of subjects given exclusions among cases or controls for missing adiposity scores. All analyses were stratified by menopausal status at blood draw, and secondarily by menopausal status at diagnosis. Models controlled for all matched factors and covariates listed above. We also evaluated increasing quartiles of the exposure of interest, with quartile cutpoints determined among all women for each measure. Trends for quartile analyses were calculated by modeling the median of each quartile as a continuous variable. P-

values  $<0.05$  were considered statistically significant. Risk of estrogen receptor (ER) positive and negative breast cancer were assessed separately, using relevant ER subtype cases and all controls. We also assessed risk associated with cross-classified metabolomic scores and self-reported measures, using above or below the median values to form groups.

## RESULTS

### **Descriptive characteristics**

The analysis cohort included 1651 cases and 1651 controls. Descriptive characteristics are included in **Table 2.1**. Average age at blood draw was 52.3y (SD=11.7) for cases and 52.6y (SD=11.7) for controls. Most participants were fasting at blood draw (75% of cases, 81% of controls). About half of the participants (53%) were premenopausal at blood draw, and approximately 27% were premenopausal at diagnosis. Missingness varied by adiposity measures, with  $<2\%$  for BMI, and  $<4\%$  for weight change since age 18. However, approximately 35% of the participants were missing waist circumference and predicted fat mass measures.

### **Metabolomic scores for adiposity measures**

#### *Selection of metabolites*

Out of 248 metabolites measured, a large proportion were selected as significantly correlated with each adiposity measure: 99 for BMI (N participants=3249), 79 for waist circumference (N=2212), 101 for weight change (N=3198), and 91 for fat mass (N=2140) (**Table 2.2**). Overlaps in selected metabolites for each adiposity measure were substantial. All metabolites with a significant Spearman correlation with waist circumference were included as correlated among the other three measures. For fat mass, all correlated metabolites were also significantly correlated with BMI, and all except one of the metabolites selected (carnitine) were significantly correlated with weight change. Metabolites with the highest correlations with adiposity measures tended to be consistent across all adiposity measures. Among the top ten correlated metabolites for each adiposity measure, overlapping metabolites included several triacylglycerols (TAGs) and diacylglycerols (DAGs) with 0-2 double bonds, such as C52:2 TAG, C50:1 TAG, C50:2 TAG, C32:1 DAG, C34:1 DAG, C34:2 DAG, as well as uric acid and valine. For example,

C52:2 TAG was strongly correlated with BMI ( $r=0.39$ ), waist circumference ( $r=0.33$ ), weight change ( $r=0.39$ ), and fat mass ( $r=0.37$ ). Directions of correlations for metabolites was consistent across adiposity measures as well; for example, cholesteryl ester C18:2 CE was inversely correlated with all measures.

**Table 2.1.** Descriptive characteristics of participants in the Nurses' Health Studies.\*

| Characteristic   | Case        | Control     |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| N Participants   | 1651        | 1651        |
| NHS2   | 1059        | 1059        |
| NHS  | 592         | 592         |
| Age at blood draw (mean (SD))                            | 52.3 (11.7) | 52.6 (11.7) |
| Fasting at blood draw (N (%))                            | 1242 (75%)  | 1338 (81%)  |
| Menopausal status at blood draw (N (%))                  |             |             |
| Premenopausal  | 823 (53%)   | 819 (53%)   |
| Postmenopausal   | 715 (46%)   | 719 (47%)   |
| Unknown  | 8 (0.5%)    | 6 (0.4%)    |
| Current hormone use (any) (N (%))                        | 1052 (64%)  | 1060 (64%)  |
| Current postmenopausal hormone use (N (%))               | 715 (46%)   | 719 (47%)   |
| Age at diagnosis (mean (SD))                             | 59.2 (10.7) | NA          |
| Menopausal status at diagnosis (N (%))                   |             |             |
| Premenopausal  | 453 (27%)   | 453 (27%)   |
| Postmenopausal   | 1070 (65%)  | 1081 (66%)  |
| Unknown  | 128 (7.8%)  | 117 (7.1%)  |
| Age at menarche, years (mean (SD))                       | 12.5 (1.4)  | 12.5 (1.4)  |
| Nulliparous (N (%))                                      | 275 (17%)   | 231 (14%)   |
| Parity, children (mean (SD))^                            | 2.6 (1.2)   | 2.7 (1.3)   |
| Age at first birth, years (mean (SD))^                   | 26 (4.1)    | 26 (4.1)    |
| Breastfeeding history (N (%))^                           | 1067 (65%)  | 1069 (65%)  |
| History of benign breast disease (N (%))                 | 619 (38%)   | 511 (31%)   |
| Family history of breast cancer (N (%))                  | 319 (19%)   | 201 (12%)   |
| BMI at age 18 in kg/m <sup>2</sup> (mean (SD))           | 20.8 (2.8)  | 21.2 (3.0)  |
| Alcohol consumption at blood draw, g/day (mean (SD))     | 4.9 (7.9)   | 4.2 (6.5)   |
| Activity level at blood draw, MET-hours/week (mean (SD)) | 20.7 (28.2) | 20.0 (22.8) |
| BMI, kg/m <sup>2</sup> (mean (SD))                       | 25.6 (5.3)  | 26.0 (5.7)  |
| Missing (N (%))  | 26 (1.6%)   | 14 (0.8%)   |
| Weight change since age 18, kg (mean (SD))               | 13.0 (12.6) | 13.0 (13.2) |
| Missing (N (%))  | 57 (3.5%)   | 47 (2.8%)   |
| Waist circumference, cm (mean (SD))                      | 81.8 (13.2) | 82.1 (13.7) |
| Missing (N (%))  | 538 (33%)   | 534 (32%)   |
| Fat Mass (kg) (mean (SD))                                | 26.8 (8.9)  | 26.9 (8.9)  |
| Missing (N (%))  | 579 (35%)   | 568 (34%)   |
| Waist to hip ratio (mean (SD))                           | 0.8 (0.1)   | 0.8 (0.1)   |
| Missing (N (%))  | 545 (33%)   | 539 (33%)   |

\*All measures taken at blood draw unless otherwise noted. Blood draw 2000-2002 for NHS, 1996-1999 for NHS2.

^ Among parous women

**Table 2.2.** Metabolites identified as significantly associated with adiposity measure (FDR p-value<0.05) and with correlation  $\geq |0.15|$ .

| HMDBID      | Metabolite Name      | Class                               | BMI   |          | Waist Circumference |          | Weight Change |          | Fat Mass |          |
|-------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------|---------------------|----------|---------------|----------|----------|----------|
|             |                      |                                     | r*    | p value^ | r*                  | p value^ | r*            | p value^ | r *      | p value^ |
| HMDB0000714 | hippurate            | Benzene and substituted derivatives |       |          |                     |          | -0.18         | 1.1E-45  |          |          |
| HMDB0000064 | creatine             | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    |       |          |                     |          | 0.16          | 1.0E-35  |          |          |
| HMDB0000123 | glycine              | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | -0.20 | 2.5E-58  | -0.16               | 5.5E-27  | -0.21         | 6.4E-64  | -0.18    | 2.4E-30  |
| HMDB0000128 | guanidinoacetic acid | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | -0.21 | 5.1E-66  | -0.19               | 1.4E-35  | -0.22         | 4.6E-71  | -0.20    | 8.0E-38  |
| HMDB0000158 | tyrosine             | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.27  | 1.2E-111 | 0.22                | 7.5E-48  | 0.28          | 8.0E-117 | 0.27     | 3.1E-72  |
| HMDB0000159 | phenylalanine        | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.22  | 2.7E-68  | 0.18                | 4.1E-32  | 0.22          | 9.4E-72  | 0.23     | 9.9E-54  |
| HMDB0000161 | alanine              | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.27  | 1.4E-106 | 0.20                | 4.5E-41  | 0.28          | 1.2E-110 | 0.26     | 8.7E-69  |
| HMDB0000162 | proline              | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.21  | 1.4E-65  | 0.17                | 2.6E-28  | 0.22          | 1.9E-71  | 0.22     | 1.4E-45  |
| HMDB0000172 | isoleucine           | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.31  | 2.9E-143 | 0.26                | 9.6E-69  | 0.33          | 6.0E-163 | 0.31     | 1.4E-96  |

Table 2.2 (continued). Metabolites identified as significantly associated with adiposity measure

|             |                 |                                  |      |          |      |          |      |          |      |          |
|-------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|
| HMDB0000182 | lysine          | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.18 | 1.7E-46  |      |          | 0.19 | 3.5E-54  | 0.16 | 7.1E-26  |
| HMDB0000687 | leucine         | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.30 | 2.4E-134 | 0.26 | 3.7E-67  | 0.32 | 1.2E-155 | 0.31 | 9.8E-94  |
| HMDB0000883 | valine          | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.37 | 5.5E-212 | 0.30 | 5.7E-91  | 0.39 | 2.7E-226 | 0.37 | 3.3E-135 |
| HMDB0029416 | NMMA            | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.18 | 1.8E-49  |      |          | 0.19 | 1.3E-51  | 0.17 | 6.6E-28  |
| HMDB0000201 | C2 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.16 | 3.0E-39  |      |          |      |          |      |          |
| HMDB0000688 | C5 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.25 | 1.2E-91  | 0.19 | 1.7E-37  | 0.25 | 1.4E-89  | 0.24 | 2.3E-58  |
| HMDB0000705 | C6 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.19 | 1.8E-52  |      |          | 0.18 | 1.1E-47  |      |          |
| HMDB0000824 | C3 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.23 | 2.1E-81  | 0.18 | 3.1E-31  | 0.21 | 2.0E-63  | 0.23 | 8.4E-50  |
| HMDB0013127 | C4-OH carnitine | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.25 | 3.1E-95  | 0.20 | 5.9E-41  | 0.23 | 5.6E-75  | 0.21 | 1.3E-42  |
| HMDB0007103 | C34:2 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.35 | 7.0E-189 | 0.31 | 6.7E-100 | 0.37 | 2.3E-204 | 0.35 | 1.1E-119 |
| HMDB0007132 | C34:3 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.33 | 6.1E-166 | 0.32 | 2.1E-105 | 0.36 | 2.9E-189 | 0.34 | 1.0E-115 |
| HMDB0007219 | C36:3 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.23 | 5.3E-75  | 0.24 | 5.1E-59  | 0.25 | 5.6E-91  | 0.24 | 1.1E-54  |
| HMDB0007248 | C36:4 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.16 | 1.9E-39  | 0.20 | 3.4E-42  | 0.20 | 7.8E-57  | 0.18 | 1.4E-32  |
| HMDB0007098 | C32:0 DAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.32 | 1.3E-155 | 0.25 | 2.1E-64  | 0.33 | 1.5E-165 | 0.30 | 1.1E-90  |
| HMDB0007099 | C32:1 DAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.36 | 3.0E-200 | 0.30 | 1.9E-90  | 0.38 | 1.0E-211 | 0.36 | 1.7E-125 |
| HMDB0007100 | C34:0 DAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.28 | 9.1E-114 | 0.21 | 1.0E-45  | 0.29 | 1.9E-123 | 0.25 | 1.8E-63  |
| HMDB0007102 | C34:1 DAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.37 | 8.3E-207 | 0.31 | 6.1E-97  | 0.38 | 6.0E-213 | 0.35 | 1.8E-124 |
| HMDB0007199 | C38:5 DAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.27 | 4.4E-111 | 0.22 | 7.6E-50  | 0.28 | 1.1E-112 | 0.27 | 2.2E-69  |
| HMDB0007216 | C36:1 DAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.34 | 4.6E-174 | 0.28 | 2.5E-78  | 0.34 | 2.5E-175 | 0.32 | 2.7E-100 |
| HMDB0007218 | C36:2 DAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.34 | 2.2E-169 | 0.29 | 5.5E-87  | 0.33 | 6.4E-166 | 0.32 | 2.7E-100 |

Table 2.2 (continued). Metabolites identified as significantly associated with adiposity measure

|             |           |               |      |          |      |          |      |          |      |          |
|-------------|-----------|---------------|------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|
| HMDB0005356 | C48:0 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.24 | 3.4E-88  | 0.16 | 2.7E-26  | 0.25 | 2.0E-88  | 0.21 | 1.8E-44  |
| HMDB0005357 | C50:0 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.27 | 1.6E-107 | 0.19 | 2.4E-35  | 0.27 | 5.8E-110 | 0.24 | 3.4E-54  |
| HMDB0005359 | C48:1 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.29 | 1.4E-124 | 0.21 | 3.0E-46  | 0.29 | 5.6E-127 | 0.27 | 4.7E-69  |
| HMDB0005360 | C50:1 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.37 | 5.7E-203 | 0.28 | 6.5E-79  | 0.37 | 3.2E-201 | 0.33 | 3.1E-110 |
| HMDB0005362 | C51:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.27 | 1.3E-108 | 0.20 | 1.1E-38  | 0.27 | 5.1E-104 | 0.26 | 4.2E-65  |
| HMDB0005363 | C52:4 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.16 | 3.8E-39  | 0.21 | 2.9E-43  | 0.19 | 4.1E-54  | 0.18 | 4.1E-32  |
| HMDB0005367 | C52:1 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.35 | 1.1E-185 | 0.27 | 1.3E-73  | 0.35 | 5.8E-184 | 0.32 | 7.7E-100 |
| HMDB0005369 | C52:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.39 | 3.3E-236 | 0.33 | 9.1E-111 | 0.39 | 1.3E-226 | 0.37 | 1.3E-139 |
| HMDB0005376 | C48:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.29 | 1.0E-121 | 0.21 | 1.4E-43  | 0.29 | 1.7E-122 | 0.27 | 1.4E-69  |
| HMDB0005377 | C50:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.37 | 5.5E-212 | 0.29 | 1.1E-86  | 0.37 | 2.0E-205 | 0.35 | 1.7E-120 |
| HMDB0005385 | C54:5 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.23 | 1.7E-79  | 0.18 | 1.9E-31  | 0.24 | 4.5E-81  | 0.22 | 2.1E-46  |
| HMDB0005403 | C54:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.30 | 2.8E-138 | 0.26 | 1.3E-65  | 0.30 | 7.5E-133 | 0.28 | 1.9E-78  |
| HMDB0005410 | C56:3 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.17 | 2.3E-42  |      |          | 0.17 | 5.9E-44  | 0.16 | 6.8E-27  |
| HMDB0005432 | C48:3 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.30 | 2.2E-132 | 0.22 | 7.8E-51  | 0.31 | 2.1E-142 | 0.28 | 3.8E-75  |
| HMDB0005433 | C50:3 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.33 | 2.1E-168 | 0.28 | 7.1E-78  | 0.34 | 4.8E-174 | 0.32 | 6.8E-102 |
| HMDB0005436 | C52:6 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.22 | 1.1E-71  | 0.21 | 2.2E-44  | 0.25 | 3.9E-88  | 0.21 | 3.2E-45  |
| HMDB0010411 | C46:0 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.21 | 2.4E-66  |      |          | 0.22 | 2.2E-69  | 0.19 | 1.4E-34  |
| HMDB0010412 | C46:1 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.26 | 2.4E-96  | 0.18 | 1.4E-32  | 0.26 | 2.2E-100 | 0.24 | 4.4E-54  |
| HMDB0010419 | C46:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.28 | 7.2E-113 | 0.20 | 4.6E-40  | 0.29 | 1.5E-123 | 0.25 | 4.4E-63  |
| HMDB0010471 | C50:5 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.28 | 1.9E-113 | 0.23 | 3.8E-53  | 0.30 | 1.2E-133 | 0.26 | 3.7E-65  |
| HMDB0010497 | C50:6 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.25 | 9.4E-93  | 0.19 | 2.5E-38  | 0.28 | 3.4E-111 | 0.23 | 4.6E-52  |
| HMDB0010517 | C52:7 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.21 | 7.2E-68  | 0.18 | 1.2E-32  | 0.24 | 1.2E-82  | 0.20 | 5.6E-40  |
| HMDB0011701 | C51:3 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.23 | 5.5E-75  | 0.22 | 1.6E-47  | 0.24 | 2.2E-82  | 0.23 | 7.7E-54  |
| HMDB0011706 | C49:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.20 | 9.0E-59  |      |          | 0.21 | 1.2E-62  | 0.18 | 5.8E-33  |
| HMDB0031106 | C51:0 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.22 | 2.6E-68  |      |          | 0.22 | 6.9E-73  | 0.19 | 9.8E-37  |
| HMDB0042076 | C47:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.24 | 6.1E-87  | 0.16 | 7.3E-27  | 0.25 | 1.6E-92  | 0.22 | 3.5E-49  |
| HMDB0042103 | C49:3 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.24 | 4.1E-84  | 0.18 | 1.6E-32  | 0.25 | 5.4E-89  | 0.23 | 5.8E-53  |
| HMDB0042104 | C51:1 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.33 | 1.0E-159 | 0.24 | 5.5E-58  | 0.34 | 1.4E-171 | 0.30 | 1.9E-89  |
| HMDB0042196 | C53:2 TAG | Glycerolipids | 0.26 | 2.8E-103 | 0.22 | 4.8E-49  | 0.26 | 1.4E-96  | 0.26 | 1.2E-66  |



Table 2.2 (continued). Metabolites identified as significantly associated with adiposity measure

|             |                           |                           |       |          |       |         |       |          |       |         |
|-------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------|----------|-------|---------|-------|----------|-------|---------|
| HMDB0042226 | C55:2 TAG                 | Glycerolipids             | 0.26  | 2.4E-98  | 0.19  | 9.0E-37 | 0.26  | 8.9E-99  | 0.23  | 1.3E-53 |
| HMDB0002815 | C18:1 LPC                 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.22 | 2.7E-69  | -0.18 | 1.6E-34 | -0.23 | 3.0E-80  | -0.21 | 1.8E-42 |
| HMDB0007870 | C30:1 PC                  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | 0.16  | 4.3E-40  |       |         | 0.16  | 9.9E-36  |       |         |
| HMDB0007873 | C32:1 PC                  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | 0.21  | 2.2E-63  |       |         | 0.19  | 6.3E-54  | 0.17  | 5.4E-29 |
| HMDB0007874 | C32:2 PC                  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids |       |          |       |         | 0.16  | 8.4E-37  |       |         |
| HMDB0008047 | C38:3 PC                  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | 0.35  | 5.5E-187 | 0.24  | 1.2E-58 | 0.34  | 2.9E-171 | 0.31  | 1.2E-92 |
| HMDB0008138 | C36:4 PC-B                | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | 0.19  | 5.3E-54  |       |         | 0.18  | 3.4E-47  | 0.17  | 5.2E-28 |
| HMDB0010386 | C18:2 LPC                 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.28 | 1.3E-116 | -0.23 | 3.6E-55 | -0.28 | 1.5E-118 | -0.27 | 8.4E-72 |
| HMDB0010397 | C20:5 LPC                 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.27 | 4.1E-109 | -0.23 | 1.2E-52 | -0.28 | 1.5E-110 | -0.26 | 1.8E-68 |
| HMDB0010404 | C22:6 LPC                 | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.16 | 1.1E-39  |       |         | -0.16 | 1.9E-38  | -0.16 | 1.9E-25 |
| HMDB0011208 | C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.24 | 7.7E-82  | -0.21 | 1.9E-46 | -0.25 | 9.7E-89  | -0.23 | 2.2E-51 |
| HMDB0011211 | C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.23 | 4.0E-79  | -0.22 | 2.9E-50 | -0.23 | 8.3E-74  | -0.23 | 2.6E-52 |
| HMDB0011239 | C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.23 | 3.0E-80  | -0.20 | 8.1E-41 | -0.24 | 1.1E-84  | -0.24 | 2.7E-55 |
| HMDB0011243 | C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.25 | 1.4E-91  | -0.22 | 5.2E-51 | -0.24 | 2.2E-84  | -0.25 | 5.4E-63 |
| HMDB0011310 | C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | -0.27 | 1.5E-110 | -0.24 | 1.1E-57 | -0.29 | 1.1E-121 | -0.26 | 2.1E-65 |

Table 2.2 (continued). Metabolites identified as significantly associated with adiposity measure

|             |                      |                                     |       |          |       |         |       |          |       |          |
|-------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------|-------|---------|-------|----------|-------|----------|
| HMDB0008942 | C38:2 PE             | Glycerophospholipids                | -0.18 | 6.2E-48  | -0.19 | 1.9E-35 | -0.17 | 2.4E-40  | -0.20 | 1.8E-39  |
| HMDB0008993 | C36:1 PE             | Glycerophospholipids                | 0.18  | 3.9E-46  |       |         | 0.19  | 4.0E-52  |       |          |
| HMDB0008994 | C36:2 PE             | Glycerophospholipids                | 0.16  | 8.7E-38  |       |         | 0.18  | 4.5E-47  |       |          |
| HMDB0009003 | C38:4 PE             | Glycerophospholipids                | 0.19  | 1.0E-55  | 0.15  | 4.3E-24 | 0.19  | 9.9E-54  | 0.18  | 3.1E-32  |
| HMDB0009016 | C36:1 PE plasmalogen | Glycerophospholipids                | -0.26 | 3.7E-101 | -0.22 | 1.6E-47 | -0.26 | 6.5E-102 | -0.25 | 1.8E-59  |
| HMDB0011520 | C22:0 LPE            | Glycerophospholipids                | -0.29 | 3.3E-124 | -0.23 | 2.2E-52 | -0.29 | 5.6E-127 | -0.27 | 5.8E-74  |
| HMDB0007883 | C34:4 PC             | Glycerophospholipids                | 0.19  | 5.4E-51  |       |         | 0.20  | 4.1E-58  | 0.15  | 9.4E-23  |
| HMDB0010391 | C20:1 LPC            | Glycerophospholipids                | -0.22 | 3.8E-70  | -0.18 | 1.1E-32 | -0.20 | 3.6E-56  | -0.20 | 8.8E-38  |
| HMDB0011210 | C34:2 PC plasmalogen | Glycerophospholipids                | -0.29 | 1.7E-121 | -0.28 | 3.7E-77 | -0.31 | 1.8E-145 | -0.28 | 1.1E-78  |
| HMDB0011244 | C36:3 PC plasmalogen | Glycerophospholipids                | -0.29 | 1.7E-127 | -0.28 | 2.5E-78 | -0.28 | 1.7E-113 | -0.30 | 4.4E-91  |
| HMDB0000289 | urate                | Imidazopyrimidines                  | 0.38  | 4.8E-215 | 0.29  | 7.0E-84 | 0.34  | 1.7E-174 | 0.34  | 8.8E-115 |
| HMDB0000875 | trigonelline         | NA                                  |       |          |       |         | -0.15 | 5.0E-35  |       |          |
| HMDB0000767 | pseudouridine        | Nucleoside and nucleotide analogues | 0.21  | 3.4E-68  | 0.20  | 3.8E-39 | 0.17  | 3.9E-44  | 0.23  | 1.1E-49  |
| HMDB0000062 | carnitine            | Organonitrogen compounds            | 0.16  | 5.2E-38  |       |         |       |          | 0.16  | 1.7E-26  |

Table 2.2 (continued). Metabolites identified as significantly associated with adiposity measure

|             |                          |                                  |       |          |       |         |       |          |       |          |
|-------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|----------|-------|---------|-------|----------|-------|----------|
| HMDB0001563 | 1-methyl-guanosine       | Purine nucleosides               | 0.21  | 4.3E-64  | 0.17  | 2.7E-29 | 0.20  | 1.6E-55  | 0.20  | 6.8E-41  |
| HMDB0004824 | N2,N2-dimethyl-guanosine | Purine nucleosides               | 0.26  | 1.0E-99  | 0.24  | 4.1E-56 | 0.23  | 1.9E-75  | 0.26  | 2.0E-67  |
| HMDB0001431 | pyridoxamine             | Pyridines and derivatives        | 0.19  | 6.2E-56  |       |         | 0.20  | 1.5E-60  | 0.18  | 3.3E-31  |
| HMDB0005923 | N4-acetylcytidine        | Pyrimidine nucleosides           | 0.26  | 3.4E-101 | 0.22  | 1.0E-50 | 0.21  | 6.5E-62  | 0.26  | 1.1E-65  |
| HMDB0004949 | C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)   | Sphingolipids                    | 0.16  | 1.1E-38  |       |         |       |          |       |          |
| HMDB0004952 | C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)   | Sphingolipids                    | 0.24  | 3.1E-85  | 0.18  | 5.0E-34 | 0.26  | 9.3E-99  | 0.19  | 1.1E-36  |
| HMDB0004956 | C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1)   | Sphingolipids                    |       |          |       |         | 0.16  | 3.3E-38  |       |          |
| HMDB0012097 | C14:0 SM                 | Sphingolipids                    | 0.16  | 5.3E-36  |       |         |       |          |       |          |
| HMDB0000067 | cholesterol              | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.18  | 4.8E-46  |       |         | 0.17  | 1.1E-42  |       |          |
| HMDB0000610 | C18:2 CE                 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.33 | 2.3E-168 | -0.29 | 1.2E-85 | -0.34 | 5.6E-168 | -0.32 | 8.4E-103 |
| HMDB0000885 | C16:0 CE                 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.31 | 3.4E-139 | -0.26 | 3.7E-67 | -0.31 | 2.3E-145 | -0.27 | 8.6E-74  |
| HMDB0000918 | C18:1 CE                 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.32 | 1.4E-149 | -0.28 | 1.1E-81 | -0.32 | 4.8E-155 | -0.30 | 1.2E-91  |

Table 2.2 (continued). Metabolites identified as significantly associated with adiposity measure

|             |          |                                  |       |          |       |         |       |          |       |         |
|-------------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|----------|-------|---------|-------|----------|-------|---------|
| HMDB0006725 | C14:0 CE | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.18 | 3.3E-48  | -0.18 | 2.3E-33 | -0.20 | 7.6E-59  | -0.18 | 2.2E-31 |
| HMDB0006726 | C20:4 CE | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.22 | 1.7E-69  | -0.19 | 7.4E-37 | -0.24 | 9.8E-84  | -0.20 | 2.1E-38 |
| HMDB0006731 | C20:5 CE | Steroids and steroid derivatives |       |          |       |         | -0.18 | 2.1E-47  |       |         |
| HMDB0006733 | C22:6 CE | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.31 | 2.5E-139 | -0.25 | 9.4E-62 | -0.31 | 1.3E-145 | -0.27 | 5.7E-73 |
| HMDB0010370 | C18:3 CE | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.19 | 1.3E-51  | -0.19 | 7.4E-35 | -0.20 | 7.9E-60  | -0.19 | 6.8E-36 |
| HMDB0010375 | C22:5 CE | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.31 | 2.2E-141 | -0.25 | 8.6E-62 | -0.33 | 2.1E-163 | -0.28 | 2.2E-79 |

\*Spearman correlation adjusted for age at blood draw and case-control status. Sorted by absolute value of correlation. Bolded items were selected in LASSO model.

^FDR adjusted p value

LASSO selection of these significantly correlated metabolites resulted in 75 metabolites for BMI, 52 for waist circumference, 81 for fat mass, and 91 for weight change (**Table 2.3**). Variability in adiposity measures explained by metabolite scores was generally high, as evidenced by  $R^2$  values from each equation: BMI=0.50; weight change=0.42; fat mass=0.45; waist circumference=0.32. The majority of selected metabolites were lipids.

Metabolites with large coefficients for a one-SD change in BMI included the glycerophosphocholines C38:3 PC and C18:1 LPC, and diacylglycerol C36:2 DAG (Table 2.3). The top five metabolites influencing weight change included glycerophosphocholine C38:3 PC, cholesterol esters C20:4 CE, C14:0 CE, and C22:5 CE, and triacylglycerol C56:3 TAG. Top metabolites selected for waist circumference were cholesterol ester C20:4 CE, triacylglycerol C52:1 TAG, glycerophospholipid C36:3 PC plasmalogen, glycerophosphoethanolamine C38:2 PE, and diacylglycerol C34:3 DAG. Fat mass metabolomic score creation relied on heavily on glycerphosphocholines C38:3 PC, C22:6 LPC, and C18:1 LPC, glycerophospholipid C36:3 plasmalogen, and cholesterol ester C20:5 CE. Glycerophosphocholine C38:3 PC and cholesterol ester C20:4 CE were strongly predictive of waist circumference, weight change, fat mass, and BMI.

#### *Sensitivity analyses – selection of metabolites in different populations*

Metabolites identified as well-correlated with adiposity measures ( $r \geq |0.15|$ ) were very similar when examining only the controls compared to all participants. For BMI, all metabolites with correlations  $\geq |0.15|$  in the full participant group also had correlations  $\geq |0.15|$  among controls only. Ten unique metabolites had correlations  $\geq |0.15|$  when examining controls-only ( $r = |0.15-0.17|$ ); the correlation coefficients were not materially different when examining contributions for the full participant dataset ( $r$  in full group ranged from 0.12- $<0.15$ ). In addition, metabolomic scores in controls only v. cases and controls were strongly correlated, with Pearson correlations  $\geq 0.94$  for BMI, weight change, waist circumference, and fat mass.

**Table 2.3.** Coefficients for probit-transformed metabolites in predictive models for each adiposity measure, for 1-SD increase in adiposity measure.\*

| HMDB ID     | Metabolite Name      | Class                               | Coefficients                  |  |  |                                    |
|-------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|------------------------------------|
|             |                      |                                     | BMI<br>(R <sup>2</sup> =0.50) | Waist<br>Circumference<br>(R <sup>2</sup> =0.32) | Weight<br>change<br>(R <sup>2</sup> =0.42) | Fat Mass<br>(R <sup>2</sup> =0.45) |
| (Intercept) |                      |                                     |                               | 6.137  | 1.015                                      | 3.074                              |
| HMDB0000714 | hippurate            | Benzene and substituted derivatives |                               |  | -0.041                                     |                                    |
| HMDB0000064 | creatine             | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    |                               |  | 0.014                                      |                                    |
| HMDB0000123 | glycine              | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | -0.019                        | -0.03  | -0.053                                     | -0.036                             |
| HMDB0000128 | guanidinoacetic acid | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | -0.058                        | -0.07  | -0.048                                     | -0.051                             |
| HMDB0000158 | tyrosine             | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.078                         | 0.113  | 0.072                                      | 0.1                                |
| HMDB0000159 | phenylalanine        | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | -0.007                        | -0.024   | -0.001                                     | 0.018                              |
| HMDB0000161 | alanine              | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.014                         |  | 0.008                                      | 0.005                              |
| HMDB0000162 | proline              | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.032                         | 0.05   | 0.056                                      | 0.04                               |
| HMDB0000172 | isoleucine           | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | 0.01                          |  | 0.037                                      | -0.004                             |
| HMDB0000182 | lysine               | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | -0.082                        |  | -0.043                                     | -0.093                             |
| HMDB0000687 | leucine              | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | -0.132                        | -0.08  | -0.127                                     | -0.129                             |

Table 2.3 (continued). Coefficients for probit-transformed metabolites in predictive models for each adiposity measure

|             |                 |                                  |        |        |        |        |
|-------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| HMDB0000883 | valine          | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.153  | 0.089  | 0.122  | 0.178  |
| HMDB0029416 | NMMA            | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.044  |        | 0.04   | 0.048  |
| HMDB0007132 | C34:3 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      |        | 0.151  |        |        |
| HMDB0007248 | C36:4 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      |        | 0.003  |        |        |
| HMDB0013127 | C4-OH carnitine | Fatty Acyls                      |        | 0.08   |        |        |
| HMDB0000201 | C2 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      | -0.099 |        |        |        |
| HMDB0000688 | C5 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.002  |        | 0.049  | 0      |
| HMDB0000705 | C6 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      |        |        | 0.002  |        |
| HMDB0000824 | C3 carnitine    | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.014  |        | -0.045 | -0.016 |
| HMDB0007103 | C34:2 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      |        |        |        | -0.053 |
| HMDB0007132 | C34:3 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.076  |        | 0.136  | 0.158  |
| HMDB0007219 | C36:3 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      |        |        |        | 0.324  |
| HMDB0007248 | C36:4 DAG       | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.13   |        | 0.184  | 0.099  |
| HMDB0013127 | C4-OH carnitine | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.169  |        | 0.085  | 0.093  |
| HMDB0005356 | C48:0 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.03   |        | 0.070  | 0.015  |
| HMDB0005357 | C50:0 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | -0.042 | -0.027 | -0.168 | -0.109 |
| HMDB0005359 | C48:1 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    |        |        | -0.185 | -0.192 |
| HMDB0005360 | C50:1 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.126  |        | 0.171  | 0.092  |
| HMDB0005362 | C51:2 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.072  | 0      | 0.013  | 0.124  |
| HMDB0005363 | C52:4 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | -0.073 | 0.054  | -0.054 | -0.207 |
| HMDB0005367 | C52:1 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    |        | 0.198  | 0.084  | 0.172  |
| HMDB0005369 | C52:2 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | -0.005 |        | -0.01  | 0.050  |
| HMDB0005376 | C48:2 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | -0.069 |        | -0.088 |        |
| HMDB0005377 | C50:2 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    |        |        | 0.004  | 0.006  |
| HMDB0005385 | C54:5 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.049  | 0.005  | 0.062  | 0.067  |
| HMDB0005403 | C54:2 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.109  |        | 0.143  | 0.073  |
| HMDB0005410 | C56:3 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | -0.167 |        | -0.184 | -0.105 |
| HMDB0005432 | C48:3 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    |        |        | -0.040 |        |
| HMDB0005433 | C50:3 TAG       | Glycerolipids                    | 0.074  |        | 0.129  | 0.102  |

Table 2.3 (continued). Coefficients for probit-transformed metabolites in predictive models for each adiposity measure

|             |           |                      |        |        |        |        |
|-------------|-----------|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| HMDB0005436 | C52:6 TAG | Glycerolipids        | -0.07  | -0.001 | -0.123 | -0.162 |
| HMDB0007098 | C32:0 DAG | Glycerolipids        | -0.111 | -0.033 | -0.179 |        |
| HMDB0007099 | C32:1 DAG | Glycerolipids        | -0.086 | -0.067 | -0.051 | -0.131 |
| HMDB0007100 | C34:0 DAG | Glycerolipids        | -0.057 | -0.063 |        | -0.135 |
| HMDB0007102 | C34:1 DAG | Glycerolipids        | 0.067  |        | 0.125  |        |
| HMDB0007199 | C38:5 DAG | Glycerolipids        | 0.014  | -0.084 | -0.012 | -0.054 |
| HMDB0007216 | C36:1 DAG | Glycerolipids        | 0.086  |        |        | 0.159  |
| HMDB0007218 | C36:2 DAG | Glycerolipids        | -0.089 |        | -0.215 | -0.373 |
| HMDB0010411 | C46:0 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | 0.05   | 0.102  |
| HMDB0010412 | C46:1 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | 0.03   |        |
| HMDB0010419 | C46:2 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | 0.09   |        |
| HMDB0011706 | C49:2 TAG | Glycerolipids        | -0.027 |        |        |        |
| HMDB0010471 | C50:5 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        | -0.007 |        | -0.037 |
| HMDB0010497 | C50:6 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        | -0.017 | 0.011  | -0.02  |
| HMDB0011701 | C51:3 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | -0.015 |        |
| HMDB0042076 | C47:2 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        | -0.011 |        | 0.117  |
| HMDB0042103 | C49:3 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        | -0.001 |        |        |
| HMDB0031106 | C51:0 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | -0.005 |        |
| HMDB0042076 | C47:2 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | -0.072 |        |
| HMDB0011701 | C51:3 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        |        | 0.079  |
| HMDB0011706 | C49:2 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        |        | -0.16  |
| HMDB0031106 | C51:0 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        |        | 0.03   |
| HMDB0042103 | C49:3 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | 0.134  | 0.004  |
| HMDB0042104 | C51:1 TAG | Glycerolipids        | 0.016  | 0.019  | 0.089  | 0.086  |
| HMDB0042196 | C53:2 TAG | Glycerolipids        | 0.078  | 0.085  | -0.046 | 0.053  |
| HMDB0042226 | C55:2 TAG | Glycerolipids        |        |        | 0.022  |        |
| HMDB0002815 | C18:1 LPC | Glycerophospholipids | 0.175  | -0.035 | 0.195  | 0.228  |
| HMDB0007870 | C30:1 PC  | Glycerophospholipids | 0.004  | 0.047  | -0.042 |        |



Table 2.3 (continued). Coefficients for probit-transformed metabolites in predictive models for each adiposity measure

|             |                         |                      |        |        |        |        |
|-------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| HMDB0007873 | C32:1 PC                | Glycerophospholipids | 0.015  |        | 0.065  | 0.069  |
| HMDB0007874 | C32:2 PC                | Glycerophospholipids |        |        | 0.029  |        |
| HMDB0007883 | C34:4 PC                | Glycerophospholipids | -0.047 |        |        | -0.005 |
| HMDB0008047 | C38:3 PC                | Glycerophospholipids | 0.269  | 0.151  | 0.23   | 0.369  |
| HMDB0008138 | C36:4 PC-B              | Glycerophospholipids | -0.071 |        | -0.085 | -0.112 |
| HMDB0008942 | C38:2 PE                | Glycerophospholipids | -0.181 | -0.161 | -0.088 | -0.145 |
| HMDB0009003 | C38:4 PE                | Glycerophospholipids |        | -0.039 |        | -0.093 |
| HMDB0008993 | C36:1 PE                | Glycerophospholipids | 0      | 0.13   | 0.037  |        |
| HMDB0009003 | C38:4 PE                | Glycerophospholipids | -0.111 |        | -0.113 |        |
| HMDB0009016 | C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen | Glycerophospholipids | 0.065  |        | 0.108  | 0.127  |
| HMDB0010386 | C18:2 LPC               | Glycerophospholipids | -0.089 | -0.064 | -0.256 | -0.092 |
| HMDB0010391 | C20:1 LPC               | Glycerophospholipids | -0.059 | -0.05  | 0.007  | -0.055 |
| HMDB0010397 | C20:5 LPC               | Glycerophospholipids | 0.007  |        | 0.137  | 0.048  |
| HMDB0010404 | C22:6 LPC               | Glycerophospholipids | -0.109 |        | -0.081 | -0.175 |
| HMDB0011208 | C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen | Glycerophospholipids | -0.026 | -0.041 |        | -0.052 |
| HMDB0011210 | C34:2 PC<br>plasmalogen | Glycerophospholipids |        | -0.068 | -0.038 | 0.052  |
| HMDB0011211 | C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen | Glycerophospholipids | 0.151  | 0.114  | 0.081  | 0.178  |

Table 2.3 (continued). Coefficients for probit-transformed metabolites in predictive models for each adiposity measure

|             |                             |  |        |        |        |        |
|-------------|-----------------------------|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| HMDB0011239 | C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B   | Glycerophospholipids                   | -0.078 |        | -0.110 | -0.036 |
| HMDB0011243 | C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen     | Glycerophospholipids                   |        |        | -0.004 | 0.006  |
| HMDB0011244 | C36:3 PC<br>plasmalogen     | Glycerophospholipids                   | -0.197 | -0.17  | -0.046 | -0.309 |
| HMDB0011310 | C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen     | Glycerophospholipids                   |        | 0.014  | -0.049 | 0      |
| HMDB0011520 | C22:0 LPE                   | Glycerophospholipids                   | -0.127 | -0.045 | -0.167 | -0.163 |
| HMDB0000289 | urate                       | Imidazopyrimidines                     | 0.093  | 0.064  | 0.083  | 0.07   |
| HMDB0000875 | trigonelline                | NA                                     |        |        | -0.014 |        |
| HMDB0000767 | pseudouridine               | Nucleoside and nucleotide<br>analogues | -0.053 | -0.03  | -0.049 | -0.064 |
| HMDB0000062 | carnitine                   | Organonitrogen compounds               | 0.021  |        |        |        |
| HMDB0001563 | 1-<br>methylguanosine       | Purine nucleosides                     | 0.01   | -0.001 | 0.016  |        |
| HMDB0004824 | N2,N2-<br>dimethylguanosine | Purine nucleosides                     | 0.098  | 0.093  | 0.06   | 0.101  |
| HMDB0001431 | pyridoxamine                | Pyridines and derivatives              | 0.027  |        | 0.006  | 0.036  |
| HMDB0005923 | N4-acetylcytidine           | Pyrimidine nucleosides                 | 0.054  | 0.057  | 0.023  | 0.083  |
| HMDB0004952 | C22:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1)   | Sphingolipids                          |        | 0.089  | 0.135  | 0.041  |
| HMDB0004956 | C24:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1)   | Sphingolipids                          |        |        | -0.086 |        |
| HMDB0004949 | C16:0 Ceramide<br>(d18:1)   | Sphingolipids                          | -0.002 |        |        |        |

Table 2.3 (continued). Coefficients for probit-transformed metabolites in predictive models for each adiposity measure

|             |             |                                  |        |        |        |        |
|-------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| HMDB0012097 | C14:0 SM    | Sphingolipids                    | 0.248  |        |        |        |
| HMDB0000067 | cholesterol | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.047  |        | 0.158  |        |
| HMDB0000610 | C18:2 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.056  | 0.029  | 0.027  | 0.037  |
| HMDB0000885 | C16:0 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.006 |        | -0.031 | 0      |
| HMDB0000918 | C18:1 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.009 |        | -0.033 | -0.02  |
| HMDB0006725 | C14:0 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.202 | -0.102 | -0.139 | -0.134 |
| HMDB0006726 | C20:4 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.161  | 0.209  | 0.234  | 0.278  |
| HMDB0006731 | C20:5 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives |        |        | 0.148  |        |
| HMDB0006733 | C22:6 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.008 | -0.057 | -0.042 | 0.038  |
| HMDB0010370 | C18:3 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives |        | -0.001 | -0.027 | -0.039 |
| HMDB0010375 | C22:5 CE    | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.117 | -0.082 | -0.159 | -0.126 |

\*Metabolites were selected via LASSO regression. Sorted by absolute value of coefficient.

Some minor differences were noted in metabolite correlations when examining premenopausal and postmenopausal women separately (**Supplemental Table 2.1**). Among premenopausal participants, 113 metabolites were correlated with BMI ( $r > |0.15|$ ); among postmenopausal participants, 87 metabolites were correlated with BMI. However, 80 metabolites overlapped between both groups, and had similar correlation strengths with BMI, with the average difference in correlations between pre- and postmenopausal groups equal to 0.05 (range for difference=0.003-0.14) for overlapping metabolites. The direction of correlation between each metabolite and BMI was the same among premenopausal and postmenopausal women, with one exception (sphingolipid C22:1 SM (HMDB0012104)  $r=0.22$  for premenopausal women,  $r=-0.02$  for postmenopausal women).

For those metabolites with strong correlations with BMI in premenopausal women, but not in postmenopausal women, the absolute value of the difference between correlations ranged from 0.03-0.24. Those with the largest differences in BMI correlations between groups ( $>0.15$ ) included sphingolipids C22:1 SM (difference=0.24) and C14:0 SM (difference=0.23), as well as several glycerophospholipids. For metabolites strongly correlated with BMI in postmenopausal women but not in premenopausal women, the absolute value of the difference between correlations was smaller (range=0.05-0.18). Metabolites with differences above 0.15 in correlation coefficients were all glycerophospholipids: C38:6 PC, and C40:10 PC. Despite these noted differences, the impact of these uniquely selected metabolites to the prediction of BMI was minimal. For example, with respect to BMI, the correlations with derived scores separately by menopausal status vs. all women combined were 0.96 for premenopausal and 0.94 for postmenopausal women.

#### *Sensitivity analysis – Including metabolites with high CVs*

Several metabolites with high CVs ( $\geq 25\%$ ) were identified as being correlated with adiposity scores, though these metabolites were highly correlated with metabolites identified in the original set with low CVs. For example, C54:1 TAG and C52:0 TAG correlated with BMI ( $r=0.27$  &  $r=0.25$ ); these metabolites are highly correlated with TAGs with few double bonds, several of which were identified in the original correlation analysis. The metabolomic score derived using the larger set of metabolites, including those with CVs  $\geq 25\%$ , was strongly correlated with the score created when excluding these

metabolites (e.g.: for BMI,  $r=0.86$ ). Due to the similar nature of findings, all analyses reported exclude metabolites with high CVs.

#### *Sensitivity analysis – Comparing selection algorithms*

The correlation between the LASSO regression metabolomic score and the ridge regression metabolomic score for BMI was  $>0.99$ . Because of this, we determined that either regression technique would produce a similar finding with respect to the metabolomic score.

We performed stepwise selection to obtain metabolomic scores for adiposity measures as well. Stepwise selection resulted in a model with fewer metabolites selected for each adiposity measure (e.g.: for BMI, stepwise selection chose 49 metabolites as opposed to LASSO's 75) (**Supplemental Table 2.2**). Only one metabolite (C48:1 TAG) was selected in stepwise but not selected in LASSO. Further, the correlation between metabolomic score for BMI using stepwise regression vs. LASSO was  $>0.99$ . Overall, results did not alter based on the selection algorithm used to produce the metabolomic score. Here we present results given for the LASSO-derived models.

### **Association of metabolomic scores with breast cancer risk**

#### *Premenopausal women*

Quartile cutpoints were defined in the overall population and are given in **Supplemental Table 2.3**. Among women premenopausal at blood draw (N cases for BMI=820, waist circumference=504, weight change=817, FM=494), self-reported adiposity measures were generally inversely, though non-significantly, associated with breast cancer risk. For example, comparing quartile 4 with quartile 1, the BMI OR=0.94 (95% CI=0.67-1.33), and weight change OR=0.87 (95% CI=0.64-1.18). Metabolomic scores for each adiposity measure were more strongly inversely associated with breast cancer risk compared to self-reported measures (**Table 2.4**). A significant inverse association was observed with increasing metabolomic weight change score (OR Q4 v. Q1=0.72, 95% CI=0.53-0.96,  $p$ -trend=0.05). Metabolomic scores for BMI and fat mass were also inversely associated with risk, though with non-significant trends. The inverse trends remained for ER+ breast cancers, though no significant trends were noted for ER- breast cancer (**Supplemental Table 2.4a & 2.4b**).

**Table 2.4.** Association between true and metabolomic-predicted adiposity scores & breast cancer incidence for women premenopausal at blood draw.†

| <b>Premenopausal at blood draw</b>                    |                  |             |                  |                     |                  |                      |                  |                      |                      |
|---|------------------|-------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Adiposity Measures                                    | Quartile 1*      |             | Quartile 2*      |                     | Quartile 3*      |                      | Quartile 4*      |                      |                      |
| <b>Self-reported</b>                                  | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)         | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)          | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)          | p-trend <sup>^</sup> |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                              | 268/262          | 1.0 (ref)   | 226/195          | 1.19<br>(0.92-1.56) | 176/175          | 1.08<br>(0.81- 1.44) | 150/181          | 0.94<br>(0.67- 1.33) | 0.60                 |
| Waist circumference (cm)                              | 132/140          | 1.0 (ref)   | 183/152          | 1.28<br>(0.92-1.78) | 110/120          | 0.94<br>(0.65- 1.37) | 79/82            | 1.03<br>(0.66- 1.61) | 0.78                 |
| Weight change (kg)                                    | 219/210          | 1.0 (ref)   | 251/253          | 0.91<br>(0.69-1.18) | 192/185          | 0.95<br>(0.71- 1.27) | 155/168          | 0.87<br>(0.64- 1.18) | 0.46                 |
| Fat mass  | 174/171          | 1.0 (ref)   | 142/108          | 1.31<br>(0.94-1.84) | 82/102           | 0.79<br>(0.53- 1.15) | 96/99            | 0.96<br>(0.63- 1.46) | 0.38                 |
| <b>Metabolomic score</b>                              |                  |             |                  |                     |                  |                      |                  |                      |                      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                              | 262/225          | 1.0 (ref)   | 217/212          | 0.86<br>(0.66-1.12) | 174/188          | 0.83<br>(0.63-1.10)  | 167/188          | 0.80<br>(0.59-1.08)  | 0.13                 |
| Waist circumference (cm)                              | 143/135          | 1.0 (ref)   | 148/127          | 1.08<br>(0.77-1.53) | 107/124          | 0.80<br>(0.56-1.14)  | 106/108          | 0.95<br>(0.65- 1.39) | 0.47                 |
| Weight change (kg)                                    | 258/216          | 1.0 (ref)   | 213/221          | 0.80<br>(0.62-1.05) | 185/184          | 0.86<br>(0.65- 1.14) | 161/195          | 0.72<br>(0.53- 0.96) | 0.05                 |
| Fat mass  | 149/125          | 1.0 (ref)   | 137/130          | 0.9<br>(0.63- 1.27) | 103/118          | 0.74<br>(0.51-1.06)  | 105/107          | 0.84<br>(0.58 -1.23) | 0.24                 |
| <b>Premenopausal at blood draw &amp; at diagnosis</b> |                  |             |                  |                     |                  |                      |                  |                      |                      |
| Adiposity Measures                                    | Quartile 1*      |             | Quartile 2*      |                     | Quartile 3*      |                      | Quartile 4*      |                      |                      |
| <b>Self-reported</b>                                  | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)         | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)          | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)          | p-trend <sup>^</sup> |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                              | 156/148          | 1.0 (ref)   | 120/109          | 1.04<br>(0.73-1.49) | 95/93            | 0.96<br>(0.65-1.42)  | 70/91            | 0.67<br>(0.41-1.08)  | 0.1                  |

Table 2.4 (continued). Association between true and metabolomic-predicted adiposity scores & breast cancer, premenopausal at blood draw

|                          |         |           |         |                      |         |                      |       |                      |      |
|--------------------------|---------|-----------|---------|----------------------|---------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|------|
| Waist circumference (cm) | 77/78   | 1.0 (ref) | 100/74  | 1.32<br>(0.84-2.08)  | 61/61   | 0.92<br>(0.56- 1.51) | 38/45 | 0.74<br>(0.40-1.35)  | 0.2  |
| Weight change (kg)       | 125/122 | 1.0 (ref) | 141/140 | 0.94<br>(0.66-1.34)  | 101/96  | 0.99<br>(0.67- 1.46) | 71/82 | 0.77<br>(0.51-1.18)  | 0.28 |
| Fat mass                 | 110/85  | 1.0 (ref) | 70/59   | 0.85<br>(0.53-1.34)  | 44/50   | 0.57<br>(0.33- 0.97) | 46/54 | 0.53<br>(0.30- 0.94) | 0.05 |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b> |         |           |         |                      |         |                      |       |                      |      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 147/134 | 1.0 (ref) | 114/116 | 0.87<br>(0.61- 1.24) | 100/100 | 0.91<br>(0.63-1.33)  | 80/91 | 0.78<br>(0.52-1.17)  | 0.28 |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 83/78   | 1.0 (ref) | 87/69   | 1.08<br>(0.69-1.71)  | 59/54   | 0.95<br>(0.58-1.56)  | 47/57 | 0.72<br>(0.42-1.20)  | 0.2  |
| Weight change (kg)       | 147/126 | 1.0 (ref) | 115/131 | 0.76<br>(0.53-1.07)  | 98/89   | 0.95<br>(0.65-1.40)  | 78/94 | 0.70<br>(0.46-1.04)  | 0.17 |
| Fat mass                 | 82/74   | 1.0 (ref) | 81/64   | 1.11<br>(0.70-1.77)  | 58/57   | 0.87<br>(0.53-1.42)  | 49/53 | 0.80<br>(0.47-1.36)  | 0.31 |

† Multivariable logistic regression models adjusted for: age at menarche, age at first birth and parity combined, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, BMI at age 18 (kg/m<sup>2</sup>), hormone use at blood draw (any v. none), alcohol use (g/day) at blood draw, and activity level (MET-hrs/week) at blood draw

\*Quartile values were determined from the full cohort (pre-and postmenopausal at blood draw) for each measure. See Supplemental Table 3 for values.

^ p-trend calculated using median of quartiles (defined by the overall cohort)

Associations were more strongly inverse for all adiposity measures, both self-reported and metabolomic, when considering women who were premenopausal at diagnosis (Table 2.4). Trends for this group were not significant, apart from derived fat mass (p-trend=0.05). Associations were more strongly inverse for metabolomic weight change score (Q4 vs. Q1 OR=0.70, 95% CI=0.46-1.04) compared with the self-reported weight change (OR=0.77, 95% CI=0.51-1.18). This pattern was also observed in ER+ breast cancers, though associations were not significant (Supplemental Table 4a).

Among women premenopausal at blood draw but postmenopausal at diagnosis (N cases BMI=287), there were no significant associations with breast cancer, though ORs tended to be >1 for self-reported adiposity and <1 for metabolomic scores, with the exception of self-reported weight change and waist circumference metabolomic score (**Supplemental Table 2.5**).

#### *Postmenopausal women*

For women postmenopausal at blood draw, higher self-reported adiposity measures were associated with increased breast cancer risk (**Table 2.5**). In particular, self-reported BMI was associated with significantly increased breast cancer risk (Q4 v. Q1 OR=1.34, 95% CI=0.95-1.89, p-trend=0.01), as was self-reported weight change (OR=1.47, 95% CI=1.05-2.05, p-trend=0.03). All metabolomic scores for adiposity were positively associated with breast cancer risk, with significant trends observed for waist circumference (OR=1.55, 95% CI=1.08-2.22, p-trend=0.01), weight change (OR=1.37, 95% CI=0.99-1.90, p-trend=0.04), and fat mass (OR=1.57, 95% CI=1.09-2.28, p-trend=0.01). Metabolomic scores for BMI, waist circumference and fat mass had stronger positive associations with breast cancer than self-reported measures. Similarly, among ER+ cases, all metabolomic measures were more strongly associated with breast cancer than self-reported measures. ORs comparing tertiles of metabolomic scores for adiposity and risk of ER- breast cancer were mostly less than 1, but no trends were apparent (Supplemental Table 2.4b).



**Table 2.5.** Association between true and metabolomic-predicted adiposity scores & breast cancer incidence for women postmenopausal at blood draw and diagnosis.†

| Adiposity Measures       | Quartile 1*      |             | Quartile 2*      |                     | Quartile 3*      |                      | Quartile 4*      |                      | p-trend^ |
|--------------------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|----------|
|                          | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)         | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)          | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)          |          |
| <b>Self-reported</b>     |                  |             |                  |                     |                  |                      |                  |                      |          |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 118/119          | 1.0 (ref)   | 154/181          | 0.84<br>(0.60-1.19) | 196/205          | 1.02<br>(0.73- 1.43) | 219/200          | 1.34<br>(0.95-1.89)  | 0.01     |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 41/49            | 1.0 (ref)   | 119/104          | 1.42<br>(0.86-2.37) | 142/165          | 1.07<br>(0.65- 1.75) | 226/228          | 1.34<br>(0.83-2.18)  | 0.44     |
| Weight change (kg)       | 109/142          | 1.0 (ref)   | 148/147          | 1.20<br>(0.85-1.71) | 184/197          | 1.13<br>(0.81- 1.59) | 223/189          | 1.47<br>(1.05- 2.05) | 0.03     |
| Fat mass                 | 78/78            | 1.0 (ref)   | 110/138          | 0.77<br>(0.51-1.16) | 148/169          | 0.85<br>(0.57- 1.27) | 162/146          | 1.28<br>(0.85- 1.93) | 0.66     |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b> |                  |             |                  |                     |                  |                      |                  |                      |          |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 130/158          | 1.0 (ref)   | 159/168          | 1.17<br>(0.85-1.62) | 203/197          | 1.31<br>(0.96-1.79)  | 195/182          | 1.42<br>(1.03- 1.97) | 0.03     |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 111/136          | 1.0 (ref)   | 116/130          | 1.11<br>(0.77-1.60) | 138/143          | 1.25<br>(0.88-1.79)  | 163/137          | 1.55<br>(1.08- 2.22) | 0.01     |
| Weight change (kg)       | 129/156          | 1.0 (ref)   | 152/167          | 1.08<br>(0.78-1.50) | 193/177          | 1.36<br>(0.99-1.87)  | 190/175          | 1.37<br>(0.99-1.90)  | 0.03     |
| Fat mass                 | 99/128           | 1.0 (ref)   | 111/130          | 1.13<br>(0.78-1.65) | 137/138          | 1.32<br>(0.92-1.91)  | 151/135          | 1.57<br>(1.09-2.28)  | 0.01     |

† Multivariable logistic regression models adjusted for: age at menarche, age at first birth and parity combined, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, BMI at age 18 (kg/m<sup>2</sup>), hormone use at blood draw (any v. none), alcohol use (g/day) at blood draw, and activity level (MET-hrs/week) at blood draw

\*Quartile values were determined from the full cohort (pre-and postmenopausal at blood draw) for each measure. See Supplemental Table 3 for values.

^ p-trend calculated using median of quartiles (defined by the overall cohort)

### *Cross-classified self-reported values & metabolomic scores*

We examined the association with breast cancer with cross-classified self-reported and metabolomic scores adiposity measures (**Supplemental Table 2.6**). Compared to individuals with self-reported and metabolomic scores both below the median value, postmenopausal women with high metabolomic scores but low self-reported measures for weight change had a 42% increased risk of breast cancer (OR=1.42, 95% CI=0.97-2.08), which was similar to women who had concordant high self-reported and metabolomic scores (OR=1.35, 95% CI=1.03-1.77). However, this result was not consistent across adiposity measures. In contrast, among premenopausal women discordant for self-reported and metabolomic scores, there were no consistent associations with breast cancer for any of the adiposity measures. Premenopausal women above the median in both measures had suggestively lower risk of breast cancer, which was significant for fat mass for women premenopausal at diagnosis (OR=0.59, 95% CI=0.38-0.93)).

## DISCUSSION

We generated metabolomic scores for adiposity measures including BMI, waist circumference, weight change since age 18, and fat mass, to gain insight into the relationship between adiposity and pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer. With a panel of nearly 250 metabolites, representing lipids and amino acids and derivatives, we identified many metabolites associated with adiposity measures. Metabolomic scores for BMI, waist circumference, weight change, and fat mass were generally associated with lower risk of breast cancer among premenopausal women, and higher risk among postmenopausal women. Classes of metabolites positively associated with adiposity included branched chain amino acids (BCAAs), TAGs and DAGs with a low number of double bonds, and glycerophosphocholines. The individual metabolites selected for adiposity scores are reflective of metabolic dysregulation, providing insights into the complex relations between adiposity and breast cancer risk among premenopausal and postmenopausal women.

A large proportion of the 248 metabolites measured were significantly associated with adiposity measures. It is notable that the composition of metabolites for each metabolomic score was largely

overlapping. This provides evidence that self-reported measures we typically use, whether it be BMI, waist circumference, fat mass, or weight change, are similar in their underlying biology with respect to metabolomics. Most metabolites included in the metabolomic score for each adiposity measure did not have a strong individual influence on adiposity, but together, models derived from these measures explained as much as 50% of the variation in each adiposity measure.

One metabolite group with particularly strong positive associations with adiposity measures was branched-chain amino acids (BCAAs), which have been associated with BMI in prior literature,<sup>19,26</sup> A study within the Prostate, Lung, Colorectal, and Ovarian Cancer Screening Cohort (PLCO), the Navy Adenoma Study, and the Shanghai Physical Activity study, that assessed pre-diagnostic serum metabolites, also found significant positive associations between valine and isoleucine and BMI.<sup>18</sup> It is worth noting that we observed potential interactions among adiposity-related metabolites, as reflected by the positive weighting of valine and isoleucine, but inverse weighting of leucine, in LASSO regressions, even though each BCAA was individually positively correlated with adiposity measures. The relationship between BCAAs and adiposity may be driven in part through insulin resistance, a key marker of metabolic dysregulation.<sup>27,28</sup>

Lipids, including triacylglycerols (TAGs) and diacylglycerols (DAGs) with low numbers of double bonds were strongly associated with adiposity measures. Our finding of TAGs and DAGs as key contributors to adiposity measures is consistent in the literature.<sup>18</sup> In diabetes literature, the structure of TAGs appears important for determining influence on insulin action;<sup>19</sup> TAGs with fewer double bonds are associated with insulin resistance. Thus, as with BCAAs, TAGs and DAGs with few double bonds may represent metabolic dysregulation.

Glycerophosphocholine metabolites, notably C38:3 PC, were strongly associated with adiposity measures in our study and may reflect metabolic dysregulation. A recent study compared metabolic profiles in individuals who were classified as metabolically healthy vs. unhealthy, with unhealthy defined as having one or more abnormal metabolic indexes: hyperglycemia, hypertension, dyslipidemia. Metabolite profiles were distinct between groups; notably featuring glycerophosphocholine, BCAAs, and metabolites involved in phenylalanine metabolism and fatty acid biosynthesis.<sup>30</sup>

Consistent with prior literature,<sup>17,18,19,26,31</sup> we observed that uric acid was positively associated with adiposity. Uric acid is also related to metabolic syndrome and hypertension.<sup>32,33</sup>

Carnitines, essential for fatty acid  $\beta$ -oxidation and therefore energy production,<sup>34</sup> were also positively and relatively strongly associated with adiposity measures, a finding consistent with other literature.<sup>18,31</sup> Chen's study of metabolically healthy vs. unhealthy individuals demonstrated a different acylcarnitine profile between the two groups;<sup>30</sup> moreover, acylcarnitine metabolism has been linked to obesity and insulin resistance.<sup>32</sup>

Given that many selected metabolites are associated with metabolic dysregulation, the stronger associations with breast cancer risk we observed for some metabolomic adiposity scores compared to self-reported measures suggests that metabolic dysregulation may be an important underlying contributor to adiposity as a breast cancer risk factor. Further supporting this idea, evidence suggests metabolic syndrome (MetS), defined as a combination of factors including obesity (waist circumference or BMI), triglyceride levels, high density lipoprotein (HDL) levels, hypertension, and hyperglycemia,<sup>35</sup> contributes more than adiposity alone to risk of disease and disease progression. For example, in the National Institute of Health-American Association of Retired Persons (NIH-AARP) Diet and Health Study, MetS increased breast cancer risk in postmenopausal women by 13%, and women with more components of MetS had a higher risk of breast cancer compared to those with only one component (HR=1.45, 95% CI=0.99-2.13).<sup>36</sup>

Notably, we observed similar metabolites associated with adiposity in premenopausal and postmenopausal women. Thus, the different association between adiposity and breast cancer risk in premenopausal and postmenopausal women is not due to different metabolite profiles themselves, but perhaps to the distinct roles these metabolites, and more broadly, metabolic dysregulation, play at different stages in a woman's life.

BCAAs, which, as noted, are closely linked to insulin resistance, have been associated with breast cancer risk. Within PLCO, an increased risk for postmenopausal breast cancer was observed with higher postmenopausal levels of isoleucine and valine.<sup>17</sup> This finding was replicated in the NHS, with the same participants as in the present study, with a 63% increased risk of breast cancer for top vs. bottom

quartile of isoleucine ( $p$ -trend=0.01) among women postmenopausal at blood draw.<sup>37</sup> On the other hand, among women who were premenopausal at blood draw, BCAA levels were associated with lower risk of breast cancer, demonstrating that the same metabolites may have differential effects pre- vs. post-menopause. There is some discrepancy in the literature, as BCAAs in the Women's Health Study (WHS) were not associated with risk, with the exception of leucine.<sup>37,38</sup> C-peptide, a byproduct of insulin processing, and therefore closely linked to BCAAs, is also associated with breast cancer risk.<sup>39</sup> This relationship may differ by menopausal status. Within the European Investigation into Cancer and Nutrition (EPIC), investigators found that serum C-peptide levels were suggestively inversely associated with breast cancer before age 50 (OR=0.70, 95% CI=0.39-1.24,  $p$ -trend=0.05), but positively associated with breast cancer for women above age 60 (OR=2.03, 95% CI=1.20-3.43,  $p$ -trend=0.01).<sup>40</sup> Similarly, in the NHSII we observed C-peptide was suggestively inversely associated with risk for premenopausal women with fasting blood samples.<sup>41</sup>

Glycerophosphocholines have also been associated with breast cancer risk, though it is unclear whether the risk differs between pre- and postmenopausal women. For example, C32:1 PC was associated with increased breast cancer risk in the Cancer Prevention Study II, a cohort consisting entirely of postmenopausal women.<sup>16</sup> However, within EPIC, a cohort including approximately 25% premenopausal women at blood draw, glycerophosphocholines C38:3 PC and C18:2 LPC were both associated with decreased breast cancer risk (e.g.: OR C18:2 LPC=0.89, 95% CI=0.81-0.96).<sup>42</sup>

Carnitines have been implicated in breast cancer risk as well. In EPIC, acylcarnitine levels, measured in both premenopausal and postmenopausal women, were associated with elevated breast cancer risk.<sup>42</sup> Thus, while some metabolites may have a differential impact on breast cancer risk depending on measurement pre- or postmenopause, evidence suggests that carnitines are not driving the differential relationship between pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer risk.

More broadly, the differential associations observed between levels of adiposity-related metabolites and pre vs. postmenopausal breast cancer risk may be explained in part by the role of oxidative stress associated with MetS. Oxidative stress is related to metabolic disorders, such as cardiovascular disease development and obesity.<sup>43,44</sup> Thus, it is posited that adiposity-related metabolite

profiles contributing to metabolic syndrome (MetS) may also be informative of overall oxidative stress levels. In premenopausal women, some effects of oxidative stress have been shown to prevent cancer,<sup>45</sup> and higher oxidative stress has been suggestively associated with lower breast cancer risk in premenopausal women in prospective studies.<sup>46-48</sup> In contrast, levels of oxidative stress have been associated with increased breast cancer risk in postmenopausal women.<sup>49</sup> Thus, different functions of oxidative stress in pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer development may contribute to the observed differences of these metabolites on breast cancer risk before and after menopause.

It is possible that the relationship between adiposity and breast cancer, and the differential associations among pre- and postmenopausal women, may be due, in part, to hormonal influence. Adiposity in postmenopausal breast cancer is associated with higher levels of circulating estrogens.<sup>50</sup> Aromatase, active in adipose tissue, contributes to breast cancer development through conversion of androgens to estrogens in postmenopausal women,<sup>51,52</sup> and changes in aromatase expression in breast tissue are related to metabolic dysregulation markers such as insulin resistance.<sup>53</sup> Thus, higher adiposity may increase risk of breast cancer for postmenopausal women through higher aromatase levels. In premenopausal women, the relationship between adiposity and estrogen is less clear. At the extreme, adiposity may cause anovulatory cycles and lower hormone exposure. In fact, BMI as low as 24 kg/m<sup>2</sup> has been associated with ovulatory disruption.<sup>54</sup> There is further evidence that BMI is inversely related to estrogen levels in premenopausal women, even in normally ovulating individuals, suggesting another potential mechanism of risk reduction.<sup>55,56</sup> This may be related to the correlation between current BMI and BMI in young adulthood. Body fatness at younger ages, measured up to age 20, is associated with lower levels of urinary parent estrogens.<sup>57</sup> It is possible that the impact of early life adiposity on circulating estrogens may have longevity that allows for continued lower estrogen levels in premenopausal women with higher BMI overall. Given that associations we found in pre- and postmenopausal women are stronger in ER+ cases compared with ER- cases, the metabolomic scores may represent the correlation between adiposity and estrogen levels. This makes it difficult to tell if mechanisms driving adiposity-related associations are metabolic or estrogenic. Exploring how to parse these elements would allow us to better understand the importance of metabolomic adiposity.

In the NIH-AARP study mentioned above, women with MetS but normal BMI had worse survival than women without MetS.<sup>58</sup> Thus, it is important to understand the potential impact of discordant adiposity and metabolic health. We observed that postmenopausal women with high metabolomic scores but low self-reported weight change and waist circumference were generally at higher risk of breast cancer, compared to women with low metabolomic and self-reported measures. These women were at similar risk compared to women with concordant high scores for metabolomic and self-reported measures. While this indicates potential importance of considering the contribution of both adiposity and metabolomic profiling to risk, our results using BMI and fat mass as adiposity measures did not echo this finding. Further research is required to better understand the relationship between discordant adiposity and metabolic health.

Previously, we established metabolomic scores for fat mass, BMI, and waist circumference among men in the Health Professionals Follow-Up Study (HPFS).<sup>31</sup> While fewer adiposity-related metabolites were identified compared to our study, there was high overlap between metabolites identified for each adiposity measure, consistent with our findings among women. Classes of metabolites associated with adiposity measures did not differ between men and women. For example, TAGs were positively associated with all measures in HPFS; glycerophosphocholine C38:3 PC was also positively associated with adiposity measures (e.g., correlation with BMI=0.20, p=0.01); and C22:5 CE was inversely related to BMI (r=-0.21).

This study has several strengths. Use of both the NHS and NHSII allowed us to thoroughly investigate adiposity and metabolomics in both premenopausal and postmenopausal women, particularly important given the complicated relationship between adiposity and breast cancer risk by menopausal status. We leveraged metabolomics to understand how metabolic health may affect breast cancer risk and had large numbers of breast cancer cases to evaluate these associations. Despite the advantages of this study, there are also limitations. We did not have a large subset of women who were premenopausal at blood collection and postmenopausal at diagnosis, and ER- cases were limited, making analysis of these subgroups more difficult.

In this study of 3,302 premenopausal and postmenopausal breast cancer cases and controls, we identified many metabolites associated with adiposity measures of BMI, waist circumference, weight change since age 18, and derived fat mass, the majority of which overlapped significantly between adiposity measures. Some metabolomic scores for adiposity were more predictive of breast cancer than self-reported measures, suggesting metabolomics may better capture metabolic dysregulation and improve our understanding of breast cancer risk. Further, we found that metabolic composition of adiposity did not differ between premenopausal and postmenopausal women. This suggests that the opposing associations for adiposity and breast cancer risk by menopausal status reflect the differential impact of metabolic dysregulation on breast cancer risk over the life course. Further exploration of how metabolic dysregulation intersects with menopausal status to differentially impact breast cancer is warranted.



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## CHAPTER 3

Premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction in four large prospective cohorts

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## ABSTRACT

Breast cancer is the leading cancer diagnosis among premenopausal women worldwide. Younger age at diagnosis of breast cancer is associated with poorer prognosis compared to diagnosis in postmenopausal years. While risk factors and risk prediction models have been determined for overall breast cancer risk, most are driven by postmenopausal cases given the limited number of premenopausal cases in individual cohorts. Given that some risk factors differ in their associations with pre- versus postmenopausal breast cancer, it is important to understand risk prediction in premenopausal women specifically.

We developed a risk prediction model for premenopausal breast cancer based on the 2017-updated Rosner-Colditz risk model. Data from four cohorts in the United States and the United Kingdom were combined for this analysis, including the Nurses' Health Study (NHS), the Nurses' Health Study II (NHSII), Generations Study (GS), and the Sister Study (SS), totaling 289,704 women and 5,165 premenopausal breast cancer cases. We focused analysis on a dataset with complete covariate information (N=211,242, Cases=3,524). We used Cox proportional hazards regression to test risk factors included in the Rosner-Colditz 2017 model on premenopausal breast cancer risk: 1) age at menarche 2) time between menarche and first birth 3) parous (yes/no) 4) parity 5) current BMI (kg/m<sup>2</sup>) 6) BMI in young adulthood (kg/m<sup>2</sup>) 7) height (cm) 8) family history of breast cancer 9) history of benign breast disease, (biopsy confirmed and unconfirmed combined), 10) current alcohol intake (drinks/week), and 11) premenopausal duration (years). Model selection was completed by removing risk factors with  $p < 0.05$  from the model one at a time. Three candidate risk factors were added and removed one at a time depending on p-values: ever oral contraceptive use, breastfeeding duration (months), and recent weight change (kg). Variables removed in step 1 were added back to the final model and checked for significance. Gonen and Heller's concordance index was calculated to determine model discrimination and we used the Hosmer-Lemeshow goodness of fit test to determine calibration. We completed sensitivity analyses in a subset with complete information on birth index, and in a group with polygenic risk score (PRS) information to assess the potential usefulness of these variables in a prediction model. A sensitivity

analysis in the full cohort, using the missing indicator method to account for missing variables, was completed.

We found several similarities in the risk factors selected for the premenopausal risk prediction model compared to those included in the Rosner Colditz 2017 model, and some notable differences. Premenopausal duration, time from menarche to first birth, height, alcohol intake, family history of breast cancer, and history of benign breast disease were all included in our risk prediction model and were predictive of increased premenopausal breast cancer risk. Young adulthood BMI was associated with a decreased risk of premenopausal breast cancer (HR pre 1 kg/m<sup>2</sup>=0.96, 95% CI=0.94-0.97). An indicator for parous (yes/no) was strongly predictive of reduced premenopausal breast cancer risk (HR=0.49, 95% CI=0.40-0.59). While recent weight change and breastfeeding duration did not influence risk prediction, ever oral contraceptive use was included and represented a reduced risk of premenopausal breast cancer compared with never use (HR=0.88, 95% CI=0.78-0.98). Addition of the birth index variable or parity as opposed to the parous indicator did not improve the model AUC (AUC parous=0.626, AUC birth index=0.621, AUC parity=0.623). Addition of the PRS to the model improved model discrimination, with an AUC increase up to 0.032.

Many variables that predict breast cancer risk among primarily postmenopausal breast cancer cases are also key to predicting premenopausal breast cancer risk. Uniquely in premenopausal women, ever use of oral contraceptives added to the prediction of breast cancer risk and was associated with a decreased risk of premenopausal breast cancer. However, this should be interpreted with caution given that measurement of ever/never use fails to capture details of recency, formulation, and duration of use, all of which have been associated with breast cancer risk. Finer details on birth, such as parity and birth index, are not needed to predict premenopausal breast cancer risk. Addition of the PRS improves premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction.

## INTRODUCTION

Breast cancer is the leading cancer diagnosis for premenopausal women.<sup>1</sup> Diagnosis before menopause, compared to after menopause, generally involves a more aggressive form of disease

associated with worse prognosis.<sup>2</sup> Identification of risk factors for premenopausal breast cancer is important to better understand etiologic mechanisms and prevention strategies.

Risk factors and risk prediction models for overall breast cancer are well-established, though models are usually based on primarily postmenopausal women, and therefore are most useful for the prediction of postmenopausal breast cancer. The most prominent risk models are the Gail model<sup>3</sup> and the Rosner-Colditz model.<sup>4,5</sup> The original Rosner-Colditz log-incidence risk model was developed in the Nurses' Health Study (NHS) in 1996 with 2,249 incident cases, 89,312 women, and up to 24 years of follow up.<sup>4</sup> Initially this model included several reproductive risk factors: age at menarche, age at first birth, age at subsequent births (incorporating spacing between births), and age at menopause. Conceptually, reproductive factors are thought to alter the rate of cell proliferation, thus influencing DNA damage accumulation.<sup>6</sup> Spacing of births was included because women with shorter periods from first birth to subsequent births had a reduced risk of breast cancer.<sup>7</sup> Further, the time between menarche and first birth was included, which accounts for an initial increase in breast cancer risk following the first pregnancy.<sup>4</sup> The model was expanded in 2000 to include risk factors identified in epidemiologic studies: type of menopause,<sup>8</sup> duration of postmenopausal hormone (PMH) use,<sup>9</sup> history of benign breast disease, adiposity, height, alcohol use, and family history. Birth index was also incorporated to represent both the number and spacing of pregnancies. It is estimated as the sum of the total years from each birth to a woman's current age, with nulliparous women having a birth index of zero.

While this model works well for overall breast cancer risk prediction, it remains unclear if these risk factors adequately represent premenopausal breast cancer risk, especially as research has identified risk factors that have different associations with pre- and postmenopausal breast cancers.<sup>10,11</sup> Notably, current adiposity shows opposite associations with pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer risk.<sup>12</sup> Despite this evidence, the development of a premenopausal risk prediction model has been elusive based on the small number of cases in individual cohorts resulting in inadequate statistical power to develop models.

Here, we combine data from four large prospective cohorts: The Nurses' Health Study (NHS), the Nurses' Health Study II (NHSII), the Generations Study (GS), and the Sister Study (SS), to investigate risk factors for premenopausal breast cancer. We sought to develop a risk prediction model that would be



pertinent to premenopausal women specifically, predicting 5-year risk of breast cancer based on risk factors measured at the start of the 5-year period.

## METHODS

### **Cohort Descriptions**

We included four prospective cohorts based in the United States (NHS, NHSII, SS) and the United Kingdom (GS). NHS and NHSII are prospective cohorts of female nurses. NHS was established in 1976, with 121,700 women aged 30-55 years at baseline. NHSII was established in 1989 with 116,429 women aged 25-42 years at baseline.<sup>13</sup> Participants in NHS and NHSII complete detailed biennial questionnaires to record information on risk factors and disease status. Follow up is consistent; cumulative response rates of at least 90% have been achieved for both cohorts. Breast cancer cases are identified by self-report and confirmed by medical record review. Deaths are captured by next of kin, postal service, or by annual linkage to the National Death Index.

The Sister Study was established in 2003, with enrollment continuing until 2009, reaching a baseline enrollment of 50,884 women. Volunteers were women aged 35-74, residing in the United States and Puerto Rico, who had a sister with breast cancer, and had no personal history of cancer. Baseline data collection included questions on breast cancer risk factors across the life course, anthropometric, and socioeconomic factors. A brief update on health status and contact information is completed annually. Every two to three years a detailed follow up questionnaire is mailed to participants, tracking changes in health and risk factors. Medical records, pathology reports, and physician verification are used to complement self-reported breast cancer or other incident cancer information.<sup>14</sup> Information on causes of death is sought from next of kin and death certificates are requested. Additionally, linkage to the National Death Index is used to obtain vital status and cause of death for participants lost to follow-up.

The Generations Study was established in the United Kingdom in 2004 to investigate lifestyle, hormonal, and genetic risk factors for breast cancer. Over 113,700 women aged 16 years or older were enrolled in GS. Participants complete a baseline questionnaire on lifestyle factors that may be associated with breast cancer risk. Detailed follow-up questionnaires were completed 2 ½ years, 6 years, and 9 ½

years following recruitment, by 99%, 96%, and 94% of eligible participants, respectively.<sup>15</sup> Data on cancer incidence, disease status, and mortality are obtained from multiple sources including reports from cohort members or relatives. Annual newsletters are sent to participants; when returned as undeliverable women are traced via email, telephone, and/or by the National Health Service Central Registers (NHSCRs). Data on cancers, deaths, and emigrations can be obtained from the NHSCR. Copies of death certificates are collected to ascertain cause of death and diagnostic confirmation and details of cancer incidence is collected from cancer registry data or through contacting physicians directly.

Data from all cohorts has been harmonized within the Premenopausal Breast Cancer Collaboration to create consistent variables across cohorts.<sup>16</sup>

### **Identification of breast cancer cases**

Breast cancer cases were identified in NHS and NHSII by self-report by participants or next of kin on follow-up questionnaires and confirmed by medical record review. Cases in the Sister Study were similarly identified by self-report; medical records, pathology reports, and physician verification were used to confirm the diagnoses. The GS obtained incident breast cancer information from self-reported data and through the NHSCR, which records incident cancers. Incident cancers for this analysis are identified as in situ or invasive breast cancer diagnoses.

### **Risk Prediction**

#### *Risk Factors from the Rosner-Colditz 2017 Model*

We began by considering risk factors included in the most recent update to the Rosner-Colditz model, based on the NHS and NHSII.<sup>17</sup> The final fitted exponential breast cancer model included: duration of premenopause, duration of menopause, type of menopause, age at first birth minus age at menarche, birth index (summarizing number and spacing of births), history of benign breast disease, postmenopausal hormone use (with type and duration), BMI, height, alcohol intake in cumulative grams before and after menopause, adolescent body fatness, mammographic density, and family history of breast cancer. This resulted in a model with an age-adjusted AUC of 0.64, demonstrating an increase in AUC of 0.02 from the 2000 model (Rice 2017).

#### *Candidate Risk Factors*

We tested additional risk factors that may be specifically useful to prediction of premenopausal risk: recent weight change, oral contraceptive (OC) use, and breastfeeding duration. Though BMI overall is associated with decreased risk of premenopausal breast cancer, short term weight gain was associated with increased breast cancer risk in pre- and postmenopausal women in the NHS, with a stronger association among premenopausal women.<sup>18</sup> To test short-term weight change, we created a weight calendar using linear interpolation to determine weights throughout the life-course for individual participants in the study. The interpolation relied on measures of weight in young adulthood (age 18-24), and recorded weight and corresponding age at each questionnaire cycle. Use of OCs, especially current use, has been associated with increased breast cancer risk, and has been linked to increased risk among women under 50 years of age.<sup>9,19</sup> Given the limited data on duration and type of formulation in all participating cohorts, we tested the addition of ever/never use of OCs among women to our prediction model. Breastfeeding is associated with decreased risk of both pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer.<sup>20</sup> This variable was tested in the 2017 Rosner-Colditz model but was not significant. Here we reexamined whether breastfeeding duration adds information to the prediction of premenopausal breast cancer. This variable was collected as cumulative months of breast feeding determined at each questionnaire cycle.

## **Statistical Methods**

### *Modeling Details*

As noted, we started with the framework of the 2017-updated Rosner-Colditz model for breast cancer incidence to develop our prediction model for premenopausal breast cancer. STCOX in STATA was used to model 5-year risk using a Cox proportional hazards model. Risk factors were evaluated at the start of the five-year period for individuals and were updated for subsequent 5-year risk periods if participants remained in the study. Due to likelihood of different baseline hazards for distinct cohorts, we stratified by cohort.

We started with the following risk factors: 1) age at menarche 2) time between menarche and first birth (years) 3) parous (yes/no) 4) parity 5) current BMI (kg/m<sup>2</sup>) 6) BMI in young adulthood (ages 18-24) (kg/m<sup>2</sup>) 7) height (cm) 8) family history of breast cancer 9) history of benign breast disease, (biopsy confirmed and unconfirmed combined), 10) current alcohol intake (drinks/week), and 11)

premenopausal duration (years). Time from menarche to first birth was set to zero for nulliparous women. Based on significance in the 2017 model, an interaction term was also included for benign breast disease and age at menarche. A sensitivity analysis evaluated the model using only those with complete data on birth index and substituting birth index or parity for parous (yes/no). Birth index was derived based on parity and age at each birth, by the following equation: Birth index = (n\*current age) – (age birth 1) – (age birth 2) – ... – (age birth n), where n represents parity. All analyses were conducted using STATA 17.

### *Missingness*

Most variables had <20% missingness. Because birth index ranged from 21-58% missingness across cohorts, this factor was only considered in a subgroup of participants. Primary analyses were completed in individuals with complete data for all covariates of interest. In a sensitivity analysis using all individuals regardless of missing status, we used the missing indicator method to account for missing variables. Missing values for dichotomous variables were set to zero; missing values for time from menarche to first birth and age at first birth were set to median values for parous individuals. Breastfeeding duration was set to the mean value if parous. Values for missing drinks per week, BMI, and height were set to the median values.

### *Assumptions*

Before beginning with variable selection, we ran the Cox model with all covariates and checked model assumptions of proportional hazards and linearity. Proportional hazards assumption was checked by using a statistical test based on assessment of Schoenfeld residuals, and by evaluating plots of Schoenfeld residuals for each variable vs. analysis time. Schoenfeld residuals are defined by  $r_{ik} = x_{ik} - \bar{x}_{w_{ik}}$ , where  $x_{ik}$  is the  $k^{\text{th}}$  covariate for individual  $i$  if that subject has an event, and  $\bar{x}_{w_{ik}}$  is the weighted mean of  $x_{ik}$  for all subjects in the risk set at the same time. A positive value of  $r_{ik}$  indicates a covariate value that is higher than expected. The plot of the residuals should be symmetric about zero. Variables were considered to violate proportional hazards if they had both a significant statistical test for proportional hazards ( $p < 0.05$ ), and a skewed Schoenfeld residual plot. For categorical variables, log-

negative-log survivor plots were examined; if lines were roughly parallel, we maintained the assumption of proportional hazards. The proportional hazards assumptions held for all variables in our model.

Linearity of the covariates was checked by plotting martingale residuals against time for each variable and examining patterns. Martingale residuals represent values  $[1, -\infty]$  for uncensored observations and  $[0, -\infty]$  for censored observations. Residuals were plotted against time and a locally weighted scatterplot smoothing line (LOWESS) was added to the plots to better visualize the data. This technique requires first running a regression of  $y$  on  $x$  using only  $(x_i, y_i)$  and variables close to this point. The central point is weighted more heavily, while points farther away based on  $|x_j - x_i|$  receive less weight. The regression line predicts the smoothed value of  $y_i$  for each point. Therefore, if the LOWESS line is parallel to zero on the  $y$ -axis, the assumption of linearity was assumed to hold. No variables had notable patterns in martingale residuals, though additional function forms were tested for continuous variables. Outliers were checked using deviance residuals, a transformation of martingale residuals mean-centered around zero.

#### *Selection of variables*

After checking modeling assumptions of proportional hazards and linearity, we performed model selection. To begin this process, we used a backwards selection method. Starting with the full model including relevant Rosner-Colditz variables, any variables that were not significantly associated with the outcome ( $p > 0.05$ ) were removed from the model one at a time. After all variables remaining were significantly associated with risk, variables that were removed were retested. If a variable became significant when re-added to the model, it was kept in the model. After all variables were tested and were significant, Model 1 was complete.

Next, additional risk factors were considered. Short term weight change (kg), ever oral contraceptive use (yes/no), and breastfeeding duration (months) were added to Model 1 simultaneously. They were removed one at a time if significance at  $p < 0.05$  was not reached. After all variables in the model were significant, if any changes were made to Model 1, we again revisited any variables that were eliminated in the original selection of Model 1. This was done to ensure inclusion of new risk factors did

not warrant re-inclusion of previously excluded variables in the model. Model 2, the final model, included variables with significant associations with risk ( $p < 0.05$ ).

### *Assessing Model Performance*

Model discrimination, or the ability to separate cases from non-cases, was assessed by Gonen and Heller's Concordance Index for Cox proportional hazards models, a derivative of Harrell's c-index that is an asymptotically unbiased estimate of concordance.<sup>21</sup> The concordance index is representative of the area under the curve (AUC) for the data, which is based on plotting the sensitivity vs. 1-specificity. Values of the AUC close to 1.00 are favorable and represent perfect discriminatory power of the model. These statistics were compared for the derivation and validation data.

Model calibration, measuring the agreement between observed and predicted risk, was evaluated by categorizing individuals by decile of breast cancer risk and comparing expected and observed risks across categories. The Hosmer-Lemeshow goodness of fit test statistic with 8 degrees of freedom was calculated by the following equation:

$$X_{HL}^2 = \sum_{d=1}^{10} \frac{|O^{(d)} - E^{(d)}|^2}{E^{(d)}}$$

Large p-values, with a threshold  $> 0.05$ , demonstrated decent calibration of the model.

## RESULTS

### **Participant Characteristics**

The Sister Study did not collect information on weight in young adulthood; no participants from this study were included in the dataset for our primary analysis which required complete covariate information. Participant characteristics at baseline are given in **Table 3.1**, separated by derivation and validation datasets. A total of 3,524 breast cancer cases were included in our main dataset. The derivation data contained 140,896 participants and 2,366 cases. Many of the differences seen between the cohorts were expected given the different birth cohorts and age of study entry for each group. Mean age at baseline questionnaire ranged from 34-41 years with the highest mean age at entry in the NHS (40.5, SD=6.1 years), and the lowest age of entry in the NHSII (34.8, SD=4.6 years). Age at menarche

was consistent across cohorts, ranging from 12.4-12.7 years. Parous women was most prevalent in NHS (95%), and least in GS (65%). Mean age at first birth was lowest in NHS (24.8, SD=3.1 years) and highest in GS (27.8, SD=4.7 years). BMI at baseline questionnaire was similar across the three cohorts (range 23.6-24.9 kg/m<sup>2</sup>). Patterns seen in the derivation data were similar in the validation dataset (N=70,346, cases=1,291).

**Table 3.1.** Participant Characteristics at study entry, derivation & validation data<sup>^</sup> (N=211,242; Total cases=3,524)

|  | Derivation Data (N=140,896, cases=2,366) |              |              | Validation data (N=70,346, Cases=1,291) |              |              |
|--|--|--------------|--------------|---|--------------|--------------|
|  | GS                                       | NHS          | NHSII        | GS                                      | NHS          | NHSII        |
| N  | 32369                                    | 46410        | 62117        | 16,144                                  | 23,149       | 31,053       |
| N cases (full study)                                   | 247                                      | 915          | 1204         | 125                                     | 461          | 572          |
| Age (years)  | 38.1 (8.0)                               | 40.5 (6.1)   | 34.8 (4.6)   | 38.2 (8.0)                              | 40.5 (6.2)   | 34.9 (4.6)   |
| Age at menarche (years)                                | 12.7 (1.4)                               | 12.5 (1.4)   | 12.4 (1.4)   | 12.7 (1.4)                              | 12.5 (1.4)   | 12.4 (1.4)   |
| Premenopausal duration                                 | 25.4 (8.1)                               | 28.0 (6.2)   | 22.5 (4.9)   | 25.6 (8.1)                              | 28.0 (6.2)   | 22.5 (4.9)   |
| Parous (yes)   | 21058 (65%)                              | 43930 (95%)  | 44438 (72%)  | 10,720 (66%)                            | 21,894 (95%) | 22,131 (72%) |
| Parity*  | 2.0 (0.8)                                | 3.0 (1.5)    | 2.0 (0.9)    | 2.00 (0.8)                              | 3.01 (1.5)   | 2.0 (0.9)    |
| Age at first birth (years)*                            | 27.8 (4.7)                               | 24.8 (3.1)   | 25.6 (4.1)   | 27.7 (4.8)                              | 24.9 (3.1)   | 25.6 (4.1)   |
| Time from menarche to first birth (years)*             | 15.1 (4.8)                               | 12.3 (3.4)   | 13.2 (4.3)   | 15.0 (4.9)                              | 12.4 (3.4)   | 13.2 (4.3)   |
| Birth index*   | 19.3 (15.1)                              | 20.3 (12.6)  | 13.2 (10.5)  | 19.4 (15.2)                             | 20.0 (12.6)  | 13.3 (10.5)  |
| Missing birth index* (%)                               | 4430 (14%)                               | 25562 (55%)  | 11386 (18%)  | 2340 (14%)                              | 12767 (55%)  | 5658 (18%)   |
| Breastfeeding duration, months*                        | 12.7 (13.4)                              | 16.6 (11.2)  | 18.9 (10.8)  | 12.6 (13.1)                             | 16.4 (11.2)  | 18.9 (10.7)  |
| Ever oral contraceptive use (%)                        | 30482 (94%)                              | 25,702 (55%) | 51,898 (84%) | 15,200 (94%)                            | 12,821 (55%) | 25,997 (84%) |
| Height (cm)  | 165.2 (6.6)                              | 163.9 (6.1)  | 164.9 (6.5)  | 165.2 (6.5)                             | 164.0 (6.1)  | 164.8 (6.5)  |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                               | 24.9 (4.7)                               | 23.6 (4.0)   | 24.1 (4.9)   | 24.9 (4.7)                              | 23.6 (4.0)   | 24.1 (4.9)   |
| BMI in young adulthood, age 18-24 (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 22.0 (3.2)                               | 21.4 (2.9)   | 21.3 (3.3)   | 22.0 (3.2)                              | 21.4 (3.0)   | 21.3 (3.3)   |
| Weight change in last 4 years (kg)                     | 0.62 (2.32)                              | 0.13 (0.33)  | 0.50 (2.30)  | 0.61 (2.328)                            | 0.12 (0.34)  | 0.50 (2.28)  |
| Alcohol use (drinks/week)                              | 5.9 (6.7)                                | 3.6 (5.8)    | 1.8 (3.6)    | 5.8 (6.6)                               | 3.6 (5.8)    | 1.8 (3.5)    |
| Family history of breast cancer (%)                    | 4757 (15%)                               | 2646 (5.7%)  | 9,970 (16%)  | 2,402 (15%)                             | 1,323 (5.7%) | 4,856 (16%)  |
| History of benign breast disease (%)                   | 4943 (15%)                               | 20,392 (43%) | 34,067 (55%) | 2,472 (15%)                             | 10,297 (45%) | 16,922 (55%) |

<sup>^</sup>Continuous variables given in mean (SD). Categorical variables with N (%).

\*Among parous women



## Fitted Model

The fitted premenopausal breast cancer risk model among participants with complete covariate information is given in **Table 3.2**. Variables from the original Rosner-Colditz model that were selected into the model included premenopausal duration (here, representative of age), time from menarche to first birth, height, BMI in young adulthood (18-24 years), alcohol use, family history of breast cancer, and history of benign breast disease. Parity was selected into the model in the form of our parous yes/no indicator. Consideration of OC use, breastfeeding duration, and 4-y weight change resulted in OC use being selected into the model. No variables initially removed needed to be reincluded in the model after the addition of OC use. Thus, the final variables in the model included premenopausal duration, time from menarche to first birth, parous (yes/no), height (cm), history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use in drinks/week, BMI in young adulthood, and ever oral contraceptive use. The concordance statistic (equivalent to the AUC) was 0.620 in the training data and 0.611 in the testing dataset. The model fit was acceptable; the difference between observed and expected values was not statistically significant (Hosmer-Lemeshow  $\chi^2=9.61$ ,  $p=0.29$ ) (**Table 3.3**).

A longer period from menarche to first birth was associated with a 3% increase in breast cancer risk per additional year. Current BMI was not selected, though BMI in young adulthood was associated with a decrease in breast cancer risk of approximately 4.5% per BMI unit increase. Family history and history of benign breast disease were the two largest risk factors in our model for premenopausal breast cancer, with family history increasing risk by 73% and history of benign breast disease increasing risk by 67% within the five-year risk period. Notably, women who were parous had a 51% reduced risk of premenopausal breast cancer. Having ever used oral contraceptives was significantly inversely associated with premenopausal breast cancer, with a 12% reduction in risk. Breast feeding duration and 4-year weight change were not selected into the risk prediction model.

**Table 3.2.** Fitted incidence model for breast cancer in complete data cohort, stratified by cohort (N cases=2,366)\*

|  | HR    | 95% CI      | parameter | SE    | P> z    |
|--|-------|-------------|-----------|-------|---------|
| Premenopausal duration                 | 1.019 | 1.010 1.029 | 0.019     | 0.005 | <0.0001 |
| Parous (yes)                           | 0.486 | 0.402 0.586 | -0.723    | 0.047 | <0.0001 |
| Time from menarche to first birth      | 1.035 | 1.024 1.045 | 0.034     | 0.005 | <0.0001 |
| Ever oral contraceptive use            | 0.876 | 0.781 0.984 | -0.132    | 0.052 | 0.025   |
| Height (cm)                            | 1.012 | 1.006 1.018 | 0.012     | 0.003 | <0.0001 |
| BMI age 18-24 (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )     | 0.955 | 0.941 0.969 | -0.046    | 0.007 | <0.0001 |
| Alcohol (drinks/week)                  | 1.011 | 1.003 1.019 | 0.011     | 0.004 | 0.007   |
| Family history of breast cancer (yes)  | 1.737 | 1.574 1.917 | 0.552     | 0.087 | <0.0001 |
| History of benign breast disease (yes) | 1.669 | 1.531 1.820 | 0.512     | 0.074 | <0.0001 |

\*AUC derivation=0.620; AUC validation= 0.611

Observations=386,269; Time at risk=1,612,072. LR p-value <0.0001

**Table 3.3.** Observed and expected cases by decile of risk score\*

|                                       | Risk decile |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
|                                       | <b>1</b>    | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>10</b> |
| Observed Cases                        | 115         | 131      | 144      | 177      | 217      | 224      | 278      | 312      | 320      | 448       |
| Expected cases                        | 113         | 145      | 162      | 177      | 199      | 228      | 257      | 289      | 332      | 464       |
| Hosmer-Lemeshow X <sup>2</sup> , df=8 | 9.61        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |
| P-value                               | 0.29        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |

\*Within derivation data

### **Birth Index Subset**

The subset of women with non-missing information on birth index (N=149,099, cases=2,402) was used to assess whether the model using birth index or parity (number of births) added information to prediction compared to the model using the parous yes/no indicator. Baseline characteristics of this subset of women and patterns across cohorts were similar to those of the main dataset, with the exception of parity, which only represented up to 2 births based on data collection for this group (**Supplemental Table 3.1**).

Within this subset of women, the model derived using parous (yes/no) included all factors selected in the original dataset, and hazard ratios for selected variables were similar to those seen in the cohort with incomplete birth index information (**Table 3.4**). The AUC of this model was 0.626 in the derivation data, and 0.620 in the validation data. When considering birth index in place of parous (yes/no) in derivation of the model, terms incorporating birth information, including birth index and time from menarche to first birth, were not selected in the final model. Breastfeeding duration was selected into the model, with a slight reduction in risk seen for increased breastfeeding duration (per additional month, HR=0.995, 95% CI=0.991-1.00) (**Table 3.5**). The model derived using parity as opposed to parous yes/no included time from menarche to first birth in the model, though the hazard ratio was smaller than that seen for the parous yes/no derived model (HR parity model=1.02 vs. HR parous model=1.04). Parity was selected as significant in this model, with approximately 20% reduction in risk of premenopausal breast cancer with each additional birth. Other coefficients remained similar to those in the parous indicator derived model (Table 5). The AUC for the birth index model was 0.621 in the derivation data and 0.613 in the validation data; the AUC was higher for the parity model (AUC derivation=0.623, AUC validation=0.616). Both models had worse discrimination than the model including parous yes/no as the birth variable of interest. The Hosmer-Lemeshow  $X^2$  statistic demonstrated non-significant variation comparing observed vs. expected cases per risk decile for all models (**Table 3.6**).

**Table 3.4.** Fitted incidence model for breast cancer in subset with full birth index information, stratified by cohort  
(N cases=1,610, N subjects=131,716)\*

|  | HR    | 95% CI |       | Parameter | SE    | P> z    |
|--|-------|--------|-------|-----------|-------|---------|
| Premenopausal duration                 | 1.034 | 1.023  | 1.046 | 0.034     | 0.006 | <0.0001 |
| Time from menarche to first birth      | 1.036 | 1.023  | 1.049 | 0.035     | 0.007 | <0.0001 |
| Parous (yes/no)                        | 0.457 | 0.365  | 0.572 | -0.784    | 0.053 | <0.0001 |
| Oral contraceptive use (ever)          | 0.843 | 0.727  | 0.979 | -0.170    | 0.064 | 0.025   |
| Height                                 | 1.013 | 1.006  | 1.021 | 0.013     | 0.004 | 0.001   |
| BMI age 18-24 (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )     | 0.957 | 0.941  | 0.974 | -0.044    | 0.008 | <0.0001 |
| Alcohol, drinks per week               | 1.010 | 1.001  | 1.020 | 0.010     | 0.005 | 0.029   |
| History of benign breast disease (yes) | 1.612 | 1.449  | 1.792 | 0.477     | 0.087 | <0.0001 |
| Family history of breast cancer        | 1.708 | 1.519  | 1.919 | 0.535     | 0.102 | <0.0001 |

\*AUC derivation=0.626; AUC validation=0.620

Observations=264,124; time at risk=1,113,266 person-yrs; LR p<0.0001

**Table 3.5.** Fitted incidence models for breast cancer in subset with full birth index information (N cases=1,610, N subjects=131,716)

|   | Consideration of birth index*† |             |           |       |         |  | Consideration of parity^ |             |           |       |         |  |
|---|--------------------------------|-------------|-----------|-------|---------|--|--------------------------|-------------|-----------|-------|---------|--|
|   | HR                             | 95% CI      | Parameter | SE    | P> z    |  | HR                       | 95% CI      | Parameter | SE    | P> z    |  |
| Premenopausal duration (years)          | 1.036                          | 1.025 1.048 | 0.036     | 0.006 | <0.0001 |  | 1.036                    | 1.024 1.047 | 0.035     | 0.006 | <0.0001 |  |
| Time from menarche to first birth (yrs) |                                |             |           |       |         |  | 1.015                    | 1.006 1.023 | 0.014     | 0.004 | 0.001   |  |
| Parity                                  |                                |             |           |       |         |  | 0.808                    | 0.748 0.873 | -0.213    | 0.032 | <0.0001 |  |
| Breastfeeding duration, months          | 0.995                          | 0.991 1.000 | -0.005    | 0.002 | 0.033   |  |                          |             |           |       |         |  |
| Ever oral contraceptive use             | 0.817                          | 0.704 0.947 | -0.202    | 0.062 | 0.007   |  | 0.834                    | 0.719 0.968 | -0.181    | 0.063 | 0.017   |  |
| Height (cm)                             | 1.014                          | 1.006 1.022 | 0.014     | 0.004 | <0.0001 |  | 1.014                    | 1.006 1.021 | 0.014     | 0.004 | <0.0001 |  |
| BMI age 18-24 (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )      | 0.959                          | 0.943 0.976 | -0.041    | 0.008 | <0.0001 |  | 0.958                    | 0.942 0.975 | -0.043    | 0.008 | <0.0001 |  |
| Alcohol, drinks/week                    | 1.012                          | 1.003 1.022 | 0.012     | 0.005 | 0.010   |  | 1.011                    | 1.002 1.021 | 0.011     | 0.005 | 0.019   |  |
| History of benign breast disease        | 1.600                          | 1.439 1.779 | 0.470     | 0.087 | <0.0001 |  | 1.600                    | 1.439 1.779 | 0.470     | 0.087 | <0.0001 |  |
| Family history of breast cancer         | 1.712                          | 1.523 1.924 | 0.538     | 0.102 | <0.0001 |  | 1.711                    | 1.522 1.923 | 0.537     | 0.102 | <0.0001 |  |

\*AUC derivation=0.621; AUC validation=0.613

^AUC derivation=0.623; AUC validation=0.616

†Birth index not selected for inclusion in risk model

**Table 3.6.** Observed and expected cases by decile of risk score for birth index complete data subset\*

| <b>Parous (yes/no) model</b>    |             |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
|---------------------------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|--|
|                                 | Risk decile |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
|                                 | <b>1</b>    | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>10</b> |  |
| Observed Cases                  | 69          | 81       | 104      | 128      | 154      | 149      | 192      | 226      | 313       |  |
| Expected cases                  | 71          | 93       | 108      | 123      | 139      | 155      | 197      | 230      | 320       |  |
| Hosmer-Lemeshow $\chi^2$ , df=8 | 6.46        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
| P-value                         | 0.6         |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
| <b>Birth index model</b>        |             |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
|                                 | Risk decile |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
|                                 | <b>1</b>    | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>10</b> |  |
| Observed Cases                  | 74          | 94       | 108      | 129      | 152      | 156      | 204      | 227      | 294       |  |
| Expected cases                  | 75          | 99       | 112      | 126      | 142      | 160      | 194      | 224      | 302       |  |
| Hosmer-Lemeshow $\chi^2$ , df=8 | 2.14        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
| P-value                         | 0.97        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
| <b>Parity model</b>             |             |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
|                                 | Risk decile |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
|                                 | <b>1</b>    | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>10</b> |  |
| Observed Cases                  | 80          | 90       | 109      | 114      | 165      | 153      | 215      | 216      | 309       |  |
| Expected cases                  | 77          | 97       | 111      | 125      | 141      | 156      | 194      | 227      | 309       |  |
| Hosmer-Lemeshow $\chi^2$ , df=8 | 9.71        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |
| P-value                         | 0.29        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |  |

\*Within derivation data

## Polygenic Risk Score

Participants with available PRS scores were only from a subset of NHS and NHSII cohorts (**Supplemental Table 3.2**), though within these cohorts the distribution of covariates was similar to that of the original dataset. Addition of the PRS to the model developed in Table 2 improved premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction. The AUC derived in the subset of women with a polygenic risk score available (NHS and NHS2 participants, training data N=7,216, events=689) was 0.587 for the model developed in Table 2 (**Table 3.7a**). Addition of the PRS to this group improved the AUC by 0.032 points (AUC with PRS, derivation data=0.619). This improvement in the AUC with the addition of the PRS remained in the validation dataset (change in AUC=0.02). Model calibration was acceptable (Hosmer-Lemeshow  $\chi^2_8 = 7.76$ ,  $p=0.46$  (**Table 3.7b**)). A one-unit standard deviation increase in PRS was associated with a 55% increased risk of premenopausal breast cancer. After adding the PRS score, alcohol use and OC use were no longer significant in the prediction model. Main effects of parous (yes/no), time from menarche to first birth, and height had similar magnitudes compared to the model in Table 2. Addition of the PRS resulted in a slight reduction in the influence of family history of breast cancer on risk (HR PRS model=1.19, 95% CI=0.99-1.42 vs. HR non-PRS=1.24, 95% CI=1.04-1.48).

## Missing data sensitivity analysis

The prediction model developed in all participants (N=289,704, N cases=5,165), including those with missing data via the missing indicator approach, resulted in a similar AUC compared with the model developed in the complete data group (AUC derivation=0.620, AUC validation=0.613) (**Table 3.8a**) but less-robust calibration (Hosmer-Lemeshow  $\chi^2_8 = 11.68$ ,  $p=0.17$  (**Table 3.8b**)). Characteristics of participants were similar to the complete covariate subjects (**Supplemental Table 3.3**). As with the complete data set, this model selected oral contraceptive use into the model, with a decreased risk in premenopausal breast cancer with ever use of OCs (HR=0.88, 95% CI=0.80-0.97). The hazard ratios for selected variables were similar to those seen in the subset with complete covariate information. For example, having a child decreased risk of premenopausal breast cancer by about 52%, family history of breast cancer increased risk by 75%, history of benign breast disease increased risk by 71%, and BMI in young adulthood was associated with a decreased risk of breast cancer (HR 1 kg/m<sup>2</sup> increase=0.96, 95%

CI=0.94-0.97). Overall, the missing indicator model demonstrated similar directions and magnitudes of included risk factors when compared with the complete data model, though the interpretation of significant missing indicators makes the model less useful in practice.



**Table 3.7a.** Fitted incidence model for breast cancer with v. without PRS, stratified by cohort (N=7,216, Events=689)

|   | Without PRS <sup>^</sup> |        |       |        |       |         | With PRS <sup>†</sup> |              |              |              |              |                   |
|---|--------------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|---------|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
|   | HR                       | 95% CI |       | Coef.  | SE    | P> z    | HR                    | 95% CI       |              | Coef.        | SE           | P> z              |
| Premenopausal duration (yrs)            | 0.927                    | 0.909  | 0.945 | -0.076 | 0.010 | <0.0001 | 0.929                 | 0.911        | 0.947        | -0.074       | 0.010        | <0.0001           |
| Parous (yes/no)                         | 0.487                    | 0.346  | 0.685 | -0.719 | 0.174 | <0.0001 | 0.485                 | 0.344        | 0.682        | -0.724       | 0.174        | <0.0001           |
| Time from menarche to first birth (yrs) | 1.036                    | 1.016  | 1.055 | 0.035  | 0.010 | <0.0001 | 1.038                 | 1.019        | 1.058        | 0.037        | 0.010        | <0.0001           |
| OC use (ever)                           | 0.911                    | 0.712  | 1.167 | -0.093 | 0.126 | 0.462   | 0.907                 | 0.708        | 1.162        | -0.098       | 0.126        | 0.438             |
| Height (cm)                             | 1.002                    | 0.990  | 1.014 | 0.002  | 0.006 | 0.774   | 1.001                 | 0.989        | 1.013        | 0.001        | 0.006        | 0.864             |
| BMI age 18-24 (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )      | 0.979                    | 0.952  | 1.008 | -0.021 | 0.015 | 0.149   | 0.978                 | 0.950        | 1.006        | -0.023       | 0.015        | 0.124             |
| Alcohol drinks/week                     | 1.015                    | 0.997  | 1.032 | 0.015  | 0.009 | 0.097   | 1.017                 | 1.000        | 1.034        | 0.017        | 0.009        | 0.055             |
| Family history of breast cancer         | 1.241                    | 1.040  | 1.482 | 0.216  | 0.090 | 0.017   | 1.187                 | 0.993        | 1.417        | 0.171        | 0.091        | 0.059             |
| History of benign breast disease (yes)  | 1.374                    | 1.171  | 1.612 | 0.318  | 0.082 | <0.0001 | 1.347                 | 1.148        | 1.581        | 0.298        | 0.082        | <0.0001           |
| <b>Polygenic Risk Score*</b>            |                          |        |       |        |       |         | <b>1.547</b>          | <b>1.373</b> | <b>1.743</b> | <b>0.436</b> | <b>0.061</b> | <b>&lt;0.0001</b> |

<sup>^</sup>AUC derivation=0.587; AUC validation=0.622

<sup>†</sup>AUC derivation=0.619; AUC validation=0.640

\*Z-score standardized, includes 313 SNPs

**Table 3.7b.** Observed and expected cases by decile of risk score for PRS model\*

|                                       | Risk decile |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
|                                       | <b>1</b>    | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>10</b> |
| Observed Cases                        | 24          | 45       | 49       | 64       | 69       | 72       | 78       | 89       | 81       | 118       |
| Expected cases                        | 27          | 38       | 47       | 58       | 67       | 76       | 86       | 86       | 98       | 106       |
| Hosmer-Lemeshow X <sup>2</sup> , df=8 | 7.76        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |
| P-value                               | 0.46        |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |          |           |

\*Within derivation data

**Table 3.8a.** Fitted incidence model for breast cancer in full data (w/missing values), stratified by cohort (N cases=3,463; N subjects=261,942)\*

|  | HR    | 95%   |       | parameter | SE    | P> z  |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-----------|-------|-------|
|  |       | CI    |       |           |       |       |
| Premenopausal duration (per year)                | 1.014 | 1.006 | 1.021 | 0.014     | 0.004 | 0.000 |
| Parous (yes/no)                                  | 0.483 | 0.415 | 0.562 | -0.729    | 0.037 | 0.000 |
| Time from menarche to first birth (per year)     | 1.035 | 1.026 | 1.044 | 0.035     | 0.004 | 0.000 |
| <i>Missing time from menarche to first birth</i> | 1.621 | 1.213 | 2.167 | 0.483     | 0.240 | 0.001 |
| Oral contraceptive use (ever)                    | 0.877 | 0.795 | 0.968 | -0.131    | 0.044 | 0.009 |
| <i>Missing oral contraceptive use</i>            | 0.806 | 0.686 | 0.945 | -0.216    | 0.066 | 0.008 |
| Height (cm)                                      | 1.005 | 1.001 | 1.009 | 0.005     | 0.002 | 0.018 |
| BMI in young adulthood, ages 18-24 (kg/m2)       | 0.955 | 0.943 | 0.968 | -0.046    | 0.006 | 0.000 |
| <i>Missing BMI in young adulthood</i>            | 0.968 | 0.818 | 1.146 | -0.032    | 0.083 | 0.706 |
| Alcohol, drinks/week                             | 1.011 | 1.004 | 1.018 | 0.011     | 0.004 | 0.003 |
| <i>Missing alcohol use</i>                       | 0.793 | 0.704 | 0.893 | -0.232    | 0.048 | 0.000 |
| Family history of breast cancer                  | 1.746 | 1.604 | 1.900 | 0.538     | 0.076 | 0.000 |
| History of benign breast disease                 | 1.712 | 1.592 | 1.842 | 0.557     | 0.235 | 0.000 |
| <i>Missing history of benign breast disease</i>  | 0.754 | 0.409 | 1.389 | -0.282    | 0.064 | 0.365 |

\*AUC derivation=0.620; AUC validation=0.613

Coefficient values for derivation data; Observations=566,843, Time at risk=2,335,477

**Table 3.8b.** Observed and expected cases by decile of risk score for birth index model\*

|                           | Risk decile |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|---------------------------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|                           | 1           | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  |
| Observed Cases            | 171         | 205 | 216 | 258 | 304 | 317 | 391 | 492 | 456 | 653 |
| Expected cases            | 162         | 206 | 233 | 260 | 294 | 337 | 393 | 436 | 478 | 664 |
| Hosmer-Lemeshow X2 , df=8 | 11.68       |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| P-value                   | 0.17        |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |

\*Within derivation data

## DISCUSSION

We developed a risk prediction model for premenopausal breast cancer using harmonized data from four large prospective cohorts. Several components of the Rosner-Colditz 2017 model remained significant for premenopausal women, including premenopausal duration, time from menarche to first birth, ever giving birth, height, alcohol use, weight in young adulthood (ages 18-24), history of benign breast disease, and family history of breast cancer. We found that ever use of oral contraceptive use was significant for premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction, while recent weight change and breastfeeding duration did not influence the risk prediction model. Testing the addition of birth index or parity to our model, we found that neither variable improved predictive ability of the model above that seen with the parous indicator alone. Addition of the PRS to the model did improve discrimination (AUC increase=0.02-0.032) and model calibration.

Several risk factors selected in our risk prediction model for premenopausal breast cancer are also included in the general breast cancer risk models which have been developed within majority postmenopausal women. For instance, time from menarche to first birth was positively associated with premenopausal breast cancer in our model. This “bump” variable, demonstrating an increase in breast cancer risk following first pregnancy, has been important in prior risk factor models with primarily postmenopausal women involved.<sup>5</sup> An additional year of premenopausal time was associated with increased risk of overall breast cancer of approximately 10% in the Rosner-Colditz 2017 model; we found that premenopausal duration was associated with a 2% increase in 5-year risk for premenopausal breast cancer. Because this study only includes premenopausal time, the duration variable is more accurately reflecting current age, whereas the variable captures the duration of premenopause, and not the age of participant, in the model developed in primarily postmenopausal women. We found high risks for benign breast disease history and family history of breast cancer in premenopausal women; these were notably higher than those reported previously for postmenopausal women, illustrating the additional importance of disease history in influencing premenopausal breast cancer risk. Alcohol use was associated with a small increase in risk among premenopausal women, as was height, which is consistent with findings in

postmenopausal women. Though significant, the relative strength of these risk factors remained quite small.

Several notable differences were also identified in our model. First, we found that parous (yes/no) was strongly associated with lower risk of premenopausal breast cancer in all models, with a reduction of approximately 51% in the main risk model. This simplified birth term was not originally examined in the 2017 model. When testing the use of birth index or parity (continuous) as the birth variable of interest, we found no improvement in model prediction, demonstrating that finer detail in birth information is not necessary to obtain adequate premenopausal breast cancer prediction. Notably, testing the addition of birth index resulted in a final model without birth index or time from menarche to first birth, but did include the addition of breastfeeding duration as a protective term. Our model derived using parity in place of parous showed a decreased risk in premenopausal breast cancer for every additional birth, though the magnitude of this decrease was much smaller than the magnitude for the protective effect of parous alone. With a single indicator, all births are wrapped into one variable, thus enhancing the magnitude of the effect. In future work, it would be worthwhile to model the parity term as current age- age at first birth instead, essentially incorporating a portion of the birth index term. In this way, parity will be able to accumulate its effect over time, instead of acting all at once, and the high missingness of birth index will not inhibit a more nuanced measure of parity.

Oral contraceptive use was associated with a reduced risk of premenopausal breast cancer in our risk prediction model; this is in opposition to findings from breast cancer literature.<sup>19,22</sup> Our assessment was of ever vs. never OC use; while the majority of participants were ever users (derivation data: 54% in NHS, 84% in NHSII, and 94% in GS), participants did not differ in other risk factors dependent on OC use. The timing, formulation, and duration of hormone use may all be important components to better capture this risk factor. For instance, some evidence suggests that use of oral contraceptives early in life (e.g., in teenage years) is associated with increased risk of premenopausal breast cancer, whereas later use of OCs is not associated with premenopausal breast cancer.<sup>23</sup> On the other hand, recent OC use was associated with increased risk of breast cancer among women under 50 years of age in a nested case-control study of 1,102 cases and 22,100 matched controls within a large US integrated health care

delivery system.<sup>19</sup> Difference in formulation may influence results; women on low-dose estrogen formulations were not at an increased risk of breast cancer.<sup>19</sup> Moreover, increased risk with current OC use may differ by progestin formulations, as previously observed in NHSII.<sup>24</sup> Another recent study demonstrated that this risk may be further dependent on breast cancer subtype, with recent use of OCs being associated with lower risk of HER2- overexpressing breast tumors and higher risk of luminal A breast cancers.<sup>25</sup> A study among Norwegian women comparing progestin-only and combined oral contraceptives (estrogen + progestin) found combined OC use was not associated with common subtypes of breast cancer (ER+/PR+) but was associated with increased risk of ER- breast cancers, while progestin-only use was associated with ER+ but not ER- breast cancers in premenopausal women.<sup>26</sup> Together, the evidence suggests that a much more detailed measurement of oral contraceptive use, with respect to formulation, duration, and recent vs. former use, needs to be incorporated in future risk prediction models to better capture the role of this risk factor. Stratification of risk prediction by ER/PR subtypes may also be necessary to distinguish risk profiles for premenopausal women.

As noted above, recent weight change and breastfeeding duration were not predictive of premenopausal breast cancer risk. Within the NHS, we observed an increased risk of both pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer with short-term (4-year) weight change.<sup>18</sup> In the Premenopausal Breast Cancer Collaborative Group, an inverse association was observed for BMI and breast cancer risk at all ages.<sup>27</sup> Though weight change in recent years was not evaluated in the consortium, the inverse relationship flattened out over time, with high BMIs at older ages less strongly associated with lower risk than high BMIs at younger ages. This supports the possibility that increases in weight over time may contribute to increased premenopausal breast cancer risk. If this is the case, it is possible that a short-term gain in weight may not be enough to override the general protective effect that higher BMI has on premenopausal breast cancer risk. Overall, the evidence suggests weight change, like BMI, may have a differential effect on pre- and postmenopausal breast cancers, though it does not appear important for premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction.

The evidence for breastfeeding thus far suggests that increased duration of breastfeeding is suggestively, though non-significantly, associated with decreased risk of premenopausal breast cancer;<sup>28,29</sup> we found that breastfeeding was not predictive of premenopausal breast cancer.

The addition of the PRS improved premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction, which aligns with previous findings with addition of a PRS to the Rosner-Colditz overall breast cancer model, developed in NHS and NHSII.<sup>30</sup> Addition of polygenic risk scores with varying numbers of SNPs to risk prediction models have shown benefit to discrimination of risk models in other cohorts as well. For example, addition of an 83-SNP PRS to lifestyle factors increased model discrimination by 0.03 in the Breast Cancer Surveillance Cohort (AUC with PRS=0.65 v. 0.62 without PRS).<sup>31</sup> A one-standard deviation increase in PRS was associated with a 55% increased risk of premenopausal breast cancer in our model. This is similar to the magnitude found when the same 313-SNP PRS was added to an overall breast cancer prediction model developed among 79 studies within the Breast Cancer Association Consortium (BCAC) (OR for PRS=1.61, 95% CI=1.57-1.65).<sup>32</sup> We found here that the addition of the PRS to our model decreased the HR for family history, aligning with previous literature. Attenuation of family history upon the addition of a 77-SNP PRS within BCAC ranged from 5% to 13% depending on age range.<sup>33</sup> For example, for women <40 years of age, the HR for family history without adjustment for PRS was 2.90 (95% CI=2.07-4.07), and 2.76 (95% CI=1.96-3.89) with adjustment for the PRS.<sup>33</sup>

This study's strengths lie in its combination of harmonized data from four separate prospective cohorts for an analysis of premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction. We were able to leverage the large number of premenopausal cases from the combined data to develop the prediction model in a statistically robust manner. Even after limiting our main analysis to individuals with complete covariate data, we had 3,524 cases in total.

We were limited in our ability to adequately assess certain risk factors of interest, such as OC use, as all cohorts included did not have information on duration, timing, and formulation of dose, limiting exploration of these factors. Missing data was a limitation here as well. We restricted our main analysis to individuals with complete covariate information. While our case numbers remained high, we did lose an entire cohort, the Sister Study, as information was not collected for young adulthood weight

in this study. Though analysis of all cohorts using the missing indicator method produced similar results to our complete covariate dataset, several missing indicators were significant in the model, making interpretation difficult. It is worth exploring whether the missing indicator method is introducing bias. As we move forward and extend this project into additional cohorts, it will be important to test other missing data methods, including multiple imputation, to determine if we can maintain the full dataset for analysis. Because some cohorts will be completely missing a variable of interest, imputation will need to be based on a reference dataset.

In conclusion, we developed a prediction model for premenopausal breast cancer with adequate discrimination. The final model included: premenopausal duration, parous (yes/no), time from menarche to first birth, ever OC use, height, BMI in young adulthood (age 18-24), alcohol use, family history of breast cancer, and history of benign breast disease. In subset analyses we observed that the addition of birth index or parity in place of the parous indicator did not improve the model fit, while addition of a PRS improved model discrimination. Our study confirms that several factors identified in earlier overall risk prediction models are also important in premenopausal risk prediction, though some factors were not included here. Current BMI, and detailed description of births via birth index, were not found to be important for premenopausal breast cancer prediction. Moreover, the relative increase in risk of premenopausal breast cancer differed for some risk factors as compared to overall breast cancer; family history and history of benign breast disease were more strongly predictive of premenopausal breast cancer. This study will be expanded to 16 additional cohorts from the Breast Cancer Collaborative Cohort to confirm findings, and missing data methods will be explored to best capture all cohorts.

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## DISCUSSION

In this dissertation I aimed to uncover potential etiologic mechanisms for breast cancer and to explore differences in risk profiles for pre- and postmenopausal breast cancers, through both metabolomics and risk prediction modeling.

In **Chapter 1**, I used a nested case-control study within the Nurses' Health Study (NHS) and took an agnostic approach to identify metabolites involved in breast cancer. This work revealed several classes of metabolite groups associated with breast cancer risk. It also provided evidence that associations between metabolites and breast cancer differed based on measurement time. I found that the class of cholesteryl esters were significantly inversely associated with breast cancer risk, especially >10 years prior to breast cancer diagnosis (normalized enrichment score (NES)=-2.26,  $p_{adj}=0.02$ ). I also found the association between triacylglycerols (TAGs) and breast cancer differed based on number of carbon atoms and double bonds. For example, TAGs with  $\geq 3$  double bonds were significantly inversely associated with breast cancer closer to diagnosis (NES=-2.91,  $p_{adj}=0.03$ ), and TAGs with <3 double bonds were significantly positively associated with breast cancer further from diagnosis (NES=2.57,  $p=0.02$ ). This finding suggests importance of metabolic dysregulation in breast cancer disease development, as TAGs are also differentially associated with insulin resistance based on number of carbon atoms and double bond status.<sup>1</sup> Moreover, due to the differences seen in metabolite associations based on timing of measurement, I hypothesized that metabolic actions may change across the life-course, thereby altering breast cancer risk over time. These findings led me to explore metabolic dysregulation more closely as an etiologic explanation for breast cancer, and to examine potential metabolic differences based on menopausal status.

In **Chapter 2**, I delved into the specific risk factor of adiposity to gain insights into metabolic dysregulation. Adiposity is known to act differentially in pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer; therefore, this provided a unique opportunity to explore how metabolite profiles or actions may change over time. In this analysis, I found glycerophosphocholines, TAGs with low numbers of double bonds,

branched-chain amino acids (BCAAs), and carnitines, were positively associated with adiposity measures. I created a metabolomic score for adiposity measures based on metabolites highly correlated with each adiposity measure. The metabolomic scores for adiposity predicted breast cancer risk better than self-reported measures in some cases, indicating importance of the metabolomic basis of adiposity factors in breast cancer risk. For example, the metabolic score for BMI had a stronger association with breast cancer than self-reported BMI in postmenopausal women (OR metabolomic score=1.42, 95% CI=1.03-1.97 vs. OR self-report=1.34, 95% CI=0.95-1.89). As expected, we observed inverse associations between adiposity measures and premenopausal breast cancer risk, but positive associations between adiposity measures and postmenopausal risk. However, the metabolomic score describing each adiposity measure was very similar when derived in premenopausal or derived in postmenopausal women, with a correlation between scores of 0.94-0.96. This suggests that altered metabolite action over the life-course, and not the metabolite composition itself, influences the differences in pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer risk. Closer examination of specific metabolite groups revealed several that may account for the difference in association between adiposity and breast cancer risk for pre- and postmenopausal women. For example, there is evidence that BCAAs are inversely related to premenopausal breast cancer risk,<sup>2</sup> but positively associated with postmenopausal risk.<sup>2-4</sup> BCAAs are also closely linked to insulin resistance,<sup>5</sup> further indicating the importance of metabolic dysregulation in breast cancer development that was noted in Chapter 1, especially given that markers of insulin resistance have also been associated with opposing associations for pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer.<sup>6</sup> I hypothesized that the different effects of adiposity on pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer risk may be related to the impact of metabolic-related oxidative stress on cancer development, as oxidative stress has been shown to act differently on pre- and post-menopausal cancers.<sup>7-9</sup>

Taken together, Chapters 1 and 2 identified groups of metabolites associated with breast cancer risk and applied metabolomics knowledge to explain the differences between pre- and postmenopausal risk. Given the finding that metabolites can act differentially depending on stage of a woman's life, it became apparent that risk factors for premenopausal cancer may not be the same as those known for

postmenopausal breast cancer. Because of this, there was a need to broadly explore premenopausal breast cancer risk factors

Thus, in **Chapter 3**, I focused solely on premenopausal breast cancer, and developed a risk prediction model using information from four large prospective cohorts. To develop this prediction model, I started from risk models previously created in primarily postmenopausal cohorts.<sup>10-12</sup> Candidate risk factors of oral contraceptive use, breastfeeding duration, and recent weight change were tested. Several factors identified in primarily postmenopausal risk prediction models were also predictive of risk of premenopausal breast cancer, while some factors that were important in models for primarily postmenopausal breast cancer were not essential to the risk prediction of premenopausal breast cancer, including BMI. This is interesting to note given the earlier finding that underlying mechanisms of metabolic dysregulation, perhaps not measured well enough by BMI itself, may be causing the differential associations seen between BMI and pre- vs. postmenopausal breast cancer. The model identified ever oral contraceptive as a protective factor unique to premenopausal risk prediction. This contrasts with expected associations based on previous epidemiologic literature and should be interpreted with caution based on the evaluation of ever vs. never use here, which does not capture finer details of recency, duration, and formulation.<sup>13-15</sup> It is possible that past users make up more of the ever users than current users, suggesting that latency of oral contraceptive use may be important for determining risk. The risk factor of family history was stronger in premenopausal women compared with previous risk models (HR premenopausal= 1.74, 95% CI=1.57-1.92 vs. HR primarily postmenopausal<sup>16</sup>= 1.53, 95% CI=1.43-1.64), indicating potential increased importance in inherited genetic factors for premenopausal breast cancer risk. Moreover, addition of the polygenic risk score (PRS) to our model improved discrimination (AUC increase 0.020-0.032). This information can inform exploration of metabolites and biologic pathways. It seems pertinent to focus on determining how metabolites are affected based on inherited genetic alterations within premenopausal women to expose areas for possible prevention mechanisms.

The major strength of this dissertation lies in the large datasets available for use in each of the studies. Over 300 metabolites were measured for agnostic evaluation of metabolites associated with

breast cancer for a total of 939 cases and controls. Metabolites were also measured at two different time points, allowing the unique ability to examine changes in metabolite associations with breast cancer over time. To evaluate metabolomics of adiposity measures and relation to breast cancer, a study of 1,652 cases and controls was used. Over half of participants were premenopausal at blood draw, and one-fourth were premenopausal at diagnosis, allowing the robust examination of differences by pre- vs. postmenopausal status at blood draw and at diagnosis. Finally, a total of 5,165 premenopausal breast cancer cases were available for risk prediction modeling, which is comparable to the dataset that was used to develop the most recent (2017) Rosner-Colditz prediction model in primarily postmenopausal breast cancer, a truly remarkable feat for the study of premenopausal breast cancer.

Despite these strengths, this dissertation has several limitations that should be addressed in future studies. While I was able to assess metabolites over time for many postmenopausal women using two blood collections within NHS, this was not possible for women diagnosed with premenopausal breast cancer given limited cases. This will be important data to gather in the future to enhance understanding of how metabolomic changes in pre-menopause influence premenopausal breast cancer risk. The inability to explore relationships in ER- breast cancer with robust statistical power due to limited cases is a limitation across all studies in this dissertation. Further work in consortium projects will be needed to reveal intricacies of metabolomic relationships for breast cancer by molecular subtype. Missing data posed threats to internal validity throughout this work. Missing data was perhaps the biggest barrier to the premenopausal risk prediction model. Ideally, imputation would be performed within individual cohorts to gather this missing data; however, because some of the cohorts used for this analysis were completely missing a variable of interest, missingness for that variable could not be imputed in such a manner. With that in mind, the difficulties of imputation led me to use complete data, which eliminated use of an entire cohort. Trial of the missing indicator method revealed difficulties in interpretation due to significant missing indicator variables. Future work will need to focus on how to combine cohort data while incorporating missing data in a statistically sound manner.

Overall, these studies increase understanding of breast cancer etiology by identifying potential metabolomic groups associated with breast cancer risk, examining how these metabolites act

differentially in pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer risk, and seeking out risk factors relevant to premenopausal breast cancer risk prediction to serve as a basis for further exploration. Future research will focus on continuing to uncover the mechanisms that underlie the action of breast cancer risk factors and evaluating how these mechanisms differ for pre- and postmenopausal breast cancer.

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**APPENDIX 1: Supplementary Materials Chapter 1**

**Supplemental Table 1.1.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of metabolite levels, measured at distant blood.\*\*

| Metabolite Name         | HMDB ID     | Class                               | Subclass                             | Unadjusted model |         | Multivariable adjusted <sup>^</sup> |         |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                         |             |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)      | p value | OR (95% CI)                         | p value |
| allantoin               | HMDB0000462 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.16 (0.91-1.48) | 0.235   | 1.06 (0.82-1.36)                    | 0.660   |
| urocanic acid           | HMDB0000301 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.99 (0.74-1.33) | 0.956   | 0.99 (0.74-1.34)                    | 0.969   |
| metronidazole           | HMDB0015052 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.15 (0.81-1.63) | 0.428   | 0.89 (0.61-1.31)                    | 0.563   |
| sulfamethoxazole        | HMDB0015150 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzenesulfonamides                  | 1.28 (0.89-1.82) | 0.181   | 1.35 (0.94-1.95)                    | 0.107   |
| 2-aminohippuric acid    | HMDB0001867 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.86 (0.68-1.09) | 0.219   | 0.8 (0.62-1.02)                     | 0.075   |
| 4-hydroxyhippurate      | HMDB0013678 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.88 (0.69-1.11) | 0.273   | 0.88 (0.69-1.11)                    | 0.278   |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.84 (0.66-1.06) | 0.148   | 0.9 (0.71-1.16)                     | 0.423   |
| N-acetylputrescine      | HMDB0002064 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.28 (1.01-1.63) | 0.042   | 1.22 (0.95-1.56)                    | 0.120   |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.23 (0.98-1.54) | 0.072   | 1.2 (0.95-1.52)                     | 0.121   |
| palmitoylethanolamide   | HMDB0002100 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.88 (0.68-1.13) | 0.315   | 0.84 (0.64-1.09)                    | 0.186   |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | HMDB0001276 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.83 (0.65-1.07) | 0.157   | 0.84 (0.65-1.08)                    | 0.178   |
| phenylalanine           | HMDB0000159 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.5 (1.17-1.94)  | 0.002   | 1.41 (1.08-1.85)                    | 0.012   |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|                   |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |                  |       |
|-------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| homoarginine      | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.41 (1.11-1.8)  | 0.005 | 1.3 (1.01-1.68)  | 0.039 |
| lysine            | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.38 (1.08-1.77) | 0.011 | 1.31 (1.01-1.69) | 0.040 |
| citrulline        | HMDB0000904  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.74 (0.58-0.94) | 0.015 | 0.78 (0.61-1)    | 0.051 |
| alanine           | HMDB0000161  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.37 (1.07-1.75) | 0.013 | 1.25 (0.96-1.61) | 0.094 |
| proline           | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.37 (1.07-1.75) | 0.012 | 1.33 (1.03-1.72) | 0.032 |
| histidine         | HMDB0000177  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.28 (0.99-1.66) | 0.061 | 1.22 (0.94-1.6)  | 0.138 |
| N-acetylhistidine | HMDB0032055  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.78 (0.61-0.99) | 0.041 | 0.82 (0.64-1.05) | 0.115 |
| oleoyl glycine    | HMDB0013631  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.81 (0.64-1.04) | 0.093 | 0.79 (0.61-1.01) | 0.065 |
| methionine        | HMDB0000696  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.22 (0.96-1.54) | 0.104 | 1.19 (0.93-1.52) | 0.160 |
| asparagine        | HMDB0000168  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.12 (0.87-1.44) | 0.377 | 1.18 (0.91-1.53) | 0.224 |
| threonine         | HMDB0000167  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.17 (0.92-1.49) | 0.209 | 1.2 (0.93-1.54)  | 0.162 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|                          |             |                                  |                                      |                  |       |                  |       |
|--------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| phenylacetylglutamine    | HMDB0006344 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.82 (0.65-1.04) | 0.096 | 0.84 (0.66-1.07) | 0.152 |
| tyrosine                 | HMDB0000158 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.27 (1-1.61)    | 0.054 | 1.11 (0.86-1.43) | 0.428 |
| isoleucine               | HMDB0000172 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.3 (1.03-1.65)  | 0.028 | 1.17 (0.9-1.51)  | 0.236 |
| ADMA/SDMA                | HMDB0001539 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.2 (0.93-1.54)  | 0.153 | 1.13 (0.87-1.46) | 0.351 |
| leucine                  | HMDB0000687 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.3 (1.03-1.65)  | 0.029 | 1.17 (0.9-1.51)  | 0.244 |
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | HMDB0001325 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.89 (0.7-1.13)  | 0.337 | 0.82 (0.64-1.05) | 0.112 |
| serine                   | HMDB0000187 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.85-1.4)  | 0.500 | 1.22 (0.94-1.58) | 0.134 |
| N-acetyltryptophan       | HMDB0013713 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.87 (0.69-1.09) | 0.228 | 0.83 (0.65-1.05) | 0.123 |
| N-acetylorithine         | HMDB0003357 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.86 (0.69-1.09) | 0.207 | 0.84 (0.66-1.06) | 0.137 |
| glycine                  | HMDB0000123 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.82 (0.64-1.04) | 0.102 | 0.89 (0.69-1.14) | 0.356 |
| NMMA                     | HMDB0029416 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.19 (0.93-1.51) | 0.162 | 1.09 (0.85-1.41) | 0.482 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

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|------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| pipecolic acid         | HMDB0000716  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.86-1.39) | 0.474 | 1.05 (0.82-1.35) | 0.683 |
| hydroxyproline         | HMDB0000725  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.387 | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.387 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate   | HMDB0003681  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.9 (0.71-1.15)  | 0.419 | 0.87 (0.68-1.12) | 0.279 |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.388 | 0.89 (0.69-1.13) | 0.333 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine   | HMDB0013287  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.14 (0.9-1.44)  | 0.289 | 1.07 (0.84-1.37) | 0.565 |
| N-lauroylglycine       | HMDB0013272  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.13 (0.88-1.46) | 0.326 | 1.08 (0.83-1.4)  | 0.562 |
| pantothenate           | HMDB0000210  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.93 (0.73-1.19) | 0.568 | 0.88 (0.68-1.12) | 0.297 |
| creatinine             | HMDB0000562  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.92 (0.73-1.17) | 0.506 | 0.92 (0.72-1.17) | 0.483 |
| aminoisobutyric acid   | HMDB0001906* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.84-1.37) | 0.582 | 1.07 (0.83-1.38) | 0.593 |
| N6-acetyllysine        | HMDB0000206* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.06 (0.84-1.34) | 0.615 | 1.02 (0.8-1.3)   | 0.888 |
| guanidinoacetic acid   | HMDB0000128  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.97 (0.77-1.22) | 0.792 | 1.08 (0.84-1.39) | 0.536 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

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|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| GABA                           | HMDB0000112  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.07 (0.84-1.36) | 0.575 | 0.99 (0.77-1.26) | 0.919 |
| valine                         | HMDB0000883  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.19 (0.94-1.5)  | 0.145 | 1.05 (0.82-1.36) | 0.687 |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid           | HMDB0000991* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.95 (0.76-1.19) | 0.645 | 0.97 (0.77-1.23) | 0.828 |
| betaine                        | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.91 (0.7-1.18)  | 0.475 | 0.97 (0.74-1.28) | 0.851 |
| 1-methylhistidine              | HMDB0000001  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.95 (0.75-1.21) | 0.673 | 0.94 (0.73-1.21) | 0.645 |
| glutamine                      | HMDB0000641  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.96 (0.76-1.22) | 0.749 | 1.06 (0.83-1.35) | 0.662 |
| proline betaine                | HMDB0004827  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.98 (0.77-1.24) | 0.863 | 1.06 (0.83-1.35) | 0.660 |
| creatine                       | HMDB0000064  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.02 (0.8-1.28)  | 0.897 | 0.98 (0.77-1.24) | 0.848 |
| dimethylglycine                | HMDB0000092  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.02 (0.8-1.3)   | 0.891 | 1.04 (0.81-1.33) | 0.773 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | HMDB0000544  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 0.88 (0.67-1.16) | 0.354 | 0.8 (0.6-1.06)   | 0.118 |
| cytosine                       | HMDB0000630  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 0.95 (0.74-1.23) | 0.703 | 0.94 (0.72-1.22) | 0.652 |
| C5-DC carnitine                | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.72 (0.57-0.92) | 0.007 | 0.73 (0.57-0.93) | 0.012 |
| C5:1 carnitine                 | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.8 (0.64-1.01)  | 0.064 | 0.73 (0.57-0.93) | 0.010 |
| C4 carnitine                   | HMDB0002013  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.89 (0.71-1.13) | 0.348 | 0.86 (0.67-1.09) | 0.208 |
| C14 carnitine                  | HMDB0005066  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.18 (0.93-1.5)  | 0.169 | 1.08 (0.85-1.39) | 0.522 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

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|----------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C4-OH carnitine      | HMDB0013127  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.2 (0.95-1.52)  | 0.131 | 1.1 (0.85-1.41)  | 0.468 |
| C14:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013331  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.86 (0.68-1.1)  | 0.234 | 0.86 (0.67-1.1)  | 0.221 |
| C12:1 carnitine      | HMDB0013326  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.91 (0.71-1.15) | 0.416 | 0.87 (0.68-1.12) | 0.275 |
| C3 carnitine         | HMDB0000824  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.96 (0.76-1.22) | 0.739 | 0.89 (0.69-1.14) | 0.344 |
| C10:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013325  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.91 (0.73-1.15) | 0.441 | 0.88 (0.69-1.11) | 0.285 |
| C12 carnitine        | HMDB0002250  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.373 | 0.86 (0.68-1.1)  | 0.241 |
| C10 carnitine        | HMDB0000651  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.393 | 0.89 (0.7-1.14)  | 0.351 |
| C8 carnitine         | HMDB0000791  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.92 (0.72-1.16) | 0.484 | 0.9 (0.7-1.14)   | 0.382 |
| C9 carnitine         | HMDB0013288  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.06 (0.85-1.33) | 0.605 | 1.06 (0.84-1.33) | 0.644 |
| C14:1 carnitine      | HMDB0002014  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.93 (0.73-1.18) | 0.542 | 0.9 (0.7-1.15)   | 0.411 |
| C26 carnitine        | HMDB0006347  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.97 (0.77-1.23) | 0.811 | 0.94 (0.73-1.2)  | 0.606 |
| C5 carnitine         | HMDB0000688  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.12 (0.89-1.41) | 0.326 | 1.02 (0.8-1.31)  | 0.850 |
| C7 carnitine         | HMDB0013238  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.05 (0.83-1.33) | 0.689 | 1.01 (0.79-1.29) | 0.956 |
| C6 carnitine         | HMDB0000705  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.03 (0.81-1.3)  | 0.813 | 0.95 (0.74-1.21) | 0.672 |
| C2 carnitine         | HMDB0000201  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.03 (0.81-1.3)  | 0.835 | 0.95 (0.74-1.23) | 0.717 |
| myristoleic acid     | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.03 (0.8-1.31)  | 0.829 | 1.04 (0.8-1.34)  | 0.776 |
| 3-dehydroxycarnitine | HMDB0006831  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 0.99 (0.78-1.27) | 0.967 | 1 (0.78-1.29)    | 0.996 |
| C34:2 DAG            | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.36 (1.08-1.72) | 0.009 | 1.23 (0.96-1.59) | 0.104 |
| C34:3 DAG            | HMDB0007132* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.23 (0.99-1.54) | 0.066 | 1.12 (0.88-1.42) | 0.364 |
| C36:3 DAG            | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.16 (0.93-1.45) | 0.197 | 1.11 (0.87-1.42) | 0.385 |
| C36:4 DAG            | HMDB0007248* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.05 (0.84-1.32) | 0.643 | 1.05 (0.83-1.33) | 0.685 |
| C32:0 DAG            | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.46 (1.14-1.85) | 0.002 | 1.26 (0.96-1.63) | 0.091 |
| C34:0 DAG            | HMDB0007100* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.38 (1.09-1.76) | 0.008 | 1.17 (0.9-1.52)  | 0.246 |
| C34:1 DAG            | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.33 (1.06-1.69) | 0.016 | 1.17 (0.9-1.52)  | 0.232 |
| C32:1 DAG            | HMDB0007099* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.29 (1.02-1.63) | 0.032 | 1.13 (0.88-1.47) | 0.337 |



Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

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|-----------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C36:1 DAG | HMDB0007216* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.28 (1.01-1.62) | 0.040 | 1.09 (0.85-1.41) | 0.491 |
| C36:2 DAG | HMDB0007218* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.22 (0.97-1.54) | 0.092 | 1.1 (0.85-1.41)  | 0.470 |
| C38:5 DAG | HMDB0007199* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.1 (0.87-1.39)  | 0.411 | 1 (0.78-1.28)    | 0.987 |
| C51:0 TAG | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.46 (1.15-1.86) | 0.002 | 1.3 (1.01-1.68)  | 0.044 |
| C43:0 TAG | HMDB0042062* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.39 (1.09-1.77) | 0.009 | 1.28 (0.99-1.65) | 0.059 |
| C43:2 TAG | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.41 (1.11-1.79) | 0.005 | 1.24 (0.96-1.6)  | 0.096 |
| C55:2 TAG | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.41 (1.11-1.79) | 0.005 | 1.29 (1-1.66)    | 0.054 |
| C43:1 TAG | HMDB0042098* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.4 (1.1-1.78)   | 0.006 | 1.25 (0.97-1.6)  | 0.088 |
| C48:0 TAG | HMDB0005356* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.38 (1.09-1.76) | 0.007 | 1.17 (0.91-1.52) | 0.225 |
| C50:0 TAG | HMDB0005357* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.4 (1.1-1.78)   | 0.006 | 1.18 (0.9-1.53)  | 0.226 |
| C50:1 TAG | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.41 (1.11-1.79) | 0.004 | 1.2 (0.92-1.57)  | 0.173 |
| C51:1 TAG | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.39 (1.09-1.75) | 0.007 | 1.26 (0.97-1.62) | 0.082 |
| C52:0 TAG | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.37 (1.08-1.74) | 0.009 | 1.17 (0.9-1.52)  | 0.231 |
| C50:2 TAG | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.39 (1.1-1.76)  | 0.006 | 1.2 (0.93-1.57)  | 0.166 |
| C45:2 TAG | HMDB0043170* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.35 (1.06-1.71) | 0.014 | 1.19 (0.92-1.53) | 0.183 |
| C56:1 TAG | HMDB0005396* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.34 (1.05-1.71) | 0.021 | 1.17 (0.9-1.52)  | 0.241 |
| C56:2 TAG | HMDB0005404* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.31 (1.03-1.67) | 0.029 | 1.16 (0.9-1.5)   | 0.243 |
| C52:1 TAG | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.34 (1.06-1.7)  | 0.014 | 1.13 (0.87-1.47) | 0.358 |
| C56:3 TAG | HMDB0005410* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (1-1.61)    | 0.053 | 1.2 (0.93-1.53)  | 0.160 |
| C46:0 TAG | HMDB0010411* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.29 (1.02-1.64) | 0.034 | 1.11 (0.86-1.43) | 0.416 |
| C44:0 TAG | HMDB0042063* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.3 (1.02-1.65)  | 0.031 | 1.15 (0.89-1.48) | 0.295 |
| C45:1 TAG | HMDB0042099* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.29 (1.02-1.64) | 0.034 | 1.17 (0.91-1.5)  | 0.217 |
| C54:1 TAG | HMDB0005395* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.31 (1.03-1.66) | 0.029 | 1.13 (0.87-1.46) | 0.353 |
| C48:1 TAG | HMDB0005359* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.3 (1.03-1.65)  | 0.026 | 1.11 (0.86-1.44) | 0.408 |
| C49:2 TAG | HMDB0011706* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.26 (1-1.58)    | 0.054 | 1.17 (0.92-1.49) | 0.202 |
| C47:1 TAG | HMDB0042100* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.98-1.56) | 0.079 | 1.14 (0.89-1.45) | 0.302 |
| C49:1 TAG | HMDB0011705* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.99-1.53) | 0.065 | 1.12 (0.89-1.41) | 0.332 |
| C52:2 TAG | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.3 (1.03-1.65)  | 0.027 | 1.16 (0.89-1.51) | 0.277 |
| C54:2 TAG | HMDB0005403* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.28 (1.01-1.62) | 0.044 | 1.13 (0.88-1.46) | 0.343 |
| C58:8 TAG | HMDB0005413* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.12 (0.89-1.41) | 0.332 | 1.11 (0.88-1.41) | 0.380 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|            |              |               |                  |                  |       |                  |       |
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| C50:3 TAG  | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (1.01-1.61) | 0.044 | 1.14 (0.88-1.47) | 0.326 |
| C47:2 TAG  | HMDB0042076* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.97-1.56) | 0.082 | 1.12 (0.87-1.43) | 0.373 |
| C56:6 TAG  | HMDB0005456* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.92 (0.73-1.16) | 0.502 | 0.88 (0.69-1.11) | 0.278 |
| C51:2 TAG  | HMDB0005362* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.97-1.54) | 0.091 | 1.14 (0.89-1.46) | 0.300 |
| C56:5 TAG  | HMDB0005406* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.91 (0.72-1.15) | 0.443 | 0.87 (0.68-1.11) | 0.251 |
| C58:9 TAG  | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.04 (0.82-1.32) | 0.733 | 1.09 (0.85-1.4)  | 0.493 |
| C58:7 TAG  | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.88 (0.7-1.12)  | 0.311 | 0.88 (0.68-1.13) | 0.307 |
| C46:1 TAG  | HMDB0010412* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.21 (0.96-1.53) | 0.105 | 1.06 (0.82-1.36) | 0.655 |
| C52:4 TAG  | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.16 (0.93-1.45) | 0.195 | 1.15 (0.9-1.45)  | 0.267 |
| C60:12 TAG | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.05 (0.83-1.34) | 0.675 | 1.04 (0.81-1.33) | 0.755 |
| C56:7 TAG  | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.13 (0.9-1.43)  | 0.295 | 1.08 (0.85-1.38) | 0.524 |
| C51:3 TAG  | HMDB0011701* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.18 (0.94-1.49) | 0.154 | 1.19 (0.92-1.53) | 0.181 |
| C49:3 TAG  | HMDB0042103* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.93-1.48) | 0.182 | 1.15 (0.89-1.47) | 0.286 |
| C46:2 TAG  | HMDB0010419* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.21 (0.96-1.53) | 0.112 | 1.06 (0.82-1.36) | 0.659 |
| C54:9 TAG  | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.01 (0.8-1.27)  | 0.959 | 0.93 (0.72-1.18) | 0.539 |
| C56:4 TAG  | HMDB0005398* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.06 (0.84-1.34) | 0.630 | 1.08 (0.85-1.38) | 0.536 |
| C48:2 TAG  | HMDB0005376* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.19 (0.94-1.5)  | 0.151 | 1.03 (0.8-1.32)  | 0.846 |
| C54:5 TAG  | HMDB0005385* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.86-1.36) | 0.504 | 1.11 (0.87-1.41) | 0.405 |
| C55:3 TAG  | HMDB0042466* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.02 (0.81-1.29) | 0.851 | 1.13 (0.88-1.44) | 0.335 |
| C58:6 TAG  | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.96 (0.74-1.23) | 0.735 | 0.93 (0.72-1.21) | 0.589 |
| C53:2 TAG  | HMDB0042196* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.14 (0.9-1.44)  | 0.282 | 1.11 (0.86-1.43) | 0.413 |
| C56:10 TAG | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.01 (0.8-1.28)  | 0.924 | 0.94 (0.73-1.2)  | 0.604 |
| C52:6 TAG  | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.86-1.36) | 0.523 | 1 (0.78-1.28)    | 0.987 |
| C56:8 TAG  | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.01 (0.8-1.27)  | 0.937 | 1.02 (0.8-1.3)   | 0.872 |
| C58:11 TAG | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.04 (0.82-1.32) | 0.758 | 0.97 (0.76-1.25) | 0.836 |
| C58:10 TAG | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.95 (0.75-1.21) | 0.698 | 0.97 (0.76-1.24) | 0.806 |
| C54:3 TAG  | HMDB0005405* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.07 (0.84-1.35) | 0.593 | 1.06 (0.83-1.35) | 0.661 |
| C54:4 TAG  | HMDB0005370* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.99 (0.79-1.25) | 0.957 | 1.04 (0.82-1.32) | 0.755 |
| C54:7 TAG  | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.02 (0.81-1.29) | 0.839 | 0.99 (0.78-1.26) | 0.953 |
| C50:6 TAG  | HMDB0010497* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.11 (0.88-1.4)  | 0.371 | 0.99 (0.77-1.27) | 0.948 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

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| C50:5 TAG                 | HMDB0010471* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.14 (0.9-1.43)  | 0.283 | 1.03 (0.8-1.33)  | 0.811 |
| C52:7 TAG                 | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.1 (0.87-1.39)  | 0.415 | 1 (0.78-1.28)    | 0.990 |
| C53:3 TAG                 | HMDB0043058* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.04 (0.83-1.3)  | 0.735 | 1.1 (0.86-1.4)   | 0.459 |
| C48:3 TAG                 | HMDB0005432* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.13 (0.9-1.43)  | 0.297 | 1 (0.78-1.29)    | 0.995 |
| C56:9 TAG                 | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.03 (0.81-1.3)  | 0.835 | 0.98 (0.77-1.25) | 0.862 |
| C54:8 TAG                 | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.07 (0.85-1.35) | 0.560 | 0.99 (0.78-1.26) | 0.932 |
| C54:6 TAG                 | HMDB0005391* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1 (0.79-1.25)    | 0.986 | 1.04 (0.82-1.32) | 0.763 |
| C22:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.78 (0.61-0.99) | 0.041 | 0.78 (0.6-1)     | 0.047 |
| C18:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.8 (0.62-1.03)  | 0.082 | 0.78 (0.6-1.01)  | 0.060 |
| C32:1 PC                  | HMDB0007873* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.33 (1.05-1.7)  | 0.020 | 1.15 (0.89-1.5)  | 0.280 |
| C32:0 PC                  | HMDB0007871* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.22 (0.96-1.55) | 0.108 | 1.13 (0.88-1.45) | 0.338 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.85 (0.68-1.07) | 0.158 | 0.82 (0.65-1.04) | 0.104 |
| C18:2 LPC                 | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.77 (0.6-0.99)  | 0.039 | 0.81 (0.62-1.05) | 0.114 |
| C34:1 PC                  | HMDB0007972* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.23 (0.97-1.55) | 0.090 | 1.09 (0.85-1.39) | 0.519 |
| C38:6 PC                  | HMDB0007991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.16 (0.9-1.49)  | 0.250 | 1.15 (0.89-1.49) | 0.288 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011211* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.81 (0.64-1.01) | 0.065 | 0.84 (0.66-1.08) | 0.172 |
| C18:1 LPC                 | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.81 (0.64-1.04) | 0.094 | 0.83 (0.64-1.07) | 0.152 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011239* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.06 (0.84-1.33) | 0.630 | 1.13 (0.89-1.44) | 0.313 |
| C20:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.8 (0.62-1.03)  | 0.080 | 0.83 (0.64-1.08) | 0.170 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

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| C30:1 PC                  | HMDB0007870* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.21 (0.95-1.53) | 0.122 | 1.07 (0.83-1.38) | 0.591 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-A | HMDB0011221* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.379 | 0.84 (0.66-1.07) | 0.161 |
| C30:0 PC                  | HMDB0007869* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.16 (0.91-1.47) | 0.219 | 1.03 (0.8-1.32)  | 0.830 |
| C40:9 PC                  | HMDB0008731* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.09 (0.85-1.4)  | 0.498 | 1.1 (0.85-1.42)  | 0.470 |
| C32:2 PC                  | HMDB0007874* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.19 (0.93-1.52) | 0.160 | 1.05 (0.81-1.36) | 0.698 |
| C40:10 PC                 | HMDB0008511* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.12 (0.87-1.43) | 0.379 | 1.08 (0.84-1.39) | 0.551 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011252* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.92 (0.73-1.16) | 0.498 | 0.95 (0.75-1.2)  | 0.646 |
| C14:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010379  | Glycerophospholipids  | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.16 (0.93-1.46) | 0.194 | 1.02 (0.8-1.29)  | 0.876 |
| C16:1 LPC                 | HMDB0010383* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.12 (0.89-1.4)  | 0.347 | 1.04 (0.82-1.32) | 0.755 |
| C22:6 LPC                 | HMDB0010404  | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1 (0.79-1.28)    | 0.977 | 1.05 (0.81-1.35) | 0.714 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011208* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.98 (0.78-1.23) | 0.860 | 1.07 (0.84-1.36) | 0.594 |
| C40:6 PC                  | HMDB0008057* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.09 (0.85-1.39) | 0.500 | 1.08 (0.84-1.38) | 0.557 |
| C38:7 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011229* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.94 (0.75-1.18) | 0.592 | 0.94 (0.74-1.19) | 0.586 |
| C38:3 PC                  | HMDB0008047* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.1 (0.87-1.4)   | 0.424 | 0.94 (0.73-1.22) | 0.655 |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011243* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.396 | 1 (0.78-1.29)    | 0.972 |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011310* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.91 (0.72-1.16) | 0.454 | 0.99 (0.77-1.27) | 0.958 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

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| C16:0 LPC               | HMDB0010382  | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines       | 1.01 (0.8-1.27)  | 0.927 | 0.95 (0.75-1.21) | 0.682 |
| C36:1 PC                | HMDB0008038* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines       | 1.04 (0.83-1.31) | 0.711 | 0.94 (0.74-1.19) | 0.610 |
| C36:4 PC-B              | HMDB0008138* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines       | 1.07 (0.83-1.37) | 0.614 | 0.98 (0.76-1.27) | 0.890 |
| C18:3 LPC               | HMDB0010387* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines       | 1 (0.79-1.26)    | 0.978 | 0.94 (0.74-1.2)  | 0.627 |
| C22:0 LPE               | HMDB0011520  | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.69 (0.54-0.89) | 0.004 | 0.75 (0.58-0.98) | 0.035 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011387* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.82 (0.65-1.03) | 0.088 | 0.78 (0.61-0.99) | 0.039 |
| C36:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011410* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.84 (0.66-1.06) | 0.134 | 0.8 (0.63-1.01)  | 0.063 |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011442* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.79 (0.63-1)    | 0.050 | 0.81 (0.63-1.02) | 0.078 |
| C34:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011343* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.81 (0.64-1.02) | 0.072 | 0.82 (0.64-1.03) | 0.092 |
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009016* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.09 (0.86-1.37) | 0.477 | 1.19 (0.93-1.52) | 0.172 |
| C38:5 PE                | HMDB0009069* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.89 (0.7-1.15)  | 0.374 | 0.86 (0.66-1.1)  | 0.233 |
| C22:6 LPE               | HMDB0011526  | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.15 (0.91-1.46) | 0.246 | 1.14 (0.89-1.46) | 0.287 |
| C38:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011386* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.88 (0.7-1.11)  | 0.280 | 0.84 (0.66-1.06) | 0.147 |
| C34:0 PE                | HMDB0008925* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.17 (0.93-1.47) | 0.191 | 1.15 (0.9-1.45)  | 0.260 |
| C36:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011441* | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.88 (0.7-1.11)  | 0.272 | 0.88 (0.69-1.11) | 0.280 |
| C16:0 LPE               | HMDB0011503  | Glycero-phospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.08 (0.85-1.36) | 0.521 | 1.07 (0.84-1.37) | 0.560 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|                         |              |                           |                                  |                  |       |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C36:0 PE                | HMDB0008991* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.1 (0.87-1.38)  | 0.431 | 1.11 (0.88-1.4)  | 0.389 |
| C36:2 PE                | HMDB0008994* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.19 (0.94-1.51) | 0.158 | 1.07 (0.83-1.37) | 0.618 |
| C34:2 PE                | HMDB0008928* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.18 (0.92-1.5)  | 0.186 | 1.08 (0.84-1.38) | 0.567 |
| C32:0 PE                | HMDB0008923* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.12 (0.89-1.41) | 0.351 | 1.07 (0.85-1.36) | 0.559 |
| C38:2 PE                | HMDB0008942* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.89 (0.71-1.11) | 0.303 | 0.99 (0.78-1.25) | 0.932 |
| C38:4 PE                | HMDB0009003* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.02 (0.8-1.3)   | 0.890 | 0.91 (0.71-1.18) | 0.483 |
| C36:1 PE                | HMDB0008993* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.19 (0.93-1.51) | 0.170 | 1.04 (0.8-1.35)  | 0.774 |
| C40:6 PE                | HMDB0009012* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.15 (0.9-1.48)  | 0.265 | 1.03 (0.79-1.34) | 0.815 |
| C18:2 LPE               | HMDB0011507* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.01 (0.79-1.29) | 0.916 | 1.02 (0.79-1.31) | 0.882 |
| C36:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009082* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.96 (0.76-1.2)  | 0.718 | 0.91 (0.72-1.16) | 0.460 |
| C20:4 LPE               | HMDB0011517  | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.97 (0.76-1.22) | 0.771 | 0.95 (0.75-1.21) | 0.691 |
| C38:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011420* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.03 (0.81-1.31) | 0.785 | 0.97 (0.76-1.25) | 0.831 |
| C18:1 LPE               | HMDB0011506* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1 (0.79-1.27)    | 0.994 | 0.99 (0.78-1.27) | 0.943 |
| C40:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011394* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.96 (0.76-1.21) | 0.724 | 0.96 (0.76-1.22) | 0.740 |
| C34:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0008952* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1 (0.8-1.26)     | 0.980 | 0.96 (0.76-1.22) | 0.747 |
| C36:3 PE                | HMDB0009060* | Glycero-<br>phospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.03 (0.81-1.31) | 0.809 | 0.99 (0.77-1.27) | 0.935 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|   |              |                         |  |                  |       |                  |       |
|---|--------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C18:0 LPE   | HMDB0011130  | Glycero-phospholipids   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines             | 0.98 (0.78-1.24) | 0.890 | 0.94 (0.74-1.2)  | 0.641 |
| C38:6 PE  | HMDB0009102* | Glycero-phospholipids   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines             | 1.04 (0.8-1.35)  | 0.758 | 0.98 (0.75-1.27) | 0.861 |
| C36:4 PE  | HMDB0008937* | Glycero-phospholipids   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines             | 1.06 (0.82-1.35) | 0.664 | 0.96 (0.75-1.25) | 0.785 |
| C38:4 PI  | HMDB0009815* | Glycero-phospholipids   | Glycerophosphoinositols                  | 0.95 (0.75-1.22) | 0.708 | 0.9 (0.7-1.16)   | 0.412 |
| C34:0 PS  | HMDB0012356* | Glycero-phospholipids   | Glycerophosphoserines                    | 1.09 (0.86-1.38) | 0.497 | 0.95 (0.74-1.21) | 0.662 |
| 1-methylguanine                                     | HMDB0003282  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.2 (0.95-1.53)  | 0.129 | 1.13 (0.88-1.45) | 0.333 |
| 7-methylguanine                                     | HMDB0000897  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.12 (0.88-1.43) | 0.347 | 1.02 (0.79-1.32) | 0.880 |
| caffeine  | HMDB0001847  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.1 (0.87-1.39)  | 0.441 | 1.02 (0.79-1.3)  | 0.901 |
| uric acid   | HMDB0000289  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.07 (0.84-1.36) | 0.592 | 0.87 (0.67-1.14) | 0.325 |
| 1,7-dimethyluric acid                               | HMDB0011103  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.97 (0.77-1.22) | 0.799 | 0.92 (0.73-1.17) | 0.507 |
| 3-methylxanthine                                    | HMDB0001886  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1 (0.8-1.26)     | 0.967 | 0.98 (0.78-1.24) | 0.871 |
| 7-methylxanthine                                    | HMDB0001991  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1 (0.8-1.25)     | 0.988 | 0.99 (0.78-1.24) | 0.918 |
| tryptophan  | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.11 (0.88-1.41) | 0.373 | 1.08 (0.85-1.38) | 0.510 |
| serotonin   | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives | Tryptamines and derivatives              | 1.16 (0.91-1.47) | 0.230 | 1.26 (0.99-1.62) | 0.065 |
| thyroxine   | HMDB0000248  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.5 (1.16-1.95)  | 0.002 | 1.56 (1.19-2.05) | 0.001 |
| 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole methyl N-methylantranilate | HMDB0032390  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.82 (0.65-1.03) | 0.084 | 0.79 (0.63-1)    | 0.051 |
| e   | HMDB0034169  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.21 (0.96-1.52) | 0.116 | 1.15 (0.91-1.47) | 0.239 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|                              |              |   |            |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------------------------|--------------|---|------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C20:4 LPC                    | HMDB0010395  | NA  | NA         | 0.82 (0.65-1.04) | 0.107 | 0.82 (0.64-1.05) | 0.116 |
| trigonelline                 | HMDB0000875  | NA  | NA         | 0.83 (0.66-1.04) | 0.109 | 0.82 (0.64-1.04) | 0.099 |
| C20:1 LPE                    | HMDB0011512* | NA  | NA         | 0.86 (0.67-1.09) | 0.214 | 0.87 (0.68-1.11) | 0.260 |
| piperine                     | HMDB0029377  | NA  | NA         | 0.94 (0.74-1.18) | 0.574 | 0.85 (0.67-1.09) | 0.202 |
| C36:3 PC                     |              |   |            |                  |       |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                  | HMDB0011244* | NA  | NA         | 0.83 (0.66-1.04) | 0.104 | 0.9 (0.7-1.15)   | 0.393 |
| coenzyme Q10                 | HMDB0001072  | NA  | NA         | 0.89 (0.7-1.12)  | 0.307 | 0.88 (0.69-1.12) | 0.295 |
| C34:2 PC                     |              |   |            |                  |       |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                  | HMDB0011210* | NA  | NA         | 0.96 (0.76-1.21) | 0.734 | 1.01 (0.79-1.3)  | 0.930 |
| DMGV                         | HMDB0240212  | NA  | NA         | 1.07 (0.84-1.36) | 0.595 | 0.92 (0.7-1.21)  | 0.549 |
| C34:5 PC                     |              |   |            |                  |       |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                  | HMDB0011214* | NA  | NA         | 0.95 (0.75-1.2)  | 0.681 | 0.92 (0.72-1.17) | 0.484 |
| C20:1 LPC                    | HMDB0010391* | NA  | NA         | 1 (0.78-1.28)    | 0.999 | 0.94 (0.72-1.22) | 0.634 |
| cerulenin                    | HMDB0015168  | NA  | NA         | 0.98 (0.78-1.23) | 0.868 | 0.91 (0.72-1.15) | 0.449 |
| valsartan                    | HMDB0014323  | NA  | NA         | 1.03 (0.76-1.41) | 0.837 | 1.09 (0.79-1.5)  | 0.595 |
| C18:3 LPE                    | HMDB0011478* | NA  | NA         | 1.02 (0.8-1.3)   | 0.854 | 0.98 (0.76-1.25) | 0.865 |
| C34:4 PC                     | HMDB0007883* | NA  | NA         | 1.12 (0.87-1.43) | 0.389 | 0.98 (0.75-1.27) | 0.875 |
| deoxyguanosine               | HMDB0000085  | NA  | NA         | 0.99 (0.77-1.27) | 0.934 | 0.99 (0.76-1.28) | 0.923 |
|                              |              | Nucleoside<br>and nucleotide<br>analogues       | NA         |                  |       |                  |       |
| pseudouridine                | HMDB0000767  |   |            | 0.93 (0.72-1.21) | 0.598 | 0.81 (0.62-1.07) | 0.137 |
|                              |              | Organic<br>carbonic acids<br>and<br>derivatives | Ureas      |                  |       |                  |       |
| N-carbamoyl-<br>beta-alanine | HMDB0000026  |   |            | 0.98 (0.77-1.25) | 0.869 | 0.9 (0.7-1.15)   | 0.391 |
|                              |              | Organonitroge<br>n compounds                    | Amines     |                  |       |                  |       |
| 1-<br>methylhistamine        | HMDB0000898  |   |            | 1.23 (0.97-1.56) | 0.085 | 1.15 (0.9-1.47)  | 0.256 |
|                              |              | Organonitroge<br>n compounds                    | Aminoxides |                  |       |                  |       |
| trimethylamine-<br>N-oxide   | HMDB0000925  |   |            | 1.03 (0.82-1.3)  | 0.785 | 0.96 (0.75-1.21) | 0.711 |
|                              |              | Organonitroge<br>n compounds                    | Guanidines |                  |       |                  |       |
| metformin                    | HMDB0001921  |   |            | 1.1 (0.64-1.89)  | 0.738 | 1.27 (0.72-2.22) | 0.407 |



Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|                                    |             |                           |  |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|--|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| carnitine                          | HMDB0000062 | Organonitrogen compounds  | Quaternary ammonium salts                                  | 0.98 (0.77-1.25) | 0.862 | 0.9 (0.69-1.16)  | 0.400 |
| phosphocholine                     | HMDB0001565 | Organonitrogen compounds  | Quaternary ammonium salts                                  | 1.04 (0.81-1.32) | 0.771 | 1.02 (0.8-1.31)  | 0.863 |
| acetyl-galactosamine               | HMDB0000212 | Organooxygen compounds    | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates                  | 1.42 (1.1-1.84)  | 0.008 | 1.35 (1.02-1.77) | 0.035 |
| 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone     | HMDB0059824 | Organooxygen compounds    | Carbonyl compounds<br>1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids | 1.08 (0.82-1.42) | 0.583 | 1.05 (0.79-1.39) | 0.760 |
| acetaminophen                      | HMDB0001859 | Phenols                   |  | 1.03 (0.8-1.34)  | 0.810 | 1.02 (0.78-1.32) | 0.911 |
| guanosine                          | HMDB0000133 | Purine nucleosides        | NA   | 0.77 (0.61-0.97) | 0.027 | 0.78 (0.61-0.99) | 0.041 |
| 2-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0005862 | Purine nucleosides        | NA   | 1.38 (1.07-1.77) | 0.014 | 1.32 (1.01-1.72) | 0.039 |
| 1-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0001563 | Purine nucleosides        | NA   | 1.34 (1.05-1.71) | 0.018 | 1.2 (0.92-1.55)  | 0.172 |
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | HMDB0004824 | Purine nucleosides        | NA   | 1.07 (0.82-1.39) | 0.642 | 0.92 (0.69-1.23) | 0.574 |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | HMDB0004193 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives                   | 0.92 (0.73-1.16) | 0.462 | 0.91 (0.72-1.16) | 0.443 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide               | HMDB0000699 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives                   | 0.9 (0.71-1.14)  | 0.397 | 0.91 (0.71-1.16) | 0.429 |
| pyridoxamine                       | HMDB0001431 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridoxamines  | 1.25 (0.97-1.62) | 0.083 | 1.16 (0.89-1.52) | 0.262 |
| cotinine                           | HMDB0001046 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyrrolidiny pyridines                                      | 1.13 (0.89-1.44) | 0.302 | 1.12 (0.87-1.43) | 0.392 |
| N4-acetylcytidine                  | HMDB0005923 | Pyrimidine nucleosides    | NA   | 1.24 (0.97-1.59) | 0.080 | 1.1 (0.85-1.43)  | 0.458 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|  |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |                  |       |
|--|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| ribothymidine                            | HMDB0000884  | Pyrimidine nucleosides           | NA                                   | 0.94 (0.74-1.2)  | 0.630 | 0.94 (0.73-1.21) | 0.629 |
| kynurenic acid                           | HMDB0000715  | Quinolines and derivatives       | Quinoline carboxylic acids           | 0.94 (0.74-1.21) | 0.648 | 0.83 (0.64-1.07) | 0.149 |
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.28 (1.01-1.63) | 0.040 | 1.17 (0.92-1.5)  | 0.205 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.22 (0.96-1.56) | 0.096 | 1.17 (0.91-1.5)  | 0.211 |
| C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004956  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.02 (0.81-1.3)  | 0.844 | 0.92 (0.72-1.18) | 0.514 |
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.12 (0.88-1.43) | 0.347 | 1.01 (0.78-1.3)  | 0.942 |
| C14:0 SM                                 | HMDB0012097  | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 1.24 (0.97-1.57) | 0.082 | 1.1 (0.86-1.41)  | 0.452 |
| C22:1 SM                                 | HMDB0012104* | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 1 (0.79-1.26)    | 0.972 | 0.97 (0.76-1.24) | 0.835 |
| glycodeoxycholate/glycochenodeoxycholate | HMDB0000631* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 1.3 (1.02-1.66)  | 0.034 | 1.24 (0.96-1.59) | 0.098 |
| glycocholate                             | HMDB0000138  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 1.25 (0.98-1.59) | 0.070 | 1.19 (0.93-1.53) | 0.168 |
| cholesterol                              | HMDB0000067  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholestane steroids                  | 1.06 (0.84-1.34) | 0.644 | 0.98 (0.77-1.25) | 0.884 |
| campesterol                              | HMDB0002869  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Ergostane steroids                   | 1.03 (0.81-1.31) | 0.792 | 0.97 (0.76-1.24) | 0.798 |
| cortisone                                | HMDB0002802  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 0.85 (0.66-1.09) | 0.195 | 0.87 (0.67-1.13) | 0.287 |
| cortisol                                 | HMDB0000063  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 0.86 (0.67-1.11) | 0.253 | 0.88 (0.68-1.14) | 0.341 |

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|                  |              |                                  |                    |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| 21-deoxycortisol | HMDB0004030  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Pregnane steroids  | 0.95 (0.75-1.21) | 0.668 | 1.01 (0.78-1.3)  | 0.950 |
| C22:5 CE         | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.61 (0.48-0.77) | 0.000 | 0.67 (0.52-0.86) | 0.002 |
| C18:3 CE         | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.7 (0.55-0.88)  | 0.003 | 0.69 (0.54-0.89) | 0.004 |
| C18:0 CE         | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.72 (0.57-0.92) | 0.008 | 0.78 (0.6-1)     | 0.051 |
| C20:4 CE         | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.73 (0.58-0.93) | 0.009 | 0.81 (0.63-1.03) | 0.085 |
| C20:5 CE         | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.75 (0.6-0.95)  | 0.016 | 0.74 (0.58-0.95) | 0.017 |
| C18:2 CE         | HMDB0000610* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.74 (0.58-0.94) | 0.014 | 0.82 (0.63-1.07) | 0.151 |
| C18:1 CE         | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.76 (0.6-0.96)  | 0.023 | 0.83 (0.64-1.07) | 0.146 |
| C20:3 CE         | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.81 (0.64-1.01) | 0.066 | 0.84 (0.66-1.06) | 0.142 |
| C16:0 CE         | HMDB0000885  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.78 (0.61-0.98) | 0.035 | 0.85 (0.66-1.1)  | 0.208 |
| C16:1 CE         | HMDB0000658* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 1.1 (0.88-1.39)  | 0.408 | 0.99 (0.77-1.28) | 0.965 |

Supplemental Table 1.1 (continued).

|            |             |                                  |                    |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C22:6 CE   | HMDB0006733 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.83 (0.66-1.05) | 0.116 | 0.95 (0.74-1.22) | 0.691 |
| C14:0 CE   | HMDB0006725 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.9 (0.72-1.13)  | 0.354 | 0.87 (0.69-1.11) | 0.275 |
| bilirubin  | HMDB0000054 | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.81 (0.64-1.03) | 0.085 | 0.81 (0.63-1.03) | 0.088 |
| biliverdin | HMDB0001008 | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 1.02 (0.8-1.31)  | 0.857 | 1.02 (0.79-1.32) | 0.872 |

\*\*Includes metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values were imputed with 1/2 the minimum value. Results are sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted models. CLR includes matched factors: age at blood draw, month of blood draw, fasting status at blood draw, menopausal status at blood draw, hormone use at blood draw.

^Multivariable adjusted includes BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

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**Supplemental Table 1.1b.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of metabolite levels, measured at proximate blood.\*\*

| Metabolite Name         | HMDB ID     | Class                               | Subclass                             | Unadjusted Model |         | Multivariable Adjusted <sup>^</sup> |         |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                         |             |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)      | p value | OR (95% CI)                         | p value |
| urocanic acid           | HMDB0000301 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.18 (0.81-1.72) | 0.392   | 1.17 (0.79-1.73)                    | 0.445   |
| allantoin               | HMDB0000462 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.09 (0.81-1.47) | 0.549   | 1.07 (0.78-1.46)                    | 0.685   |
| metronidazole           | HMDB0015052 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.04 (0.67-1.6)  | 0.872   | 0.99 (0.63-1.56)                    | 0.972   |
| sulfamethoxazole        | HMDB0015150 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzenesulfonamide                   | 0.76 (0.5-1.17)  | 0.212   | 0.83 (0.53-1.3)                     | 0.425   |
| 2-aminohippuric acid    | HMDB0001867 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 1.39 (1.01-1.93) | 0.046   | 1.45 (1.02-2.06)                    | 0.038   |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.69 (0.52-0.92) | 0.013   | 0.75 (0.55-1.02)                    | 0.065   |
| 4-hydroxyhippurate      | HMDB0013678 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.95 (0.71-1.27) | 0.722   | 0.97 (0.72-1.31)                    | 0.859   |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.38 (1.02-1.85) | 0.034   | 1.41 (1.03-1.94)                    | 0.032   |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | HMDB0001276 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.19 (0.87-1.64) | 0.283   | 1.3 (0.93-1.81)                     | 0.128   |
| palmitoylethanolamide   | HMDB0002100 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.88 (0.65-1.2)  | 0.425   | 0.88 (0.63-1.21)                    | 0.418   |
| N-acetylputrescine      | HMDB0002064 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.92 (0.68-1.25) | 0.596   | 0.95 (0.7-1.3)                      | 0.767   |
| phenylalanine           | HMDB0000159 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.77 (1.29-2.42) | 0.000   | 1.76 (1.25-2.48)                    | 0.001   |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                          |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| proline                  | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.52 (1.12-2.07) | 0.007 | 1.59 (1.13-2.22) | 0.007 |
| isoleucine               | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.55 (1.15-2.08) | 0.004 | 1.56 (1.12-2.17) | 0.009 |
| leucine                  | HMDB0000687  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.5 (1.12-2.02)  | 0.007 | 1.48 (1.06-2.06) | 0.020 |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine   | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.39 (1.03-1.89) | 0.033 | 1.45 (1.06-2)    | 0.022 |
| serine                   | HMDB0000187  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.35 (0.99-1.85) | 0.058 | 1.46 (1.05-2.02) | 0.023 |
| N-acetylorithine         | HMDB0003357  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.78 (0.58-1.03) | 0.081 | 0.71 (0.53-0.96) | 0.026 |
| betaine                  | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.27 (0.91-1.79) | 0.164 | 1.47 (1.03-2.12) | 0.035 |
| Guanidinoacetic acid     | HMDB0000128  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.22 (0.91-1.63) | 0.186 | 1.35 (0.99-1.84) | 0.059 |
| valine                   | HMDB0000883  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.42 (1.06-1.89) | 0.018 | 1.36 (0.98-1.87) | 0.062 |
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | HMDB0001325  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.31 (0.97-1.77) | 0.083 | 1.36 (0.99-1.87) | 0.062 |
| tyrosine                 | HMDB0000158  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.46 (1.07-1.98) | 0.016 | 1.35 (0.98-1.88) | 0.068 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                       |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |                  |       |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| ADMA/SDMA             | HMDB0001539  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.39 (1.01-1.91) | 0.045 | 1.33 (0.95-1.86) | 0.095 |
| lysine                | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.31 (0.97-1.78) | 0.078 | 1.28 (0.93-1.75) | 0.131 |
| N6-acetyllysine       | HMDB0000206* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.23 (0.91-1.67) | 0.185 | 1.28 (0.93-1.77) | 0.135 |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid  | HMDB0000991* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.8 (0.6-1.07)   | 0.130 | 0.79 (0.59-1.08) | 0.137 |
| alanine               | HMDB0000161  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.34 (1-1.81)    | 0.053 | 1.27 (0.92-1.75) | 0.154 |
| Aminoiso-butyric acid | HMDB0001906* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.76 (0.56-1.04) | 0.083 | 0.79 (0.57-1.1)  | 0.164 |
| pipecolic acid        | HMDB0000716  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.83 (0.61-1.13) | 0.239 | 0.8 (0.57-1.1)   | 0.168 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine  | HMDB0013287  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.28 (0.95-1.73) | 0.110 | 1.22 (0.89-1.68) | 0.209 |
| creatinine            | HMDB0000562  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.14 (0.84-1.54) | 0.393 | 1.21 (0.88-1.67) | 0.233 |
| methionine            | HMDB0000696  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.22 (0.9-1.64)  | 0.204 | 1.21 (0.88-1.65) | 0.239 |
| 1-methylhistidine     | HMDB0000001  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.17 (0.87-1.58) | 0.303 | 1.18 (0.86-1.62) | 0.304 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                   |             |                                  |                                      |                  |       |                  |       |
|-------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| glycine           | HMDB0000123 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.78-1.48) | 0.674 | 1.18 (0.84-1.66) | 0.334 |
| histidine         | HMDB0000177 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.21 (0.88-1.66) | 0.242 | 1.17 (0.84-1.63) | 0.359 |
| dimethylglycine   | HMDB0000092 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.79-1.46) | 0.660 | 1.17 (0.84-1.62) | 0.367 |
| pantothenate      | HMDB0000210 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.93 (0.68-1.25) | 0.622 | 0.87 (0.63-1.19) | 0.381 |
| asparagine        | HMDB0000168 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.12 (0.81-1.54) | 0.499 | 1.11 (0.79-1.57) | 0.533 |
| oleoyl glycine    | HMDB0013631 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.9 (0.67-1.22)  | 0.503 | 0.91 (0.67-1.25) | 0.556 |
| creatine          | HMDB0000064 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.93 (0.7-1.24)  | 0.624 | 0.92 (0.68-1.24) | 0.598 |
| GABA              | HMDB0000112 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.08 (0.8-1.46)  | 0.617 | 1.08 (0.79-1.47) | 0.645 |
| N-acetylhistidine | HMDB0032055 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.05 (0.77-1.44) | 0.736 | 1.08 (0.78-1.49) | 0.656 |
| proline betaine   | HMDB0004827 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.11 (0.82-1.49) | 0.499 | 1.07 (0.78-1.46) | 0.675 |
| threonine         | HMDB0000167 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.04 (0.77-1.41) | 0.800 | 1.05 (0.76-1.44) | 0.767 |



Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                                |              |                                  |  |                  |       |                  |       |
|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| N-lauroylglycine               | HMDB0013272  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.97 (0.69-1.36) | 0.838 | 1.05 (0.74-1.5)  | 0.790 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate           | HMDB0003681  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.9 (0.65-1.23)  | 0.498 | 0.97 (0.69-1.34) | 0.840 |
| hydroxyproline                 | HMDB0000725  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.97 (0.73-1.3)  | 0.862 | 0.98 (0.72-1.32) | 0.878 |
| citrulline                     | HMDB0000904  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1 (0.73-1.36)    | 0.987 | 1.02 (0.74-1.41) | 0.899 |
| NMMA                           | HMDB0029416  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.05 (0.78-1.43) | 0.733 | 1.01 (0.73-1.39) | 0.961 |
| N-acetyltryptophan             | HMDB0013713  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.04 (0.77-1.42) | 0.790 | 1.01 (0.73-1.4)  | 0.966 |
| homoarginine                   | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.02 (0.75-1.4)  | 0.889 | 0.99 (0.71-1.38) | 0.974 |
| phenylacetylglutamine          | HMDB0006344  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.97 (0.72-1.3)  | 0.837 | 1 (0.73-1.36)    | 0.989 |
| glutamine                      | HMDB0000641  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.93 (0.68-1.27) | 0.662 | 1 (0.72-1.38)    | 0.990 |
| cytosine                       | HMDB0000630  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 1.23 (0.9-1.69)  | 0.191 | 1.19 (0.85-1.65) | 0.311 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | HMDB0000544  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 1.06 (0.74-1.52) | 0.753 | 1.15 (0.78-1.69) | 0.481 |
| C5-DC                          |              |                                  |  |                  |       |                  |       |
| carnitine                      | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.67 (0.5-0.91)  | 0.010 | 0.71 (0.52-0.97) | 0.030 |
| C14 carnitine                  | HMDB0005066  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.42 (1.04-1.94) | 0.027 | 1.29 (0.94-1.79) | 0.119 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                              |              |               |                                   |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C5 carnitine                 | HMDB0000688  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.3 (0.96-1.75)  | 0.088 | 1.28 (0.92-1.78) | 0.142 |
| C3 carnitine                 | HMDB0000824  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.19 (0.9-1.58)  | 0.224 | 1.23 (0.91-1.67) | 0.182 |
| C4-OH<br>carnitine           | HMDB0013127  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.36 (1.01-1.85) | 0.044 | 1.24 (0.89-1.71) | 0.199 |
| C2 carnitine                 | HMDB0000201  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.29 (0.95-1.75) | 0.106 | 1.23 (0.89-1.69) | 0.203 |
| C10:2<br>carnitine           | HMDB0013325  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 0.86 (0.64-1.16) | 0.327 | 0.83 (0.61-1.14) | 0.256 |
| C7 carnitine                 | HMDB0013238  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.24 (0.92-1.67) | 0.162 | 1.2 (0.88-1.64)  | 0.258 |
| C6 carnitine                 | HMDB0000705  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.21 (0.9-1.63)  | 0.213 | 1.17 (0.86-1.6)  | 0.326 |
| C26 carnitine                | HMDB0006347  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.15 (0.86-1.53) | 0.353 | 1.11 (0.82-1.5)  | 0.507 |
| C4 carnitine                 | HMDB0002013  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.13 (0.84-1.52) | 0.421 | 1.09 (0.8-1.49)  | 0.594 |
| C5:1 carnitine               | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.14 (0.84-1.55) | 0.390 | 1.09 (0.79-1.5)  | 0.600 |
| C12 carnitine                | HMDB0002250  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.1 (0.81-1.49)  | 0.537 | 1.06 (0.78-1.46) | 0.704 |
| C12:1<br>carnitine           | HMDB0013326  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.05 (0.78-1.42) | 0.743 | 1.05 (0.77-1.43) | 0.768 |
| C14:2<br>carnitine           | HMDB0013331  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 0.97 (0.71-1.32) | 0.834 | 0.96 (0.69-1.32) | 0.794 |
| C9 carnitine                 | HMDB0013288  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.05 (0.79-1.41) | 0.739 | 1.04 (0.77-1.4)  | 0.813 |
| C14:1<br>carnitine           | HMDB0002014  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.05 (0.78-1.42) | 0.758 | 1.03 (0.75-1.42) | 0.840 |
| C10 carnitine                | HMDB0000651  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.04 (0.78-1.4)  | 0.774 | 1.03 (0.76-1.4)  | 0.855 |
| C8 carnitine                 | HMDB0000791  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters                 | 1.04 (0.78-1.4)  | 0.782 | 1.02 (0.75-1.39) | 0.885 |
| myristoleic<br>acid          | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and<br>conjugates     | 1.5 (1.07-2.1)   | 0.018 | 1.58 (1.11-2.24) | 0.012 |
| 3-<br>dehydroxycarni<br>tine | HMDB0006831  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and<br>conjugates     | 1.22 (0.89-1.67) | 0.224 | 1.32 (0.94-1.84) | 0.105 |
| C36:4 DAG                    | HMDB0007248* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and<br>derivatives | 0.93 (0.7-1.24)  | 0.620 | 0.91 (0.66-1.25) | 0.542 |
| C34:2 DAG                    | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and<br>derivatives | 1.19 (0.89-1.58) | 0.248 | 1.09 (0.79-1.5)  | 0.617 |
| C36:3 DAG                    | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and<br>derivatives | 1.01 (0.76-1.33) | 0.970 | 0.96 (0.71-1.31) | 0.813 |
| C34:3 DAG                    | HMDB0007132* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and<br>derivatives | 1.13 (0.85-1.5)  | 0.390 | 1.02 (0.74-1.41) | 0.891 |
| C34:0 DAG                    | HMDB0007100* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                   | 1.48 (1.11-1.99) | 0.008 | 1.35 (0.98-1.87) | 0.063 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|            |              |               |                  |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C36:1 DAG  | HMDB0007216* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.41 (1.05-1.88) | 0.021 | 1.32 (0.96-1.81) | 0.090 |
| C34:1 DAG  | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.31 (0.98-1.76) | 0.068 | 1.2 (0.87-1.66)  | 0.273 |
| C32:0 DAG  | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.37 (1.02-1.84) | 0.038 | 1.2 (0.86-1.66)  | 0.279 |
| C36:2 DAG  | HMDB0007218* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.2 (0.91-1.6)   | 0.198 | 1.15 (0.84-1.57) | 0.371 |
| C32:1 DAG  | HMDB0007099* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.28 (0.95-1.72) | 0.107 | 1.16 (0.83-1.61) | 0.380 |
| C38:5 DAG  | HMDB0007199* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 0.93 (0.7-1.24)  | 0.625 | 0.87 (0.64-1.2)  | 0.401 |
| C58:7 TAG  | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.6 (0.44-0.82)  | 0.001 | 0.59 (0.42-0.82) | 0.002 |
| C56:9 TAG  | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.68 (0.51-0.91) | 0.010 | 0.64 (0.46-0.87) | 0.004 |
| C56:10 TAG | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.69 (0.52-0.93) | 0.013 | 0.63 (0.46-0.86) | 0.004 |
| C54:9 TAG  | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.7 (0.52-0.94)  | 0.017 | 0.64 (0.47-0.87) | 0.005 |
| C54:8 TAG  | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.7 (0.52-0.94)  | 0.017 | 0.65 (0.47-0.88) | 0.006 |
| C58:11 TAG | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.7 (0.52-0.94)  | 0.017 | 0.64 (0.47-0.88) | 0.006 |
| C56:8 TAG  | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.69 (0.51-0.93) | 0.015 | 0.66 (0.48-0.9)  | 0.008 |
| C58:9 TAG  | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.67 (0.5-0.91)  | 0.010 | 0.66 (0.47-0.9)  | 0.010 |
| C58:10 TAG | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.69 (0.51-0.93) | 0.014 | 0.66 (0.48-0.9)  | 0.010 |
| C56:7 TAG  | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.74 (0.55-0.99) | 0.044 | 0.68 (0.5-0.94)  | 0.017 |
| C58:6 TAG  | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.68 (0.49-0.92) | 0.013 | 0.68 (0.49-0.94) | 0.018 |
| C52:7 TAG  | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.76 (0.57-1.02) | 0.065 | 0.69 (0.5-0.94)  | 0.019 |
| C54:7 TAG  | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.73 (0.54-0.97) | 0.031 | 0.7 (0.51-0.95)  | 0.021 |
| C60:12 TAG | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.76 (0.56-1.02) | 0.071 | 0.71 (0.51-0.98) | 0.035 |
| C52:6 TAG  | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.79 (0.59-1.06) | 0.114 | 0.73 (0.53-0.99) | 0.046 |
| C52:0 TAG  | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.48 (1.11-1.98) | 0.007 | 1.36 (1-1.86)    | 0.052 |
| C58:8 TAG  | HMDB0005413* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.75 (0.55-1.02) | 0.065 | 0.73 (0.53-1.02) | 0.064 |
| C50:6 TAG  | HMDB0010497* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.84 (0.63-1.13) | 0.251 | 0.75 (0.55-1.03) | 0.076 |
| C54:1 TAG  | HMDB0005395* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.39 (1.05-1.85) | 0.024 | 1.3 (0.95-1.78)  | 0.096 |
| C50:0 TAG  | HMDB0005357* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.44 (1.08-1.93) | 0.013 | 1.27 (0.93-1.75) | 0.134 |
| C52:1 TAG  | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.4 (1.05-1.87)  | 0.021 | 1.27 (0.93-1.75) | 0.135 |
| C51:0 TAG  | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.4 (1.05-1.88)  | 0.023 | 1.26 (0.93-1.72) | 0.142 |
| C56:6 TAG  | HMDB0005456* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.8 (0.6-1.07)   | 0.140 | 0.8 (0.59-1.09)  | 0.152 |
| C50:5 TAG  | HMDB0010471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.89 (0.67-1.19) | 0.437 | 0.81 (0.59-1.11) | 0.192 |
| C54:2 TAG  | HMDB0005403* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.96-1.69) | 0.096 | 1.22 (0.9-1.66)  | 0.207 |
| C43:0 TAG  | HMDB0042062* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.32 (0.98-1.77) | 0.065 | 1.22 (0.89-1.66) | 0.214 |
| C48:0 TAG  | HMDB0005356* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.4 (1.04-1.88)  | 0.025 | 1.22 (0.88-1.68) | 0.230 |
| C46:0 TAG  | HMDB0010411* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.35 (1.01-1.81) | 0.043 | 1.19 (0.87-1.63) | 0.276 |
| C53:2 TAG  | HMDB0042196* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.15 (0.86-1.54) | 0.348 | 1.19 (0.87-1.63) | 0.284 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|           |              |               |                  |                  |       |                  |       |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C54:6 TAG | HMDB0005391* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.82 (0.61-1.11) | 0.206 | 0.84 (0.61-1.16) | 0.295 |
| C56:5 TAG | HMDB0005406* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.86 (0.64-1.15) | 0.299 | 0.86 (0.63-1.17) | 0.329 |
| C50:1 TAG | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.35 (1.01-1.81) | 0.043 | 1.17 (0.85-1.63) | 0.332 |
| C44:0 TAG | HMDB0042063* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.32 (0.98-1.76) | 0.065 | 1.16 (0.85-1.59) | 0.338 |
| C52:2 TAG | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.24 (0.93-1.67) | 0.146 | 1.16 (0.84-1.61) | 0.367 |
| C51:1 TAG | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.29 (0.96-1.73) | 0.093 | 1.16 (0.84-1.6)  | 0.369 |
| C46:1 TAG | HMDB0010412* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.95-1.71) | 0.105 | 1.15 (0.84-1.57) | 0.385 |
| C47:1 TAG | HMDB0042100* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.24 (0.92-1.66) | 0.155 | 1.14 (0.84-1.55) | 0.397 |
| C43:2 TAG | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1 (0.75-1.35)    | 0.975 | 0.88 (0.64-1.21) | 0.425 |
| C56:4 TAG | HMDB0005398* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.62-1.11) | 0.219 | 0.89 (0.65-1.2)  | 0.435 |
| C54:5 TAG | HMDB0005385* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.87 (0.65-1.16) | 0.339 | 0.88 (0.64-1.21) | 0.438 |
| C51:2 TAG | HMDB0005362* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.2 (0.89-1.62)  | 0.226 | 1.13 (0.82-1.55) | 0.450 |
| C49:1 TAG | HMDB0011705* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.91-1.63) | 0.177 | 1.11 (0.82-1.5)  | 0.506 |
| C48:1 TAG | HMDB0005359* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.95-1.71) | 0.108 | 1.11 (0.81-1.53) | 0.508 |
| C48:2 TAG | HMDB0005376* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.91-1.66) | 0.173 | 1.11 (0.81-1.53) | 0.516 |
| C45:1 TAG | HMDB0042099* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.91-1.65) | 0.182 | 1.11 (0.81-1.51) | 0.531 |
| C55:2 TAG | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.16 (0.87-1.55) | 0.301 | 1.1 (0.81-1.49)  | 0.534 |
| C52:4 TAG | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.96 (0.73-1.27) | 0.765 | 0.91 (0.67-1.23) | 0.538 |
| C56:1 TAG | HMDB0005396* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.2 (0.9-1.61)   | 0.208 | 1.1 (0.81-1.5)   | 0.544 |
| C54:3 TAG | HMDB0005405* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.05 (0.78-1.4)  | 0.763 | 1.1 (0.8-1.5)    | 0.551 |
| C56:2 TAG | HMDB0005404* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.15 (0.87-1.54) | 0.322 | 1.09 (0.8-1.47)  | 0.595 |
| C54:4 TAG | HMDB0005370* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.89 (0.67-1.19) | 0.440 | 0.92 (0.68-1.26) | 0.616 |
| C43:1 TAG | HMDB0042098* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.9-1.64)  | 0.202 | 1.08 (0.79-1.49) | 0.621 |
| C49:2 TAG | HMDB0011706* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.16 (0.86-1.56) | 0.318 | 1.07 (0.78-1.46) | 0.679 |
| C53:3 TAG | HMDB0043058* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.91 (0.68-1.21) | 0.520 | 0.94 (0.68-1.29) | 0.695 |
| C50:2 TAG | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.91-1.63) | 0.189 | 1.07 (0.77-1.47) | 0.698 |
| C55:3 TAG | HMDB0042466* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.86 (0.65-1.14) | 0.303 | 0.94 (0.69-1.28) | 0.698 |
| C50:3 TAG | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.87-1.56) | 0.304 | 1.06 (0.77-1.46) | 0.726 |
| C46:2 TAG | HMDB0010419* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.87-1.57) | 0.292 | 1.05 (0.77-1.44) | 0.762 |
| C47:2 TAG | HMDB0042076* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.14 (0.84-1.54) | 0.396 | 1.05 (0.76-1.44) | 0.771 |
| C56:3 TAG | HMDB0005410* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.04 (0.79-1.38) | 0.773 | 1.04 (0.78-1.4)  | 0.785 |
| C48:3 TAG | HMDB0005432* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.07 (0.8-1.44)  | 0.652 | 0.97 (0.71-1.34) | 0.868 |
| C49:3 TAG | HMDB0042103* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.03 (0.76-1.38) | 0.861 | 1 (0.73-1.37)    | 0.982 |
| C45:2 TAG | HMDB0043170* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.13 (0.84-1.52) | 0.432 | 1 (0.72-1.37)    | 0.989 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|               |              |                      |                        |                  |       |                  |       |
|---------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C51:3 TAG     | HMDB0011701* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.01 (0.76-1.35) | 0.929 | 1 (0.72-1.38)    | 0.993 |
| C18:3 LPC     | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.4 (1.04-1.9)   | 0.026 | 1.4 (1.02-1.93)  | 0.035 |
| C16:1 LPC     | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.39 (1.04-1.87) | 0.028 | 1.39 (1.02-1.89) | 0.038 |
| C16:0 LPC     | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.4 (1.04-1.89)  | 0.026 | 1.38 (1.01-1.89) | 0.042 |
| C18:1 LPC     | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.32 (0.97-1.79) | 0.072 | 1.39 (1.01-1.93) | 0.046 |
| C40:9 PC      | HMDB0008731* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.76 (0.56-1.04) | 0.087 | 0.72 (0.51-1.01) | 0.060 |
| C18:0 LPC     | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.36 (0.99-1.87) | 0.060 | 1.36 (0.97-1.89) | 0.074 |
| C40:10 PC     | HMDB0008511* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.78 (0.58-1.06) | 0.108 | 0.75 (0.54-1.04) | 0.083 |
| C38:6 PC      | HMDB0007991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.79 (0.58-1.09) | 0.152 | 0.75 (0.53-1.05) | 0.090 |
| C40:6 PC      | HMDB0008057* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.82 (0.6-1.11)  | 0.199 | 0.78 (0.56-1.07) | 0.123 |
| C38:7 PC      |              | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines |                  |       |                  |       |
| plasmalogen   | HMDB0011229* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.86 (0.64-1.15) | 0.299 | 0.79 (0.58-1.08) | 0.146 |
| C36:5 PC      |              | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines |                  |       |                  |       |
| plasmalogen-A | HMDB0011221* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.86 (0.64-1.16) | 0.323 | 0.79 (0.58-1.09) | 0.152 |
| C34:1 PC      |              | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines |                  |       |                  |       |
| plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011239* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.17 (0.88-1.57) | 0.279 | 1.24 (0.91-1.69) | 0.168 |
| C20:5 LPC     | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.23 (0.91-1.67) | 0.174 | 1.26 (0.91-1.74) | 0.170 |
| C18:2 LPC     | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.22 (0.9-1.65)  | 0.207 | 1.25 (0.9-1.74)  | 0.182 |
| C22:5 LPC     | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.19 (0.89-1.59) | 0.242 | 1.2 (0.88-1.64)  | 0.239 |
| C14:0 LPC     | HMDB0010379  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.28 (0.95-1.72) | 0.105 | 1.2 (0.88-1.64)  | 0.252 |
| C32:2 PC      | HMDB0007874* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.91 (0.67-1.23) | 0.540 | 0.83 (0.6-1.15)  | 0.259 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                           |              |                           |                                  |                  |       |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011208* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.09 (0.81-1.46) | 0.586 | 1.18 (0.86-1.63) | 0.308 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011211* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 0.89 (0.67-1.2)  | 0.448 | 0.88 (0.63-1.21) | 0.417 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011252* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.06 (0.79-1.42) | 0.698 | 1.13 (0.84-1.53) | 0.426 |
| C38:3 PC                  | HMDB0008047* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.18 (0.89-1.57) | 0.245 | 1.13 (0.84-1.52) | 0.427 |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011310* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.02 (0.76-1.38) | 0.891 | 1.13 (0.81-1.57) | 0.467 |
| C36:1 PC                  | HMDB0008038* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.17 (0.88-1.55) | 0.289 | 1.11 (0.82-1.49) | 0.509 |
| C32:0 PC                  | HMDB0007871* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.18 (0.86-1.62) | 0.293 | 1.1 (0.79-1.53)  | 0.574 |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011243* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.01 (0.75-1.36) | 0.962 | 1.1 (0.8-1.51)   | 0.576 |
| C36:4 PC-B                | HMDB0008138* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 0.92 (0.68-1.25) | 0.589 | 0.92 (0.67-1.26) | 0.588 |
| C34:1 PC                  | HMDB0007972* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.15 (0.86-1.54) | 0.338 | 1.07 (0.79-1.46) | 0.647 |
| C22:6 LPC                 | HMDB0010404  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.01 (0.75-1.36) | 0.938 | 0.97 (0.71-1.33) | 0.839 |
| C30:1 PC                  | HMDB0007870* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.04 (0.77-1.41) | 0.783 | 0.97 (0.7-1.33)  | 0.850 |
| C32:1 PC                  | HMDB0007873* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.09 (0.81-1.48) | 0.558 | 0.98 (0.71-1.35) | 0.904 |
| C30:0 PC                  | HMDB0007869* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1.12 (0.82-1.52) | 0.484 | 1.01 (0.73-1.4)  | 0.931 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines      | 1 (0.75-1.34)    | 0.982 | 1.01 (0.74-1.36) | 0.961 |
| C38:6 PE                  | HMDB0009102* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.76 (0.55-1.05) | 0.091 | 0.69 (0.49-0.97) | 0.035 |
| C18:0 LPE                 | HMDB0011130  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.38 (1.02-1.87) | 0.035 | 1.34 (0.98-1.83) | 0.071 |
| C22:6 LPE                 | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.86 (0.63-1.16) | 0.319 | 0.76 (0.55-1.06) | 0.105 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                         |              |                           |                                  |                  |       |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009016* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.22 (0.91-1.64) | 0.193 | 1.27 (0.93-1.75) | 0.137 |
| C38:5 PE                | HMDB0009069* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.81 (0.6-1.09)  | 0.167 | 0.8 (0.59-1.1)   | 0.168 |
| C36:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009082* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.19 (0.9-1.59)  | 0.226 | 1.24 (0.91-1.67) | 0.168 |
| C18:1 LPE               | HMDB0011506* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.23 (0.92-1.65) | 0.170 | 1.24 (0.91-1.68) | 0.178 |
| C36:3 PE                | HMDB0009060* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.85 (0.64-1.14) | 0.278 | 0.81 (0.6-1.1)   | 0.186 |
| C40:6 PE                | HMDB0009012* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.9 (0.66-1.23)  | 0.510 | 0.8 (0.57-1.12)  | 0.187 |
| C36:4 PE                | HMDB0008937* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.86 (0.63-1.16) | 0.326 | 0.81 (0.59-1.11) | 0.195 |
| C38:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011386* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.17 (0.88-1.55) | 0.275 | 1.21 (0.9-1.62)  | 0.205 |
| C22:0 LPE               | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.13 (0.83-1.53) | 0.442 | 1.22 (0.88-1.71) | 0.234 |
| C34:2 PE                | HMDB0008928* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.91 (0.68-1.22) | 0.517 | 0.83 (0.61-1.13) | 0.240 |
| C38:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011420* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.91 (0.68-1.23) | 0.550 | 0.85 (0.62-1.17) | 0.321 |
| C36:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011441* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.12 (0.84-1.51) | 0.432 | 1.17 (0.85-1.59) | 0.333 |
| C36:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011410* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.09 (0.82-1.45) | 0.560 | 1.15 (0.85-1.55) | 0.361 |
| C38:4 PE                | HMDB0009003* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.95 (0.71-1.28) | 0.728 | 0.9 (0.65-1.23)  | 0.495 |
| C16:0 LPE               | HMDB0011503  | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.14 (0.85-1.54) | 0.374 | 1.11 (0.81-1.52) | 0.505 |
| C34:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011343* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.05 (0.78-1.41) | 0.756 | 1.11 (0.81-1.52) | 0.519 |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011442* | Glycerophospho-<br>lipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.02 (0.75-1.37) | 0.912 | 1.11 (0.81-1.52) | 0.519 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                         |              |                         |                                   |                  |       |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C36:2 PE                | HMDB0008994* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.01 (0.76-1.35) | 0.923 | 0.91 (0.67-1.24) | 0.563 |
| C18:2 LPE               | HMDB0011507* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.14 (0.85-1.54) | 0.378 | 1.09 (0.8-1.5)   | 0.573 |
| C34:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0008952* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.05 (0.79-1.4)  | 0.755 | 1.09 (0.81-1.48) | 0.575 |
| C20:4 LPE               | HMDB0011517  | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.08 (0.81-1.44) | 0.593 | 1.07 (0.79-1.45) | 0.666 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1 (0.76-1.33)    | 0.986 | 1.05 (0.78-1.41) | 0.740 |
| C36:0 PE                | HMDB0008991* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.06 (0.78-1.43) | 0.704 | 1.04 (0.76-1.43) | 0.790 |
| C40:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011394* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 0.99 (0.75-1.33) | 0.972 | 0.97 (0.72-1.31) | 0.850 |
| C32:0 PE                | HMDB0008923* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.02 (0.75-1.38) | 0.889 | 0.98 (0.71-1.34) | 0.893 |
| C34:0 PE                | HMDB0008925* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.06 (0.78-1.44) | 0.697 | 1.02 (0.74-1.4)  | 0.917 |
| C38:2 PE                | HMDB0008942* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 0.94 (0.7-1.26)  | 0.685 | 1 (0.73-1.37)    | 0.985 |
| C36:1 PE                | HMDB0008993* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoethanolamines       | 1.1 (0.82-1.47)  | 0.543 | 1 (0.73-1.37)    | 0.986 |
| C38:4 PI                | HMDB0009815* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoinositols           | 1.08 (0.8-1.46)  | 0.601 | 1.09 (0.8-1.49)  | 0.577 |
| C34:0 PS                | HMDB0012356* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoserines             | 0.85 (0.63-1.14) | 0.283 | 0.77 (0.56-1.06) | 0.114 |
| 7-<br>methylguanine     | HMDB0000897  | Imidazo-<br>pyrimidines | Purines and purine<br>derivatives | 1.02 (0.74-1.4)  | 0.921 | 0.87 (0.62-1.24) | 0.449 |
| caffeine                | HMDB0001847  | Imidazo-<br>pyrimidines | Purines and purine<br>derivatives | 1.16 (0.86-1.56) | 0.336 | 1.12 (0.81-1.54) | 0.494 |
| uric acid               | HMDB0000289  | Imidazo-<br>pyrimidines | Purines and purine<br>derivatives | 1.21 (0.89-1.65) | 0.221 | 1.13 (0.8-1.59)  | 0.503 |



Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                            |              |                         |  |                  |       |                  |       |
|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| 3-methylxanthine           | HMDB0001886  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.05 (0.78-1.4)  | 0.752 | 1.06 (0.78-1.43) | 0.705 |
| 7-methylxanthine           | HMDB0001991  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.99 (0.74-1.32) | 0.926 | 1.02 (0.75-1.38) | 0.906 |
| 1-methylguanine            | HMDB0003282  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.08 (0.78-1.48) | 0.650 | 1.01 (0.73-1.42) | 0.934 |
| 1,7-dimethyluric acid      | HMDB0011103  | Imidazo-pyrimidines     | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1 (0.75-1.35)    | 0.978 | 0.99 (0.72-1.35) | 0.942 |
| tryptophan                 | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.39 (1.04-1.87) | 0.028 | 1.4 (1.03-1.9)   | 0.030 |
| serotonin                  | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives | Tryptamines and derivatives              | 0.86 (0.63-1.16) | 0.319 | 0.9 (0.66-1.24)  | 0.529 |
| C20:1 LPE                  | HMDB0011512* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.27 (0.94-1.72) | 0.118 | 1.32 (0.96-1.82) | 0.085 |
| C34:5 PC                   |              |                         |  |                  |       |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                | HMDB0011214* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.28 (0.96-1.71) | 0.094 | 1.3 (0.96-1.75)  | 0.092 |
| C34:4 PC                   | HMDB0007883* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.83 (0.61-1.13) | 0.232 | 0.78 (0.56-1.08) | 0.140 |
| C20:4 LPC                  | HMDB0010395  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.17 (0.88-1.57) | 0.279 | 1.2 (0.88-1.63)  | 0.239 |
| C20:1 LPC                  | HMDB0010391* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.82 (0.6-1.12)  | 0.218 | 0.83 (0.6-1.16)  | 0.275 |
| 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole   | HMDB0032390  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.08 (0.81-1.43) | 0.617 | 1.15 (0.85-1.55) | 0.358 |
| trigonelline               | HMDB0000875  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.87 (0.65-1.17) | 0.361 | 0.88 (0.65-1.2)  | 0.434 |
| DMGV                       | HMDB0240212  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.16 (0.86-1.57) | 0.328 | 1.13 (0.8-1.61)  | 0.493 |
| coenzyme Q10               | HMDB0001072  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.06 (0.8-1.41)  | 0.677 | 1.06 (0.79-1.43) | 0.688 |
| piperine                   | HMDB0029377  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.98 (0.74-1.31) | 0.904 | 0.94 (0.69-1.28) | 0.699 |
| cerulenin                  | HMDB0015168  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.99 (0.74-1.32) | 0.949 | 0.95 (0.7-1.28)  | 0.734 |
| C18:3 LPE                  | HMDB0011478* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.02 (0.76-1.37) | 0.914 | 0.95 (0.7-1.29)  | 0.740 |
| methyl N-methylantranilate | HMDB0034169  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.11 (0.84-1.48) | 0.456 | 1.05 (0.78-1.41) | 0.761 |
| deoxyguanosine             | HMDB0000085  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.92 (0.66-1.27) | 0.612 | 0.96 (0.68-1.35) | 0.808 |
| thyroxine                  | HMDB0000248  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1 (0.74-1.36)    | 0.985 | 1.03 (0.75-1.42) | 0.837 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|  |              |  |   |                  |       |                  |       |
|--|--------------|--|---|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C34:2 PC<br>plasmalogen                | HMDB0011210* | NA   | NA  | 0.96 (0.72-1.29) | 0.799 | 0.97 (0.7-1.35)  | 0.861 |
| C36:3 PC<br>plasmalogen                | HMDB0011244* | NA   | NA  | 0.94 (0.71-1.26) | 0.693 | 0.99 (0.72-1.35) | 0.943 |
| pseudouridine                          | HMDB0000767  | Nucleoside and<br>nucleotide<br>analogues    | NA  | 1.13 (0.81-1.58) | 0.458 | 1.15 (0.8-1.64)  | 0.457 |
| N-carbamoyl-<br>beta-alanine           | HMDB0000026  | Organic carbonic<br>acids and<br>derivatives | Ureas   | 1.2 (0.88-1.65)  | 0.248 | 1.14 (0.82-1.6)  | 0.431 |
| 1-<br>methylhistami<br>ne              | HMDB0000898  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds                  | Amines  | 1.09 (0.82-1.46) | 0.556 | 1.03 (0.76-1.4)  | 0.850 |
| trimethylamin<br>e-N-oxide             | HMDB0000925  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds                  | Aminoxides  | 0.93 (0.7-1.22)  | 0.583 | 0.93 (0.69-1.24) | 0.612 |
| metformin                              | HMDB0001921  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds                  | Guanidines  | 1.26 (0.76-2.09) | 0.378 | 1.25 (0.74-2.13) | 0.409 |
| carnitine                              | HMDB0000062  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds                  | Quaternary<br>ammonium salts                                      | 1.2 (0.88-1.63)  | 0.245 | 1.27 (0.91-1.75) | 0.157 |
| phosphocholin<br>e                     | HMDB0001565  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds                  | Quaternary<br>ammonium salts                                      | 1.13 (0.84-1.52) | 0.417 | 1.14 (0.83-1.57) | 0.403 |
| acetyl-<br>galactosamine               | HMDB0000212  | Organooxygen<br>compounds                    | Carbohydrates and<br>carbohydrate<br>conjugates                   | 1.34 (0.96-1.88) | 0.084 | 1.31 (0.91-1.88) | 0.153 |
| 4-hydroxy-3-<br>methylacetoph<br>enone | HMDB0059824  | Organooxygen<br>compounds                    | Carbonyl compounds<br>1-hydroxy-2-<br>unsubstituted<br>benzenoids | 0.78 (0.56-1.08) | 0.132 | 0.75 (0.53-1.06) | 0.101 |
| acetaminophe<br>n                      | HMDB0001859  | Phenols                                      |   | 0.88 (0.65-1.19) | 0.396 | 0.87 (0.64-1.19) | 0.375 |
| 2-<br>methylguanosi<br>ne              | HMDB0005862  | Purine nucleosides                           | NA  | 1.25 (0.9-1.72)  | 0.181 | 1.22 (0.87-1.71) | 0.257 |
| 1-<br>methylguanosi<br>ne              | HMDB0001563  | Purine nucleosides                           | NA  | 1.09 (0.8-1.49)  | 0.584 | 1.05 (0.75-1.45) | 0.794 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|                                    |              |                            |  |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|--|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | HMDB0004824  | Purine nucleosides         | NA                                       | 1.06 (0.75-1.49) | 0.742 | 0.97 (0.67-1.42) | 0.888 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide               | HMDB0000133  | Purine nucleosides         | NA                                       | 0.98 (0.73-1.31) | 0.868 | 1 (0.74-1.36)    | 0.985 |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | HMDB0000699  | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.8 (0.59-1.08)  | 0.145 | 0.75 (0.55-1.03) | 0.078 |
| pyridoxamine                       | HMDB0004193  | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.92 (0.69-1.25) | 0.607 | 0.85 (0.62-1.17) | 0.320 |
| cotinine                           | HMDB0001431  | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridoxamines                            | 1.44 (1.05-1.99) | 0.025 | 1.4 (1-1.95)     | 0.051 |
| ribothymidine                      | HMDB0001046  | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | Pyrrolidinylpyridines                    | 1.03 (0.74-1.43) | 0.855 | 1.05 (0.75-1.48) | 0.763 |
| N4-acetylcytidine                  | HMDB0000884  | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | NA                                       | 1.19 (0.86-1.65) | 0.283 | 1.21 (0.86-1.71) | 0.266 |
| kynurenic acid                     | HMDB0005923  | Quinolines and derivatives | NA                                       | 1.12 (0.82-1.51) | 0.479 | 1.04 (0.74-1.44) | 0.836 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1) C24:1       | HMDB0000715  | Quinolines and derivatives | Quinoline carboxylic acids               | 1.25 (0.9-1.73)  | 0.181 | 1.15 (0.81-1.63) | 0.441 |
| Ceramide (d18:1) C22:0             | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.62 (1.18-2.22) | 0.003 | 1.72 (1.23-2.4)  | 0.002 |
| Ceramide (d18:1) C24:0             | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.46 (1.08-1.98) | 0.014 | 1.42 (1.04-1.94) | 0.028 |
| Ceramide (d18:1) C14:0 SM          | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.43 (1.06-1.94) | 0.020 | 1.39 (1.01-1.92) | 0.044 |
|                                    | HMDB0004956  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.33 (0.99-1.78) | 0.060 | 1.24 (0.91-1.7)  | 0.169 |
|                                    | HMDB0012097  | Sphingolipids              | Phosphosphingolipids                     | 1.14 (0.85-1.53) | 0.379 | 1.1 (0.8-1.49)   | 0.561 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|  |              |                                     |   |                  |       |                  |       |
|--|--------------|-------------------------------------|---|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C22:1 SM<br>glycodeoxycho<br>late/glycochen<br>odeoxycholate | HMDB0012104* | Sphingolipids                       | Phosphosphingo-<br>lipids               | 1 (0.75-1.35)    | 0.988 | 1.02 (0.75-1.39) | 0.908 |
| glycocholate   | HMDB0000631* | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols<br>and derivatives | 1.31 (0.99-1.75) | 0.063 | 1.35 (0.99-1.84) | 0.057 |
| cholesterol  | HMDB0000138  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols<br>and derivatives | 1.17 (0.88-1.54) | 0.275 | 1.16 (0.86-1.56) | 0.324 |
| campesterol  | HMDB0000067  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholestane steroids                     | 1.07 (0.8-1.42)  | 0.658 | 1.06 (0.79-1.43) | 0.696 |
| cortisone  | HMDB0002869  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Ergostane steroids                      | 1.06 (0.8-1.42)  | 0.672 | 1.07 (0.8-1.45)  | 0.642 |
| cortisol   | HMDB0002802  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                         | 1.16 (0.85-1.57) | 0.348 | 1.18 (0.85-1.63) | 0.325 |
| 21-<br>deoxycortisol   | HMDB0000063  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                         | 1.03 (0.75-1.4)  | 0.868 | 1.03 (0.75-1.43) | 0.842 |
| C18:0 CE   | HMDB0004030  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Pregnane steroids                       | 0.95 (0.7-1.28)  | 0.741 | 1.01 (0.73-1.38) | 0.965 |
| C20:5 CE   | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 1.14 (0.84-1.53) | 0.405 | 1.25 (0.91-1.7)  | 0.168 |
| C18:3 CE   | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 0.83 (0.62-1.11) | 0.214 | 0.84 (0.61-1.14) | 0.265 |
| C22:5 CE   | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 1.04 (0.78-1.39) | 0.782 | 1.11 (0.82-1.52) | 0.499 |
| C16:1 CE   | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 0.8 (0.6-1.05)   | 0.111 | 0.9 (0.67-1.23)  | 0.517 |
| C22:6 CE   | HMDB0000658* | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 1.14 (0.85-1.51) | 0.389 | 1.08 (0.79-1.48) | 0.624 |
| C20:3 CE   | HMDB0006733  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 0.88 (0.66-1.17) | 0.367 | 0.94 (0.69-1.29) | 0.709 |
| C16:0 CE   | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 0.97 (0.73-1.3)  | 0.857 | 1.06 (0.78-1.44) | 0.727 |
|  | HMDB0000885  | Steroids and<br>steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters                      | 0.86 (0.64-1.15) | 0.320 | 0.95 (0.69-1.3)  | 0.740 |

Supplemental Table 1.1b (continued).

|            |              |                                  |                    |                  |       |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| C20:4 CE   | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.92 (0.69-1.22) | 0.561 | 1.05 (0.77-1.41) | 0.774 |
| C18:1 CE   | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.94 (0.71-1.26) | 0.686 | 1.03 (0.75-1.43) | 0.846 |
| C18:2 CE   | HMDB0000610* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 0.9 (0.67-1.2)   | 0.465 | 0.99 (0.71-1.36) | 0.933 |
| C14:0 CE   | HMDB0006725  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesterol esters | 1.03 (0.78-1.36) | 0.851 | 1.01 (0.75-1.38) | 0.934 |
| biliverdin | HMDB0001008  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 1.3 (0.96-1.75)  | 0.092 | 1.29 (0.94-1.77) | 0.115 |
| bilirubin  | HMDB0000054  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.98 (0.73-1.32) | 0.894 | 0.99 (0.73-1.36) | 0.964 |

\*\*Includes metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values were imputed with 1/2 the minimum value. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted model. CLR includes matched factors: age at blood draw, month of blood draw, fasting status at blood draw, menopausal status at blood draw, hormone use at blood draw

^Multivariable adjusted model includes BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

\*Representative HMDBID

**Supplemental Table 1.2a.** Odds ratio for breast cancer risk by presence or absence of metabolite, and by continuous measure (90th - 10th percentile comparison), for metabolites with >10% missingness, Distant blood.\*\*

| HMDB ID      | Metabolite Name          | Class                               | Subclass                             | Multivariable Adjusted <sup>^</sup> |              |         |                           |       |
|--------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|---------|---------------------------|-------|
|              |                          |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)<br>(present v absent)   |              | p value | OR 95% CI<br>(continuous) |       |
| HMDB0000033  | carnosine                | Peptidomimetics                     | Hybrid peptides                      | 1.10                                | (0.61, 1.96) | 0.760   | 1.16 (0.89-1.5)           | 0.270 |
| HMDB0000895  | acetylcholine            | Organonitrogen compounds            | Quaternary ammonium salts            | 1.55                                | (0.78, 3.05) | 0.208   | 1.12 (0.86-1.46)          | 0.385 |
| HMDB0001390  | hydroxycotinine          | Pyridines and derivatives           | Pyrrolidinyl-pyridines               | 1.12                                | (0.61, 2.07) | 0.720   | 1.02 (0.78-1.33)          | 0.870 |
| HMDB0001850  | verapamil                | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Phenylbutyl-amines                   | 0.97                                | (0.32, 2.92) | 0.960   | 2.34 (0.78-7.04)          | 0.122 |
| HMDB0001924  | atenolol                 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Phenylacetamides                     | 1.55                                | (0.53, 4.54) | 0.427   | 1.03 (0.35-3.04)          | 0.953 |
| HMDB0001932  | metoprolol               | Phenols                             | Tyrosols and derivatives             | 0.81                                | (0.38, 1.75) | 0.597   | 1.29 (0.95-1.74)          | 0.106 |
| HMDB0001935  | warfarin                 | Coumarins and derivatives           | Hydroxy-coumarins                    | 0.27                                | (0.08, 0.94) | 0.040   | 1.78 (0.52-6.09)          | 0.352 |
| HMDB0003464  | 4-guanidinobutanoic acid | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.92                                | (0.55, 1.56) | 0.766   | 1.14 (0.82-1.58)          | 0.428 |
| HMDB0004158  | D-urobilinogen           | NA                                  | NA                                   | 0.99                                | (0.51, 1.94) | 0.980   | 0.93 (0.7-1.23)           | 0.609 |
| HMDB0005015  | gabapentin               | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 2.07                                | (0.75, 5.72) | 0.162   | 0.99 (0.71-1.38)          | 0.963 |
| HMDB0007011* | C30:0 DAG                | Glycerolipids                       | Diacylglycerols                      | 1.23                                | (0.68, 2.22) | 0.490   | 1.09 (0.82-1.45)          | 0.559 |

Supplemental Table 1.2a (continued).

|              |                              |                        |   |      |              |       |                  |       |
|--------------|------------------------------|------------------------|---|------|--------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| HMDB0010316  | 4-acetamidophenylglucuronide | Organooxygen compounds | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | 0.65 | (0.37, 1.13) | 0.125 | 1.03 (0.63-1.69) | 0.903 |
| HMDB0014611  | quinine                      | NA                     | NA  | 1.11 | (0.59, 2.09) | 0.746 | 1.12 (0.65-1.94) | 0.677 |
| HMDB0015028  | sulfapyridine                | NA                     | NA  | 1.26 | (0.43, 3.64) | 0.675 | 2.1 (0.66-6.68)  | 0.203 |
| HMDB0042093* | C45:0 TAG                    | Glycerolipids          | Triacylglycerols                          | 0.98 | (0.45, 2.14) | 0.964 | 1.13 (0.87-1.46) | 0.356 |

\*\*Continuous results are presented only including those with a continuous measure for the metabolite available. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted model.

^Multivariable model includes BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

\*Representative HMDBID

**Supplemental Table 1.2b.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk by presence or absence of metabolite, and by continuous measure (90th - 10th percentile comparison), for metabolites with >10% missingness, Proximate blood.\*\*

| HMDB ID      | Metabolite Name          | Class                               | Subclass                             | Multivariable Adjusted <sup>^</sup> |            |                             |            |
|--------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|-----------------------------|------------|
|              |                          |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)<br>(present v absent)   | p<br>value | OR (95% CI)<br>(continuous) | p<br>value |
| HMDB0001924  | atenolol                 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Phenylacetamides                     | 0.97 (0.38, 2.49)                   | 0.947      | 1.79 (0.68-4.74)            | 0.235      |
| HMDB0001850  | verapamil                | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Phenylbutylamines                    | 1.64 (0.38, 7.07)                   | 0.505      | 4.4 (0.82-23.5)             | 0.072      |
| HMDB0005015  | gabapentin               | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.58 (0.15, 2.26)                   | 0.430      | 1.24 (0.77-2)               | 0.368      |
| HMDB0003464  | 4-guanidinobutanoic acid | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.95 (0.48, 1.89)                   | 0.879      | 1.28 (0.84-1.94)            | 0.244      |
| HMDB0001935  | warfarin                 | Coumarins and derivatives           | Hydroxycoumarins                     | 1.36 (0.41, 4.50)                   | 0.618      | 1.65 (0.47-5.71)            | 0.430      |
| HMDB0007011* | C30:0 DAG                | Glycerolipids                       | Diacylglycerols                      | 1.03 (0.48, 2.23)                   | 0.934      | 1.25 (0.85-1.84)            | 0.250      |
| HMDB0042093* | C45:0 TAG                | Glycerolipids                       | Triacylglycerols                     | 2.26 (0.84, 6.12)                   | 0.108      | 1.17 (0.85-1.6)             | 0.340      |



Supplemental Table 1.2b (continued).

|             |                              |                           |   |      |              |       |                  |       |
|-------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|---|------|--------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| HMDB0015028 | sulfapyridine                | NA                        | NA  | 0.51 | (0.16, 1.64) | 0.257 | 1.21 (0.4-3.69)  | 0.738 |
| HMDB0014323 | valsartan                    | NA                        | NA  | 1.4  | (0.53, 3.71) | 0.503 | 1.5 (0.96-2.34)  | 0.071 |
| HMDB0014611 | quinine                      | NA                        | NA  | 0.77 | (0.35, 1.72) | 0.522 | 1.23 (0.62-2.44) | 0.551 |
| HMDB0004158 | D-urobilinogen               | NA                        | NA  | 1.3  | (0.57, 2.97) | 0.525 | 0.96 (0.67-1.36) | 0.799 |
| HMDB0000895 | acetylcholine                | Organonitrogen compounds  | Quaternary ammonium salts                 | 0.3  | (0.10, 0.92) | 0.035 | 1.07 (0.78-1.47) | 0.681 |
| HMDB0010316 | 4-acetamidophenylglucuronide | Organooxygen compounds    | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | 0.81 | (0.43, 1.53) | 0.521 | 1.11 (0.66-1.85) | 0.700 |
| HMDB0000033 | carnosine                    | Peptidomimetics           | Hybrid peptides                           | 0.62 | (0.25, 1.53) | 0.301 | 0.93 (0.66-1.3)  | 0.659 |
| HMDB0001932 | metoprolol                   | Phenols                   | Tyrosols and derivatives                  | 1.32 | (0.56, 3.12) | 0.522 | 0.93 (0.64-1.34) | 0.685 |
| HMDB0001390 | hydroxycotinine              | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyrrolidinylpyridines                     | 0.79 | (0.34, 1.85) | 0.593 | 1.03 (0.71-1.48) | 0.888 |

\*\*Continuous results are presented only including those with a continuous measure for the metabolite available. Results are sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted models (present v. absent analysis).

\*Representative HMDBID

^Multivariable model includes BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

**Supplemental Table 1.3a.** Odds ratios for ER+ breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of metabolite levels, measured at distant blood.\*\*

| Metabolite Name         | HMDB ID      | Class                               | Subclass                             | Multivariable adjusted <sup>^</sup> |         |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                         |              |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)                         | p value |
| metronidazole           | HMDB0015052  | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.90 (0.67-1.19)                    | 0.456   |
| urocanic acid           | HMDB0000301  | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.05 (0.80-1.38)                    | 0.732   |
| allantoin               | HMDB0000462  | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.95 (0.70-1.29)                    | 0.751   |
| sulfamethoxazole        | HMDB0015150  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzenesulfonamides                  | 1.03 (0.79-1.34)                    | 0.833   |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.67 (0.50-0.90)                    | 0.007   |
| 4-hydroxyhippurate      | HMDB0013678  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.75 (0.57-1.00)                    | 0.05    |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.28 (0.97-1.70)                    | 0.081   |
| N-acetylputrescine      | HMDB0002064  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.27 (0.95-1.69)                    | 0.101   |
| Palmitoylethanolamide   | HMDB0002100  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.80 (0.61-1.06)                    | 0.126   |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | HMDB0001276  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.96 (0.71-1.30)                    | 0.807   |
| N-alpha-acetylgarginine | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.70 (0.53-0.94)                    | 0.016   |
| citrulline              | HMDB0000904  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.74 (0.55-0.99)                    | 0.045   |
| hydroxyproline          | HMDB0000725  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.79 (0.59-1.04)                    | 0.099   |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                       |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| proline               | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.28 (0.95-1.72) | 0.111 |
| lysine                | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.25 (0.95-1.67) | 0.115 |
| alanine               | HMDB0000161  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.26 (0.94-1.7)  | 0.124 |
| N-acetylhistidine     | HMDB0032055  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.80 (0.60-1.07) | 0.131 |
| homoarginine          | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.24 (0.93-1.66) | 0.136 |
| creatine              | HMDB0000064  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.81 (0.61-1.07) | 0.139 |
| betaine               | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.79 (0.57-1.08) | 0.143 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate  | HMDB0003681  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.82 (0.61-1.10) | 0.186 |
| phenylalanine         | HMDB0000159  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.22 (0.90-1.64) | 0.195 |
| N-acetyltryptophan    | HMDB0013713  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.83 (0.63-1.11) | 0.217 |
| oleoyl glycine        | HMDB0013631  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.83 (0.62-1.12) | 0.224 |
| phenylacetylglutamine | HMDB0006344  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.84 (0.63-1.12) | 0.246 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                          |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| N-lauroylglycine         | HMDB0013272  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.16 (0.88-1.54) | 0.282 |
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | HMDB0001325  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.86 (0.65-1.14) | 0.302 |
| N-acetylorcithine        | HMDB0003357  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.87 (0.66-1.15) | 0.32  |
| ADMA/SDMA                | HMDB0001539  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.14 (0.86-1.51) | 0.363 |
| glycine                  | HMDB0000123  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.87 (0.65-1.17) | 0.367 |
| histidine                | HMDB0000177  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.13 (0.86-1.5)  | 0.375 |
| 1-methylhistidine        | HMDB0000001  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.88 (0.67-1.16) | 0.376 |
| aminoisobutyric acid     | HMDB0001906* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.12 (0.85-1.48) | 0.412 |
| GABA                     | HMDB0000112  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.89 (0.67-1.18) | 0.413 |
| isoleucine               | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.13 (0.84-1.52) | 0.42  |
| glutamine                | HMDB0000641  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.9 (0.67-1.19)  | 0.448 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                      |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| leucine              | HMDB0000687  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.12 (0.83-1.50) | 0.453 |
| methionine           | HMDB0000696  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.11 (0.84-1.47) | 0.462 |
| N6-acetyllysine      | HMDB0000206* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.91 (0.68-1.20) | 0.489 |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid | HMDB0000991* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.83-1.43) | 0.553 |
| dimethylglycine      | HMDB0000092  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.81-1.47) | 0.564 |
| creatinine           | HMDB0000562  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.92 (0.70-1.21) | 0.572 |
| NMMA                 | HMDB0029416  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.08 (0.82-1.43) | 0.592 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine | HMDB0013287  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.81-1.41) | 0.647 |
| tyrosine             | HMDB0000158  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.79-1.44) | 0.658 |
| asparagine           | HMDB0000168  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.94 (0.70-1.26) | 0.666 |
| pantothenate         | HMDB0000210  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.94 (0.70-1.25) | 0.673 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                                |             |                                  |  |                  |       |
|--------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| guanidinoacetic acid           | HMDB0000128 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.95 (0.70-1.27) | 0.707 |
| proline betaine                | HMDB0004827 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.95 (0.71-1.27) | 0.727 |
| threonine                      | HMDB0000167 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.96 (0.72-1.28) | 0.785 |
| pipecolic acid                 | HMDB0000716 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.04 (0.77-1.40) | 0.8   |
| valine                         | HMDB0000883 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.98 (0.73-1.32) | 0.892 |
| serine                         | HMDB0000187 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.98 (0.74-1.32) | 0.916 |
| cytosine                       | HMDB0000630 | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 0.94 (0.72-1.24) | 0.665 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | HMDB0000544 | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 0.95 (0.72-1.26) | 0.73  |
| C5:1 carnitine                 | HMDB0002366 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.59 (0.44-0.79) | 0     |
| C4 carnitine                   | HMDB0002013 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.69 (0.52-0.92) | 0.012 |
| C5-DC carnitine                | HMDB0013130 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.70 (0.53-0.93) | 0.015 |
| C3 carnitine                   | HMDB0000824 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.72 (0.54-0.97) | 0.029 |
| C9 carnitine                   | HMDB0013288 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.13 (0.86-1.50) | 0.368 |
| C12 carnitine                  | HMDB0002250 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.89 (0.66-1.19) | 0.414 |
| C26 carnitine                  | HMDB0006347 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.89 (0.67-1.18) | 0.419 |
| C4-OH carnitine                | HMDB0013127 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.10 (0.82-1.48) | 0.508 |
| C14:1 carnitine                | HMDB0002014 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.91 (0.68-1.22) | 0.538 |
| C2 carnitine                   | HMDB0000201 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.92 (0.68-1.23) | 0.568 |
| C14:2 carnitine                | HMDB0013331 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.92 (0.68-1.24) | 0.585 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                      |              |               |                                |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C12:1 carnitine      | HMDB0013326  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.92 (0.69-1.24) | 0.600 |
| C5 carnitine         | HMDB0000688  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.93 (0.69-1.24) | 0.602 |
| C10:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013325  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.94 (0.71-1.24) | 0.657 |
| C14 carnitine        | HMDB0005066  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.04 (0.78-1.39) | 0.792 |
| C6 carnitine         | HMDB0000705  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.04 (0.77-1.39) | 0.81  |
| C8 carnitine         | HMDB0000791  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.02 (0.76-1.37) | 0.883 |
| C10 carnitine        | HMDB0000651  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.98 (0.73-1.32) | 0.889 |
| C7 carnitine         | HMDB0013238  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.01 (0.76-1.35) | 0.919 |
| 3-dehydroxycarnitine | HMDB0006831  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 0.87 (0.64-1.17) | 0.344 |
| myristoleic acid     | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 0.96 (0.72-1.28) | 0.801 |
| C34:2 DAG            | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.50 (1.12-2.02) | 0.007 |
| C36:3 DAG            | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.35 (1.01-1.80) | 0.04  |
| C34:3 DAG            | HMDB0007132* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.31 (0.99-1.74) | 0.06  |
| C36:4 DAG            | HMDB0007248* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.25 (0.94-1.66) | 0.121 |
| C32:0 DAG            | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.44 (1.06-1.94) | 0.018 |
| C34:1 DAG            | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.38 (1.03-1.87) | 0.034 |
| C32:1 DAG            | HMDB0007099* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.32 (0.98-1.77) | 0.067 |
| C34:0 DAG            | HMDB0007100* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.30 (0.96-1.75) | 0.089 |
| C36:2 DAG            | HMDB0007218* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.28 (0.95-1.72) | 0.101 |
| C36:1 DAG            | HMDB0007216* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.23 (0.91-1.66) | 0.176 |
| C38:5 DAG            | HMDB0007199* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.16 (0.86-1.56) | 0.326 |
| C52:4 TAG            | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.43 (1.07-1.90) | 0.015 |
| C50:2 TAG            | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.44 (1.06-1.96) | 0.021 |
| C50:1 TAG            | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.42 (1.04-1.93) | 0.027 |
| C50:3 TAG            | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.38 (1.02-1.87) | 0.035 |
| C52:2 TAG            | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.39 (1.02-1.88) | 0.035 |
| C51:1 TAG            | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.38 (1.02-1.86) | 0.036 |
| C43:2 TAG            | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.37 (1.01-1.85) | 0.041 |
| C55:2 TAG            | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.35 (1.00-1.82) | 0.047 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|           |              |               |                  |                  |       |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| C51:0 TAG | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.34 (0.99-1.80) | 0.055 |
| C43:1 TAG | HMDB0042098* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.33 (0.99-1.80) | 0.061 |
| C50:0 TAG | HMDB0005357* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.31 (0.97-1.78) | 0.082 |
| C45:2 TAG | HMDB0043170* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.29 (0.96-1.75) | 0.091 |
| C43:0 TAG | HMDB0042062* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.28 (0.96-1.72) | 0.094 |
| C52:1 TAG | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.29 (0.95-1.76) | 0.099 |
| C54:5 TAG | HMDB0005385* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.95-1.69) | 0.103 |
| C56:3 TAG | HMDB0005410* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.26 (0.94-1.69) | 0.118 |
| C48:0 TAG | HMDB0005356* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.94-1.72) | 0.125 |
| C48:1 TAG | HMDB0005359* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.26 (0.94-1.70) | 0.127 |
| C44:0 TAG | HMDB0042063* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.25 (0.93-1.68) | 0.142 |
| C54:2 TAG | HMDB0005403* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.24 (0.92-1.68) | 0.154 |
| C52:0 TAG | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.24 (0.92-1.69) | 0.161 |
| C51:3 TAG | HMDB0011701* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.92-1.65) | 0.168 |
| C45:1 TAG | HMDB0042099* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.91-1.65) | 0.175 |
| C56:4 TAG | HMDB0005398* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.21 (0.91-1.62) | 0.186 |
| C50:5 TAG | HMDB0010471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.91-1.65) | 0.19  |
| C56:7 TAG | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.21 (0.91-1.61) | 0.201 |
| C56:2 TAG | HMDB0005404* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.20 (0.90-1.62) | 0.22  |
| C46:0 TAG | HMDB0010411* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.20 (0.89-1.62) | 0.225 |
| C52:6 TAG | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.20 (0.89-1.62) | 0.225 |
| C46:2 TAG | HMDB0010419* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.19 (0.89-1.60) | 0.25  |
| C46:1 TAG | HMDB0010412* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.18 (0.88-1.59) | 0.268 |
| C54:1 TAG | HMDB0005395* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.19 (0.88-1.61) | 0.268 |
| C56:1 TAG | HMDB0005396* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.18 (0.88-1.60) | 0.268 |
| C54:6 TAG | HMDB0005391* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.88-1.56) | 0.269 |
| C52:7 TAG | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.18 (0.87-1.59) | 0.282 |
| C48:2 TAG | HMDB0005376* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.87-1.58) | 0.291 |
| C55:3 TAG | HMDB0042466* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.88-1.55) | 0.292 |
| C48:3 TAG | HMDB0005432* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.87-1.58) | 0.298 |
| C49:3 TAG | HMDB0042103* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.87-1.56) | 0.300 |
| C54:3 TAG | HMDB0005405* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.87-1.56) | 0.300 |
| C53:3 TAG | HMDB0043058* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.16 (0.87-1.55) | 0.312 |
| C50:6 TAG | HMDB0010497* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.16 (0.86-1.57) | 0.329 |
| C49:2 TAG | HMDB0011706* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.15 (0.87-1.53) | 0.333 |



Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                        |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C47:2 TAG                 | HMDB0042076* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.16 (0.86-1.55) | 0.335 |
| C53:2 TAG                 | HMDB0042196* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.15 (0.86-1.54) | 0.348 |
| C47:1 TAG                 | HMDB0042100* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.14 (0.86-1.52) | 0.372 |
| C54:4 TAG                 | HMDB0005370* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.13 (0.85-1.51) | 0.397 |
| C49:1 TAG                 | HMDB0011705* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.12 (0.86-1.47) | 0.399 |
| C54:7 TAG                 | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.12 (0.84-1.48) | 0.442 |
| C54:8 TAG                 | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.12 (0.84-1.50) | 0.456 |
| C51:2 TAG                 | HMDB0005362* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.11 (0.83-1.49) | 0.464 |
| C56:6 TAG                 | HMDB0005456* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.91 (0.68-1.21) | 0.518 |
| C56:8 TAG                 | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.09 (0.82-1.45) | 0.547 |
| C58:7 TAG                 | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.92 (0.69-1.23) | 0.593 |
| C58:9 TAG                 | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.08 (0.81-1.44) | 0.616 |
| C56:5 TAG                 | HMDB0005406* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.93 (0.70-1.25) | 0.640 |
| C56:9 TAG                 | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.05 (0.78-1.40) | 0.746 |
| C58:8 TAG                 | HMDB0005413* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.05 (0.79-1.38) | 0.747 |
| C58:10 TAG                | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.96 (0.72-1.29) | 0.802 |
| C58:6 TAG                 | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.03 (0.76-1.40) | 0.853 |
| C60:12 TAG                | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.02 (0.76-1.36) | 0.888 |
| C54:9 TAG                 | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.02 (0.76-1.36) | 0.908 |
| C58:11 TAG                | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.99 (0.74-1.33) | 0.946 |
| C56:10 TAG                | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.01 (0.75-1.35) | 0.956 |
| C22:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.58 (0.43-0.77) | 0     |
| C18:2 LPC                 | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.64 (0.47-0.87) | 0.005 |
| C20:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.65 (0.48-0.88) | 0.006 |
| C18:1 LPC                 | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.68 (0.51-0.91) | 0.011 |
| C18:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.69 (0.51-0.93) | 0.014 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.75 (0.57-0.99) | 0.043 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                        |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C22:6 LPC                 | HMDB0010404  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.75 (0.56-1.00) | 0.052 |
| C32:1 PC                  | HMDB0007873* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.34 (0.98-1.84) | 0.067 |
| C32:2 PC                  | HMDB0007874* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.29 (0.96-1.74) | 0.092 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-A | HMDB0011221* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.79 (0.60-1.04) | 0.092 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011211* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.80 (0.60-1.07) | 0.13  |
| C38:7 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011229* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.82 (0.62-1.09) | 0.173 |
| C30:1 PC                  | HMDB0007870* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.22 (0.9-1.65)  | 0.194 |
| C18:3 LPC                 | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.83 (0.63-1.11) | 0.206 |
| C32:0 PC                  | HMDB0007871* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.21 (0.9-1.63)  | 0.207 |
| C16:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.84 (0.63-1.11) | 0.218 |
| C34:1 PC                  | HMDB0007972* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.15 (0.85-1.55) | 0.363 |
| C30:0 PC                  | HMDB0007869* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.14 (0.85-1.54) | 0.389 |
| C36:1 PC                  | HMDB0008038* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.93 (0.70-1.23) | 0.612 |
| C38:3 PC                  | HMDB0008047* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.08 (0.79-1.46) | 0.631 |
| C38:6 PC                  | HMDB0007991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.07 (0.79-1.46) | 0.651 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011239* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.07 (0.81-1.41) | 0.653 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011252* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.94 (0.71-1.24) | 0.655 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                         |              |                      |                                  |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C16:1 LPC               | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 0.95 (0.71-1.25) | 0.703 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011208* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.05 (0.79-1.39) | 0.729 |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011310* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 0.95 (0.72-1.26) | 0.738 |
| C14:0 LPC               | HMDB0010379  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.04 (0.78-1.39) | 0.794 |
| C36:4 PC-B              | HMDB0008138* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.04 (0.76-1.42) | 0.811 |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011243* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.03 (0.78-1.37) | 0.831 |
| C40:10 PC               | HMDB0008511* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.02 (0.75-1.38) | 0.898 |
| C40:6 PC                | HMDB0008057* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 0.98 (0.73-1.32) | 0.915 |
| C40:9 PC                | HMDB0008731* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.01 (0.75-1.36) | 0.962 |
| C22:0 LPE               | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.65 (0.48-0.88) | 0.005 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.72 (0.54-0.95) | 0.022 |
| C36:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011410* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.73 (0.55-0.97) | 0.028 |
| C34:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011343* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.76 (0.57-1.00) | 0.05  |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011442* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.76 (0.58-1.00) | 0.054 |
| C36:2 PE                | HMDB0008994* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.27 (0.94-1.72) | 0.121 |
| C34:2 PE                | HMDB0008928* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.26 (0.94-1.71) | 0.123 |
| C18:1 LPE               | HMDB0011506* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.81 (0.61-1.08) | 0.149 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|             |              |                      |                              |                  |       |
|-------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C40:6 PE    | HMDB0009012* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.25 (0.92-1.71) | 0.151 |
| C38:5 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| plasmalogen | HMDB0011386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.82 (0.62-1.08) | 0.157 |
| C36:2 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| plasmalogen | HMDB0009082* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.82 (0.62-1.08) | 0.163 |
| C20:4 LPE   |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C34:2 PE    | HMDB0011517  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.82 (0.62-1.09) | 0.177 |
| plasmalogen |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C36:3 PE    | HMDB0008952* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.83 (0.62-1.1)  | 0.192 |
| plasmalogen |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C18:0 LPE   | HMDB0011441* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.85 (0.64-1.12) | 0.255 |
| C18:0 LPE   | HMDB0011130  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.88 (0.66-1.16) | 0.353 |
| C34:0 PE    | HMDB0008925* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.13 (0.86-1.50) | 0.38  |
| C18:2 LPE   |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C18:2 LPE   | HMDB0011507* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.88 (0.65-1.18) | 0.381 |
| C36:1 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C38:7 PE    | HMDB0008993* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.14 (0.84-1.55) | 0.386 |
| plasmalogen |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C38:6 PE    | HMDB0011420* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.88 (0.66-1.18) | 0.399 |
| C38:6 PE    | HMDB0009102* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.13 (0.82-1.56) | 0.445 |
| C36:3 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C36:3 PE    | HMDB0009060* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.12 (0.83-1.51) | 0.447 |
| C40:7 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| plasmalogen | HMDB0011394* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.90 (0.68-1.19) | 0.448 |
| C36:4 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C36:4 PE    | HMDB0008937* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.12 (0.83-1.53) | 0.457 |
| C38:4 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C38:4 PE    | HMDB0009003* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.11 (0.82-1.51) | 0.493 |
| C32:0 PE    |              |                      | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines |                  |       |
| C32:0 PE    | HMDB0008923* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.10 (0.83-1.46) | 0.51  |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                          |              |                         |   |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---|------------------|-------|
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen  | HMDB0009016* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines            | 1.08 (0.81-1.43) | 0.603 |
| C36:0 PE                 | HMDB0008991* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines            | 1.06 (0.81-1.4)  | 0.664 |
| C38:2 PE                 | HMDB0008942* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines            | 0.96 (0.73-1.27) | 0.777 |
| C16:0 LPE                | HMDB0011503  | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines            | 0.96 (0.72-1.28) | 0.784 |
| C38:5 PE                 | HMDB0009069* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines            | 1.01 (0.75-1.37) | 0.931 |
| C22:6 LPE                | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines            | 1.00 (0.74-1.35) | 0.99  |
| C38:4 PI                 | HMDB0009815* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoinositols                     | 0.89 (0.67-1.18) | 0.407 |
| C34:0 PS                 | HMDB0012356* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoserines                       | 0.96 (0.71-1.29) | 0.784 |
| uric acid                | HMDB0000289  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine<br>derivatives           | 0.84 (0.62-1.13) | 0.25  |
| 1,7-dimethyluric<br>acid | HMDB0011103  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine<br>derivatives           | 0.91 (0.69-1.20) | 0.515 |
| caffeine                 | HMDB0001847  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine<br>derivatives           | 0.93 (0.70-1.25) | 0.636 |
| 3-methylxanthine         | HMDB0001886  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine<br>derivatives           | 0.95 (0.72-1.26) | 0.744 |
| 7-methylxanthine         | HMDB0001991  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine<br>derivatives           | 0.98 (0.74-1.30) | 0.877 |
| 7-methylguanine          | HMDB0000897  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine<br>derivatives           | 0.99 (0.75-1.32) | 0.969 |
| 1-methylguanine          | HMDB0003282  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine<br>derivatives           | 1.00 (0.76-1.33) | 0.973 |
| tryptophan               | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic acids<br>and derivatives | 0.99 (0.74-1.33) | 0.973 |
| serotonin                | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives | Tryptamines and<br>derivatives              | 1.37 (1.04-1.81) | 0.025 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                            |              |  |            |                  |       |
|----------------------------|--------------|--|------------|------------------|-------|
| C20:4 LPC                  | HMDB0010395  | NA                                     | NA         | 0.66 (0.50-0.88) | 0.004 |
| thyroxine                  | HMDB0000248  | NA                                     | NA         | 1.50 (1.11-2.04) | 0.009 |
| C20:1 LPE                  | HMDB0011512* | NA                                     | NA         | 0.69 (0.52-0.92) | 0.011 |
| trigonelline               | HMDB0000875  | NA                                     | NA         | 0.71 (0.53-0.95) | 0.021 |
| 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole   | HMDB0032390  | NA                                     | NA         | 0.78 (0.59-1.03) | 0.084 |
| methyl N-methylantranilate | HMDB0034169  | NA                                     | NA         | 1.21 (0.92-1.59) | 0.183 |
| coenzyme Q10               | HMDB0001072  | NA                                     | NA         | 0.84 (0.63-1.11) | 0.216 |
| C18:3 LPE                  | HMDB0011478* | NA                                     | NA         | 0.87 (0.65-1.16) | 0.338 |
| C34:5 PC                   |              |  |            |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                | HMDB0011214* | NA                                     | NA         | 0.87 (0.66-1.16) | 0.345 |
| C20:1 LPC                  | HMDB0010391* | NA                                     | NA         | 0.88 (0.67-1.17) | 0.396 |
| C34:4 PC                   | HMDB0007883* | NA                                     | NA         | 1.13 (0.83-1.54) | 0.439 |
| piperine                   | HMDB0029377  | NA                                     | NA         | 0.89 (0.67-1.19) | 0.443 |
| C36:3 PC                   |              |  |            |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                | HMDB0011244* | NA                                     | NA         | 0.90 (0.68-1.20) | 0.488 |
| cerulenin                  | HMDB0015168  | NA                                     | NA         | 1.10 (0.83-1.46) | 0.505 |
| C34:2 PC                   |              |  |            |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                | HMDB0011210* | NA                                     | NA         | 0.96 (0.72-1.28) | 0.779 |
| deoxyguanosine             | HMDB0000085  | NA                                     | NA         | 1.04 (0.79-1.37) | 0.804 |
| DMGV                       | HMDB0240212  | NA                                     | NA         | 0.96 (0.70-1.32) | 0.808 |
| valsartan                  | HMDB0014323  | NA                                     | NA         | 1.01 (0.77-1.31) | 0.962 |
|                            |              |  |            |                  |       |
| pseudouridine              | HMDB0000767  | Nucleoside and nucleotide analogues    | NA         | 0.89 (0.66-1.20) | 0.452 |
|                            |              |  |            |                  |       |
| N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine   | HMDB0000026  | Organic carbonic acids and derivatives | Ureas      | 0.76 (0.57-1.02) | 0.065 |
|                            |              |  |            |                  |       |
| 1-methylhistamine          | HMDB0000898  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Amines     | 1.14 (0.87-1.49) | 0.36  |
| trimethylamine-N-oxide     | HMDB0000925  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Aminoxides | 1.03 (0.78-1.36) | 0.843 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|                                    |             |                           |   |                  |       |
|------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|---|------------------|-------|
| metformin                          | HMDB0001921 | Organonitrogen compounds  | Guanidines                                | 1.03 (0.78-1.36) | 0.834 |
| carnitine                          | HMDB0000062 | Organonitrogen compounds  | Quaternary ammonium salts                 | 0.73 (0.54-0.99) | 0.041 |
| phosphocholine                     | HMDB0001565 | Organonitrogen compounds  | Quaternary ammonium salts                 | 1.02 (0.77-1.35) | 0.896 |
| acetyl-galactosamine               | HMDB0000212 | Organooxygen compounds    | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | 1.26 (0.95-1.69) | 0.114 |
| 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone     | HMDB0059824 | Organooxygen compounds    | Carbonyl compounds                        | 0.93 (0.71-1.22) | 0.599 |
| acetaminophen                      | HMDB0001859 | Phenols                   | 1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids      | 1.12 (0.85-1.47) | 0.424 |
| 2-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0005862 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 1.34 (1.00-1.80) | 0.05  |
| guanosine                          | HMDB0000133 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 0.81 (0.62-1.07) | 0.139 |
| 1-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0001563 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 1.13 (0.85-1.51) | 0.413 |
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | HMDB0004824 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 0.94 (0.70-1.26) | 0.674 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide               | HMDB0000699 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives  | 1.11 (0.83-1.49) | 0.47  |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | HMDB0004193 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives  | 0.93 (0.70-1.24) | 0.638 |
| pyridoxamine                       | HMDB0001431 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridoxamines                             | 1.16 (0.88-1.53) | 0.298 |
| cotinine                           | HMDB0001046 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyrrolidinylpyridines                     | 1.11 (0.84-1.48) | 0.466 |
| N4-acetylcytidine                  | HMDB0005923 | Pyrimidine nucleosides    | NA  | 1.17 (0.87-1.57) | 0.306 |
| ribothymidine                      | HMDB0000884 | Pyrimidine nucleosides    | NA  | 0.91 (0.69-1.2)  | 0.513 |

Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|  |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| kynurenic acid                           | HMDB0000715  | Quinolines and derivatives       | Quinoline carboxylic acids           | 0.76 (0.57-1.02) | 0.068 |
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.17 (0.88-1.56) | 0.277 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.17 (0.87-1.56) | 0.293 |
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.08 (0.80-1.45) | 0.608 |
| C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004956  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 0.96 (0.72-1.29) | 0.799 |
| C14:0 SM                                 | HMDB0012097  | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 1.10 (0.82-1.47) | 0.515 |
| C22:1 SM                                 | HMDB0012104* | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 0.94 (0.71-1.25) | 0.667 |
| glycodeoxycholate/glycochenodeoxycholate | HMDB0000631* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 1.16 (0.86-1.57) | 0.321 |
| glycocholate                             | HMDB0000138  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 1.00 (0.75-1.34) | 0.999 |
| cholesterol                              | HMDB0000067  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholestane steroids                  | 1.01 (0.76-1.35) | 0.933 |
| campesterol                              | HMDB0002869  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Ergostane steroids                   | 0.99 (0.74-1.32) | 0.926 |
| cortisone                                | HMDB0002802  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 0.91 (0.68-1.21) | 0.516 |
| cortisol                                 | HMDB0000063  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 0.91 (0.66-1.24) | 0.542 |
| 21-deoxycortisol                         | HMDB0004030  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Pregnane steroids                    | 0.95 (0.70-1.29) | 0.738 |
| C22:5 CE                                 | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 0.52 (0.39-0.70) | 0     |
| C20:5 CE                                 | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 0.61 (0.46-0.82) | 0.001 |



Supplemental Table 1.3a (continued).

|            |              |                                  |                    |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|
| C18:3 CE   | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.65 (0.49-0.86) | 0.003 |
| C20:4 CE   | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.67 (0.50-0.89) | 0.006 |
| C18:0 CE   | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.68 (0.51-0.91) | 0.01  |
| C20:3 CE   | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.73 (0.55-0.96) | 0.026 |
| C18:1 CE   | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.72 (0.54-0.97) | 0.03  |
| C22:6 CE   | HMDB0006733  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.75 (0.56-1.01) | 0.058 |
| C16:0 CE   | HMDB0000885  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.76 (0.57-1.01) | 0.063 |
| C14:0 CE   | HMDB0006725  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.76 (0.57-1.01) | 0.064 |
| C18:2 CE   | HMDB0000610* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.76 (0.56-1.02) | 0.072 |
| C16:1 CE   | HMDB0000658* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.02 (0.76-1.37) | 0.889 |
| bilirubin  | HMDB0000054  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.85 (0.64-1.12) | 0.252 |
| biliverdin | HMDB0001008  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 1.12 (0.85-1.48) | 0.421 |

\*\* Includes metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values were imputed with 1/2 the minimum value. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted models.

^Multivariable adjusted includes BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

\*Representative HMDBID

**Supplemental Table 1.3b.** Odds ratios for ER+ breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of metabolite levels, measured at proximate blood.

| Metabolite Name         | HMDB ID     | Class                               | Subclass                             | Multivariable Adjusted <sup>^</sup> |         |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                         |             |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)                         | p value |
| metronidazole           | HMDB0015052 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.93 (0.66-1.3)                     | 0.66    |
| allantoin               | HMDB0000462 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.94 (0.65-1.35)                    | 0.722   |
| urocanic acid           | HMDB0000301 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.04 (0.74-1.46)                    | 0.839   |
| sulfamethoxazole        | HMDB0015150 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzenesulfonamides                  | 0.91 (0.65-1.28)                    | 0.592   |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.64 (0.45-0.91)                    | 0.014   |
| 4-hydroxyhippurate      | HMDB0013678 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.82 (0.59-1.16)                    | 0.268   |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.46 (1.02-2.08)                    | 0.038   |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | HMDB0001276 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.26 (0.87-1.84)                    | 0.225   |
| Palmitoylethanolamide   | HMDB0002100 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.85 (0.6-1.2)                      | 0.358   |
| N-acetylputrescine      | HMDB0002064 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.16 (0.81-1.67)                    | 0.423   |
| proline                 | HMDB0000162 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.52 (1.04-2.21)                    | 0.029   |
| phenylalanine           | HMDB0000159 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.48 (1.03-2.14)                    | 0.035   |
| isoleucine              | HMDB0000172 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.47 (1-2.16)                       | 0.049   |
| leucine                 | HMDB0000687 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.45 (0.99-2.12)                    | 0.054   |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                      |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| N-acetylorithine     | HMDB0003357  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.76 (0.54-1.07) | 0.118 |
| valine               | HMDB0000883  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.34 (0.92-1.97) | 0.13  |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid | HMDB0000991* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.77 (0.54-1.09) | 0.136 |
| hydroxyproline       | HMDB0000725  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.77 (0.54-1.1)  | 0.157 |
| tyrosine             | HMDB0000158  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.24 (0.86-1.79) | 0.243 |
| threonine            | HMDB0000167  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.82 (0.57-1.16) | 0.26  |
| aminoisobutyric acid | HMDB0001906* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.83 (0.58-1.18) | 0.29  |
| alanine              | HMDB0000161  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.21 (0.85-1.72) | 0.296 |
| pipecolic acid       | HMDB0000716  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.82 (0.57-1.19) | 0.297 |
| lysine               | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.2 (0.85-1.70)  | 0.303 |
| ADMA/SDMA            | HMDB0001539  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.19 (0.84-1.69) | 0.329 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                        |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| glycine                | HMDB0000123  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.19 (0.82-1.73) | 0.353 |
| guanidinoacetic acid   | HMDB0000128  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.17 (0.82-1.67) | 0.389 |
| homoarginine           | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.85 (0.59-1.23) | 0.396 |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.16 (0.81-1.64) | 0.419 |
| betaine                | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.17 (0.78-1.77) | 0.448 |
| Phenylacetyl-glutamine | HMDB0006344  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.14 (0.8-1.63)  | 0.458 |
| 1-methylhistidine      | HMDB0000001  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.13 (0.8-1.62)  | 0.484 |
| pantothenate           | HMDB0000210  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.88 (0.62-1.25) | 0.485 |
| methionine             | HMDB0000696  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.12 (0.79-1.58) | 0.517 |
| asparagine             | HMDB0000168  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.89 (0.62-1.28) | 0.536 |
| creatinine             | HMDB0000562  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.11 (0.79-1.58) | 0.542 |
| creatine               | HMDB0000064  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.9 (0.64-1.27)  | 0.55  |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                          |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| citrulline               | HMDB0000904  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.91 (0.63-1.31) | 0.603 |
| histidine                | HMDB0000177  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.77-1.55) | 0.609 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine     | HMDB0013287  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.77-1.55) | 0.622 |
| N-acetyltryptophan       | HMDB0013713  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.92 (0.64-1.32) | 0.632 |
| NMMA                     | HMDB0029416  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.92 (0.65-1.3)  | 0.634 |
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | HMDB0001325  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.76-1.55) | 0.646 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate     | HMDB0003681  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.93 (0.64-1.34) | 0.684 |
| glutamine                | HMDB0000641  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.75-1.53) | 0.708 |
| dimethylglycine          | HMDB0000092  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.74-1.55) | 0.724 |
| GABA                     | HMDB0000112  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.94 (0.67-1.33) | 0.728 |
| serine                   | HMDB0000187  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.74-1.53) | 0.732 |
| N6-acetyllysine          | HMDB0000206* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.06 (0.74-1.51) | 0.75  |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                                |             |                                  |  |                  |       |
|--------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| N-acetylhistidine              | HMDB0032055 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.94 (0.65-1.36) | 0.755 |
| oleoyl glycine                 | HMDB0013631 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.95 (0.67-1.36) | 0.787 |
| proline betaine                | HMDB0004827 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.05 (0.74-1.5)  | 0.788 |
| N-lauroylglycine               | HMDB0013272 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.99 (0.70-1.40) | 0.968 |
| cytosine                       | HMDB0000630 | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 1.19 (0.84-1.69) | 0.328 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | HMDB0000544 | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 0.98 (0.68-1.42) | 0.918 |
| C5-DC carnitine                | HMDB0013130 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.60 (0.42-0.86) | 0.004 |
| C4-OH carnitine                | HMDB0013127 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.33 (0.92-1.93) | 0.132 |
| C5:1 carnitine                 | HMDB0002366 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.80 (0.55-1.14) | 0.218 |
| C2 carnitine                   | HMDB0000201 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.19 (0.82-1.73) | 0.356 |
| C6 carnitine                   | HMDB0000705 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.15 (0.81-1.65) | 0.435 |
| C10:2 carnitine                | HMDB0013325 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.87 (0.62-1.23) | 0.436 |
| C7 carnitine                   | HMDB0013238 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.13 (0.80-1.61) | 0.492 |
| C8 carnitine                   | HMDB0000791 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.10 (0.77-1.58) | 0.601 |
| C10 carnitine                  | HMDB0000651 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.09 (0.76-1.56) | 0.636 |
| C12:1 carnitine                | HMDB0013326 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.09 (0.76-1.57) | 0.645 |
| C14 carnitine                  | HMDB0005066 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.08 (0.75-1.57) | 0.672 |
| C3 carnitine                   | HMDB0000824 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.06 (0.73-1.52) | 0.766 |
| C12 carnitine                  | HMDB0002250 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.05 (0.73-1.51) | 0.805 |
| C5 carnitine                   | HMDB0000688 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.96 (0.66-1.39) | 0.817 |
| C26 carnitine                  | HMDB0006347 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.03 (0.72-1.46) | 0.882 |
| C14:1 carnitine                | HMDB0002014 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.03 (0.71-1.49) | 0.887 |
| C14:2 carnitine                | HMDB0013331 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.02 (0.71-1.47) | 0.912 |
| C9 carnitine                   | HMDB0013288 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.99 (0.71-1.38) | 0.943 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                      |              |               |                                |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C4 carnitine         | HMDB0002013  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.99 (0.70-1.40) | 0.953 |
| myristoleic acid     | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.37 (0.96-1.94) | 0.08  |
| 3-dehydroxycarnitine | HMDB0006831  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.07 (0.74-1.55) | 0.722 |
| C34:2 DAG            | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.22 (0.85-1.76) | 0.275 |
| C36:3 DAG            | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.13 (0.79-1.61) | 0.499 |
| C34:3 DAG            | HMDB0007132* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.09 (0.77-1.56) | 0.624 |
| C36:4 DAG            | HMDB0007248* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 0.99 (0.69-1.43) | 0.970 |
| C34:0 DAG            | HMDB0007100* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.42 (1.00-2.04) | 0.053 |
| C36:1 DAG            | HMDB0007216* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.43 (0.99-2.05) | 0.055 |
| C36:2 DAG            | HMDB0007218* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.33 (0.93-1.91) | 0.118 |
| C32:0 DAG            | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.27 (0.88-1.83) | 0.197 |
| C34:1 DAG            | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.27 (0.88-1.83) | 0.201 |
| C32:1 DAG            | HMDB0007099* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.17 (0.82-1.67) | 0.400 |
| C38:5 DAG            | HMDB0007199* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 0.90 (0.62-1.29) | 0.553 |
| C52:0 TAG            | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.49 (1.04-2.15) | 0.030 |
| C54:9 TAG            | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.68 (0.48-0.98) | 0.037 |
| C58:11 TAG           | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.69 (0.48-0.98) | 0.038 |
| C58:9 TAG            | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.69 (0.48-0.99) | 0.043 |
| C58:7 TAG            | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.68 (0.47-0.99) | 0.044 |
| C56:10 TAG           | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.69 (0.49-0.99) | 0.045 |
| C58:10 TAG           | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.70 (0.49-0.99) | 0.046 |
| C52:1 TAG            | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.45 (1.01-2.09) | 0.047 |
| C53:2 TAG            | HMDB0042196* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.42 (0.99-2.05) | 0.054 |
| C56:9 TAG            | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.71 (0.49-1.01) | 0.057 |
| C52:2 TAG            | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.42 (0.99-2.04) | 0.059 |
| C54:2 TAG            | HMDB0005403* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.40 (0.97-2.02) | 0.069 |
| C50:0 TAG            | HMDB0005357* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.39 (0.97-2.01) | 0.071 |
| C54:1 TAG            | HMDB0005395* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.38 (0.96-1.99) | 0.084 |
| C51:0 TAG            | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.36 (0.96-1.94) | 0.084 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|            |              |               |                  |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| C54:8 TAG  | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.73 (0.51-1.05) | 0.090 |
| C50:1 TAG  | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.35 (0.93-1.96) | 0.11  |
| C51:1 TAG  | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.33 (0.92-1.92) | 0.124 |
| C60:12 TAG | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.75 (0.52-1.08) | 0.127 |
| C56:8 TAG  | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.77 (0.54-1.10) | 0.153 |
| C54:3 TAG  | HMDB0005405* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.28 (0.89-1.85) | 0.179 |
| C50:3 TAG  | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.26 (0.88-1.79) | 0.206 |
| C43:0 TAG  | HMDB0042062* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.25 (0.88-1.77) | 0.215 |
| C52:7 TAG  | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.80 (0.56-1.14) | 0.217 |
| C54:7 TAG  | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.80 (0.56-1.14) | 0.223 |
| C58:6 TAG  | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.80 (0.54-1.16) | 0.236 |
| C56:7 TAG  | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.81 (0.56-1.15) | 0.237 |
| C48:0 TAG  | HMDB0005356* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.86-1.76) | 0.264 |
| C50:2 TAG  | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.85-1.76) | 0.282 |
| C51:3 TAG  | HMDB0011701* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.85-1.75) | 0.29  |
| C50:6 TAG  | HMDB0010497* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.58-1.18) | 0.294 |
| C58:8 TAG  | HMDB0005413* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.58-1.18) | 0.303 |
| C53:3 TAG  | HMDB0043058* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.19 (0.83-1.72) | 0.34  |
| C51:2 TAG  | HMDB0005362* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.82-1.67) | 0.381 |
| C48:1 TAG  | HMDB0005359* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.82-1.67) | 0.385 |
| C52:4 TAG  | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.82-1.67) | 0.392 |
| C46:0 TAG  | HMDB0010411* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.82-1.66) | 0.392 |
| C55:2 TAG  | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.82-1.66) | 0.393 |
| C56:6 TAG  | HMDB0005456* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.85 (0.59-1.23) | 0.394 |
| C44:0 TAG  | HMDB0042063* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.15 (0.81-1.65) | 0.427 |
| C56:3 TAG  | HMDB0005410* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.14 (0.81-1.61) | 0.466 |
| C48:2 TAG  | HMDB0005376* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.14 (0.80-1.62) | 0.48  |
| C43:1 TAG  | HMDB0042098* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.13 (0.79-1.60) | 0.507 |
| C45:1 TAG  | HMDB0042099* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.12 (0.79-1.59) | 0.512 |
| C46:1 TAG  | HMDB0010412* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.12 (0.79-1.60) | 0.526 |
| C52:6 TAG  | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.89 (0.63-1.27) | 0.534 |
| C56:1 TAG  | HMDB0005396* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.10 (0.77-1.57) | 0.6   |
| C47:1 TAG  | HMDB0042100* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.09 (0.77-1.54) | 0.62  |
| C56:2 TAG  | HMDB0005404* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.09 (0.77-1.55) | 0.627 |
| C49:2 TAG  | HMDB0011706* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.76-1.53) | 0.674 |



Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                        |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C50:5 TAG                 | HMDB0010471* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.94 (0.66-1.33) | 0.711 |
| C49:3 TAG                 | HMDB0042103* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.07 (0.75-1.52) | 0.72  |
| C46:2 TAG                 | HMDB0010419* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.07 (0.75-1.52) | 0.722 |
| C47:2 TAG                 | HMDB0042076* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.06 (0.75-1.50) | 0.74  |
| C54:4 TAG                 | HMDB0005370* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.06 (0.74-1.52) | 0.747 |
| C56:4 TAG                 | HMDB0005398* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.06 (0.74-1.51) | 0.761 |
| C43:2 TAG                 | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.95 (0.67-1.35) | 0.769 |
| C45:2 TAG                 | HMDB0043170* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.05 (0.74-1.49) | 0.785 |
| C49:1 TAG                 | HMDB0011705* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.05 (0.74-1.48) | 0.788 |
| C54:5 TAG                 | HMDB0005385* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.05 (0.73-1.50) | 0.799 |
| C56:5 TAG                 | HMDB0005406* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.96 (0.67-1.37) | 0.808 |
| C55:3 TAG                 | HMDB0042466* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.04 (0.73-1.47) | 0.837 |
| C48:3 TAG                 | HMDB0005432* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.03 (0.72-1.46) | 0.878 |
| C54:6 TAG                 | HMDB0005391* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.99 (0.69-1.41) | 0.951 |
| C38:3 PC                  | HMDB0008047* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.32 (0.93-1.89) | 0.123 |
| C22:6 LPC                 | HMDB0010404  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.76 (0.53-1.08) | 0.13  |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011239* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.30 (0.92-1.85) | 0.142 |
| C40:10 PC                 | HMDB0008511* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.77 (0.54-1.12) | 0.172 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-A | HMDB0011221* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.79 (0.55-1.13) | 0.193 |
| C40:9 PC                  | HMDB0008731* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.79 (0.55-1.15) | 0.217 |
| C38:7 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011229* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.81 (0.57-1.15) | 0.231 |
| C38:6 PC                  | HMDB0007991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.81 (0.55-1.17) | 0.258 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011211* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.83 (0.58-1.18) | 0.304 |
| C36:1 PC                  | HMDB0008038* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.19 (0.84-1.69) | 0.319 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                        |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C34:1 PC                  | HMDB0007972* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.19 (0.83-1.72) | 0.338 |
| C40:6 PC                  | HMDB0008057* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.84 (0.59-1.20) | 0.342 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011208* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.18 (0.83-1.68) | 0.354 |
| C16:1 LPC                 | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.18 (0.83-1.67) | 0.362 |
| C18:3 LPC                 | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.13 (0.79-1.61) | 0.497 |
| C32:1 PC                  | HMDB0007873* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.11 (0.77-1.61) | 0.563 |
| C16:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.11 (0.78-1.57) | 0.565 |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011243* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.11 (0.78-1.57) | 0.567 |
| C36:4 PC-B                | HMDB0008138* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.90 (0.62-1.31) | 0.589 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.91 (0.65-1.28) | 0.595 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011252* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.10 (0.78-1.55) | 0.596 |
| C22:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.91 (0.64-1.30) | 0.615 |
| C18:1 LPC                 | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.09 (0.75-1.59) | 0.645 |
| C18:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.09 (0.75-1.59) | 0.649 |
| C32:2 PC                  | HMDB0007874* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.93 (0.64-1.33) | 0.675 |
| C32:0 PC                  | HMDB0007871* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.05 (0.73-1.52) | 0.774 |
| C20:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.96 (0.65-1.40) | 0.821 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                         |              |                      |                                  |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C18:2 LPC               | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 0.96 (0.66-1.40) | 0.829 |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011310* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.03 (0.72-1.48) | 0.861 |
| C30:1 PC                | HMDB0007870* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.00 (0.70-1.43) | 0.992 |
| C30:0 PC                | HMDB0007869* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.00 (0.69-1.44) | 0.994 |
| C14:0 LPC               | HMDB0010379  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.00 (0.7-1.42)  | 0.995 |
| C38:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011420* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.80 (0.55-1.15) | 0.226 |
| C22:6 LPE               | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.81 (0.56-1.17) | 0.253 |
| C34:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0008952* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.83 (0.59-1.18) | 0.308 |
| C18:0 LPE               | HMDB0011130  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.16 (0.82-1.63) | 0.412 |
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009016* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.16 (0.81-1.66) | 0.418 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.89 (0.63-1.26) | 0.519 |
| C34:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011343* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.90 (0.63-1.26) | 0.529 |
| C38:6 PE                | HMDB0009102* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.89 (0.61-1.3)  | 0.542 |
| C36:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011410* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.90 (0.63-1.27) | 0.548 |
| C36:2 PE                | HMDB0008994* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.10 (0.77-1.57) | 0.607 |
| C36:3 PE                | HMDB0009060* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.91 (0.64-1.30) | 0.615 |
| C40:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011394* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.92 (0.64-1.31) | 0.637 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                         |              |                      |                                  |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C36:1 PE                | HMDB0008993* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.08 (0.75-1.55) | 0.677 |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011442* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.93 (0.66-1.32) | 0.7   |
| C36:4 PE                | HMDB0008937* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.93 (0.65-1.34) | 0.711 |
| C38:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.06 (0.75-1.49) | 0.76  |
| C38:5 PE                | HMDB0009069* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.96 (0.67-1.37) | 0.818 |
| C22:0 LPE               | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.96 (0.66-1.39) | 0.818 |
| C36:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009082* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.04 (0.74-1.47) | 0.82  |
| C38:4 PE                | HMDB0009003* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.04 (0.73-1.50) | 0.824 |
| C34:0 PE                | HMDB0008925* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.04 (0.72-1.48) | 0.848 |
| C20:4 LPE               | HMDB0011517  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.97 (0.68-1.37) | 0.861 |
| C16:0 LPE               | HMDB0011503  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.03 (0.73-1.46) | 0.868 |
| C36:0 PE                | HMDB0008991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.03 (0.72-1.47) | 0.874 |
| C36:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011441* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.03 (0.73-1.45) | 0.884 |
| C32:0 PE                | HMDB0008923* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.98 (0.68-1.39) | 0.895 |
| C38:2 PE                | HMDB0008942* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.02 (0.72-1.45) | 0.901 |
| C18:1 LPE               | HMDB0011506* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.98 (0.69-1.40) | 0.91  |
| C18:2 LPE               | HMDB0011507* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.01 (0.70-1.44) | 0.968 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                            |              |                         |  |                  |       |
|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| C34:2 PE                   | HMDB0008928* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines             | 1.01 (0.71-1.43) | 0.976 |
| C40:6 PE                   | HMDB0009012* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines             | 1.00 (0.69-1.44) | 0.983 |
| C38:4 PI                   | HMDB0009815* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoinositols                  | 1.00 (0.71-1.42) | 0.983 |
| C34:0 PS                   | HMDB0012356* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoserines                    | 0.82 (0.57-1.18) | 0.282 |
| uric acid                  | HMDB0000289  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.09 (0.75-1.57) | 0.665 |
| caffeine                   | HMDB0001847  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.07 (0.75-1.54) | 0.704 |
| 7-methylxanthine           | HMDB0001991  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.94 (0.67-1.32) | 0.731 |
| 1-methylguanine            | HMDB0003282  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.02 (0.72-1.44) | 0.919 |
| 1,7-dimethyluric acid      | HMDB0011103  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.01 (0.71-1.43) | 0.948 |
| 3-methylxanthine           | HMDB0001886  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.99 (0.71-1.40) | 0.974 |
| 7-methylguanine            | HMDB0000897  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.00 (0.70-1.43) | 0.988 |
| tryptophan                 | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.56 (1.09-2.23) | 0.015 |
| serotonin                  | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives | Tryptamines and derivatives              | 1.13 (0.80-1.60) | 0.474 |
| C34:4 PC                   | HMDB0007883* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.83 (0.57-1.20) | 0.315 |
| DMGV                       | HMDB0240212  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.23 (0.82-1.85) | 0.321 |
| deoxyguanosine             | HMDB0000085  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.18 (0.83-1.68) | 0.346 |
| C20:1 LPC                  | HMDB0010391* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.86 (0.61-1.21) | 0.383 |
| thyroxine                  | HMDB0000248  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.13 (0.79-1.62) | 0.512 |
| C34:5 PC                   |              |                         |  |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                | HMDB0011214* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.12 (0.79-1.58) | 0.531 |
| methyl N-methylantranilate | HMDB0034169  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.10 (0.78-1.55) | 0.58  |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|--|---|------------------|-------|
| trigonelline             | HMDB0000875  | NA                                     | NA  | 0.91 (0.64-1.29) | 0.588 |
| C20:4 LPC                | HMDB0010395  | NA                                     | NA  | 0.92 (0.64-1.31) | 0.63  |
| C18:3 LPE                | HMDB0011478* | NA                                     | NA  | 0.92 (0.65-1.31) | 0.659 |
| cerulenin                | HMDB0015168  | NA                                     | NA  | 0.94 (0.66-1.33) | 0.724 |
| piperine                 | HMDB0029377  | NA                                     | NA  | 0.95 (0.66-1.35) | 0.765 |
| 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole | HMDB0032390  | NA                                     | NA  | 1.05 (0.74-1.50) | 0.767 |
| C20:1 LPE                | HMDB0011512* | NA                                     | NA  | 1.05 (0.73-1.49) | 0.803 |
| C36:3 PC                 |              |  |   |                  |       |
| plasmalogen              | HMDB0011244* | NA                                     | NA  | 1.03 (0.72-1.47) | 0.862 |
| C34:2 PC                 |              |  |   |                  |       |
| plasmalogen              | HMDB0011210* | NA                                     | NA  | 1.00 (0.69-1.45) | 0.991 |
| coenzyme Q10             | HMDB0001072  | NA                                     | NA  | 1.00 (0.70-1.42) | 0.997 |
|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
| pseudouridine            | HMDB0000767  | Nucleoside and nucleotide analogues    | NA  | 1.15 (0.78-1.68) | 0.477 |
|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
| N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine | HMDB0000026  | Organic carbonic acids and derivatives | Ureas                                     | 1.05 (0.73-1.53) | 0.782 |
|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
| 1-methylhistamine        | HMDB0000898  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Amines                                    | 1.07 (0.76-1.50) | 0.708 |
| trimethylamine-N-oxide   | HMDB0000925  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Aminoxides                                | 0.91 (0.64-1.31) | 0.622 |
|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
| metformin                | HMDB0001921  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Guanidines                                | 1.15 (0.81-1.64) | 0.437 |
|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
| phosphocholine           | HMDB0001565  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Quaternary ammonium salts                 | 1.11 (0.78-1.59) | 0.557 |
|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
| carnitine                | HMDB0000062  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Quaternary ammonium salts                 | 1.00 (0.69-1.44) | 0.998 |
|                          |              |  |   |                  |       |
| acetyl-galactosamine     | HMDB0000212  | Organooxygen compounds                 | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | 1.16 (0.82-1.66) | 0.399 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|                                    |              |                            |  |                  |       |
|------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone     | HMDB0059824  | Organooxygen compounds     | Carbonyl compounds                       | 0.88 (0.62-1.23) | 0.444 |
| acetaminophen                      | HMDB0001859  | Phenols                    | 1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids     | 0.91 (0.64-1.29) | 0.599 |
| guanosine                          | HMDB0000133  | Purine nucleosides         | NA                                       | 1.45 (1.02-2.06) | 0.039 |
| 2-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0005862  | Purine nucleosides         | NA                                       | 1.27 (0.88-1.82) | 0.198 |
| 1-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0001563  | Purine nucleosides         | NA                                       | 1.13 (0.79-1.62) | 0.511 |
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | HMDB0004824  | Purine nucleosides         | NA                                       | 1.07 (0.73-1.57) | 0.736 |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | HMDB0004193  | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.82 (0.57-1.17) | 0.269 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide               | HMDB0000699  | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.83 (0.58-1.19) | 0.319 |
| pyridoxamine                       | HMDB0001431  | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridoxamines                            | 1.31 (0.93-1.85) | 0.121 |
| cotinine                           | HMDB0001046  | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyrrolidinylpyridines                    | 1.08 (0.77-1.52) | 0.662 |
| ribothymidine                      | HMDB0000884  | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | NA                                       | 1.28 (0.89-1.86) | 0.183 |
| N4-acetylcytidine                  | HMDB0005923  | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | NA                                       | 1.01 (0.69-1.47) | 0.965 |
| kynurenic acid                     | HMDB0000715  | Quinolines and derivatives | Quinoline carboxylic acids               | 0.97 (0.67-1.41) | 0.888 |
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)             | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.50 (1.05-2.16) | 0.027 |
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1)             | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.48 (1.03-2.13) | 0.035 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)             | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.48 (1.02-2.15) | 0.037 |
| C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1)             | HMDB0004956  | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides                                | 1.28 (0.90-1.82) | 0.168 |
| C14:0 SM                           | HMDB0012097  | Sphingolipids              | Phosphosphingolipids                     | 1.07 (0.75-1.52) | 0.722 |

Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|  |              |                                     |   |                  |       |
|--|--------------|-------------------------------------|---|------------------|-------|
| C22:1 SM<br>glycodeoxycholate/<br>glycochenodeoxychol<br>ate | HMDB0012104* | Sphingolipids                       | Phosphosphingolipids                    | 1.06 (0.75-1.49) | 0.754 |
|  | HMDB0000631* | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and<br>derivatives | 1.28 (0.90-1.82) | 0.177 |
| glycocholate   | HMDB0000138  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and<br>derivatives | 0.93 (0.66-1.33) | 0.705 |
| cholesterol  | HMDB0000067  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholestane steroids                     | 1.14 (0.81-1.60) | 0.466 |
| campesterol  | HMDB0002869  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Ergostane steroids                      | 1.11 (0.79-1.57) | 0.543 |
| cortisone  | HMDB0002802  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                         | 1.32 (0.92-1.90) | 0.133 |
| cortisol   | HMDB0000063  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                         | 1.19 (0.82-1.73) | 0.36  |
| 21-deoxycortisol   | HMDB0004030  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Pregnane steroids                       | 1.09 (0.76-1.57) | 0.641 |
| C22:5 CE   | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.69 (0.49-0.98) | 0.04  |
| C20:5 CE   | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.78 (0.55-1.10) | 0.157 |
| C16:0 CE   | HMDB0000885  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.80 (0.56-1.14) | 0.225 |
| C20:4 CE   | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.82 (0.58-1.15) | 0.254 |
| C22:6 CE   | HMDB0006733  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.82 (0.58-1.16) | 0.256 |
| C18:0 CE   | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 1.19 (0.83-1.69) | 0.346 |
| C18:2 CE   | HMDB0000610* | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.85 (0.59-1.22) | 0.378 |
| C18:1 CE   | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.87 (0.60-1.25) | 0.44  |
| C14:0 CE   | HMDB0006725  | Steroids and steroid<br>derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                      | 0.87 (0.60-1.26) | 0.466 |



Supplemental Table 1.3b (continued).

|            |              |                                  |                    |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|
| C20:3 CE   | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.88 (0.62-1.25) | 0.468 |
| C16:1 CE   | HMDB0000658* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.06 (0.74-1.53) | 0.752 |
| C18:3 CE   | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.02 (0.72-1.46) | 0.898 |
| biliverdin | HMDB0001008  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 1.30 (0.92-1.85) | 0.138 |
| bilirubin  | HMDB0000054  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.97 (0.69-1.37) | 0.866 |

\*\*Includes metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values were imputed with 1/2 the minimum value. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted models.

^Multivariable model includes: BMI age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

\*Representative HMDBID

**Supplemental Table 1.4a.** Odds ratios for ER- breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of metabolite levels, measured at distant blood.\*\*

| Metabolite Name         | HMDB ID      | Class                               | Subclass                             | Multivariable adjusted <sup>^</sup> |         |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                         |              |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)                         | p value |
| metronidazole           | HMDB0015052  | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.62 (0.34-1.11)                    | 0.112   |
| allantoin               | HMDB0000462  | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.71 (0.37-1.37)                    | 0.307   |
| urocanic acid           | HMDB0000301  | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.87 (0.49-1.56)                    | 0.641   |
| sulfamethoxazole        | HMDB0015150  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzenesulfonamides                  | 1.02 (0.59-1.77)                    | 0.952   |
| 4-hydroxyhippurate      | HMDB0013678  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 1.12 (0.62-2.03)                    | 0.715   |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714  | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 1.02 (0.57-1.82)                    | 0.952   |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.51 (0.86-2.66)                    | 0.153   |
| palmitoylethanolamide   | HMDB0002100  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.74 (0.41-1.33)                    | 0.318   |
| N-acetylputrescine      | HMDB0002064  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.85 (0.47-1.54)                    | 0.59    |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | HMDB0001276  | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.91 (0.50-1.67)                    | 0.768   |
| homoarginine            | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.69 (0.94-3.08)                    | 0.082   |
| GABA                    | HMDB0000112  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.57 (0.89-2.77)                    | 0.121   |
| N-acetyltryptophan      | HMDB0013713  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.66 (0.37-1.18)                    | 0.163   |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                        |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| aminoisobutyric acid   | HMDB0001906* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.48 (0.84-2.62) | 0.172 |
| oleoyl glycine         | HMDB0013631  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.66 (0.36-1.20) | 0.179 |
| glycine                | HMDB0000123  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.66 (0.35-1.24) | 0.199 |
| betaine                | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.65 (0.33-1.27) | 0.213 |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.69 (0.39-1.23) | 0.214 |
| guanidinoacetic acid   | HMDB0000128  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.69 (0.38-1.26) | 0.224 |
| creatine               | HMDB0000064  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.71 (0.39-1.26) | 0.243 |
| tyrosine               | HMDB0000158  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.71 (0.39-1.32) | 0.279 |
| 1-methylhistidine      | HMDB0000001  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.34 (0.76-2.36) | 0.307 |
| methionine             | HMDB0000696  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.76 (0.43-1.33) | 0.34  |
| proline betaine        | HMDB0004827  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.76 (0.43-1.34) | 0.341 |
| ADMA/SDMA              | HMDB0001539  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.31 (0.75-2.29) | 0.347 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                          |             |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| threonine                | HMDB0000167 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.29 (0.72-2.32) | 0.388 |
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | HMDB0001325 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.78 (0.44-1.39) | 0.398 |
| pantothenate             | HMDB0000210 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.79 (0.43-1.43) | 0.433 |
| dimethylglycine          | HMDB0000092 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.79 (0.43-1.44) | 0.443 |
| N-lauroylglycine         | HMDB0013272 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.81 (0.46-1.42) | 0.461 |
| pipecolic acid           | HMDB0000716 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.81 (0.44-1.46) | 0.48  |
| citrulline               | HMDB0000904 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.82 (0.46-1.46) | 0.496 |
| creatinine               | HMDB0000562 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.21 (0.68-2.17) | 0.52  |
| hydroxyproline           | HMDB0000725 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.18 (0.67-2.07) | 0.573 |
| leucine                  | HMDB0000687 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.85 (0.47-1.54) | 0.596 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate     | HMDB0003681 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.85 (0.47-1.55) | 0.6   |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                      |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| alanine              | HMDB0000161  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.86 (0.46-1.59) | 0.626 |
| glutamine            | HMDB0000641  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.86 (0.48-1.55) | 0.626 |
| NMMA                 | HMDB0029416  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.14 (0.64-2.03) | 0.659 |
| N-acetylhistidine    | HMDB0032055  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.88 (0.50-1.56) | 0.664 |
| isoleucine           | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.88 (0.48-1.60) | 0.673 |
| proline              | HMDB0000162  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.88 (0.47-1.65) | 0.694 |
| lysine               | HMDB0000182  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.12 (0.63-1.99) | 0.701 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine | HMDB0013287  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.11 (0.63-1.96) | 0.722 |
| serine               | HMDB0000187  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.90 (0.49-1.64) | 0.734 |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid | HMDB0000991* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.92 (0.51-1.65) | 0.783 |
| N6-acetyllysine      | HMDB0000206* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.92 (0.52-1.65) | 0.791 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                                |             |                                  |  |                  |       |
|--------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| asparagine                     | HMDB0000168 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.93 (0.51-1.69) | 0.807 |
| histidine                      | HMDB0000177 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.95 (0.53-1.73) | 0.873 |
| N-acetylornithine              | HMDB0003357 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.95 (0.54-1.69) | 0.874 |
| phenylalanine                  | HMDB0000159 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.96 (0.52-1.79) | 0.907 |
| phenylacetylglutamine          | HMDB0006344 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.97 (0.54-1.74) | 0.926 |
| valine                         | HMDB0000883 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.00 (0.55-1.84) | 0.988 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | HMDB0000544 | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 0.84 (0.47-1.50) | 0.549 |
| cytosine                       | HMDB0000630 | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 1.02 (0.58-1.78) | 0.956 |
| C26 carnitine                  | HMDB0006347 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.34 (0.76-2.40) | 0.316 |
| C2 carnitine                   | HMDB0000201 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.81 (0.45-1.47) | 0.489 |
| C7 carnitine                   | HMDB0013238 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.23 (0.67-2.24) | 0.507 |
| C14 carnitine                  | HMDB0005066 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.20 (0.65-2.19) | 0.562 |
| C5 carnitine                   | HMDB0000688 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.17 (0.65-2.11) | 0.601 |
| C10:2 carnitine                | HMDB0013325 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.86 (0.47-1.56) | 0.616 |
| C3 carnitine                   | HMDB0000824 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.16 (0.64-2.10) | 0.621 |
| C5:1 carnitine                 | HMDB0002366 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.12 (0.61-2.06) | 0.715 |
| C10 carnitine                  | HMDB0000651 | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.12 (0.61-2.05) | 0.716 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                      |              |               |                                |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C4 carnitine         | HMDB0002013  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.91 (0.50-1.64) | 0.748 |
| C4-OH carnitine      | HMDB0013127  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.10 (0.60-2.04) | 0.759 |
| C14:1 carnitine      | HMDB0002014  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.93 (0.51-1.71) | 0.823 |
| C5-DC carnitine      | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.94 (0.52-1.68) | 0.823 |
| C9 carnitine         | HMDB0013288  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.94 (0.52-1.69) | 0.838 |
| C12:1 carnitine      | HMDB0013326  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.04 (0.57-1.91) | 0.897 |
| C6 carnitine         | HMDB0000705  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.02 (0.55-1.88) | 0.942 |
| C12 carnitine        | HMDB0002250  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.01 (0.55-1.86) | 0.963 |
| C8 carnitine         | HMDB0000791  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.01 (0.55-1.86) | 0.965 |
| C14:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013331  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.00 (0.54-1.83) | 0.992 |
| 3-dehydroxycarnitine | HMDB0006831  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.12 (0.62-2.03) | 0.705 |
| myristoleic acid     | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.01 (0.56-1.81) | 0.962 |
| C34:2 DAG            | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.49 (0.81-2.78) | 0.203 |
| C34:3 DAG            | HMDB0007132* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.36 (0.77-2.44) | 0.291 |
| C36:3 DAG            | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.29 (0.70-2.39) | 0.419 |
| C36:4 DAG            | HMDB0007248* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.15 (0.63-2.10) | 0.65  |
| C32:1 DAG            | HMDB0007099* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.57 (0.85-2.91) | 0.149 |
| C34:0 DAG            | HMDB0007100* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.52 (0.82-2.85) | 0.185 |
| C32:0 DAG            | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.49 (0.80-2.77) | 0.209 |
| C34:1 DAG            | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.41 (0.75-2.66) | 0.284 |
| C36:1 DAG            | HMDB0007216* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.25 (0.67-2.34) | 0.489 |
| C36:2 DAG            | HMDB0007218* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.25 (0.66-2.36) | 0.49  |
| C38:5 DAG            | HMDB0007199* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 0.96 (0.53-1.76) | 0.896 |
| C43:0 TAG            | HMDB0042062* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.55 (0.86-2.84) | 0.151 |
| C51:0 TAG            | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 1.55 (0.85-2.84) | 0.154 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|           |              |               |                  |                  |       |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| C49:1 TAG | HMDB0011705* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.47 (0.84-2.58) | 0.177 |
| C45:1 TAG | HMDB0042099* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.49 (0.83-2.72) | 0.186 |
| C49:2 TAG | HMDB0011706* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.49 (0.82-2.69) | 0.189 |
| C43:1 TAG | HMDB0042098* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.49 (0.82-2.73) | 0.191 |
| C44:0 TAG | HMDB0042063* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.48 (0.81-2.71) | 0.199 |
| C47:1 TAG | HMDB0042100* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.47 (0.82-2.68) | 0.201 |
| C54:6 TAG | HMDB0005391* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.69 (0.38-1.25) | 0.22  |
| C43:2 TAG | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.46 (0.80-2.67) | 0.22  |
| C51:1 TAG | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.46 (0.79-2.68) | 0.227 |
| C49:3 TAG | HMDB0042103* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.44 (0.80-2.61) | 0.228 |
| C50:3 TAG | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.45 (0.78-2.73) | 0.245 |
| C45:2 TAG | HMDB0043170* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.41 (0.77-2.57) | 0.264 |
| C46:1 TAG | HMDB0010412* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.37 (0.75-2.51) | 0.299 |
| C47:2 TAG | HMDB0042076* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.36 (0.75-2.47) | 0.309 |
| C48:1 TAG | HMDB0005359* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.36 (0.73-2.52) | 0.331 |
| C56:6 TAG | HMDB0005456* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.74 (0.40-1.37) | 0.337 |
| C46:0 TAG | HMDB0010411* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.35 (0.72-2.51) | 0.347 |
| C51:2 TAG | HMDB0005362* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.33 (0.73-2.42) | 0.348 |
| C46:2 TAG | HMDB0010419* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.32 (0.73-2.39) | 0.358 |
| C56:5 TAG | HMDB0005406* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.75 (0.41-1.39) | 0.362 |
| C51:3 TAG | HMDB0011701* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.32 (0.72-2.42) | 0.373 |
| C54:3 TAG | HMDB0005405* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.77 (0.41-1.43) | 0.413 |
| C54:7 TAG | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.80 (0.45-1.42) | 0.439 |
| C52:0 TAG | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.68-2.36) | 0.454 |
| C48:0 TAG | HMDB0005356* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.68-2.39) | 0.457 |
| C50:0 TAG | HMDB0005357* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.25 (0.67-2.34) | 0.476 |
| C50:2 TAG | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.26 (0.67-2.38) | 0.476 |
| C52:2 TAG | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.25 (0.67-2.36) | 0.479 |
| C48:2 TAG | HMDB0005376* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.24 (0.68-2.28) | 0.489 |
| C50:1 TAG | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.24 (0.66-2.33) | 0.508 |



Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

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|------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| C52:4 TAG  | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.22 (0.67-2.25) | 0.518 |
| C48:3 TAG  | HMDB0005432* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.20 (0.66-2.20) | 0.545 |
| C54:5 TAG  | HMDB0005385* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.45-1.53) | 0.551 |
| C54:4 TAG  | HMDB0005370* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.84 (0.45-1.56) | 0.581 |
| C55:2 TAG  | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.18 (0.64-2.19) | 0.591 |
| C58:8 TAG  | HMDB0005413* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.13 (0.64-2.02) | 0.668 |
| C56:7 TAG  | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.13 (0.61-2.09) | 0.704 |
| C56:3 TAG  | HMDB0005410* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.11 (0.60-2.06) | 0.746 |
| C58:7 TAG  | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.91 (0.49-1.70) | 0.76  |
| C54:2 TAG  | HMDB0005403* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.91 (0.49-1.71) | 0.777 |
| C56:9 TAG  | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.92 (0.50-1.69) | 0.781 |
| C50:5 TAG  | HMDB0010471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.09 (0.59-2.02) | 0.782 |
| C58:9 TAG  | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.59-1.99) | 0.796 |
| C55:3 TAG  | HMDB0042466* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.92 (0.50-1.70) | 0.797 |
| C56:2 TAG  | HMDB0005404* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.58-2.01) | 0.802 |
| C53:2 TAG  | HMDB0042196* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.58-1.97) | 0.815 |
| C54:8 TAG  | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.94 (0.52-1.70) | 0.837 |
| C52:1 TAG  | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.07 (0.57-2.00) | 0.839 |
| C60:12 TAG | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.06 (0.56-2.00) | 0.853 |
| C50:6 TAG  | HMDB0010497* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.06 (0.58-1.93) | 0.853 |
| C56:10 TAG | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.95 (0.52-1.74) | 0.868 |
| C58:6 TAG  | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.95 (0.50-1.80) | 0.874 |
| C58:11 TAG | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.95 (0.51-1.77) | 0.876 |
| C56:8 TAG  | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.96 (0.52-1.76) | 0.889 |
| C56:4 TAG  | HMDB0005398* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.04 (0.56-1.91) | 0.901 |
| C58:10 TAG | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.04 (0.56-1.92) | 0.903 |
| C54:9 TAG  | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.97 (0.53-1.77) | 0.917 |
| C52:6 TAG  | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.97 (0.53-1.79) | 0.922 |
| C53:3 TAG  | HMDB0043058* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.97 (0.52-1.82) | 0.935 |
| C52:7 TAG  | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.02 (0.55-1.88) | 0.953 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                        |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C54:1 TAG                 | HMDB0005395* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 1.01 (0.54-1.89) | 0.969 |
| C56:1 TAG                 | HMDB0005396* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols       | 0.99 (0.54-1.84) | 0.984 |
| C14:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010379  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.43 (0.79-2.58) | 0.231 |
| C30:0 PC                  | HMDB0007869* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.45 (0.79-2.67) | 0.235 |
| C38:6 PC                  | HMDB0007991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.47 (0.78-2.78) | 0.239 |
| C22:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.71 (0.39-1.27) | 0.248 |
| C32:2 PC                  | HMDB0007874* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.39 (0.76-2.55) | 0.289 |
| C40:9 PC                  | HMDB0008731* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.36 (0.73-2.53) | 0.334 |
| C40:6 PC                  | HMDB0008057* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.32 (0.72-2.43) | 0.376 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-A | HMDB0011221* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.77 (0.43-1.38) | 0.383 |
| C30:1 PC                  | HMDB0007870* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.31 (0.71-2.42) | 0.386 |
| C40:10 PC                 | HMDB0008511* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.29 (0.69-2.43) | 0.428 |
| C32:0 PC                  | HMDB0007871* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.28 (0.69-2.40) | 0.435 |
| C16:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.25 (0.70-2.24) | 0.452 |
| C18:2 LPC                 | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.78 (0.41-1.49) | 0.453 |
| C32:1 PC                  | HMDB0007873* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.25 (0.66-2.39) | 0.499 |
| C22:6 LPC                 | HMDB0010404  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.22 (0.67-2.24) | 0.518 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                        |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.84 (0.47-1.47) | 0.534 |
| C20:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.82 (0.43-1.54) | 0.535 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011211* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.84 (0.47-1.49) | 0.549 |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011310* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.85 (0.48-1.50) | 0.572 |
| C36:4 PC-B                | HMDB0008138* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.17 (0.62-2.22) | 0.629 |
| C16:1 LPC                 | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.12 (0.62-2.01) | 0.711 |
| C34:1 PC                  | HMDB0007972* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.11 (0.61-2.04) | 0.727 |
| C18:3 LPC                 | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.11 (0.61-1.99) | 0.737 |
| C38:3 PC                  | HMDB0008047* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.90 (0.48-1.69) | 0.742 |
| C18:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.09 (0.58-2.03) | 0.789 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011239* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.08 (0.61-1.90) | 0.797 |
| C18:1 LPC                 | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.96 (0.52-1.74) | 0.889 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011252* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.96 (0.55-1.70) | 0.901 |
| C36:1 PC                  | HMDB0008038* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.97 (0.54-1.73) | 0.911 |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011243* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.98 (0.55-1.75) | 0.951 |
| C38:7 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011229* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.00 (0.56-1.81) | 0.987 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                         |              |                      |                                  |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011208* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines           | 1.00 (0.57-1.75) | 0.991 |
| C22:6 LPE               | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.50 (0.81-2.78) | 0.199 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.72 (0.41-1.27) | 0.254 |
| C32:0 PE                | HMDB0008923* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.40 (0.78-2.51) | 0.263 |
| C34:0 PE                | HMDB0008925* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.37 (0.76-2.50) | 0.298 |
| C38:5 PE                | HMDB0009069* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.73 (0.39-1.35) | 0.31  |
| C38:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.76 (0.43-1.34) | 0.338 |
| C36:3 PE                | HMDB0009060* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.75 (0.40-1.41) | 0.376 |
| C36:0 PE                | HMDB0008991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.26 (0.70-2.28) | 0.44  |
| C18:2 LPE               | HMDB0011507* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.8 (0.43-1.46)  | 0.463 |
| C16:0 LPE               | HMDB0011503  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.22 (0.68-2.22) | 0.504 |
| C38:4 PE                | HMDB0009003* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.81 (0.44-1.52) | 0.516 |
| C36:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011410* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.84 (0.48-1.47) | 0.542 |
| C18:1 LPE               | HMDB0011506* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.83 (0.46-1.51) | 0.55  |
| C36:1 PE                | HMDB0008993* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.83 (0.44-1.57) | 0.568 |
| C38:2 PE                | HMDB0008942* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.87 (0.47-1.58) | 0.637 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                         |              |                      |                                  |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C34:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011343* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.88 (0.49-1.57) | 0.656 |
| C36:2 PE                | HMDB0008994* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.88 (0.46-1.66) | 0.692 |
| C40:6 PE                | HMDB0009012* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.13 (0.59-2.15) | 0.717 |
| C20:4 LPE               | HMDB0011517  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.90 (0.51-1.60) | 0.718 |
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009016* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.90 (0.50-1.64) | 0.738 |
| C34:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0008952* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.10 (0.62-1.95) | 0.754 |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011442* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.92 (0.51-1.64) | 0.776 |
| C36:4 PE                | HMDB0008937* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.93 (0.49-1.76) | 0.814 |
| C36:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011441* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.94 (0.52-1.68) | 0.825 |
| C18:0 LPE               | HMDB0011130  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.95 (0.52-1.71) | 0.854 |
| C38:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011420* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.06 (0.58-1.91) | 0.854 |
| C34:2 PE                | HMDB0008928* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.96 (0.51-1.80) | 0.887 |
| C36:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009082* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.96 (0.54-1.72) | 0.895 |
| C22:0 LPE               | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 0.96 (0.51-1.80) | 0.9   |
| C40:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011394* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.02 (0.57-1.82) | 0.956 |
| C38:6 PE                | HMDB0009102* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | 1.01 (0.53-1.96) | 0.966 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                       |              |                         |  |                  |       |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| C38:4 PI              | HMDB0009815* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoinositols                  | 0.94 (0.51-1.72) | 0.832 |
| C34:0 PS              | HMDB0012356* | Glycerophospholipids    | Glycerophosphoserines                    | 0.86 (0.47-1.59) | 0.632 |
| 7-methylxanthine      | HMDB0001991  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.32 (0.74-2.37) | 0.354 |
| 7-methylguanine       | HMDB0000897  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.28 (0.72-2.27) | 0.404 |
| caffeine              | HMDB0001847  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.88 (0.49-1.59) | 0.67  |
| uric acid             | HMDB0000289  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.09 (0.58-2.06) | 0.781 |
| 1-methylguanine       | HMDB0003282  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.94 (0.54-1.65) | 0.828 |
| 1,7-dimethyluric acid | HMDB0011103  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.05 (0.59-1.85) | 0.864 |
| 3-methylxanthine      | HMDB0001886  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.04 (0.58-1.86) | 0.89  |
| tryptophan            | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.66 (0.36-1.19) | 0.166 |
| serotonin             | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives | Tryptamines and derivatives              | 1.03 (0.59-1.80) | 0.925 |
| thyroxine             | HMDB0000248  | NA                      | NA                                       | 2.16 (1.15-4.13) | 0.018 |
| C34:5 PC plasmalogen  | HMDB0011214* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.63 (0.35-1.14) | 0.127 |
| C20:1 LPC             | HMDB0010391* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.63 (0.35-1.15) | 0.135 |
| trigonelline          | HMDB0000875  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.66 (0.37-1.18) | 0.161 |
| C20:1 LPE             | HMDB0011512* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.71 (0.39-1.30) | 0.27  |
| cerulenin             | HMDB0015168  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.74 (0.41-1.33) | 0.316 |
| C36:3 PC plasmalogen  | HMDB0011244* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.76 (0.43-1.35) | 0.352 |
| C34:4 PC              | HMDB0007883* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.31 (0.70-2.47) | 0.407 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|   |              |   |                              |                  |       |
|---|--------------|---|------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| deoxyguanosine                                    | HMDB0000085  | NA  | NA                           | 0.80 (0.45-1.42) | 0.450 |
| valsartan   | HMDB0014323  | NA  | NA                           | 0.84 (0.49-1.44) | 0.523 |
| DMGV  | HMDB0240212  | NA  | NA                           | 0.81 (0.41-1.61) | 0.554 |
| C34:2 PC<br>plasmalogen                           | HMDB0011210* | NA  | NA                           | 0.84 (0.47-1.51) | 0.56  |
| 2-methyl-4,5-<br>benzoxazole                      | HMDB0032390  | NA  | NA                           | 1.11 (0.62-2.00) | 0.721 |
| coenzyme Q10                                      | HMDB0001072  | NA  | NA                           | 1.10 (0.62-1.97) | 0.742 |
| piperine  | HMDB0029377  | NA  | NA                           | 0.92 (0.51-1.65) | 0.786 |
| C18:3 LPE   | HMDB0011478* | NA  | NA                           | 0.93 (0.52-1.68) | 0.821 |
| C20:4 LPC<br>methyl N-<br>methylanthra-<br>nilate | HMDB0034169  | NA  | NA                           | 1.03 (0.58-1.82) | 0.93  |
| pseudouridine                                     | HMDB0000767  | Nucleoside and nucleotide<br>analogues    | NA                           | 1.11 (0.60-2.03) | 0.742 |
| N-carbamoyl-<br>beta-alanine                      | HMDB0000026  | Organic carbonic acids<br>and derivatives | Ureas                        | 0.97 (0.53-1.77) | 0.913 |
| 1-<br>methylhistamine                             | HMDB0000898  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds               | Amines                       | 1.13 (0.64-1.99) | 0.681 |
| trimethylamine-<br>N-oxide                        | HMDB0000925  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds               | Aminoxides                   | 0.78 (0.44-1.36) | 0.379 |
| metformin   | HMDB0001921  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds               | Guanidines                   | 0.90 (0.50-1.60) | 0.711 |
| phosphocholine                                    | HMDB0001565  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds               | Quaternary ammonium<br>salts | 0.87 (0.49-1.56) | 0.651 |
| carnitine   | HMDB0000062  | Organonitrogen<br>compounds               | Quaternary ammonium<br>salts | 1.12 (0.60-2.07) | 0.729 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|                                    |             |                            |   |                  |       |
|------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|---|------------------|-------|
| acetyl-galactosamine               | HMDB0000212 | Organooxygen compounds     | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | 1.85 (1.04-3.33) | 0.037 |
| 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone     | HMDB0059824 | Organooxygen compounds     | Carbonyl compounds                        | 1.29 (0.74-2.25) | 0.377 |
| acetaminophen                      | HMDB0001859 | Phenols                    | 1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids      | 0.80 (0.45-1.41) | 0.446 |
| 2-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0005862 | Purine nucleosides         | NA  | 2.02 (1.13-3.64) | 0.019 |
| 1-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0001563 | Purine nucleosides         | NA  | 1.58 (0.88-2.88) | 0.129 |
| guanosine                          | HMDB0000133 | Purine nucleosides         | NA  | 0.83 (0.47-1.46) | 0.51  |
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | HMDB0004824 | Purine nucleosides         | NA  | 1.11 (0.61-2.03) | 0.721 |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | HMDB0004193 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives  | 1.10 (0.62-1.95) | 0.754 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide               | HMDB0000699 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives  | 0.91 (0.50-1.65) | 0.758 |
| pyridoxamine                       | HMDB0001431 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridoxamines                             | 1.18 (0.66-2.08) | 0.577 |
| cotinine                           | HMDB0001046 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyrrolidinylpyridines                     | 0.98 (0.53-1.80) | 0.936 |
| N4-acetylcytidine                  | HMDB0005923 | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | NA  | 1.35 (0.74-2.49) | 0.329 |
| ribothymidine                      | HMDB0000884 | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | NA  | 0.93 (0.53-1.65) | 0.814 |
| kynurenic acid                     | HMDB0000715 | Quinolines and derivatives | Quinoline carboxylic acids                | 0.73 (0.40-1.34) | 0.308 |



Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|  |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.58 (0.86-2.91) | 0.141 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.32 (0.71-2.46) | 0.386 |
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.26 (0.68-2.33) | 0.465 |
| C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004956  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.25 (0.69-2.28) | 0.466 |
| C14:0 SM                                 | HMDB0012097  | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 0.78 (0.43-1.42) | 0.417 |
| C22:1 SM                                 | HMDB0012104* | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 0.88 (0.49-1.58) | 0.676 |
| glycodeoxycholate/glycochenodeoxycholate | HMDB0000631* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 0.84 (0.45-1.59) | 0.597 |
| glycocholate                             | HMDB0000138  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 0.98 (0.54-1.79) | 0.949 |
| cholesterol                              | HMDB0000067  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholestane steroids                  | 1.11 (0.61-2.02) | 0.731 |
| campesterol                              | HMDB0002869  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Ergostane steroids                   | 1.05 (0.58-1.91) | 0.871 |
| cortisol                                 | HMDB0000063  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 1.38 (0.70-2.71) | 0.354 |
| cortisone                                | HMDB0002802  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 1.13 (0.61-2.10) | 0.687 |
| 21-deoxycortisol                         | HMDB0004030  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Pregnane steroids                    | 1.90 (1.00-3.64) | 0.051 |
| C18:3 CE                                 | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 0.55 (0.30-1.01) | 0.054 |
| C20:5 CE                                 | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 0.60 (0.33-1.10) | 0.103 |

Supplemental Table 1.4a (continued).

|            |              |                                  |                    |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|
| C22:5 CE   | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.65 (0.35-1.18) | 0.16  |
| C20:3 CE   | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.69 (0.38-1.25) | 0.225 |
| C18:2 CE   | HMDB0000610* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.73 (0.39-1.36) | 0.324 |
| C20:4 CE   | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.77 (0.42-1.38) | 0.374 |
| C18:1 CE   | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.77 (0.41-1.42) | 0.404 |
| C16:1 CE   | HMDB0000658* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.82 (0.44-1.54) | 0.532 |
| C16:0 CE   | HMDB0000885  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.90 (0.48-1.66) | 0.728 |
| C22:6 CE   | HMDB0006733  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.03 (0.56-1.89) | 0.931 |
| C18:0 CE   | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.99 (0.53-1.83) | 0.965 |
| C14:0 CE   | HMDB0006725  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.00 (0.54-1.84) | 0.988 |
| bilirubin  | HMDB0000054  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.97 (0.55-1.71) | 0.916 |
| biliverdin | HMDB0001008  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.99 (0.56-1.72) | 0.96  |

\*\* Includes metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values were imputed with 1/2 the minimum value. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted models.

^Multivariable model includes BMI at age 18, weight change since age 18, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

\*Representative HMDBID

**Supplemental Table 1.4b.** Odds ratios for ER- breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentiles of metabolite levels, measured at proximate blood.\*\*

| Metabolite Name         | HMDB ID     | Class                               | Subclass                             | Multivariable Adjusted <sup>^</sup> |         |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                         |             |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)                         | p value |
| allantoin               | HMDB0000462 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.3 (0.62-2.79)                     | 0.488   |
| urocanic acid           | HMDB0000301 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.84 (0.42-1.69)                    | 0.627   |
| metronidazole           | HMDB0015052 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.87 (0.43-1.73)                    | 0.686   |
| sulfamethoxazole        | HMDB0015150 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzenesulfon-amides                 | 1.05 (0.53-2.09)                    | 0.882   |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.52 (0.26-1.03)                    | 0.062   |
| 4-hydroxyhippurate      | HMDB0013678 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.78 (0.39-1.56)                    | 0.49    |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 2.33 (1.14-4.81)                    | 0.02    |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | HMDB0001276 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.64 (0.8-3.39)                     | 0.177   |
| N-acetylputrescine      | HMDB0002064 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.64 (0.31-1.33)                    | 0.235   |
| palmitoylethanolamide   | HMDB0002100 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.82 (0.42-1.6)                     | 0.566   |
| hydroxyproline          | HMDB0000725 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 2.03 (1.01-4.15)                    | 0.048   |
| creatinine              | HMDB0000562 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.88 (0.92-3.93)                    | 0.085   |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                          |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | HMDB0001325  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.85 (0.92-3.74) | 0.085 |
| N-acetylhistidine        | HMDB0032055  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.82 (0.91-3.73) | 0.092 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine     | HMDB0013287  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.76 (0.87-3.59) | 0.116 |
| citrulline               | HMDB0000904  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.75 (0.87-3.59) | 0.12  |
| GABA                     | HMDB0000112  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.67 (0.84-3.34) | 0.146 |
| phenylalanine            | HMDB0000159  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.67 (0.8-3.5)   | 0.171 |
| ADMA/SDMA                | HMDB0001539  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.56 (0.78-3.17) | 0.211 |
| threonine                | HMDB0000167  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.55 (0.76-3.21) | 0.233 |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine   | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.53 (0.76-3.12) | 0.235 |
| pipecolic acid           | HMDB0000716  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.67 (0.32-1.38) | 0.278 |
| betaine                  | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.44 (0.72-2.9)  | 0.306 |
| valine                   | HMDB0000883  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.45 (0.68-3.11) | 0.337 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                      |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| homoarginine         | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.4 (0.69-2.86)  | 0.351 |
| N6-acetyllysine      | HMDB0000206* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.38 (0.65-2.93) | 0.399 |
| 1-methylhistidine    | HMDB0000001  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.33 (0.65-2.7)  | 0.432 |
| creatine             | HMDB0000064  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.75 (0.37-1.53) | 0.434 |
| pantothenate         | HMDB0000210  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.32 (0.65-2.7)  | 0.44  |
| aminoisobutyric acid | HMDB0001906* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.32 (0.62-2.8)  | 0.47  |
| asparagine           | HMDB0000168  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.3 (0.63-2.72)  | 0.476 |
| NMMA                 | HMDB0029416  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.29 (0.64-2.61) | 0.476 |
| isoleucine           | HMDB0000172  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.31 (0.62-2.79) | 0.487 |
| serine               | HMDB0000187  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.29 (0.63-2.66) | 0.489 |
| alanine              | HMDB0000161  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.78 (0.37-1.63) | 0.506 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                       |             |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|-----------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| lysine                | HMDB0000182 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.25 (0.63-2.51) | 0.529 |
| leucine               | HMDB0000687 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.26 (0.61-2.63) | 0.537 |
| N-lauroylglycine      | HMDB0013272 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.81 (0.41-1.6)  | 0.542 |
| N-acetyltryptophan    | HMDB0013713 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.81 (0.4-1.64)  | 0.555 |
| phenylacetylglutamine | HMDB0006344 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.84 (0.42-1.68) | 0.616 |
| dimethylglycine       | HMDB0000092 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.19 (0.58-2.41) | 0.636 |
| histidine             | HMDB0000177 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.16 (0.57-2.35) | 0.687 |
| proline betaine       | HMDB0004827 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.89 (0.44-1.8)  | 0.743 |
| guanidinoacetic acid  | HMDB0000128 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.11 (0.57-2.18) | 0.753 |
| proline               | HMDB0000162 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.89 (0.41-1.91) | 0.76  |
| glycine               | HMDB0000123 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.1 (0.55-2.17)  | 0.791 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                                |              |                                  |  |                  |       |
|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| 2-aminooctanoic acid           | HMDB0000991* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.92 (0.44-1.88) | 0.812 |
| N-acetylorithine               | HMDB0003357  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.92 (0.44-1.92) | 0.826 |
| oleoyl glycine                 | HMDB0013631  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.92 (0.45-1.86) | 0.827 |
| tyrosine                       | HMDB0000158  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.05 (0.5-2.19)  | 0.897 |
| methionine                     | HMDB0000696  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.04 (0.51-2.1)  | 0.918 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate           | HMDB0003681  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.02 (0.48-2.15) | 0.967 |
| glutamine                      | HMDB0000641  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.01 (0.49-2.08) | 0.989 |
| cytosine                       | HMDB0000630  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 1.7 (0.87-3.35)  | 0.124 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | HMDB0000544  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 1.31 (0.64-2.68) | 0.466 |
| C5:1 carnitine                 | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 2.44 (1.19-5.07) | 0.015 |
| C26 carnitine                  | HMDB0006347  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.57 (0.77-3.25) | 0.216 |
| C5-DC carnitine                | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.46 (0.72-2.97) | 0.289 |
| C14 carnitine                  | HMDB0005066  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.42 (0.7-2.89)  | 0.326 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                      |              |             |                                |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C9 carnitine         | HMDB0013288  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.39 (0.69-2.84) | 0.357 |
| C12 carnitine        | HMDB0002250  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.33 (0.67-2.66) | 0.418 |
| C2 carnitine         | HMDB0000201  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.33 (0.65-2.71) | 0.433 |
| C5 carnitine         | HMDB0000688  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.32 (0.64-2.72) | 0.447 |
| C14:1 carnitine      | HMDB0002014  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.27 (0.63-2.57) | 0.504 |
| C14:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013331  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.27 (0.63-2.55) | 0.507 |
| C10 carnitine        | HMDB0000651  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.23 (0.61-2.5)  | 0.558 |
| C12:1 carnitine      | HMDB0013326  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.2 (0.6-2.41)   | 0.611 |
| C7 carnitine         | HMDB0013238  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.16 (0.57-2.35) | 0.681 |
| C8 carnitine         | HMDB0000791  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.15 (0.56-2.32) | 0.705 |
| C10:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013325  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 0.9 (0.45-1.79)  | 0.772 |
| C3 carnitine         | HMDB0000824  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.1 (0.53-2.26)  | 0.793 |
| C6 carnitine         | HMDB0000705  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 0.92 (0.45-1.88) | 0.827 |
| C4 carnitine         | HMDB0002013  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.02 (0.5-2.1)   | 0.948 |
| C4-OH carnitine      | HMDB0013127  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acid esters              | 1.02 (0.49-2.1)  | 0.952 |
| 3-dehydroxycarnitine | HMDB0006831  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.76 (0.89-3.5)  | 0.105 |
| myristoleic acid     | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.39 (0.69-2.83) | 0.356 |
| C36:3 DAG            | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.24 (0.6-2.56)  | 0.557 |
| C36:4 DAG            | HMDB0007248* | Fatty Acyls | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.08 (0.52-2.22) | 0.84  |



Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|            |              |               |                                |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C34:2 DAG  | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.06 (0.51-2.19) | 0.873 |
| C34:3 DAG  | HMDB0007132* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.06 (0.52-2.13) | 0.879 |
| C32:1 DAG  | HMDB0007099* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.17 (0.56-2.41) | 0.675 |
| C36:2 DAG  | HMDB0007218* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.16 (0.57-2.37) | 0.675 |
| C34:1 DAG  | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.16 (0.56-2.38) | 0.689 |
| C32:0 DAG  | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.14 (0.56-2.33) | 0.714 |
| C34:0 DAG  | HMDB0007100* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.13 (0.56-2.29) | 0.734 |
| C38:5 DAG  | HMDB0007199* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 0.91 (0.44-1.88) | 0.799 |
| C36:1 DAG  | HMDB0007216* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.07 (0.54-2.15) | 0.839 |
| C58:7 TAG  | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.55 (0.27-1.1)  | 0.093 |
| C56:10 TAG | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.55 (0.26-1.15) | 0.113 |
| C58:6 TAG  | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.59 (0.29-1.16) | 0.128 |
| C56:9 TAG  | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.59 (0.28-1.21) | 0.15  |
| C56:6 TAG  | HMDB0005456* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.6 (0.29-1.22)  | 0.16  |
| C54:9 TAG  | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.6 (0.29-1.23)  | 0.16  |
| C58:11 TAG | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.61 (0.29-1.27) | 0.189 |
| C54:8 TAG  | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.63 (0.31-1.29) | 0.207 |
| C56:7 TAG  | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols               | 0.66 (0.32-1.36) | 0.255 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|            |              |               |                  |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| C56:8 TAG  | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.67 (0.32-1.37) | 0.267 |
| C52:7 TAG  | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.67 (0.33-1.37) | 0.269 |
| C58:10 TAG | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.67 (0.32-1.37) | 0.272 |
| C54:7 TAG  | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.69 (0.34-1.41) | 0.312 |
| C52:6 TAG  | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.7 (0.34-1.44)  | 0.336 |
| C56:5 TAG  | HMDB0005406* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.71 (0.36-1.43) | 0.34  |
| C58:9 TAG  | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.7 (0.34-1.46)  | 0.345 |
| C58:8 TAG  | HMDB0005413* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.73 (0.36-1.51) | 0.397 |
| C60:12 TAG | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.75 (0.36-1.54) | 0.431 |
| C50:6 TAG  | HMDB0010497* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.76 (0.38-1.52) | 0.433 |
| C54:6 TAG  | HMDB0005391* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.8 (0.4-1.61)   | 0.528 |
| C50:0 TAG  | HMDB0005357* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.82 (0.4-1.69)  | 0.594 |
| C50:5 TAG  | HMDB0010471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.41-1.67) | 0.594 |
| C52:1 TAG  | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.41-1.7)  | 0.614 |
| C54:3 TAG  | HMDB0005405* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.21 (0.58-2.49) | 0.614 |
| C55:2 TAG  | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.19 (0.6-2.38)  | 0.62  |
| C50:2 TAG  | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.84 (0.41-1.7)  | 0.627 |
| C55:3 TAG  | HMDB0042466* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.18 (0.57-2.43) | 0.649 |
| C52:0 TAG  | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.86 (0.42-1.74) | 0.668 |
| C56:3 TAG  | HMDB0005410* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.15 (0.58-2.28) | 0.677 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|           |              |               |                  |                  |       |
|-----------|--------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| C43:2 TAG | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.87 (0.43-1.73) | 0.683 |
| C56:2 TAG | HMDB0005404* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.14 (0.58-2.23) | 0.7   |
| C51:0 TAG | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.88 (0.44-1.78) | 0.717 |
| C54:5 TAG | HMDB0005385* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.88 (0.43-1.79) | 0.721 |
| C56:4 TAG | HMDB0005398* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.88 (0.44-1.79) | 0.733 |
| C52:2 TAG | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.9 (0.43-1.84)  | 0.769 |
| C50:1 TAG | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.9 (0.44-1.84)  | 0.778 |
| C46:1 TAG | HMDB0010412* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.1 (0.55-2.21)  | 0.781 |
| C47:1 TAG | HMDB0042100* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.1 (0.55-2.2)   | 0.788 |
| C51:1 TAG | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.91 (0.44-1.86) | 0.79  |
| C54:4 TAG | HMDB0005370* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.53-2.2)  | 0.823 |
| C48:2 TAG | HMDB0005376* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.53-2.18) | 0.836 |
| C49:1 TAG | HMDB0011705* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.07 (0.54-2.12) | 0.841 |
| C48:0 TAG | HMDB0005356* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.94 (0.46-1.91) | 0.855 |
| C53:3 TAG | HMDB0043058* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.94 (0.46-1.92) | 0.871 |
| C54:1 TAG | HMDB0005395* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.95 (0.47-1.89) | 0.875 |
| C43:1 TAG | HMDB0042098* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.95 (0.48-1.89) | 0.884 |
| C51:3 TAG | HMDB0011701* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.05 (0.51-2.17) | 0.886 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|           |              |                      |                             |                  |       |
|-----------|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C45:2 TAG | HMDB0043170* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 0.96 (0.48-1.89) | 0.896 |
| C48:3 TAG | HMDB0005432* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.04 (0.52-2.09) | 0.902 |
| C47:2 TAG | HMDB0042076* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.04 (0.52-2.08) | 0.906 |
| C45:1 TAG | HMDB0042099* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 0.97 (0.49-1.93) | 0.936 |
| C46:2 TAG | HMDB0010419* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.03 (0.52-2.03) | 0.94  |
| C52:4 TAG | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.02 (0.5-2.06)  | 0.959 |
| C50:3 TAG | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.02 (0.5-2.07)  | 0.959 |
| C49:2 TAG | HMDB0011706* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.02 (0.5-2.05)  | 0.961 |
| C54:2 TAG | HMDB0005403* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 0.98 (0.49-1.98) | 0.964 |
| C44:0 TAG | HMDB0042063* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.02 (0.51-2.03) | 0.964 |
| C49:3 TAG | HMDB0042103* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.01 (0.5-2.06)  | 0.971 |
| C51:2 TAG | HMDB0005362* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 0.99 (0.49-2.01) | 0.976 |
| C53:2 TAG | HMDB0042196* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.01 (0.48-2.1)  | 0.983 |
| C43:0 TAG | HMDB0042062* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1.01 (0.5-2.02)  | 0.989 |
| C56:1 TAG | HMDB0005396* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1 (0.5-1.99)     | 0.991 |
| C46:0 TAG | HMDB0010411* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1 (0.5-2.02)     | 0.998 |
| C48:1 TAG | HMDB0005359* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols            | 1 (0.5-2.01)     | 0.999 |
| C22:5 LPC | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines | 1.82 (0.89-3.74) | 0.1   |
| C18:1 LPC | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines | 1.76 (0.88-3.54) | 0.108 |
| C22:6 LPC | HMDB0010404  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>cholines | 1.72 (0.84-3.53) | 0.137 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                        |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C18:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.66 (0.83-3.32) | 0.15  |
| C18:2 LPC                 | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.66 (0.82-3.41) | 0.158 |
| C20:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.65 (0.82-3.38) | 0.162 |
| C16:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.58 (0.79-3.18) | 0.199 |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011243* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.56 (0.77-3.21) | 0.221 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011208* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.49 (0.74-3.05) | 0.269 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011239* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.45 (0.71-2.97) | 0.307 |
| C18:3 LPC                 | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.39 (0.7-2.79)  | 0.35  |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011310* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.4 (0.69-2.89)  | 0.354 |
| C38:3 PC                  | HMDB0008047* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.74 (0.36-1.52) | 0.411 |
| C32:1 PC                  | HMDB0007873* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 0.76 (0.38-1.51) | 0.442 |
| C14:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010379  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.31 (0.65-2.66) | 0.448 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011252* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.29 (0.64-2.58) | 0.474 |
| C38:7 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011229* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.28 (0.65-2.56) | 0.476 |
| C16:1 LPC                 | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.27 (0.63-2.57) | 0.497 |
| C32:0 PC                  | HMDB0007871* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines | 1.26 (0.64-2.49) | 0.509 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                             |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C36:4 PC-B                | HMDB0008138* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.8 (0.4-1.57)   | 0.512 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011211* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.27 (0.61-2.63) | 0.523 |
| C34:1 PC                  | HMDB0007972* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.89 (0.45-1.72) | 0.72  |
| C40:9 PC                  | HMDB0008731* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.88 (0.44-1.77) | 0.722 |
| C30:0 PC                  | HMDB0007869* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.12 (0.57-2.22) | 0.74  |
| C36:1 PC                  | HMDB0008038* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.9 (0.46-1.77)  | 0.76  |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.1 (0.55-2.2)   | 0.793 |
| C40:10 PC                 | HMDB0008511* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.09 (0.54-2.23) | 0.807 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-A | HMDB0011221* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.93 (0.45-1.9)  | 0.835 |
| C30:1 PC                  | HMDB0007870* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.95 (0.48-1.89) | 0.88  |
| C32:2 PC                  | HMDB0007874* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.97 (0.48-1.95) | 0.924 |
| C38:6 PC                  | HMDB0007991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.02 (0.51-2.05) | 0.958 |
| C40:6 PC                  | HMDB0008057* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.01 (0.51-2.02) | 0.97  |
| C22:0 LPE                 | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 2.39 (1.16-5.01) | 0.018 |
| C36:4 PE                  | HMDB0008937* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 0.56 (0.28-1.1)  | 0.093 |
| C38:4 PE                  | HMDB0009003* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 0.57 (0.28-1.11) | 0.1   |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                         |              |                      |                              |                  |       |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C38:5 PE                | HMDB0009069* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.6 (0.3-1.19)   | 0.144 |
| C38:6 PE                | HMDB0009102* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.61 (0.31-1.21) | 0.162 |
| C40:6 PE                | HMDB0009012* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.64 (0.32-1.26) | 0.195 |
| C40:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011394* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.59 (0.79-3.24) | 0.195 |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011442* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.56 (0.76-3.23) | 0.228 |
| C36:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009082* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.56 (0.75-3.25) | 0.231 |
| C38:2 PE                | HMDB0008942* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.56 (0.75-3.26) | 0.234 |
| C34:2 PE                | HMDB0008928* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.66 (0.33-1.32) | 0.242 |
| C18:1 LPE               | HMDB0011506* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.49 (0.76-2.94) | 0.246 |
| C36:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011441* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.43 (0.7-2.94)  | 0.333 |
| C34:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0008952* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.42 (0.7-2.9)   | 0.336 |
| C36:2 PE                | HMDB0008994* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.72 (0.36-1.44) | 0.348 |
| C34:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011343* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.4 (0.69-2.87)  | 0.351 |
| C36:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011410* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.33 (0.66-2.73) | 0.427 |
| C38:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.32 (0.65-2.7)  | 0.445 |
| C36:3 PE                | HMDB0009060* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.76 (0.38-1.55) | 0.455 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                          |              |                      |                                   |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen  | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.31 (0.64-2.7)  | 0.455 |
| C38:7 PE<br>plasmalogen  | HMDB0011420* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.25 (0.62-2.55) | 0.532 |
| C18:0 LPE                | HMDB0011130  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.15 (0.57-2.28) | 0.699 |
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen  | HMDB0009016* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.14 (0.55-2.35) | 0.722 |
| C36:0 PE                 | HMDB0008991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.13 (0.57-2.23) | 0.725 |
| C18:2 LPE                | HMDB0011507* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.1 (0.54-2.22)  | 0.799 |
| C36:1 PE                 | HMDB0008993* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 0.92 (0.46-1.85) | 0.807 |
| C16:0 LPE                | HMDB0011503  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.09 (0.55-2.18) | 0.807 |
| C34:0 PE                 | HMDB0008925* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 0.96 (0.49-1.88) | 0.906 |
| C20:4 LPE                | HMDB0011517  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 0.96 (0.48-1.92) | 0.915 |
| C32:0 PE                 | HMDB0008923* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 1.04 (0.52-2.06) | 0.917 |
| C22:6 LPE                | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines  | 0.99 (0.48-2.05) | 0.983 |
| C38:4 PI                 | HMDB0009815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>inositols      | 1.21 (0.59-2.48) | 0.607 |
| C34:0 PS                 | HMDB0012356* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-<br>serines        | 0.7 (0.34-1.43)  | 0.331 |
| 1,7-dimethyluric<br>acid | HMDB0011103  | Imidazopyrimidines   | Purines and purine<br>derivatives | 0.76 (0.37-1.55) | 0.445 |
| 1-methylguanine          | HMDB0003282  | Imidazopyrimidines   | Purines and purine<br>derivatives | 0.77 (0.38-1.58) | 0.48  |



Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                            |              |                         |  |                  |       |
|----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| uric acid                  | HMDB0000289  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.78 (0.36-1.68) | 0.523 |
| caffeine                   | HMDB0001847  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.84 (0.4-1.75)  | 0.64  |
| 7-methylguanine            | HMDB0000897  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.18 (0.57-2.42) | 0.657 |
| 7-methylxanthine           | HMDB0001991  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.07 (0.54-2.15) | 0.841 |
| 3-methylxanthine           | HMDB0001886  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.94 (0.47-1.88) | 0.855 |
| tryptophan                 | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.98 (0.49-1.97) | 0.956 |
| serotonin                  | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives | Tryptamines and derivatives              | 0.79 (0.4-1.57)  | 0.503 |
| deoxyguanosine             | HMDB0000085  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.47 (0.23-0.98) | 0.043 |
| methyl N-methylantranilate | HMDB0034169  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.5 (0.25-0.98)  | 0.045 |
| trigonelline               | HMDB0000875  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.57 (0.28-1.14) | 0.113 |
| piperine                   | HMDB0029377  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.71 (0.82-3.58) | 0.154 |
| C20:1 LPC                  | HMDB0010391* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.64 (0.31-1.29) | 0.212 |
| C20:1 LPE                  | HMDB0011512* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.53 (0.76-3.1)  | 0.235 |
| C18:3 LPE                  | HMDB0011478* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.67 (0.33-1.36) | 0.27  |
| coenzyme Q10               | HMDB0001072  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.42 (0.72-2.8)  | 0.308 |
| C34:5 PC plasmalogen       | HMDB0011214* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.37 (0.65-2.9)  | 0.406 |
| C34:4 PC                   | HMDB0007883* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.75 (0.37-1.52) | 0.431 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                              |              |   |   |                  |       |
|------------------------------|--------------|---|---|------------------|-------|
| C20:4 LPC                    | HMDB0010395  | NA  | NA  | 1.32 (0.66-2.62) | 0.434 |
| DMGV                         | HMDB0240212  | NA  | NA  | 0.73 (0.32-1.65) | 0.446 |
| C36:3 PC<br>plasmalogen      | HMDB0011244* | NA  | NA  | 1.25 (0.6-2.6)   | 0.55  |
| thyroxine                    | HMDB0000248  | NA  | NA  | 1.17 (0.58-2.35) | 0.665 |
| cerulenin                    | HMDB0015168  | NA  | NA  | 1.17 (0.57-2.41) | 0.669 |
| C34:2 PC<br>plasmalogen      | HMDB0011210* | NA  | NA  | 1.04 (0.5-2.17)  | 0.91  |
| 2-methyl-4,5-<br>benzoxazole | HMDB0032390  | NA  | NA  | 1.01 (0.51-1.98) | 0.981 |
| pseudouridine                | HMDB0000767  | Nucleoside and nucleotide<br>analogues    | NA  | 1.34 (0.64-2.84) | 0.44  |
| N-carbamoyl-<br>beta-alanine | HMDB0000026  | Organic carbonic acids and<br>derivatives | Ureas   | 1.06 (0.52-2.19) | 0.866 |
| 1-<br>methylhistamine        | HMDB0000898  | Organonitrogen compounds                  | Amines  | 0.77 (0.39-1.51) | 0.451 |
| trimethylamine-<br>N-oxide   | HMDB0000925  | Organonitrogen compounds                  | Aminoxides                                      | 1.18 (0.59-2.33) | 0.637 |
| metformin                    | HMDB0001921  | Organonitrogen compounds                  | Guanidines                                      | 0.83 (0.41-1.66) | 0.599 |
| carnitine                    | HMDB0000062  | Organonitrogen compounds                  | Quaternary<br>ammonium salts                    | 1.42 (0.71-2.87) | 0.323 |
| phosphocholine               | HMDB0001565  | Organonitrogen compounds                  | Quaternary<br>ammonium salts                    | 0.84 (0.4-1.73)  | 0.628 |
| acetyl-<br>galactosamine     | HMDB0000212  | Organooxygen compounds                    | Carbohydrates and<br>carbohydrate<br>conjugates | 1.86 (0.89-3.92) | 0.099 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|                                    |             |                            |  |                  |       |
|------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone     | HMDB0059824 | Organooxygen compounds     | Carbonyl compounds<br>1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids | 0.87 (0.44-1.74) | 0.697 |
| acetaminophen                      | HMDB0001859 | Phenols                    |  | 0.62 (0.31-1.24) | 0.179 |
| guanosine                          | HMDB0000133 | Purine nucleosides         | NA   | 0.71 (0.35-1.42) | 0.332 |
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | HMDB0004824 | Purine nucleosides         | NA   | 1.31 (0.61-2.82) | 0.487 |
| 1-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0001563 | Purine nucleosides         | NA   | 0.84 (0.4-1.75)  | 0.65  |
| 2-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0005862 | Purine nucleosides         | NA   | 1.03 (0.5-2.12)  | 0.938 |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | HMDB0004193 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives                   | 1.18 (0.56-2.49) | 0.667 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide               | HMDB0000699 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives                   | 1.04 (0.5-2.15)  | 0.912 |
| pyridoxamine                       | HMDB0001431 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyridoxamines  | 1.51 (0.74-3.11) | 0.256 |
| cotinine                           | HMDB0001046 | Pyridines and derivatives  | Pyrrolidiny pyridines                                      | 1.09 (0.53-2.22) | 0.821 |
| ribothymidine                      | HMDB0000884 | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | NA   | 1.39 (0.7-2.79)  | 0.349 |
| N4-acetylcytidine                  | HMDB0005923 | Pyrimidine nucleosides     | NA   | 0.99 (0.48-2.03) | 0.975 |
| kynurenic acid                     | HMDB0000715 | Quinolines and derivatives | Quinoline carboxylic acids                                 | 2.14 (1.03-4.5)  | 0.041 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)             | HMDB0004949 | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides  | 1.89 (0.95-3.82) | 0.071 |
| C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1)             | HMDB0004956 | Sphingolipids              | Ceramides  | 1.62 (0.8-3.26)  | 0.177 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|  |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.28 (0.63-2.59) | 0.488 |
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1)                   | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                            | 1.26 (0.61-2.6)  | 0.533 |
| C22:1 SM                                 | HMDB0012104* | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 1.11 (0.55-2.26) | 0.775 |
| C14:0 SM                                 | HMDB0012097  | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipids                 | 1.04 (0.52-2.11) | 0.903 |
| glycocholate                             | HMDB0000138  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 1.73 (0.86-3.53) | 0.126 |
| glycodeoxycholate/glycochenodeoxycholate | HMDB0000631* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols and derivatives | 1.69 (0.83-3.49) | 0.15  |
| cholesterol                              | HMDB0000067  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholestane steroids                  | 1.28 (0.65-2.53) | 0.472 |
| campesterol                              | HMDB0002869  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Ergostane steroids                   | 1.46 (0.74-2.92) | 0.277 |
| cortisol                                 | HMDB0000063  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 1.27 (0.6-2.69)  | 0.537 |
| cortisone                                | HMDB0002802  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids                      | 0.94 (0.45-1.95) | 0.874 |
| 21-deoxycortisol                         | HMDB0004030  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Pregnane steroids                    | 1.54 (0.74-3.21) | 0.246 |
| C18:0 CE                                 | HMDB0010368  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 1.91 (0.93-3.99) | 0.077 |
| C16:1 CE                                 | HMDB0000658* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 0.71 (0.35-1.4)  | 0.323 |
| C14:0 CE                                 | HMDB0006725  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 1.44 (0.68-3.11) | 0.34  |
| C22:6 CE                                 | HMDB0006733  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 1.31 (0.66-2.61) | 0.441 |
| C18:3 CE                                 | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters                   | 0.78 (0.39-1.59) | 0.498 |

Supplemental Table 1.4b (continued).

|            |              |                                  |                    |                  |       |
|------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|
| C18:2 CE   | HMDB0000610* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.21 (0.6-2.46)  | 0.598 |
| C18:1 CE   | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.17 (0.57-2.45) | 0.671 |
| C20:5 CE   | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.87 (0.44-1.7)  | 0.675 |
| C20:3 CE   | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.89 (0.45-1.76) | 0.743 |
| C16:0 CE   | HMDB0000885  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.1 (0.55-2.25)  | 0.784 |
| C22:5 CE   | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.08 (0.56-2.1)  | 0.814 |
| C20:4 CE   | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.99 (0.5-1.96)  | 0.974 |
| bilirubin  | HMDB0000054  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.81 (0.4-1.62)  | 0.548 |
| biliverdin | HMDB0001008  | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.9 (0.44-1.81)  | 0.759 |

\*\*Includes metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values were imputed with 1/2 the minimum value. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted models.

^Multivariable model includes BMI at age 18, weight change from 18 to blood draw, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

\*Representative HMDBID

**Supplemental Table 1.5a.** Metabolite set enrichment analysis for subclasses of metabolites, distant blood.

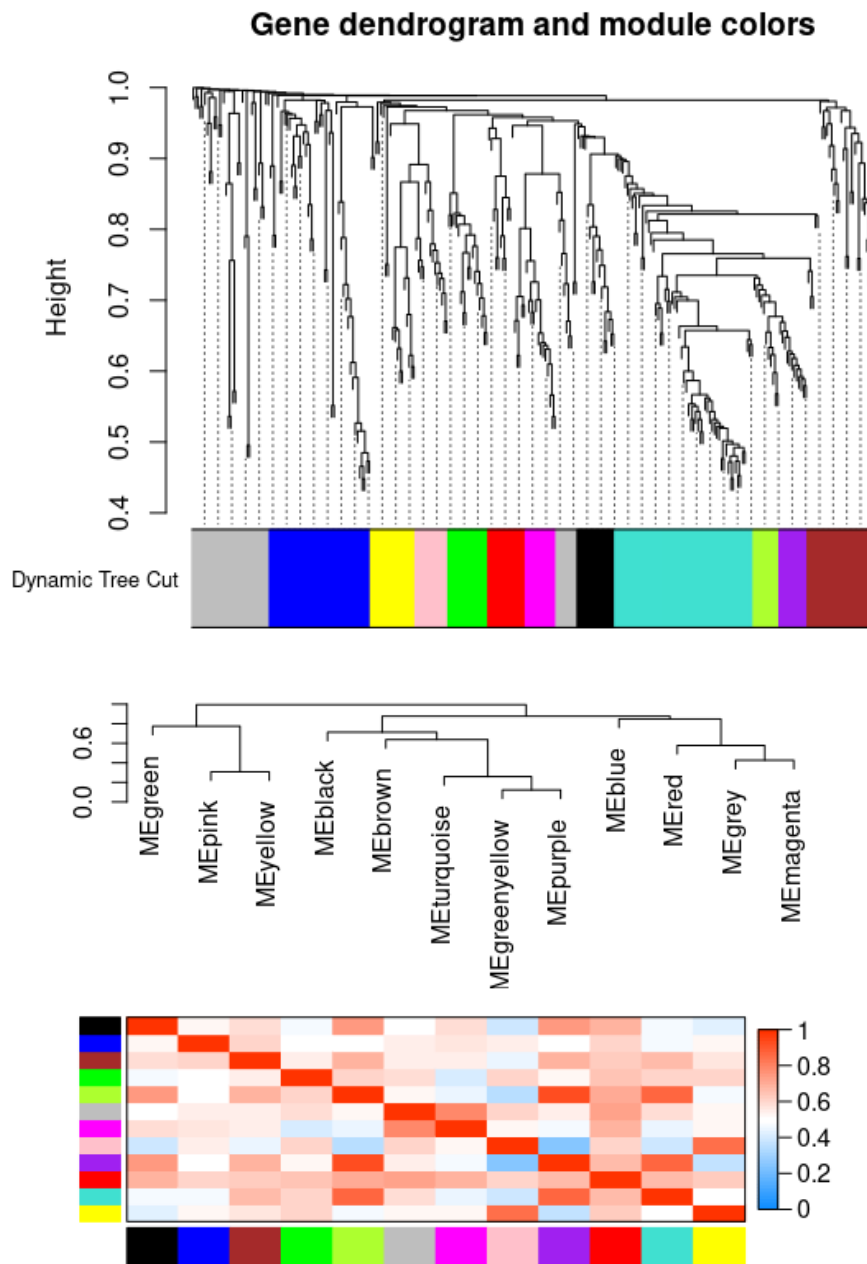
| <b>Pathway</b>                       | <b>Enrichment Score</b> | <b>Normalized enrichment score</b> | <b>P value adj.*</b> | <b>Size of pathway</b> |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| Cholesteryl esters                   | -0.83                   | -2.26                              | 0.02                 | 12                     |
| Triacylglycerols (<3 DB)             | 0.76                    | 2.57                               | 0.02                 | 32                     |
| Fatty acid esters                    | -0.59                   | -1.86                              | 0.03                 | 19                     |
| Glycerophosphocholines               | -0.39                   | -1.43                              | 0.17                 | 32                     |
| Diacylglycerols                      | 0.68                    | 1.60                               | 0.17                 | 8                      |
| Glycerophospho-ethanolamines         | -0.38                   | -1.40                              | 0.17                 | 33                     |
| Glycerophospholipids                 | -0.64                   | -1.45                              | 0.22                 | 6                      |
| Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.29                    | 1.07                               | 0.56                 | 45                     |
| Ceramides                            | 0.64                    | 1.18                               | 0.56                 | 4                      |
| Lineolic acids and derivatives       | 0.62                    | 1.15                               | 0.56                 | 4                      |
| Purine nucleosides                   | 0.48                    | 0.90                               | 0.84                 | 4                      |
| Imidazoles                           | -0.43                   | -0.77                              | 0.84                 | 3                      |
| Carboximidic acids                   | 0.43                    | 0.79                               | 0.84                 | 4                      |
| Triacylglycerols (>=3 DB)            | 0.24                    | 0.82                               | 0.84                 | 33                     |
| Quaternary ammonium salts            | -0.26                   | -0.46                              | 1.00                 | 3                      |
| Purines and purine derivatives       | -0.25                   | -0.59                              | 1.00                 | 7                      |

\*FDR corrected p-value based on number of pathways. Models fully adjusted for covariates included in conditional logistic regression models.

**Supplemental Table 1.5b.** Metabolite set enrichment analysis for subclasses of metabolites, proximate blood.

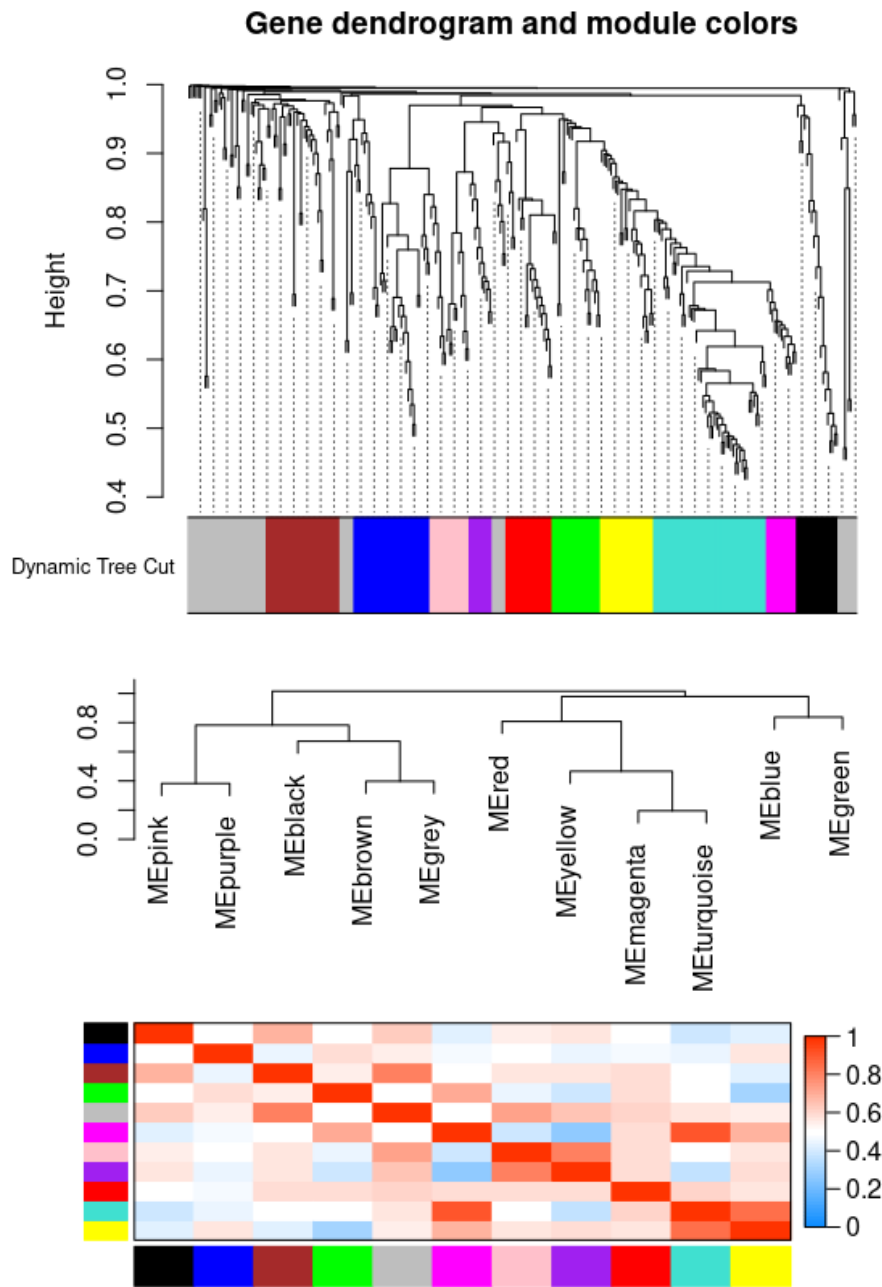
| <b>Pathway</b>                 | <b>Enrichment Score</b> | <b>Normalized enrichment score</b> | <b>P value adj.*</b> | <b>Size of pathway</b> |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| Amino acids                    | 0.51                    | 1.78                               | 0.02                 | 45                     |
| Triacylglycerols (>=3 DB)      | -0.80                   | -2.91                              | 0.03                 | 33                     |
| Ceramides                      | 0.82                    | 1.50                               | 0.11                 | 4                      |
| Triacylglycerols (<3 DB)       | 0.49                    | 1.59                               | 0.11                 | 32                     |
| Diacylglycerols                | 0.60                    | 1.36                               | 0.38                 | 8                      |
| Carboximidic acids             | 0.65                    | 1.18                               | 0.69                 | 4                      |
| Quaternary ammonium salts      | 0.51                    | 0.86                               | 0.91                 | 3                      |
| Purine nucleosides             | 0.50                    | 0.91                               | 0.91                 | 4                      |
| Fatty acid esters              | 0.29                    | 0.81                               | 0.91                 | 19                     |
| Purines and purine derivatives | -0.39                   | -0.93                              | 0.91                 | 7                      |
| Imidazoles                     | 0.47                    | 0.78                               | 0.91                 | 3                      |
| Linoleic acids and derivatives | -0.47                   | -0.92                              | 0.91                 | 4                      |
| Glycerophospholipids           | -0.33                   | -0.74                              | 0.91                 | 6                      |
| Glycerophospho-ethanolamines   | -0.24                   | -0.86                              | 0.91                 | 33                     |
| Glycerophosphocholines         | 0.22                    | 0.72                               | 0.92                 | 32                     |
| Cholesteryl esters             | -0.19                   | -0.52                              | 0.99                 | 12                     |

\*FDR corrected p-value based on number of pathways. Models fully adjusted for covariates included in conditional logistic regression models.



Supplemental Figure 1.1a. WGCNA dendrogram (a) and eigengene network correlations (b) for distant blood





Supplemental Figure 1.1b. WGCNA dendrogram (a) and eigengene network correlations (b) for proximate blood

**Supplemental Table 1.6.** Assigned modules for metabolites at distant and proximate blood, assessed via WGCNA.

| <b>Time 1</b>                             |                                      |               | <b>Time 2</b>          |  |               |
|---|--------------------------------------|---------------|------------------------|--|---------------|
| <b>Metabolite Name</b>                    | <b>Subclass</b>                      | <b>Module</b> | <b>Metabolite Name</b> | <b>Subclass</b>                          | <b>Module</b> |
| cortisol                                  | Hydroxysteroids                      | M1            | 1-methylhistidine      | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1            |
| deoxyguanosine                            | NA                                   | M1            | carnitine              | Quaternary ammonium salts                | M1            |
| guanosine                                 | NA                                   | M1            | cortisol               | Hydroxysteroids                          | M1            |
| glycocholate                              | Bile acids, alcohol and derivatives  | M1            | creatine               | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1            |
| serotonin                                 | Tryptamines and derivatives          | M1            | cholesterol            | Cholestane steroids                      | M1            |
| urocanic acid                             | Imidazoles                           | M1            | deoxyguanosine         | NA                                       | M1            |
| glycodeoxycholates/glycochenodeoxycholate | Bile acids, alcohol and derivatives  | M1            | guanosine              | NA                                       | M1            |
| hippurate                                 | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | M1            | lysine                 | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1            |
| trigonelline                              | NA                                   | M1            | pantothenate           | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1            |
| 1-methylhistamine                         | Amines                               | M1            | thyroxine              | NA                                       | M1            |
| trimethylamine-N-oxide                    | Aminoxides                           | M1            | serotonin              | Tryptamines and derivatives              | M1            |
| cotinine                                  | Pyrrolidiny pyridines                | M1            | urocanic acid          | Imidazoles                               | M1            |
| phosphocholine                            | Quaternary ammonium salts            | M1            | homoarginine           | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1            |
| caffeine                                  | Purines and purine derivatives       | M1            | C5 carnitine           | Fatty acid esters                        | M1            |
| acetaminophen                             | 1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids | M1            | 1-methylnicotinamide   | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives | M1            |

Supplemental Table 1.6 (continued).

|                       |                                      |    |                       |                                      |    |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|----|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|----|
| 3-methylxanthine      | Purines and purine derivatives       | M1 | hippurate             | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | M1 |
| metformin             | Guanidines                           | M1 | hydroxyproline        | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M1 |
| 7-methylxanthine      | Purines and purine derivatives       | M1 | C3 carnitine          | Fatty acid esters                    | M1 |
| myristoleic acid      | Fatty acids and conjugates           | M1 | trigonelline          | NA                                   | M1 |
| palmitoylethanolamide | Carboximidic acids                   | M1 | 1-methylhistamine     | Amines                               | M1 |
| cortisone             | Hydroxysteroids                      | M1 | 2-aminooctanoic acid  | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M1 |
| N-acetylorcarnitine   | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M1 | cotinine              | Pyrrolidinylnicotinamide             | M1 |
| 21-deoxycortisol      | Pregnane steroids                    | M1 | pyridoxamine          | Pyridoxamines                        | M1 |
| proline betaine       | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M1 | phosphocholine        | Quaternary ammonium salts            | M1 |
| phenylacetylglutamine | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M1 | caffeine              | Purines and purine derivatives       | M1 |
| C38:6 PC              | Glycerophosphocholines               | M1 | acetaminophen         | 1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids | M1 |
| C40:6 PC              | Glycerophosphocholines               | M1 | 3-methylxanthine      | Purines and purine derivatives       | M1 |
| C40:10 PC             | Glycerophosphocholines               | M1 | metformin             | Guanidines                           | M1 |
| C40:9 PC              | Glycerophosphocholines               | M1 | 7-methylxanthine      | Purines and purine derivatives       | M1 |
| C22:6 LPC             | Glycerophosphocholines               | M1 | myristoleic acid      | Fatty acids and conjugates           | M1 |
| 1,7-dimethyluric acid | Purines and purine derivatives       | M1 | C4 carnitine          | Fatty acid esters                    | M1 |
| C22:6 LPE             | Glycerophosphoethanolamines          | M1 | palmitoylethanolamide | Carboximidic acids                   | M1 |
| C34:0 PS              | Glycerophosphoserines                | M1 | C5:1 carnitine        | Fatty acid esters                    | M1 |
| N-lauroylglycine      | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M1 | cortisone             | Hydroxysteroids                      | M1 |

Supplemental Table 1.6 (continued).

|                                |                                      |    |                                    |  |    |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----|------------------------------------|--|----|
| 4-hydroxyhippurate             | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | M1 | campesterol                        | Ergostane steroids                       | M1 |
| valsartan                      | NA                                   | M1 | N-acetylorcarnithine               | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1 |
| metronidazole                  | Imidazoles                           | M1 | 21-deoxycortisol                   | Pregnane steroids                        | M1 |
| sulfamethoxazole               | Benzenesulfonamides                  | M1 | N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives | M1 |
| piperine                       | NA                                   | M1 | proline betaine                    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1 |
| 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole       | NA                                   | M1 | phenylacetylglutamine              | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1 |
| methyl N-methylantranilate     | NA                                   | M1 | C26 carnitine                      | Fatty acid esters                        | M1 |
| 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone | Carbonyl compounds                   | M1 | C20:1 LPC                          | NA                                       | M1 |
| betaine                        | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M2 | 1,7-dimethyluric acid              | Purines and purine derivatives           | M1 |
| alanine                        | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M2 | C14:0 SM                           | Phosphosphingolipids                     | M1 |
| proline                        | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M2 | C22:1 SM                           | Phosphosphingolipids                     | M1 |
| serine                         | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M2 | N-lauroylglycine                   | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1 |
| coenzyme Q10                   | NA                                   | M2 | 4-hydroxyhippurate                 | Benzoic acids and derivatives            | M1 |
| C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1)         | Ceramides                            | M2 | metronidazole                      | Imidazoles                               | M1 |
| C48:0 TAG                      | Triacylglycerols                     | M2 | sulfamethoxazole                   | Benzenesulfonamides                      | M1 |
| C50:0 TAG                      | Triacylglycerols                     | M2 | piperine                           | NA                                       | M1 |
| C48:1 TAG                      | Triacylglycerols                     | M2 | NMMA                               | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M1 |

Supplemental Table 1.6 (continued).

|            |                              |    |   |                              |    |
|------------|------------------------------|----|---|------------------------------|----|
| C50:1 TAG  | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole methyl N-methylantranilate | NA                           | M1 |
| C51:2 TAG  | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |   | NA                           | M1 |
| C52:0 TAG  | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone                      | Carbonyl compounds           | M1 |
| C52:1 TAG  | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C48:0 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C48:2 TAG  | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C50:0 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C50:2 TAG  | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C48:1 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C48:3 TAG  | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C50:1 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C32:0 DAG  | Diacylglycerols              | M2 | C51:2 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C34:0 DAG  | Diacylglycerols              | M2 | C52:0 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C30:0 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C52:1 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C30:1 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C48:2 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C32:0 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C50:2 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C32:1 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C54:1 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C32:2 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C56:1 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C34:4 PC   | NA                           | M2 | C56:2 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C34:1 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C56:3 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C36:1 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C48:3 TAG   | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C38:3 PC   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C22:6 CE  | Cholesteryl esters           | M2 |
| C36:4 PC-B | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C32:0 DAG   | Diacylglycerols              | M2 |
| C32:0 PE   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C34:0 DAG   | Diacylglycerols              | M2 |
| C34:0 PE   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C38:5 DAG   | Diacylglycerols              | M2 |
| C34:2 PE   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C36:1 DAG   | Diacylglycerols              | M2 |
| C36:4 PE   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C38:3 PC  | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 |
| C36:0 PE   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C34:2 PE  | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 |

Supplemental Table 1.6 (continued).

|                          |                              |    |           |                              |    |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|----|-----------|------------------------------|----|
| C36:1 PE                 | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C36:4 PE  | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 |
| C36:2 PE                 | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C36:1 PE  | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 |
| C38:4 PE                 | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C36:2 PE  | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 |
| C40:6 PE                 | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C38:4 PE  | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 |
| C36:3 PE                 | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C36:3 PE  | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 |
| C38:5 PE                 | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C38:5 PE  | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 |
| C38:6 PE                 | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M2 | C14:0 LPC | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 |
| C18:0 CE                 | Cholesteryl esters           | M2 | C46:0 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C14:0 LPC                | Glycerophosphocholines       | M2 | C46:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C46:0 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C46:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C46:1 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C50:5 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C46:2 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C50:6 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C49:1 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C51:3 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C49:2 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C49:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C51:0 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C49:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C43:0 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C51:0 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C44:0 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C43:0 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C47:2 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C44:0 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C43:1 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C47:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C45:1 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C43:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C47:1 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C45:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C49:3 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C47:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C51:1 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C49:3 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C43:2 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C51:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| C45:2 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M2 | C53:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| DMGV                     | NA                           | M2 | C55:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |
| N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine | Ureas                        | M3 | C43:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols             | M2 |

Supplemental Table 1.6 (continued).

|                                |   |    |               |  |    |
|--------------------------------|---|----|---------------|--|----|
| C2 carnitine                   | Fatty acid esters                         | M3 | C45:2 TAG     | Triacylglycerols                         | M2 |
| N6-acetyllysine                | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M3 | tyrosine      | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| pantothenate                   | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M3 | phenylalanine | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| acetyl-galactosamine           | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | M3 | proline       | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| uric acid                      | Purines and purine derivatives            | M3 | threonine     | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives    | M3 | asparagine    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| creatinine                     | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M3 | isoleucine    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| cytosine                       | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives    | M3 | histidine     | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| glutamine                      | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M3 | leucine       | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| C10 carnitine                  | Fatty acid esters                         | M3 | methionine    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide           | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives  | M3 | valine        | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 |
| C6 carnitine                   | Fatty acid esters                         | M3 | tryptophan    | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | M3 |
| pseudouridine                  | NA  | M3 | C56:8 TAG     | Triacylglycerols                         | M3 |
| C8 carnitine                   | Fatty acid esters                         | M3 | C56:5 TAG     | Triacylglycerols                         | M3 |
| ribothymidine                  | NA  | M3 | C58:8 TAG     | Triacylglycerols                         | M3 |
| 7-methylguanaine               | Purines and purine derivatives            | M3 | C52:6 TAG     | Triacylglycerols                         | M3 |
| citrulline                     | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M3 | C54:7 TAG     | Triacylglycerols                         | M3 |
| ADMA/SDMA                      | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M3 | C56:9 TAG     | Triacylglycerols                         | M3 |

Supplemental Table 1.6 (continued).

|                                    |  |    |                          |                              |    |
|------------------------------------|--|----|--------------------------|------------------------------|----|
| 1-methylguanosine                  | NA                                       | M3 | C56:6 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| C14:1 carnitine                    | Fatty acid esters                        | M3 | C58:6 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| N-acetylputrescine                 | Carboximidic acids                       | M3 | C56:7 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| C12 carnitine                      | Fatty acid esters                        | M3 | C58:9 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| 1-methylguanine                    | Purines and purine derivatives           | M3 | C58:7 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate               | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 | C58:10 TAG               | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives | M3 | C60:12 TAG               | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine             | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 | C54:9 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | NA                                       | M3 | C56:10 TAG               | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| C14 carnitine                      | Fatty acid esters                        | M3 | C52:7 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| 2-methylguanosine                  | NA                                       | M3 | C54:8 TAG                | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| N4-acetylcytidine                  | NA                                       | M3 | C58:11 TAG               | Triacylglycerols             | M3 |
| 3-dehydroxycarnitine               | Fatty acids and conjugates               | M3 | C36:5 PC plasmalogen-A   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M3 |
| C4-OH carnitine                    | Fatty acid esters                        | M3 | C38:7 PC plasmalogen     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M3 |
| C5-DC carnitine                    | Fatty acid esters                        | M3 | C40:7 PE plasmalogen     | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M3 |
| C7 carnitine                       | Fatty acid esters                        | M3 | C38:7 PE plasmalogen     | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M3 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine               | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M3 | N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine | Ureas                        | M4 |



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|                    |                                      |    |                                |   |    |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|----|--------------------------------|---|----|
| C9 carnitine       | Fatty acid esters                    | M3 | dimethylglycine                | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M4 |
| C10:2 carnitine    | Fatty acid esters                    | M3 | N6-acetyllysine                | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M4 |
| C12:1 carnitine    | Fatty acid esters                    | M3 | acetyl-galactosamine           | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | M4 |
| C14:2 carnitine    | Fatty acid esters                    | M3 | uric acid                      | Purines and purine derivatives            | M4 |
| oleoyl glycine     | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M3 | allantoin                      | Imidazoles                                | M4 |
| N-acetyltryptophan | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M3 | 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives    | M4 |
| N-acetylhistidine  | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M3 | creatinine                     | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M4 |
| 1-methylhistidine  | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | cytosine                       | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives    | M4 |
| carnitine          | Quaternary ammonium salts            | M4 | glutamine                      | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M4 |
| creatine           | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | kynurenic acid                 | Quinoline carboxylic acids                | M4 |
| dimethylglycine    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | pseudouridine                  | NA  | M4 |
| tyrosine           | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | ribothymidine                  | NA  | M4 |
| phenylalanine      | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | 7-methylguanine                | Purines and purine derivatives            | M4 |
| threonine          | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | citrulline                     | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M4 |
| asparagine         | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | trimethylamine-N-oxide         | Aminoxides                                | M4 |
| isoleucine         | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | N1-acetylspermidine            | Carboximidic acids                        | M4 |
| histidine          | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine       | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues      | M4 |

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|                          |  |    |                         |                                      |    |
|--------------------------|--|----|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|----|
| lysine                   | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M4 | ADMA/SDMA               | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 |
| homoarginine             | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M4 | 1-methylguanosine       | NA                                   | M4 |
| leucine                  | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M4 | N-acetylputrescine      | Carboximidic acids                   | M4 |
| C5 carnitine             | Fatty acid esters                        | M4 | N1,N12-diacetylspermine | Carboximidic acids                   | M4 |
| methionine               | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M4 | 1-methylguanine         | Purines and purine derivatives       | M4 |
| kynurenic acid           | Quinoline carboxylic acids               | M4 | 4-acetamidobutanoate    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 |
| C3 carnitine             | Fatty acid esters                        | M4 | N-alpha-acetylarginine  | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 |
| valine                   | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues     | M4 | N2,N2-dimethylguanosine | NA                                   | M4 |
| tryptophan               | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | M4 | 2-methylguanosine       | NA                                   | M4 |
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine |  | M4 | N4-acetylcytidine       | NA                                   | M4 |
| pyridoxamine             | Pyridoxamines                            | M4 | 3-dehydroxycarnitine    | Fatty acids and conjugates           | M4 |
| C4 carnitine             | Fatty acid esters                        | M4 | N6,N6-dimethyllysine    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 |
| C5:1 carnitine           | Fatty acid esters                        | M4 | N-acetyltryptophan      |                                      | M4 |
| C20:5 CE                 | Cholesteryl esters                       | M4 | N-acetylhistidine       | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 |
| C38:5 DAG                | Diacylglycerols                          | M4 | betaine                 | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M5 |
| C18:3 CE                 | Cholesteryl esters                       | M4 | alanine                 | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M5 |
| C50:5 TAG                | Triacylglycerols                         | M4 | serine                  | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M5 |

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|                         |                                      |    |              |                              |    |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|----|--------------|------------------------------|----|
| C50:6 TAG               | Triacylglycerols                     | M4 | coenzyme Q10 | NA                           | M5 |
| NMMA                    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M4 | C20:5 CE     | Cholesteryl esters           | M5 |
| bilirubin               | Bilirubins                           | M5 | C20:3 CE     | Cholesteryl esters           | M5 |
| GABA                    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M5 | C30:0 PC     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| thyroxine               | NA                                   | M5 | C30:1 PC     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| allantoin               | Imidazoles                           | M5 | C32:0 PC     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| hydroxyproline          | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M5 | C32:1 PC     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| biliverdin              | Bilirubins                           | M5 | C32:2 PC     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | Carboximidic acids                   | M5 | C34:4 PC     | NA                           | M5 |
| aminoisobutyric acid    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M5 | C34:1 PC     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | Carboximidic acids                   | M5 | C36:1 PC     | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| C34:2 PE plasmalogen    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines         | M5 | C36:4 PC-B   | Glycerophosphocholines       | M5 |
| C36:2 PE plasmalogen    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines         | M5 | C32:0 PE     | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M5 |
| C34:5 PC plasmalogen    | NA                                   | M5 | C34:0 PE     | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M5 |
| C36:5 PC plasmalogen-B  | Glycerophosphocholines               | M5 | C36:0 PE     | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M5 |
| C34:3 PE plasmalogen    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines         | M5 | C40:6 PE     | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M5 |
| C38:5 PE plasmalogen    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines         | M5 | C38:6 PE     | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M5 |
| C38:6 PE plasmalogen    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines         | M5 | C18:0 CE     | Cholesteryl esters           | M5 |
| C36:5 PE plasmalogen    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines         | M5 | C18:3 CE     | Cholesteryl esters           | M5 |

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|                         |                                  |    |  |   |    |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----|--|---|----|
| C36:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M5 | DMGV   | NA                                      | M5 |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M5 | bilirubin                                    | Bilirubins                              | M6 |
| C18:1 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | glycine                                      | Amino acids, peptides, and<br>analogues | M6 |
| C16:0 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | guanidinoacetic acid                         | Amino acids, peptides, and<br>analogues | M6 |
| C16:1 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | glycocholate                                 | Bile acids                              | M6 |
| C18:0 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | glycodeoxycholate/glycoc<br>henodeoxycholate | Bile acids                              | M6 |
| C18:2 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | C16:1 CE                                     | Cholesteryl esters                      | M6 |
| C18:3 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | pipecolic acid                               | Amino acids, peptides, and<br>analogues | M6 |
| C20:4 LPC               | NA                               | M6 | biliverdin                                   | Bilirubins                              | M6 |
| C20:5 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | C52:4 TAG                                    | Triacylglycerols                        | M6 |
| C22:5 LPC               | Glycerophosphocholines           | M6 | C54:4 TAG                                    | Triacylglycerols                        | M6 |
| C18:0 LPE               | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M6 | C54:5 TAG                                    | Triacylglycerols                        | M6 |
| C18:3 LPE               | NA                               | M6 | C54:6 TAG                                    | Triacylglycerols                        | M6 |
| C16:0 LPE               | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M6 | C56:4 TAG                                    | Triacylglycerols                        | M6 |
| C18:1 LPE               | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M6 | C54:3 TAG                                    | Triacylglycerols                        | M6 |
| C18:2 LPE               | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M6 | C14:0 CE                                     | Cholesteryl esters                      | M6 |
| C20:1 LPE               | NA                               | M6 | C36:3 DAG                                    | Lineolic acids and derivatives          | M6 |
| C20:4 LPE               | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M6 | C36:4 DAG                                    | Lineolic acids and derivatives          | M6 |
| C22:0 LPE               | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M6 | C18:1 LPE                                    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines            | M6 |
| cholesterol             | Cholestane steroids              | M7 | C18:2 LPE                                    | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines            | M6 |

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|                        |                                      |    |                        |                              |    |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|----|------------------------|------------------------------|----|
| campesterol            | Ergostane steroids                   | M7 | C55:3 TAG              | Triacylglycerols             | M6 |
| C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Ceramides                            | M7 | C53:3 TAG              | Triacylglycerols             | M6 |
| C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Ceramides                            | M7 | C18:1 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Ceramides                            | M7 | C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Ceramides                    | M7 |
| C52:6 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M7 | C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Ceramides                    | M7 |
| C54:7 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M7 | C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1) | Ceramides                    | M7 |
| C26 carnitine          | Fatty acid esters                    | M7 | C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Ceramides                    | M7 |
| C38:4 PI               | Glycerophosphoinositols              | M7 | C38:4 PI               | Glycerophosphoinositols      | M7 |
| C20:1 LPC              | NA                                   | M7 | C16:0 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| C54:9 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M7 | C16:1 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| C52:7 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M7 | C18:0 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| C54:8 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M7 | C18:2 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| C14:0 SM               | Phosphosphingolipids                 | M7 | C18:3 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| C22:1 SM               | Phosphosphingolipids                 | M7 | C20:4 LPC              | NA                           | M7 |
| cerulenin              | NA                                   | M7 | C20:5 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| glycine                | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M8 | C22:5 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M7 |
| guanidinoacetic acid   | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M8 | C18:0 LPE              | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M7 |
| C16:1 CE               | Cholesteryl esters                   | M8 | C18:3 LPE              | NA                           | M7 |
| pipecolic acid         | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M8 | C16:0 LPE              | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M7 |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid   | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | M8 | C20:1 LPE              | NA                           | M7 |
| C52:4 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M8 | C20:4 LPE              | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M7 |
| C54:4 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M8 | C22:0 LPE              | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M7 |
| C54:5 TAG              | Triacylglycerols                     | M8 | GABA                   | Amino acids                  | M8 |

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|                           |                                  |    |                      |   |    |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----------------------|---|----|
| C54:6 TAG                 | Triacylglycerols                 | M8 | C2 carnitine         | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C56:4 TAG                 | Triacylglycerols                 | M8 | C10 carnitine        | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C54:3 TAG                 | Triacylglycerols                 | M8 | C6 carnitine         | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C14:0 CE                  | Cholesteryl esters               | M8 | C8 carnitine         | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C36:3 DAG                 | Lineolic acids and derivatives   | M8 | aminoisobutyric acid | Amino acids                             | M8 |
| C36:4 DAG                 | Lineolic acids and derivatives   | M8 | C14:1 carnitine      | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C55:3 TAG                 | Triacylglycerols                 | M8 | C12 carnitine        | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C53:3 TAG                 | Triacylglycerols                 | M8 | C14 carnitine        | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C38:2 PE                  | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M9 | C4-OH carnitine      | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-<br>ethanolamines | M9 | C5-DC carnitine      | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | C7 carnitine         | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C34:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | NA                               | M9 | C9 carnitine         | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | C10:2 carnitine      | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-A | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | C12:1 carnitine      | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C38:7 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | C14:2 carnitine      | Fatty acid esters                       | M8 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | oleoyl glycine       | Amino acids, peptides, and<br>analogues |    |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | cerulenin            | NA                                      | M8 |
| C36:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | NA                               | M9 | C38:6 PC             | Glycerophosphocholines                  | M9 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | C40:6 PC             | Glycerophosphocholines                  | M9 |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines           | M9 | C40:10 PC            | Glycerophosphocholines                  | M9 |

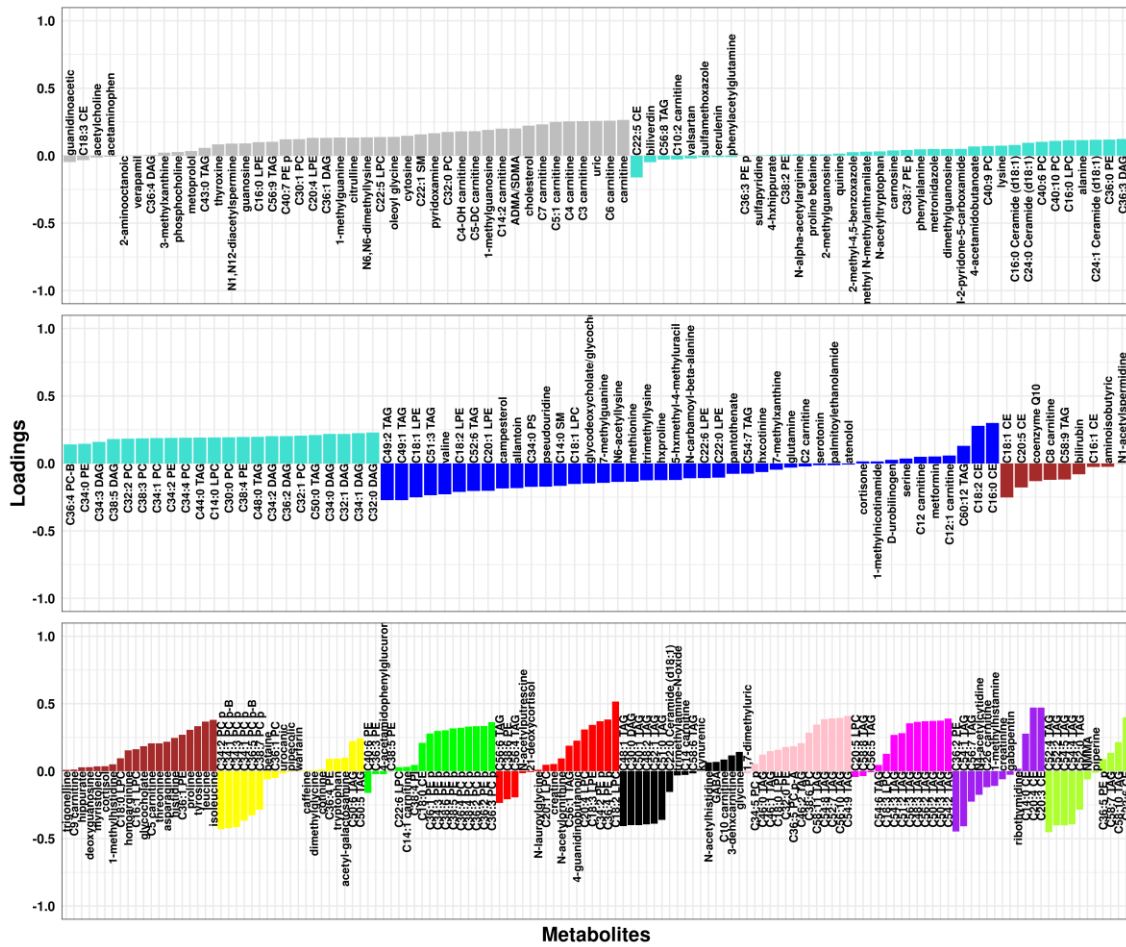
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|----------------------|------------------------------|-----|------------------------|------------------------------|-----|
| C40:7 PE plasmalogen | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  | C40:9 PC               | Glycerophosphocholines       | M9  |
| C38:7 PE plasmalogen | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  | C34:2 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C56:8 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C36:2 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C56:5 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C22:6 LPC              | Glycerophosphocholines       | M9  |
| C58:8 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C34:5 PC plasmalogen   | NA                           | M9  |
| C56:9 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C36:5 PC plasmalogen-B | Glycerophosphocholines       | M9  |
| C56:6 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C34:3 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C58:6 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C38:5 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C56:7 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C38:6 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C58:9 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C36:5 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C58:7 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C36:3 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C58:10 TAG           | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C36:4 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C60:12 TAG           | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C22:6 LPE              | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | M9  |
| C56:10 TAG           | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C34:0 PS               | Glycerophosphoserines        | M9  |
| C58:11 TAG           | Triacylglycerols             | M10 | C18:2 CE               | Cholesteryl esters           | M10 |
| C18:2 CE             | Cholesteryl esters           | M11 | C16:0 CE               | Cholesteryl esters           | M10 |
| C16:0 CE             | Cholesteryl esters           | M11 | C18:1 CE               | Cholesteryl esters           | M10 |
| C18:1 CE             | Cholesteryl esters           | M11 | C52:2 TAG              | Triacylglycerols             | M10 |
| C52:2 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M11 | C54:2 TAG              | Triacylglycerols             | M10 |
| C50:3 TAG            | Triacylglycerols             | M11 | C50:3 TAG              | Triacylglycerols             | M10 |
| C20:4 CE             | Cholesteryl esters           | M11 | C20:4 CE               | Cholesteryl esters           | M10 |
| C32:1 DAG            | Diacylglycerols              | M11 | C32:1 DAG              | Diacylglycerols              | M10 |
| C34:1 DAG            | Diacylglycerols              | M11 | C34:1 DAG              | Diacylglycerols              | M10 |

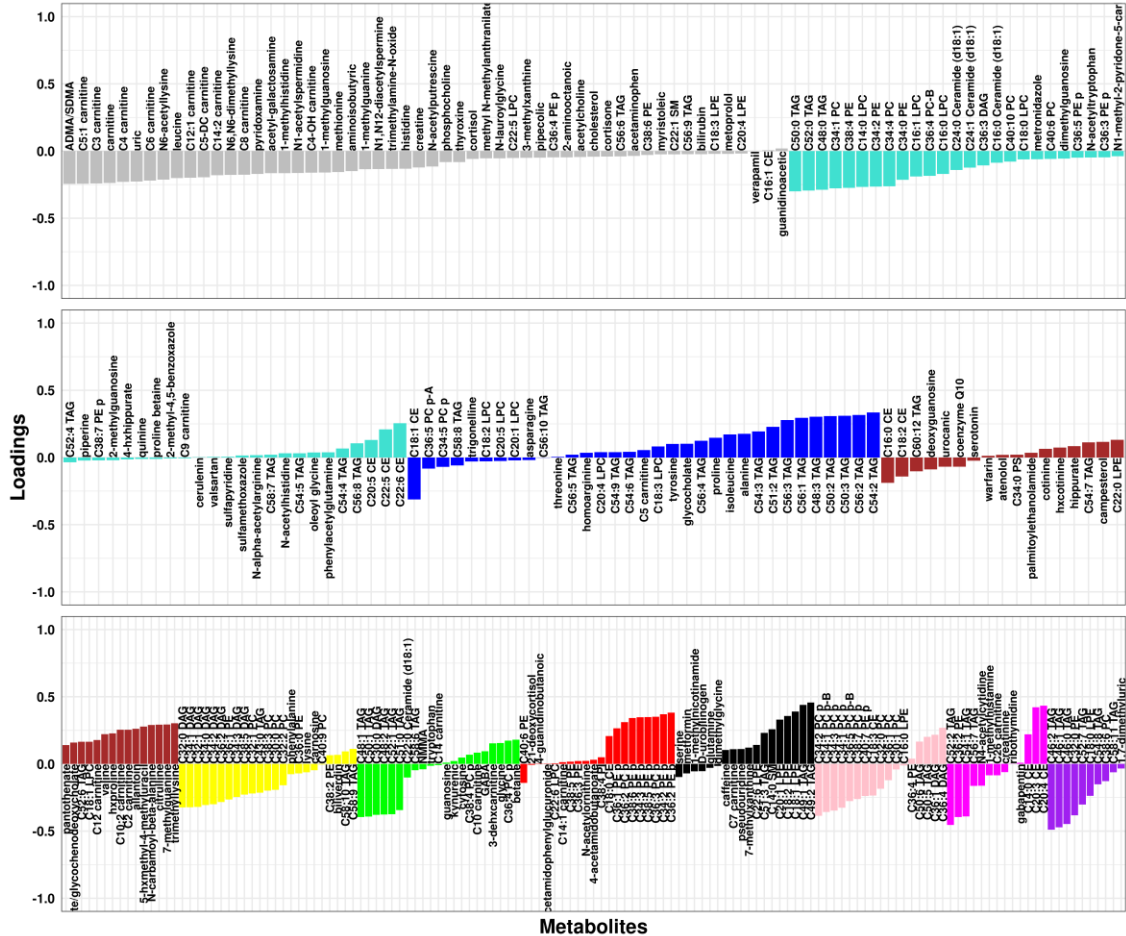
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|-----------|--------------------------------|-----|------------------------|--------------------------------|-----|
| C34:2 DAG | Lineolic acids and derivatives | M11 | C34:2 DAG              | Lineolic acids and derivatives | M10 |
| C34:3 DAG | Lineolic acids and derivatives | M11 | C34:3 DAG              | Lineolic acids and derivatives | M10 |
| C36:2 DAG | Diacylglycerols                | M11 | C36:2 DAG              | Diacylglycerols                | M10 |
| C22:5 CE  | Cholesteryl esters             | M11 | C22:5 CE               | Cholesteryl esters             | M10 |
| C54:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 | C38:2 PE               | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines   | M11 |
| C56:1 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 | C36:1 PE plasmalogen   | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines   | M11 |
| C54:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 | C34:1 PC plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines         | M11 |
| C56:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 | C34:2 PC plasmalogen   | NA                             | M11 |
| C56:3 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 | C34:3 PC plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines         | M11 |
| C22:6 CE  | Cholesteryl esters             | M12 | C34:1 PC plasmalogen-B | Glycerophosphocholines         | M11 |
| C20:3 CE  | Cholesteryl esters             | M12 | C36:2 PC plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines         | M11 |
| C36:1 DAG | Diacylglycerols                | M12 | C36:3 PC plasmalogen   | NA                             | M11 |
| C51:3 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 | C38:4 PC plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines         | M11 |
| C53:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 | C36:4 PC plasmalogen   | Glycerophosphocholines         | M11 |
| C55:2 TAG | Triacylglycerols               | M12 |                        |                                |     |





**Supplemental Figure 1.2a.** Breast cancer WGCNA loadings on first principal component for each metabolite by identified metabolite module at distant blood time point. 12 modules are visualized here, defined by their colors: M1 grey, M2 turquoise, M3 blue, M4 brown, M5 yellow, M6 green, M7 red, M8 black, M9 pink, M10 magenta, M11 purple, and M12 green-yellow. Bars below 0 represent negative loading of the metabolite in a given module, while bars above 0 represent positive loading of a metabolite in a given module.



**Supplemental Figure 1.2b.** Breast cancer WGCNA loadings on first principal component for each metabolite by identified metabolite module at proximate blood time point. 11 modules are visualized here, defined by their colors: M1 grey, M2 turquoise, M3 blue, M4 brown, M5 yellow, M6 green, M7 red, M8 black, M9 pink, M10 magenta, M11 purple. Bars below 0 represent negative loading of the metabolite in a given module, while bars above 0 represent positive loading of a metabolite in a given module.

**Supplemental Table 1.7a.** Association between metabolite modules and breast cancer risk at distant blood draw.

| Metabolite module | Overall BC       |         | ER+ BC*              |                  |         | ER- BC*              |                  |         | FDR adjusted p-value |
|-------------------|------------------|---------|----------------------|------------------|---------|----------------------|------------------|---------|----------------------|
|                   | OR (95% CI)      | p-value | FDR adjusted p-value | OR (95% CI)      | p-value | FDR adjusted p-value | OR (95% CI)      | p-value |                      |
| M1 grey           | 0.89 (0.67-1.17) | 0.40    | 0.53                 | 0.80 (0.59-1.09) | 0.15    | 0.26                 | 1.14 (0.62-2.12) | 0.67    | 0.92                 |
| M2 turquoise      | 1.15 (0.88-1.49) | 0.30    | 0.47                 | 1.33 (0.98-1.81) | 0.06    | 0.16                 | 1.25 (0.68-2.29) | 0.47    | 0.92                 |
| M3 blue           | 0.95 (0.74-1.22) | 0.69    | 0.76                 | 1.02 (0.76-1.38) | 0.87    | 0.87                 | 1.05 (0.57-1.91) | 0.88    | 0.92                 |
| M4 brown          | 1.27 (0.98-1.65) | 0.07    | 0.47                 | 1.18 (0.88-1.60) | 0.27    | 0.33                 | 0.95 (0.53-1.72) | 0.86    | 0.92                 |
| M5 yellow         | 1.06 (0.83-1.35) | 0.65    | 0.76                 | 1.18 (0.88-1.57) | 0.27    | 0.33                 | 0.92 (0.51-1.65) | 0.78    | 0.92                 |
| M6 green          | 0.88 (0.69-1.12) | 0.31    | 0.47                 | 0.83 (0.62-1.09) | 0.18    | 0.27                 | 0.85 (0.48-1.50) | 0.57    | 0.92                 |
| M7 red            | 0.86 (0.67-1.11) | 0.24    | 0.47                 | 0.66 (0.49-0.89) | 0.01    | 0.08                 | 1.09 (0.61-1.95) | 0.76    | 0.92                 |
| M8 black          | 0.86 (0.67-1.12) | 0.27    | 0.47                 | 0.75 (0.55-1.02) | 0.06    | 0.16                 | 0.81 (0.44-1.47) | 0.49    | 0.92                 |
| M9 pink           | 0.98 (0.77-1.26) | 0.90    | 0.90                 | 1.06 (0.79-1.43) | 0.69    | 0.75                 | 1.03 (0.57-1.86) | 0.92    | 0.92                 |
| M10 magenta       | 1.16 (0.90-1.5)  | 0.27    | 0.47                 | 1.30 (0.97-1.76) | 0.08    | 0.17                 | 0.93 (0.50-1.71) | 0.82    | 0.92                 |
| M11 purple        | 0.84 (0.65-1.07) | 0.16    | 0.47                 | 0.70 (0.52-0.93) | 0.02    | 0.09                 | 0.84 (0.46-1.53) | 0.58    | 0.92                 |
| M12 green-yellow  | 0.86 (0.67-1.11) | 0.25    | 0.47                 | 0.71 (0.53-0.95) | 0.02    | 0.09                 | 1.05 (0.57-1.92) | 0.88    | 0.92                 |

\* Note that metabolite loadings differ by subtype, causing overall, ER+, and ER- to have distinct ORs that are not directly comparable.

**Supplemental Table 1.7b.** Association between metabolite modules and breast cancer risk at proximate blood.

| Metabolite module | Overall BC       |         | ER+ BC*              |                  |         | ER- BC*              |                  |         |                      |
|-------------------|------------------|---------|----------------------|------------------|---------|----------------------|------------------|---------|----------------------|
|                   | OR (95% CI)      | p-value | FDR adjusted p-value | OR (95% CI)      | p-value | FDR adjusted p-value | OR (95% CI)      | p-value | FDR adjusted p-value |
| M1 grey           | 0.75 (0.53-1.07) | 0.11    | 0.66                 | 0.87 (0.61-1.26) | 0.47    | 0.86                 | 0.64 (0.30-1.34) | 0.24    | 0.88                 |
| M2 turquoise      | 0.84 (0.61-1.14) | 0.26    | 0.97                 | 0.78 (0.55-1.11) | 0.18    | 0.54                 | 1.02 (0.51-2.03) | 0.95    | 0.96                 |
| M3 blue           | 1.17 (0.85-1.61) | 0.34    | 0.98                 | 1.27 (0.89-1.83) | 0.19    | 0.54                 | 1.05 (0.51-2.15) | 0.90    | 0.96                 |
| M4 brown          | 1.16 (0.81-1.66) | 0.42    | 0.66                 | 0.98 (0.66-1.45) | 0.93    | 0.97                 | 0.48 (0.22-1.03) | 0.06    | 0.69                 |
| M5 yellow         | 0.86 (0.62-1.19) | 0.37    | 0.66                 | 0.79 (0.55-1.14) | 0.21    | 0.54                 | 0.93 (0.46-1.87) | 0.83    | 0.96                 |
| M6 green          | 0.89 (0.65-1.24) | 0.50    | 0.66                 | 0.81 (0.56-1.16) | 0.25    | 0.54                 | 1.21 (0.60-2.45) | 0.60    | 0.96                 |
| M7 red            | 1.17 (0.86-1.59) | 0.32    | 0.66                 | 0.98 (0.70-1.39) | 0.93    | 0.97                 | 1.56 (0.77-3.18) | 0.22    | 0.88                 |
| M8 black          | 1.18 (0.87-1.61) | 0.30    | 0.69                 | 1.07 (0.76-1.51) | 0.71    | 0.97                 | 1.34 (0.67-2.69) | 0.41    | 0.96                 |
| M9 pink           | 0.95 (0.68-1.31) | 0.74    | 0.66                 | 1.01 (0.70-1.45) | 0.97    | 0.97                 | 0.77 (0.37-1.58) | 0.48    | 0.96                 |
| M10 magenta       | 0.98 (0.71-1.34) | 0.88    | 0.66                 | 0.77 (0.54-1.10) | 0.16    | 0.54                 | 1.14 (0.56-2.32) | 0.71    | 0.96                 |
| M11 purple        | 1.00 (0.73-1.38) | 0.98    | 0.90                 | 0.97 (0.69-1.38) | 0.88    | 0.97                 | 1.02 (0.51-2.02) | 0.96    | 0.96                 |

\* Note that metabolite loadings differ by subtype, causing overall, ER+, and ER- to have distinct ORs that are not directly comparable.

**Supplemental Table 1.8.** Spearman correlations for distant and proximate metabolite measures.

| <b>HMDBID</b> | <b>Metabolite Name</b>   | <b>Model 1</b> | <b>Model 2</b> | <b>Model 3</b> | <b>Model 4</b> |
|---------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| HMDB0000001   | 1-methylhistidine        | 0.227          | 0.227          | 0.229          | 0.228          |
| HMDB0000026   | N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine | 0.459          | 0.455          | 0.423          | 0.424          |
| HMDB0000033   | carnosine                | 0.335          | 0.334          | 0.341          | 0.343          |
| HMDB0000043   | betaine                  | 0.468          | 0.467          | 0.474          | 0.472          |
| HMDB0000054   | bilirubin                | 0.433          | 0.435          | 0.435          | 0.431          |
| HMDB0000062   | carnitine                | 0.499          | 0.499          | 0.488          | 0.480          |
| HMDB0000063   | cortisol                 | 0.239          | 0.220          | 0.222          | 0.216          |
| HMDB0000064   | creatine                 | 0.497          | 0.498          | 0.498          | 0.497          |
| HMDB0000067   | cholesterol              | 0.358          | 0.355          | 0.372          | 0.371          |
| HMDB0000085   | deoxyguanosine           | 0.425          | 0.425          | 0.420          | 0.421          |
| HMDB0000092   | dimethylglycine          | 0.547          | 0.548          | 0.534          | 0.529          |
| HMDB0000112   | GABA                     | 0.456          | 0.455          | 0.452          | 0.453          |
| HMDB0000123   | glycine                  | 0.664          | 0.664          | 0.669          | 0.659          |
| HMDB0000128   | guanidinoacetic acid     | 0.540          | 0.538          | 0.538          | 0.522          |
| HMDB0000133   | guanosine                | 0.198          | 0.189          | 0.191          | 0.190          |
| HMDB0000138   | glycocholate             | 0.297          | 0.287          | 0.287          | 0.284          |
| HMDB0000158   | tyrosine                 | 0.402          | 0.401          | 0.403          | 0.379          |
| HMDB0000159   | phenylalanine            | 0.350          | 0.346          | 0.355          | 0.332          |
| HMDB0000161   | alanine                  | 0.389          | 0.391          | 0.392          | 0.369          |
| HMDB0000162   | proline                  | 0.487          | 0.486          | 0.486          | 0.458          |
| HMDB0000167   | threonine                | 0.364          | 0.362          | 0.350          | 0.351          |
| HMDB0000168   | asparagine               | 0.390          | 0.387          | 0.393          | 0.377          |
| HMDB0000172   | isoleucine               | 0.412          | 0.410          | 0.422          | 0.370          |
| HMDB0000177   | histidine                | 0.416          | 0.416          | 0.428          | 0.428          |
| HMDB0000182   | lysine                   | 0.439          | 0.439          | 0.446          | 0.442          |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |  |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0000187 | serine                                   | 0.434 | 0.428 | 0.422 | 0.423 |
| HMDB0000201 | C2 carnitine                             | 0.388 | 0.389 | 0.363 | 0.363 |
| HMDB0000206 | N6-acetyllysine                          | 0.571 | 0.573 | 0.561 | 0.561 |
| HMDB0000210 | pantothenate                             | 0.413 | 0.413 | 0.379 | 0.379 |
| HMDB0000212 | acetyl-galactosamine                     | 0.444 | 0.444 | 0.439 | 0.429 |
| HMDB0000248 | thyroxine                                | 0.404 | 0.405 | 0.413 | 0.413 |
| HMDB0000259 | serotonin                                | 0.249 | 0.249 | 0.251 | 0.245 |
| HMDB0000289 | uric acid                                | 0.608 | 0.608 | 0.591 | 0.560 |
| HMDB0000301 | urocanic acid                            | 0.394 | 0.393 | 0.391 | 0.391 |
| HMDB0000462 | allantoin                                | 0.196 | 0.171 | 0.177 | 0.162 |
| HMDB0000544 | 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil           | 0.520 | 0.520 | 0.507 | 0.499 |
| HMDB0000562 | creatinine                               | 0.595 | 0.595 | 0.596 | 0.597 |
| HMDB0000610 | C18:2 CE                                 | 0.574 | 0.576 | 0.569 | 0.533 |
| HMDB0000630 | cytosine                                 | 0.452 | 0.451 | 0.452 | 0.452 |
| HMDB0000631 | glycodeoxycholate/glycochenodeoxycholate | 0.263 | 0.253 | 0.259 | 0.255 |
| HMDB0000641 | glutamine                                | 0.467 | 0.466 | 0.462 | 0.454 |
| HMDB0000651 | C10 carnitine                            | 0.326 | 0.321 | 0.313 | 0.310 |
| HMDB0000658 | C16:1 CE                                 | 0.547 | 0.547 | 0.555 | 0.557 |
| HMDB0000670 | homoarginine                             | 0.529 | 0.527 | 0.527 | 0.517 |
| HMDB0000687 | leucine                                  | 0.408 | 0.407 | 0.426 | 0.374 |
| HMDB0000688 | C5 carnitine                             | 0.347 | 0.346 | 0.348 | 0.320 |
| HMDB0000696 | methionine                               | 0.250 | 0.251 | 0.258 | 0.259 |
| HMDB0000699 | 1-methylnicotinamide                     | 0.293 | 0.290 | 0.296 | 0.288 |
| HMDB0000705 | C6 carnitine                             | 0.419 | 0.417 | 0.394 | 0.391 |
| HMDB0000714 | hippurate                                | 0.316 | 0.314 | 0.300 | 0.291 |
| HMDB0000715 | kynurenic acid                           | 0.466 | 0.467 | 0.465 | 0.450 |
| HMDB0000716 | pipecolic acid                           | 0.278 | 0.278 | 0.290 | 0.291 |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                          |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0000725 | hydroxyproline           | 0.173 | 0.173 | 0.174 | 0.174 |
| HMDB0000767 | pseudouridine            | 0.594 | 0.593 | 0.547 | 0.535 |
| HMDB0000791 | C8 carnitine             | 0.372 | 0.367 | 0.353 | 0.353 |
| HMDB0000824 | C3 carnitine             | 0.443 | 0.442 | 0.437 | 0.418 |
| HMDB0000875 | trigonelline             | 0.506 | 0.498 | 0.499 | 0.493 |
| HMDB0000883 | valine                   | 0.446 | 0.445 | 0.459 | 0.398 |
| HMDB0000884 | ribothymidine            | 0.547 | 0.546 | 0.552 | 0.548 |
| HMDB0000885 | C16:0 CE                 | 0.522 | 0.526 | 0.521 | 0.487 |
| HMDB0000895 | acetylcholine            | 0.231 | 0.224 | 0.219 | 0.216 |
| HMDB0000897 | 7-methylguanine          | 0.447 | 0.447 | 0.449 | 0.444 |
| HMDB0000898 | 1-methylhistamine        | 0.638 | 0.637 | 0.636 | 0.636 |
| HMDB0000904 | citrulline               | 0.588 | 0.588 | 0.556 | 0.553 |
| HMDB0000918 | C18:1 CE                 | 0.551 | 0.555 | 0.548 | 0.508 |
| HMDB0000925 | trimethylamine-N-oxide   | 0.188 | 0.188 | 0.160 | 0.156 |
| HMDB0000929 | tryptophan               | 0.404 | 0.403 | 0.395 | 0.395 |
| HMDB0000991 | 2-aminooctanoic acid     | 0.455 | 0.454 | 0.458 | 0.461 |
| HMDB0001008 | biliverdin               | 0.457 | 0.460 | 0.456 | 0.455 |
| HMDB0001046 | cotinine                 | 0.444 | 0.445 | 0.438 | 0.437 |
| HMDB0001072 | coenzyme Q10             | 0.368 | 0.367 | 0.373 | 0.372 |
| HMDB0001276 | N1-acetylspermidine      | 0.434 | 0.434 | 0.440 | 0.444 |
| HMDB0001325 | N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | 0.334 | 0.336 | 0.343 | 0.337 |
| HMDB0001390 | hydroxycotinine          | 0.452 | 0.453 | 0.460 | 0.457 |
| HMDB0001431 | pyridoxamine             | 0.436 | 0.436 | 0.442 | 0.439 |
| HMDB0001539 | ADMA/SDMA                | 0.679 | 0.680 | 0.672 | 0.672 |
| HMDB0001563 | 1-methylguanosine        | 0.348 | 0.348 | 0.340 | 0.322 |
| HMDB0001565 | phosphocholine           | 0.386 | 0.386 | 0.390 | 0.384 |
| HMDB0001847 | caffeine                 | 0.432 | 0.422 | 0.422 | 0.421 |
| HMDB0001850 | verapamil                | 0.600 | 0.504 | 0.900 | 0.795 |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                                    |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0001859 | acetaminophen                      | 0.237 | 0.237 | 0.233 | 0.233 |
| HMDB0001867 | 4-aminohippuric acid               | 0.489 | 0.489 | 0.429 | 0.413 |
| HMDB0001886 | 3-methylxanthine                   | 0.353 | 0.350 | 0.349 | 0.350 |
| HMDB0001906 | aminoisobutyric acid               | 0.508 | 0.507 | 0.502 | 0.502 |
| HMDB0001921 | metformin                          | 0.784 | 0.784 | 0.782 | 0.782 |
| HMDB0001924 | atenolol                           | 0.695 | 0.683 | 0.684 | 0.649 |
| HMDB0001932 | metoprolol                         | 0.294 | 0.293 | 0.292 | 0.291 |
| HMDB0001935 | warfarin                           | 0.705 | 0.684 | 0.683 | 0.697 |
| HMDB0001991 | 7-methylxanthine                   | 0.284 | 0.283 | 0.284 | 0.286 |
| HMDB0002000 | myristoleic acid                   | 0.518 | 0.518 | 0.513 | 0.505 |
| HMDB0002013 | C4 carnitine                       | 0.594 | 0.594 | 0.586 | 0.585 |
| HMDB0002014 | C14:1 carnitine                    | 0.271 | 0.266 | 0.242 | 0.242 |
| HMDB0002064 | N-acetylputrescine                 | 0.577 | 0.581 | 0.560 | 0.560 |
| HMDB0002100 | palmitoylethanolamide              | 0.042 | 0.041 | 0.040 | 0.040 |
| HMDB0002172 | N1,N12-diacetylspermine            | 0.485 | 0.487 | 0.493 | 0.494 |
| HMDB0002250 | C12 carnitine                      | 0.299 | 0.296 | 0.289 | 0.288 |
| HMDB0002366 | C5:1 carnitine                     | 0.464 | 0.463 | 0.457 | 0.456 |
| HMDB0002802 | cortisone                          | 0.268 | 0.261 | 0.268 | 0.262 |
| HMDB0002815 | C18:1 LPC                          | 0.384 | 0.382 | 0.390 | 0.380 |
| HMDB0002869 | campesterol                        | 0.357 | 0.355 | 0.368 | 0.368 |
| HMDB0003282 | 1-methylguanine                    | 0.348 | 0.346 | 0.359 | 0.350 |
| HMDB0003357 | N-acetylorcithine                  | 0.735 | 0.736 | 0.730 | 0.729 |
| HMDB0003464 | 4-guanidinobutanoic acid           | 0.339 | 0.330 | 0.328 | 0.331 |
| HMDB0003681 | 4-acetamidobutanoate               | 0.589 | 0.594 | 0.536 | 0.535 |
| HMDB0004030 | 21-deoxycortisol                   | 0.244 | 0.226 | 0.221 | 0.207 |
| HMDB0004158 | D-urobilinogen                     | 0.331 | 0.328 | 0.332 | 0.335 |
| HMDB0004193 | N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | 0.350 | 0.351 | 0.322 | 0.322 |
| HMDB0004620 | N-alpha-acetylarginine             | 0.659 | 0.660 | 0.655 | 0.655 |
| HMDB0004824 | N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | 0.532 | 0.531 | 0.506 | 0.487 |



Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                        |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0004827 | proline betaine        | 0.394 | 0.393 | 0.370 | 0.365 |
| HMDB0004949 | C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | 0.428 | 0.428 | 0.417 | 0.412 |
| HMDB0004952 | C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | 0.508 | 0.507 | 0.509 | 0.495 |
| HMDB0004953 | C24:1 Ceramide (d18:1) | 0.495 | 0.494 | 0.463 | 0.463 |
| HMDB0004956 | C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | 0.465 | 0.463 | 0.466 | 0.464 |
| HMDB0005015 | gabapentin             | 0.291 | 0.291 | 0.280 | 0.279 |
| HMDB0005066 | C14 carnitine          | 0.299 | 0.302 | 0.286 | 0.284 |
| HMDB0005356 | C48:0 TAG              | 0.371 | 0.375 | 0.389 | 0.362 |
| HMDB0005357 | C50:0 TAG              | 0.383 | 0.386 | 0.402 | 0.369 |
| HMDB0005359 | C48:1 TAG              | 0.411 | 0.414 | 0.428 | 0.388 |
| HMDB0005360 | C50:1 TAG              | 0.506 | 0.510 | 0.524 | 0.474 |
| HMDB0005362 | C51:2 TAG              | 0.418 | 0.418 | 0.426 | 0.393 |
| HMDB0005363 | C52:4 TAG              | 0.496 | 0.496 | 0.492 | 0.477 |
| HMDB0005365 | C52:0 TAG              | 0.369 | 0.370 | 0.380 | 0.342 |
| HMDB0005367 | C52:1 TAG              | 0.485 | 0.490 | 0.500 | 0.448 |
| HMDB0005369 | C52:2 TAG              | 0.552 | 0.552 | 0.553 | 0.502 |
| HMDB0005370 | C54:4 TAG              | 0.403 | 0.407 | 0.403 | 0.402 |
| HMDB0005376 | C48:2 TAG              | 0.403 | 0.406 | 0.418 | 0.380 |
| HMDB0005377 | C50:2 TAG              | 0.516 | 0.519 | 0.529 | 0.482 |
| HMDB0005385 | C54:5 TAG              | 0.429 | 0.433 | 0.429 | 0.426 |
| HMDB0005391 | C54:6 TAG              | 0.377 | 0.378 | 0.379 | 0.378 |
| HMDB0005392 | C56:8 TAG              | 0.432 | 0.427 | 0.426 | 0.426 |
| HMDB0005395 | C54:1 TAG              | 0.430 | 0.432 | 0.438 | 0.393 |
| HMDB0005396 | C56:1 TAG              | 0.363 | 0.368 | 0.375 | 0.341 |
| HMDB0005398 | C56:4 TAG              | 0.405 | 0.403 | 0.391 | 0.392 |
| HMDB0005403 | C54:2 TAG              | 0.491 | 0.496 | 0.486 | 0.443 |
| HMDB0005404 | C56:2 TAG              | 0.414 | 0.419 | 0.418 | 0.391 |
| HMDB0005405 | C54:3 TAG              | 0.382 | 0.386 | 0.369 | 0.361 |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                       |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0005406 | C56:5 TAG             | 0.504 | 0.502 | 0.497 | 0.497 |
| HMDB0005410 | C56:3 TAG             | 0.438 | 0.443 | 0.426 | 0.418 |
| HMDB0005413 | C58:8 TAG             | 0.453 | 0.452 | 0.459 | 0.457 |
| HMDB0005432 | C48:3 TAG             | 0.416 | 0.418 | 0.426 | 0.383 |
| HMDB0005433 | C50:3 TAG             | 0.525 | 0.526 | 0.530 | 0.489 |
| HMDB0005436 | C52:6 TAG             | 0.500 | 0.498 | 0.490 | 0.467 |
| HMDB0005447 | C54:7 TAG             | 0.394 | 0.392 | 0.388 | 0.383 |
| HMDB0005448 | C56:9 TAG             | 0.489 | 0.485 | 0.489 | 0.490 |
| HMDB0005456 | C56:6 TAG             | 0.564 | 0.562 | 0.561 | 0.561 |
| HMDB0005458 | C58:6 TAG             | 0.427 | 0.423 | 0.434 | 0.434 |
| HMDB0005462 | C56:7 TAG             | 0.512 | 0.509 | 0.500 | 0.499 |
| HMDB0005463 | C58:9 TAG             | 0.473 | 0.472 | 0.475 | 0.467 |
| HMDB0005471 | C58:7 TAG             | 0.426 | 0.419 | 0.423 | 0.420 |
| HMDB0005476 | C58:10 TAG            | 0.481 | 0.480 | 0.488 | 0.487 |
| HMDB0005478 | C60:12 TAG            | 0.496 | 0.495 | 0.504 | 0.502 |
| HMDB0005862 | 2-methylguanosine     | 0.260 | 0.258 | 0.250 | 0.237 |
| HMDB0005923 | N4-acetylcytidine     | 0.665 | 0.666 | 0.646 | 0.635 |
| HMDB0006344 | phenylacetylglutamine | 0.351 | 0.351 | 0.338 | 0.338 |
| HMDB0006347 | C26 carnitine         | 0.552 | 0.552 | 0.556 | 0.556 |
| HMDB0006725 | C14:0 CE              | 0.449 | 0.449 | 0.444 | 0.431 |
| HMDB0006726 | C20:4 CE              | 0.532 | 0.536 | 0.532 | 0.517 |
| HMDB0006731 | C20:5 CE              | 0.488 | 0.491 | 0.494 | 0.483 |
| HMDB0006733 | C22:6 CE              | 0.517 | 0.521 | 0.526 | 0.491 |
| HMDB0006736 | C20:3 CE              | 0.530 | 0.532 | 0.529 | 0.523 |
| HMDB0006831 | 3-dehydroxycarnitine  | 0.508 | 0.507 | 0.514 | 0.514 |
| HMDB0007011 | C30:0 DAG             | 0.340 | 0.345 | 0.356 | 0.336 |
| HMDB0007098 | C32:0 DAG             | 0.484 | 0.487 | 0.502 | 0.461 |
| HMDB0007099 | C32:1 DAG             | 0.516 | 0.517 | 0.526 | 0.473 |
| HMDB0007100 | C34:0 DAG             | 0.434 | 0.435 | 0.445 | 0.406 |
| HMDB0007102 | C34:1 DAG             | 0.545 | 0.546 | 0.554 | 0.504 |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                      |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0007103 | C34:2 DAG            | 0.544 | 0.544 | 0.547 | 0.502 |
| HMDB0007132 | C34:3 DAG            | 0.540 | 0.540 | 0.540 | 0.492 |
| HMDB0007199 | C38:5 DAG            | 0.595 | 0.595 | 0.603 | 0.583 |
| HMDB0007216 | C36:1 DAG            | 0.512 | 0.515 | 0.519 | 0.468 |
| HMDB0007218 | C36:2 DAG            | 0.548 | 0.549 | 0.542 | 0.502 |
| HMDB0007219 | C36:3 DAG            | 0.551 | 0.551 | 0.546 | 0.524 |
| HMDB0007248 | C36:4 DAG            | 0.519 | 0.519 | 0.519 | 0.504 |
| HMDB0007869 | C30:0 PC             | 0.341 | 0.342 | 0.359 | 0.360 |
| HMDB0007870 | C30:1 PC             | 0.362 | 0.363 | 0.385 | 0.382 |
| HMDB0007871 | C32:0 PC             | 0.468 | 0.468 | 0.477 | 0.477 |
| HMDB0007873 | C32:1 PC             | 0.458 | 0.459 | 0.478 | 0.473 |
| HMDB0007874 | C32:2 PC             | 0.353 | 0.352 | 0.373 | 0.373 |
| HMDB0007883 | C34:4 PC             | 0.436 | 0.435 | 0.461 | 0.456 |
| HMDB0007972 | C34:1 PC             | 0.437 | 0.438 | 0.448 | 0.453 |
| HMDB0007991 | C38:6 PC             | 0.537 | 0.536 | 0.547 | 0.545 |
| HMDB0008038 | C36:1 PC             | 0.339 | 0.340 | 0.342 | 0.344 |
| HMDB0008047 | C38:3 PC             | 0.469 | 0.468 | 0.481 | 0.445 |
| HMDB0008057 | C40:6 PC             | 0.530 | 0.529 | 0.529 | 0.530 |
| HMDB0008138 | C36:4 PC-B           | 0.590 | 0.589 | 0.613 | 0.609 |
| HMDB0008511 | C40:10 PC            | 0.454 | 0.453 | 0.459 | 0.461 |
| HMDB0008731 | C40:9 PC             | 0.541 | 0.540 | 0.552 | 0.548 |
| HMDB0008923 | C32:0 PE             | 0.314 | 0.314 | 0.322 | 0.325 |
| HMDB0008925 | C34:0 PE             | 0.373 | 0.373 | 0.378 | 0.380 |
| HMDB0008928 | C34:2 PE             | 0.503 | 0.506 | 0.514 | 0.509 |
| HMDB0008937 | C36:4 PE             | 0.509 | 0.509 | 0.519 | 0.517 |
| HMDB0008942 | C38:2 PE             | 0.486 | 0.486 | 0.486 | 0.471 |
| HMDB0008952 | C34:2 PE plasmalogen | 0.440 | 0.440 | 0.441 | 0.440 |
| HMDB0008991 | C36:0 PE             | 0.417 | 0.417 | 0.422 | 0.423 |
| HMDB0008993 | C36:1 PE             | 0.423 | 0.430 | 0.444 | 0.427 |
| HMDB0008994 | C36:2 PE             | 0.478 | 0.484 | 0.496 | 0.486 |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                              |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0009003 | C38:4 PE                     | 0.564 | 0.564 | 0.573 | 0.565 |
| HMDB0009012 | C40:6 PE                     | 0.551 | 0.550 | 0.562 | 0.557 |
| HMDB0009016 | C36:1 PE plasmalogen         | 0.630 | 0.629 | 0.623 | 0.608 |
| HMDB0009060 | C36:3 PE                     | 0.465 | 0.473 | 0.482 | 0.480 |
| HMDB0009069 | C38:5 PE                     | 0.557 | 0.556 | 0.564 | 0.564 |
| HMDB0009082 | C36:2 PE plasmalogen         | 0.422 | 0.422 | 0.421 | 0.420 |
| HMDB0009102 | C38:6 PE                     | 0.537 | 0.535 | 0.549 | 0.549 |
| HMDB0009815 | C38:4 PI                     | 0.556 | 0.555 | 0.568 | 0.566 |
| HMDB0010316 | 4-acetamidophenylglucuronide | 0.113 | 0.117 | 0.113 | 0.114 |
| HMDB0010368 | C18:0 CE                     | 0.400 | 0.405 | 0.403 | 0.403 |
| HMDB0010370 | C18:3 CE                     | 0.506 | 0.506 | 0.495 | 0.487 |
| HMDB0010375 | C22:5 CE                     | 0.493 | 0.495 | 0.498 | 0.467 |
| HMDB0010379 | C14:0 LPC                    | 0.255 | 0.252 | 0.271 | 0.263 |
| HMDB0010382 | C16:0 LPC                    | 0.290 | 0.290 | 0.298 | 0.298 |
| HMDB0010383 | C16:1 LPC                    | 0.378 | 0.376 | 0.378 | 0.376 |
| HMDB0010384 | C18:0 LPC                    | 0.347 | 0.347 | 0.351 | 0.351 |
| HMDB0010386 | C18:2 LPC                    | 0.373 | 0.370 | 0.365 | 0.346 |
| HMDB0010387 | C18:3 LPC                    | 0.294 | 0.291 | 0.301 | 0.301 |
| HMDB0010391 | C20:1 LPC                    | 0.551 | 0.549 | 0.563 | 0.565 |
| HMDB0010395 | C20:4 LPC                    | 0.458 | 0.459 | 0.459 | 0.459 |
| HMDB0010397 | C20:5 LPC                    | 0.368 | 0.365 | 0.361 | 0.343 |
| HMDB0010403 | C22:5 LPC                    | 0.402 | 0.401 | 0.404 | 0.403 |
| HMDB0010404 | C22:6 LPC                    | 0.438 | 0.440 | 0.437 | 0.432 |
| HMDB0010411 | C46:0 TAG                    | 0.320 | 0.323 | 0.332 | 0.307 |
| HMDB0010412 | C46:1 TAG                    | 0.342 | 0.344 | 0.353 | 0.315 |
| HMDB0010419 | C46:2 TAG                    | 0.361 | 0.363 | 0.371 | 0.328 |
| HMDB0010471 | C50:5 TAG                    | 0.492 | 0.495 | 0.497 | 0.463 |
| HMDB0010497 | C50:6 TAG                    | 0.450 | 0.453 | 0.454 | 0.425 |
| HMDB0010498 | C54:9 TAG                    | 0.469 | 0.465 | 0.469 | 0.467 |
| HMDB0010513 | C56:10 TAG                   | 0.490 | 0.486 | 0.493 | 0.493 |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                        |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0010517 | C52:7 TAG              | 0.478 | 0.477 | 0.473 | 0.455 |
| HMDB0010518 | C54:8 TAG              | 0.443 | 0.441 | 0.438 | 0.433 |
| HMDB0010531 | C58:11 TAG             | 0.510 | 0.508 | 0.520 | 0.522 |
| HMDB0011103 | 1,7-dimethyluric acid  | 0.477 | 0.474 | 0.475 | 0.474 |
| HMDB0011130 | C18:0 LPE              | 0.359 | 0.357 | 0.365 | 0.366 |
| HMDB0011208 | C34:1 PC plasmalogen   | 0.563 | 0.564 | 0.569 | 0.548 |
| HMDB0011210 | C34:2 PC plasmalogen   | 0.654 | 0.654 | 0.654 | 0.626 |
| HMDB0011211 | C34:3 PC plasmalogen   | 0.518 | 0.518 | 0.507 | 0.483 |
| HMDB0011214 | C34:5 PC plasmalogen   | 0.362 | 0.363 | 0.360 | 0.360 |
| HMDB0011220 | C36:5 PC plasmalogen-B | 0.527 | 0.528 | 0.531 | 0.531 |
| HMDB0011221 | C36:5 PC plasmalogen-A | 0.388 | 0.386 | 0.386 | 0.385 |
| HMDB0011229 | C38:7 PC plasmalogen   | 0.536 | 0.536 | 0.541 | 0.538 |
| HMDB0011239 | C34:1 PC plasmalogen-B | 0.559 | 0.559 | 0.557 | 0.541 |
| HMDB0011243 | C36:2 PC plasmalogen   | 0.553 | 0.553 | 0.563 | 0.545 |
| HMDB0011244 | C36:3 PC plasmalogen   | 0.572 | 0.572 | 0.566 | 0.539 |
| HMDB0011252 | C38:4 PC plasmalogen   | 0.545 | 0.545 | 0.543 | 0.543 |
| HMDB0011310 | C36:4 PC plasmalogen   | 0.576 | 0.576 | 0.581 | 0.555 |
| HMDB0011343 | C34:3 PE plasmalogen   | 0.377 | 0.377 | 0.372 | 0.371 |
| HMDB0011386 | C38:5 PE plasmalogen   | 0.390 | 0.391 | 0.392 | 0.391 |
| HMDB0011387 | C38:6 PE plasmalogen   | 0.398 | 0.397 | 0.400 | 0.400 |
| HMDB0011394 | C40:7 PE plasmalogen   | 0.477 | 0.477 | 0.479 | 0.476 |
| HMDB0011410 | C36:5 PE plasmalogen   | 0.399 | 0.399 | 0.406 | 0.400 |
| HMDB0011420 | C38:7 PE plasmalogen   | 0.519 | 0.518 | 0.532 | 0.532 |
| HMDB0011441 | C36:3 PE plasmalogen   | 0.408 | 0.408 | 0.409 | 0.406 |
| HMDB0011442 | C36:4 PE plasmalogen   | 0.405 | 0.405 | 0.404 | 0.401 |
| HMDB0011478 | C18:3 LPE              | 0.316 | 0.316 | 0.321 | 0.320 |
| HMDB0011503 | C16:0 LPE              | 0.387 | 0.385 | 0.393 | 0.386 |
| HMDB0011506 | C18:1 LPE              | 0.335 | 0.327 | 0.336 | 0.336 |
| HMDB0011507 | C18:2 LPE              | 0.341 | 0.343 | 0.349 | 0.346 |

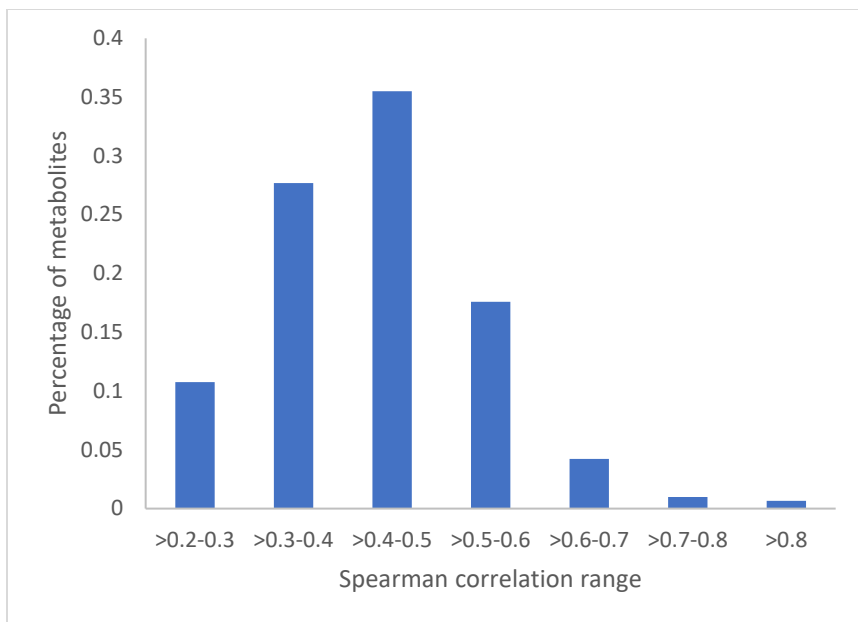
Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                      |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0011512 | C20:1 LPE            | 0.372 | 0.371 | 0.375 | 0.374 |
| HMDB0011517 | C20:4 LPE            | 0.455 | 0.457 | 0.464 | 0.464 |
| HMDB0011520 | C22:0 LPE            | 0.434 | 0.437 | 0.438 | 0.416 |
| HMDB0011526 | C22:6 LPE            | 0.442 | 0.441 | 0.434 | 0.432 |
| HMDB0011701 | C51:3 TAG            | 0.502 | 0.501 | 0.501 | 0.479 |
| HMDB0011705 | C49:1 TAG            | 0.343 | 0.342 | 0.351 | 0.327 |
| HMDB0011706 | C49:2 TAG            | 0.380 | 0.380 | 0.388 | 0.365 |
| HMDB0012097 | C14:0 SM             | 0.493 | 0.493 | 0.503 | 0.503 |
| HMDB0012104 | C22:1 SM             | 0.437 | 0.436 | 0.461 | 0.463 |
| HMDB0012356 | C34:0 PS             | 0.438 | 0.437 | 0.445 | 0.450 |
| HMDB0013127 | C4-OH carnitine      | 0.338 | 0.339 | 0.326 | 0.309 |
| HMDB0013130 | C5-DC carnitine      | 0.640 | 0.637 | 0.630 | 0.630 |
| HMDB0013238 | C7 carnitine         | 0.392 | 0.391 | 0.385 | 0.384 |
| HMDB0013272 | N-lauroylglycine     | 0.287 | 0.285 | 0.280 | 0.280 |
| HMDB0013287 | N6,N6-dimethyllysine | 0.872 | 0.872 | 0.870 | 0.870 |
| HMDB0013288 | C9 carnitine         | 0.496 | 0.496 | 0.500 | 0.499 |
| HMDB0013325 | C10:2 carnitine      | 0.314 | 0.309 | 0.299 | 0.299 |
| HMDB0013326 | C12:1 carnitine      | 0.291 | 0.284 | 0.267 | 0.267 |
| HMDB0013331 | C14:2 carnitine      | 0.281 | 0.272 | 0.253 | 0.251 |
| HMDB0013631 | oleoyl glycine       | 0.343 | 0.338 | 0.328 | 0.327 |
| HMDB0013678 | 4-hydroxyhippurate   | 0.210 | 0.201 | 0.198 | 0.198 |
| HMDB0013713 | N-acetyltryptophan   | 0.458 | 0.460 | 0.452 | 0.453 |
| HMDB0014323 | valsartan            | 0.615 | 0.616 | 0.610 | 0.610 |
| HMDB0014611 | quinine              | 0.383 | 0.384 | 0.389 | 0.385 |
| HMDB0015028 | sulfapyridine        | 0.086 | 0.153 | 0.766 | 0.428 |
| HMDB0015052 | metronidazole        | 0.840 | 0.840 | 0.844 | 0.841 |
| HMDB0015150 | sulfamethoxazole     | 0.593 | 0.593 | 0.594 | 0.594 |
| HMDB0015168 | cerulenin            | 0.281 | 0.281 | 0.281 | 0.273 |
| HMDB0029377 | piperine             | 0.460 | 0.459 | 0.462 | 0.458 |
| HMDB0029416 | NMMA                 | 0.478 | 0.478 | 0.487 | 0.481 |

Supplemental Table 1.8 (continued).

|             |                                |       |       |       |       |
|-------------|--------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0031106 | C51:0 TAG                      | 0.321 | 0.321 | 0.330 | 0.309 |
| HMDB0032055 | N-acetylhistidine              | 0.561 | 0.562 | 0.533 | 0.530 |
| HMDB0032390 | 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole       | 0.354 | 0.352 | 0.348 | 0.345 |
| HMDB0034169 | methyl N-methylantranilate     | 0.163 | 0.163 | 0.159 | 0.160 |
| HMDB0042062 | C43:0 TAG                      | 0.248 | 0.243 | 0.242 | 0.228 |
| HMDB0042063 | C44:0 TAG                      | 0.286 | 0.288 | 0.294 | 0.263 |
| HMDB0042076 | C47:2 TAG                      | 0.354 | 0.354 | 0.363 | 0.334 |
| HMDB0042093 | C45:0 TAG                      | 0.219 | 0.213 | 0.208 | 0.206 |
| HMDB0042098 | C43:1 TAG                      | 0.302 | 0.303 | 0.309 | 0.283 |
| HMDB0042099 | C45:1 TAG                      | 0.296 | 0.297 | 0.304 | 0.278 |
| HMDB0042100 | C47:1 TAG                      | 0.315 | 0.313 | 0.317 | 0.300 |
| HMDB0042103 | C49:3 TAG                      | 0.427 | 0.427 | 0.433 | 0.407 |
| HMDB0042104 | C51:1 TAG                      | 0.448 | 0.450 | 0.463 | 0.414 |
| HMDB0042196 | C53:2 TAG                      | 0.464 | 0.463 | 0.455 | 0.434 |
| HMDB0042226 | C55:2 TAG                      | 0.472 | 0.476 | 0.474 | 0.451 |
| HMDB0042466 | C55:3 TAG                      | 0.408 | 0.406 | 0.397 | 0.397 |
| HMDB0043058 | C53:3 TAG                      | 0.476 | 0.475 | 0.471 | 0.468 |
| HMDB0043169 | C43:2 TAG                      | 0.345 | 0.347 | 0.356 | 0.329 |
| HMDB0043170 | C45:2 TAG                      | 0.360 | 0.362 | 0.370 | 0.339 |
| HMDB0059824 | 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone | 0.358 | 0.358 | 0.361 | 0.359 |
| HMDB0240212 | DMGV                           | 0.732 | 0.733 | 0.716 | 0.675 |

Model 1 is unadjusted; Model 2 is adjusted for fasting status (combined distant & proximate blood); Model 3 is adjusted for fasting status and age at blood draw; Model 4 is adjusted for fasting status, age at blood draw, and weight change from age 18 to blood draw.



**Supplemental Figure 1.3.** Spearman correlations for metabolites comparing distant to proximate measures, by percentage of metabolites within the range.



**Supplemental Table 1.9.** Odds ratios for breast cancer risk comparing 90th to 10th percentile of metabolite levels, taken as an average as distant and proximate blood.\*\*

|                         | HMDB ID     | Class                               | Subclass                             | Multivariable Adjusted <sup>^</sup> |         |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
|                         |             |                                     |                                      | OR (95% CI)                         | p value |
| metronidazole           | HMDB0015052 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 0.88 (0.64-1.21)                    | 0.446   |
| allantoin               | HMDB0000462 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.07 (0.7-1.63)                     | 0.755   |
| urocanic acid           | HMDB0000301 | Azoles                              | Imidazoles                           | 1.01 (0.72-1.44)                    | 0.942   |
| sulfamethoxazole        | HMDB0015150 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzenesulfonamides                  | 1.03 (0.74-1.45)                    | 0.845   |
| hippurate               | HMDB0000714 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.65 (0.45-0.95)                    | 0.026   |
| 4-hydroxyhippurate      | HMDB0013678 | Benzene and substituted derivatives | Benzoic acids and derivatives        | 0.72 (0.49-1.05)                    | 0.091   |
| N1,N12-diacetylspermine | HMDB0002172 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.6 (1.13-2.29)                     | 0.009   |
| N1-acetylspermidine     | HMDB0001276 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.19 (0.83-1.72)                    | 0.346   |
| N-acetylputrescine      | HMDB0002064 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 1.12 (0.79-1.59)                    | 0.51    |
| palmitoylethanolamide   | HMDB0002100 | Carboximidic acids and derivatives  | Carboximidic acids                   | 0.91 (0.61-1.36)                    | 0.634   |
| phenylalanine           | HMDB0000159 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives    | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.89 (1.27-2.81)                    | 0.002   |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                      |             |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|----------------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| isoleucine           | HMDB0000172 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.71 (1.15-2.55) | 0.008 |
| leucine              | HMDB0000687 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.63 (1.09-2.44) | 0.016 |
| proline              | HMDB0000162 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.51 (1.04-2.2)  | 0.03  |
| serine               | HMDB0000187 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.49 (1.03-2.16) | 0.037 |
| ADMA/SDMA            | HMDB0001539 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.39 (1.02-1.91) | 0.04  |
| N-acetylorithine     | HMDB0003357 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.74 (0.53-1.03) | 0.075 |
| valine               | HMDB0000883 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.42 (0.96-2.11) | 0.083 |
| lysine               | HMDB0000182 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.34 (0.93-1.93) | 0.113 |
| N6,N6-dimethyllysine | HMDB0013287 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.28 (0.94-1.75) | 0.122 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                          |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| alanine                  | HMDB0000161  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.34 (0.92-1.95) | 0.128 |
| methionine               | HMDB0000696  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.32 (0.9-1.93)  | 0.15  |
| tyrosine                 | HMDB0000158  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.25 (0.85-1.82) | 0.257 |
| N6,N6,N6-trimethyllysine | HMDB0001325  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.23 (0.85-1.78) | 0.278 |
| guanidinoacetic acid     | HMDB0000128  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.18 (0.83-1.67) | 0.358 |
| asparagine               | HMDB0000168  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.18 (0.82-1.7)  | 0.371 |
| N6-acetyllysine          | HMDB0000206* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.16 (0.82-1.64) | 0.389 |
| phenylacetylglutamine    | HMDB0006344  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.85 (0.58-1.25) | 0.413 |
| GABA                     | HMDB0000112  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.15 (0.81-1.62) | 0.434 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                        |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| hydroxyproline         | HMDB0000725  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.86 (0.58-1.28) | 0.451 |
| pipecolic acid         | HMDB0000716  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.87 (0.6-1.26)  | 0.46  |
| glycine                | HMDB0000123  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.13 (0.81-1.59) | 0.469 |
| pantothenate           | HMDB0000210  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.88 (0.6-1.27)  | 0.484 |
| betaine                | HMDB0000043  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.13 (0.79-1.63) | 0.492 |
| N-alpha-acetylarginine | HMDB0004620* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.12 (0.8-1.58)  | 0.496 |
| N-acetyltryptophan     | HMDB0013713  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.89 (0.62-1.26) | 0.508 |
| NMMA                   | HMDB0029416  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.1 (0.79-1.54)  | 0.583 |
| histidine              | HMDB0000177  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.1 (0.77-1.57)  | 0.589 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                      |              |                                  |                                      |                  |       |
|----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| creatine             | HMDB0000064  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.91 (0.64-1.29) | 0.59  |
| threonine            | HMDB0000167  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.09 (0.75-1.57) | 0.647 |
| creatinine           | HMDB0000562  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.07 (0.77-1.5)  | 0.678 |
| 4-acetamidobutanoate | HMDB0003681  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.93 (0.64-1.34) | 0.684 |
| 2-aminooctanoic acid | HMDB0000991* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.93 (0.65-1.34) | 0.705 |
| citrulline           | HMDB0000904  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.94 (0.66-1.33) | 0.713 |
| 1-methylhistidine    | HMDB0000001  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.05 (0.73-1.52) | 0.784 |
| oleoyl glycine       | HMDB0013631  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 0.95 (0.65-1.39) | 0.806 |
| homoarginine         | HMDB0000670* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues | 1.05 (0.73-1.5)  | 0.807 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                                |              |                                  |  |                  |       |
|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| proline betaine                | HMDB0004827  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.05 (0.72-1.52) | 0.808 |
| N-acetylhistidine              | HMDB0032055  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.97 (0.68-1.38) | 0.87  |
| glutamine                      | HMDB0000641  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 0.98 (0.69-1.4)  | 0.903 |
| dimethylglycine                | HMDB0000092  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.02 (0.71-1.45) | 0.929 |
| aminoisobutyric acid           | HMDB0001906* | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.01 (0.72-1.42) | 0.944 |
| N-lauroylglycine               | HMDB0013272  | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | Amino acids, peptides, and analogues   | 1.01 (0.7-1.45)  | 0.972 |
| cytosine                       | HMDB0000630  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 1.22 (0.87-1.71) | 0.257 |
| 5-hydroxymethyl-4-methyluracil | HMDB0000544  | Diazines                         | Pyrimidines and pyrimidine derivatives | 0.89 (0.63-1.27) | 0.535 |
| C5-DC carnitine                | HMDB0013130  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.7 (0.5-0.98)   | 0.036 |
| C4-OH carnitine                | HMDB0013127  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.43 (0.98-2.09) | 0.064 |
| C14 carnitine                  | HMDB0005066  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.42 (0.97-2.08) | 0.073 |
| C7 carnitine                   | HMDB0013238  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.27 (0.88-1.82) | 0.196 |
| C5:1 carnitine                 | HMDB0002366  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 0.8 (0.56-1.15)  | 0.232 |
| C6 carnitine                   | HMDB0000705  | Fatty Acyls                      | Fatty acid esters                      | 1.22 (0.84-1.77) | 0.289 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

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| C2 carnitine         | HMDB0000201  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.21 (0.84-1.75) | 0.307 |
| C9 carnitine         | HMDB0013288  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.18 (0.84-1.67) | 0.345 |
| C14:1 carnitine      | HMDB0002014  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.13 (0.77-1.67) | 0.526 |
| C10:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013325  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.89 (0.6-1.31)  | 0.56  |
| C12 carnitine        | HMDB0002250  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.12 (0.77-1.63) | 0.56  |
| C8 carnitine         | HMDB0000791  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.11 (0.77-1.61) | 0.577 |
| C12:1 carnitine      | HMDB0013326  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.11 (0.76-1.64) | 0.58  |
| C5 carnitine         | HMDB0000688  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.12 (0.75-1.66) | 0.589 |
| C10 carnitine        | HMDB0000651  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.11 (0.76-1.61) | 0.598 |
| C4 carnitine         | HMDB0002013  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 0.92 (0.65-1.29) | 0.621 |
| C26 carnitine        | HMDB0006347  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.04 (0.74-1.47) | 0.832 |
| C3 carnitine         | HMDB0000824  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.03 (0.71-1.5)  | 0.869 |
| C14:2 carnitine      | HMDB0013331  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acid esters              | 1.03 (0.7-1.51)  | 0.889 |
| myristoleic acid     | HMDB0002000  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.32 (0.92-1.89) | 0.136 |
| 3-dehydroxycarnitine | HMDB0006831  | Fatty Acyls   | Fatty acids and conjugates     | 1.09 (0.77-1.54) | 0.622 |
| C34:2 DAG            | HMDB0007103* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.21 (0.84-1.75) | 0.303 |
| C36:3 DAG            | HMDB0007219* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.09 (0.76-1.57) | 0.621 |
| C34:3 DAG            | HMDB0007132* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 1.07 (0.74-1.54) | 0.727 |
| C36:4 DAG            | HMDB0007248* | Fatty Acyls   | Lineolic acids and derivatives | 0.96 (0.66-1.38) | 0.807 |
| C34:0 DAG            | HMDB0007100* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.34 (0.91-1.98) | 0.137 |
| C36:1 DAG            | HMDB0007216* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.3 (0.9-1.9)    | 0.167 |
| C32:0 DAG            | HMDB0007098* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.27 (0.88-1.85) | 0.205 |
| C34:1 DAG            | HMDB0007102* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols                | 1.25 (0.86-1.82) | 0.236 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

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| C36:2 DAG  | HMDB0007218* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.22 (0.85-1.77) | 0.287 |
| C32:1 DAG  | HMDB0007099* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 1.16 (0.8-1.69)  | 0.434 |
| C38:5 DAG  | HMDB0007199* | Glycerolipids | Diacylglycerols  | 0.91 (0.64-1.29) | 0.604 |
| C58:7 TAG  | HMDB0005471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.68 (0.47-0.99) | 0.047 |
| C54:9 TAG  | HMDB0010498* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.71 (0.49-1.01) | 0.059 |
| C54:8 TAG  | HMDB0010518* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.71 (0.5-1.03)  | 0.069 |
| C56:10 TAG | HMDB0010513* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.72 (0.51-1.03) | 0.072 |
| C58:6 TAG  | HMDB0005458* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.71 (0.49-1.04) | 0.077 |
| C52:0 TAG  | HMDB0005365* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.42 (0.96-2.11) | 0.083 |
| C51:0 TAG  | HMDB0031106* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.41 (0.95-2.09) | 0.086 |
| C58:10 TAG | HMDB0005476* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.74 (0.52-1.06) | 0.102 |
| C54:7 TAG  | HMDB0005447* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.74 (0.51-1.07) | 0.112 |
| C56:9 TAG  | HMDB0005448* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.75 (0.53-1.07) | 0.113 |
| C58:11 TAG | HMDB0010531* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.76 (0.53-1.08) | 0.122 |
| C55:2 TAG  | HMDB0042226* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.34 (0.91-1.96) | 0.135 |
| C43:0 TAG  | HMDB0042062* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.35 (0.91-2.01) | 0.137 |
| C54:1 TAG  | HMDB0005395* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.33 (0.9-1.96)  | 0.15  |
| C54:2 TAG  | HMDB0005403* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.31 (0.9-1.92)  | 0.156 |
| C52:1 TAG  | HMDB0005367* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.3 (0.89-1.88)  | 0.174 |
| C52:7 TAG  | HMDB0010517* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.78 (0.54-1.12) | 0.175 |
| C50:0 TAG  | HMDB0005357* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.31 (0.89-1.93) | 0.178 |
| C52:6 TAG  | HMDB0005436* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.78 (0.54-1.13) | 0.19  |
| C52:2 TAG  | HMDB0005369* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.28 (0.88-1.84) | 0.195 |
| C56:3 TAG  | HMDB0005410* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.27 (0.87-1.85) | 0.213 |
| C50:1 TAG  | HMDB0005360* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.26 (0.87-1.84) | 0.225 |
| C53:2 TAG  | HMDB0042196* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.25 (0.86-1.82) | 0.239 |
| C48:0 TAG  | HMDB0005356* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.26 (0.85-1.85) | 0.251 |
| C44:0 TAG  | HMDB0042063* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.25 (0.85-1.86) | 0.259 |
| C56:6 TAG  | HMDB0005456* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.82 (0.58-1.16) | 0.259 |
| C51:1 TAG  | HMDB0042104* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.24 (0.85-1.81) | 0.267 |



Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|            |              |               |                  |                  |       |
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| C56:8 TAG  | HMDB0005392* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.82 (0.57-1.17) | 0.271 |
| C46:0 TAG  | HMDB0010411* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.83-1.83) | 0.293 |
| C56:2 TAG  | HMDB0005404* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.23 (0.83-1.81) | 0.298 |
| C50:6 TAG  | HMDB0010497* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.82 (0.56-1.19) | 0.299 |
| C56:5 TAG  | HMDB0005406* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.58-1.18) | 0.3   |
| C58:9 TAG  | HMDB0005463* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.83 (0.57-1.19) | 0.304 |
| C54:3 TAG  | HMDB0005405* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.2 (0.83-1.74)  | 0.336 |
| C47:1 TAG  | HMDB0042100* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.2 (0.82-1.76)  | 0.338 |
| C43:1 TAG  | HMDB0042098* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.2 (0.82-1.76)  | 0.349 |
| C56:1 TAG  | HMDB0005396* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.2 (0.81-1.78)  | 0.357 |
| C50:2 TAG  | HMDB0005377* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.19 (0.82-1.73) | 0.364 |
| C51:2 TAG  | HMDB0005362* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.18 (0.82-1.72) | 0.375 |
| C45:1 TAG  | HMDB0042099* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.19 (0.81-1.73) | 0.376 |
| C49:1 TAG  | HMDB0011705* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.81-1.69) | 0.409 |
| C48:1 TAG  | HMDB0005359* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.8-1.71)  | 0.41  |
| C55:3 TAG  | HMDB0042466* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.17 (0.8-1.71)  | 0.412 |
| C50:5 TAG  | HMDB0010471* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.86 (0.59-1.25) | 0.428 |
| C60:12 TAG | HMDB0005478* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.87 (0.61-1.24) | 0.432 |
| C51:3 TAG  | HMDB0011701* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.15 (0.79-1.68) | 0.463 |
| C56:7 TAG  | HMDB0005462* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.88 (0.61-1.25) | 0.465 |
| C50:3 TAG  | HMDB0005433* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.14 (0.8-1.64)  | 0.468 |
| C46:1 TAG  | HMDB0010412* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.14 (0.78-1.68) | 0.492 |
| C49:2 TAG  | HMDB0011706* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.13 (0.78-1.64) | 0.513 |
| C45:2 TAG  | HMDB0043170* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.12 (0.77-1.64) | 0.542 |
| C47:2 TAG  | HMDB0042076* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.09 (0.75-1.59) | 0.634 |
| C48:2 TAG  | HMDB0005376* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.09 (0.75-1.59) | 0.648 |
| C54:6 TAG  | HMDB0005391* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 0.92 (0.64-1.33) | 0.671 |
| C46:2 TAG  | HMDB0010419* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.08 (0.74-1.59) | 0.681 |
| C53:3 TAG  | HMDB0043058* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.06 (0.73-1.54) | 0.764 |
| C49:3 TAG  | HMDB0042103* | Glycerolipids | Triacylglycerols | 1.04 (0.72-1.5)  | 0.844 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                           |              |                      |                            |                  |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C52:4 TAG                 | HMDB0005363* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols           | 1.03 (0.72-1.48) | 0.859 |
| C58:8 TAG                 | HMDB0005413* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols           | 0.98 (0.68-1.39) | 0.89  |
| C56:4 TAG                 | HMDB0005398* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols           | 1.02 (0.7-1.49)  | 0.914 |
| C54:4 TAG                 | HMDB0005370* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols           | 1.02 (0.7-1.47)  | 0.935 |
| C48:3 TAG                 | HMDB0005432* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols           | 0.99 (0.68-1.44) | 0.942 |
| C54:5 TAG                 | HMDB0005385* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols           | 1.01 (0.7-1.47)  | 0.946 |
| C43:2 TAG                 | HMDB0043169* | Glycerolipids        | Triacylglycerols           | 1 (0.69-1.46)    | 0.999 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011239* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.33 (0.94-1.9)  | 0.108 |
| C34:3 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011211* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.78 (0.54-1.11) | 0.171 |
| C16:1 LPC                 | HMDB0010383* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.25 (0.87-1.8)  | 0.232 |
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-A | HMDB0011221* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.81 (0.56-1.17) | 0.271 |
| C34:1 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011208* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.21 (0.85-1.72) | 0.287 |
| C38:7 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011229* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.84 (0.59-1.19) | 0.325 |
| C40:6 PC                  | HMDB0008057* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.85 (0.6-1.21)  | 0.377 |
| C32:0 PC                  | HMDB0007871* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.16 (0.81-1.66) | 0.417 |
| C40:9 PC                  | HMDB0008731* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.87 (0.62-1.22) | 0.426 |
| C34:1 PC                  | HMDB0007972* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.16 (0.8-1.67)  | 0.439 |
| C40:10 PC                 | HMDB0008511* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.87 (0.6-1.25)  | 0.45  |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

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|---------------------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C36:5 PC<br>plasmalogen-B | HMDB0011220* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.89 (0.63-1.25) | 0.494 |
| C16:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010382  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.14 (0.78-1.66) | 0.496 |
| C18:3 LPC                 | HMDB0010387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.14 (0.78-1.66) | 0.501 |
| C22:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010403* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.9 (0.63-1.28)  | 0.552 |
| C18:1 LPC                 | HMDB0002815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.12 (0.77-1.61) | 0.56  |
| C32:1 PC                  | HMDB0007873* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.1 (0.76-1.6)   | 0.6   |
| C38:6 PC                  | HMDB0007991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.91 (0.64-1.3)  | 0.612 |
| C14:0 LPC                 | HMDB0010379  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.1 (0.75-1.61)  | 0.64  |
| C36:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011310* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.08 (0.76-1.54) | 0.659 |
| C36:2 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011243* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.06 (0.75-1.51) | 0.733 |
| C36:4 PC-B                | HMDB0008138* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.94 (0.67-1.33) | 0.739 |
| C38:4 PC<br>plasmalogen   | HMDB0011252* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.06 (0.75-1.48) | 0.758 |
| C32:2 PC                  | HMDB0007874* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 0.95 (0.65-1.37) | 0.767 |
| C20:5 LPC                 | HMDB0010397  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocho<br>lines | 1.04 (0.71-1.53) | 0.839 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

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|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C22:6 LPC               | HMDB0010404  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.97 (0.68-1.38) | 0.852 |
| C30:1 PC                | HMDB0007870* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.03 (0.71-1.5)  | 0.857 |
| C30:0 PC                | HMDB0007869* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.03 (0.71-1.5)  | 0.859 |
| C36:1 PC                | HMDB0008038* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.03 (0.71-1.49) | 0.865 |
| C38:3 PC                | HMDB0008047* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1.03 (0.71-1.49) | 0.894 |
| C18:0 LPC               | HMDB0010384  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 0.99 (0.68-1.43) | 0.938 |
| C18:2 LPC               | HMDB0010386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphocholines      | 1 (0.68-1.47)    | 0.996 |
| C36:1 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009016* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 1.28 (0.9-1.81)  | 0.168 |
| C18:0 LPE               | HMDB0011130  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 1.18 (0.82-1.71) | 0.368 |
| C38:6 PE                | HMDB0009102* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 0.86 (0.61-1.22) | 0.4   |
| C38:5 PE                | HMDB0009069* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 0.88 (0.63-1.24) | 0.466 |
| C34:3 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011343* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 0.88 (0.61-1.26) | 0.471 |
| C38:6 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011387* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 0.88 (0.62-1.26) | 0.496 |
| C18:1 LPE               | HMDB0011506* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines | 1.13 (0.79-1.64) | 0.501 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

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|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C36:0 PE                | HMDB0008991* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.12 (0.79-1.61) | 0.52  |
| C36:3 PE                | HMDB0009060* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.9 (0.63-1.28)  | 0.544 |
| C36:5 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011410* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.9 (0.63-1.28)  | 0.553 |
| C36:4 PE                | HMDB0008937* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.9 (0.64-1.28)  | 0.564 |
| C36:2 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0009082* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.11 (0.78-1.58) | 0.569 |
| C34:0 PE                | HMDB0008925* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.11 (0.77-1.59) | 0.585 |
| C16:0 LPE               | HMDB0011503  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 1.1 (0.77-1.59)  | 0.593 |
| C40:6 PE                | HMDB0009012* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.92 (0.65-1.3)  | 0.634 |
| C22:0 LPE               | HMDB0011520  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.92 (0.64-1.33) | 0.653 |
| C36:4 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011442* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.92 (0.64-1.32) | 0.655 |
| C38:7 PE<br>plasmalogen | HMDB0011420* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.92 (0.65-1.31) | 0.659 |
| C38:4 PE                | HMDB0009003* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.93 (0.65-1.32) | 0.674 |
| C22:6 LPE               | HMDB0011526  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.95 (0.66-1.36) | 0.76  |
| C34:2 PE                | HMDB0008928* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophospho-ethanolamines | 0.95 (0.68-1.35) | 0.79  |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

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|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| C18:2 LPE             | HMDB0011507* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.04 (0.72-1.52) | 0.819 |
| C40:7 PE plasmalogen  | HMDB0011394* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 0.96 (0.67-1.37) | 0.832 |
| C34:2 PE plasmalogen  | HMDB0008952* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.04 (0.73-1.47) | 0.84  |
| C32:0 PE              | HMDB0008923* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.03 (0.71-1.49) | 0.883 |
| C20:4 LPE             | HMDB0011517  | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.02 (0.72-1.45) | 0.915 |
| C36:1 PE              | HMDB0008993* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.02 (0.71-1.45) | 0.932 |
| C36:2 PE              | HMDB0008994* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.01 (0.7-1.44)  | 0.962 |
| C36:3 PE plasmalogen  | HMDB0011441* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.01 (0.7-1.44)  | 0.97  |
| C38:5 PE plasmalogen  | HMDB0011386* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1.01 (0.7-1.44)  | 0.97  |
| C38:2 PE              | HMDB0008942* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoethanolamines    | 1 (0.7-1.43)     | 0.985 |
| C38:4 PI              | HMDB0009815* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoinositols        | 0.97 (0.69-1.36) | 0.862 |
| C34:0 PS              | HMDB0012356* | Glycerophospholipids | Glycerophosphoserines          | 0.88 (0.61-1.27) | 0.502 |
| 1,7-dimethyluric acid | HMDB0011103  | Imidazopyrimidines   | Purines and purine derivatives | 0.93 (0.65-1.33) | 0.689 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                  |              |                         |  |                  |       |
|------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|-------|
| 7-methylguanine  | HMDB0000897  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.07 (0.75-1.52) | 0.718 |
| 3-methylxanthine | HMDB0001886  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.07 (0.74-1.54) | 0.73  |
| 1-methylguanine  | HMDB0003282  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.06 (0.74-1.54) | 0.742 |
| caffeine         | HMDB0001847  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 0.96 (0.66-1.4)  | 0.821 |
| 7-methylxanthine | HMDB0001991  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.04 (0.71-1.51) | 0.846 |
| uric acid        | HMDB0000289  | Imidazopyrimidines      | Purines and purine derivatives           | 1.01 (0.7-1.47)  | 0.937 |
| tryptophan       | HMDB0000929  | Indoles and derivatives | Indolyl carboxylic acids and derivatives | 1.33 (0.92-1.91) | 0.125 |
| serotonin        | HMDB0000259  | Indoles and derivatives | Tryptamines and derivatives              | 1.1 (0.75-1.61)  | 0.619 |
| trigonelline     | HMDB0000875  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.66 (0.46-0.95) | 0.024 |
| thyroxine        | HMDB0000248  | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.48 (1.02-2.15) | 0.039 |
| piperine         | HMDB0029377  | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.78 (0.54-1.12) | 0.181 |
| C34:4 PC         | HMDB0007883* | NA                      | NA                                       | 0.84 (0.59-1.21) | 0.35  |
| C34:5 PC         |              |                         |  |                  |       |
| plasmalogen      | HMDB0011214* | NA                      | NA                                       | 1.18 (0.83-1.7)  | 0.359 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                            |              |  |                           |                  |       |
|----------------------------|--------------|--|---------------------------|------------------|-------|
| cerulenin                  | HMDB0015168  | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.85 (0.58-1.24) | 0.399 |
| methyl N-methylantranilate | HMDB0034169  | NA                                     | NA                        | 1.17 (0.8-1.72)  | 0.413 |
| coenzyme Q10               | HMDB0001072  | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.86 (0.59-1.25) | 0.416 |
| C20:1 LPC                  | HMDB0010391* | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.89 (0.64-1.25) | 0.504 |
| 2-methyl-4,5-benzoxazole   | HMDB0032390  | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.89 (0.62-1.29) | 0.539 |
| DMGV                       | HMDB0240212  | NA                                     | NA                        | 1.09 (0.75-1.58) | 0.652 |
| C20:1 LPE                  | HMDB0011512* | NA                                     | NA                        | 1.05 (0.73-1.51) | 0.781 |
| C36:3 PC                   |              |  |                           |                  |       |
| plasmalogen deoxyguanosine | HMDB0011244* | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.95 (0.67-1.36) | 0.793 |
|                            | HMDB0000085  | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.95 (0.67-1.36) | 0.796 |
| C18:3 LPE                  | HMDB0011478* | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.96 (0.66-1.39) | 0.825 |
| C20:4 LPC                  | HMDB0010395  | NA                                     | NA                        | 0.97 (0.69-1.38) | 0.882 |
| C34:2 PC                   |              |  |                           |                  |       |
| plasmalogen                | HMDB0011210* | NA                                     | NA                        | 1 (0.7-1.43)     | 0.994 |
| pseudouridine              | HMDB0000767  | Nucleoside and nucleotide analogues    | NA                        | 1.1 (0.76-1.59)  | 0.621 |
| N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine   | HMDB0000026  | Organic carbonic acids and derivatives | Ureas                     | 1.05 (0.73-1.52) | 0.775 |
| 1-methylhistamine          | HMDB0000898  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Amines                    | 1.1 (0.79-1.53)  | 0.562 |
| trimethylamine-N-oxide     | HMDB0000925  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Aminoxides                | 0.97 (0.65-1.45) | 0.881 |
| metformin                  | HMDB0001921  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Guanidines                | 0.95 (0.67-1.36) | 0.795 |
| phosphocholine             | HMDB0001565  | Organonitrogen compounds               | Quaternary ammonium salts | 1.16 (0.81-1.65) | 0.417 |



Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                                    |             |                           |   |                  |       |
|------------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|---|------------------|-------|
| carnitine                          | HMDB0000062 | Organonitrogen compounds  | Quaternary ammonium salts                 | 0.97 (0.67-1.38) | 0.847 |
| acetyl-galactosamine               | HMDB0000212 | Organooxygen compounds    | Carbohydrates and carbohydrate conjugates | 1.48 (1.03-2.12) | 0.034 |
| 4-hydroxy-3-methylacetophenone     | HMDB0059824 | Organooxygen compounds    | Carbonyl compounds                        | 0.89 (0.61-1.29) | 0.531 |
| acetaminophen                      | HMDB0001859 | Phenols                   | 1-hydroxy-2-unsubstituted benzenoids      | 0.85 (0.59-1.23) | 0.393 |
| 2-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0005862 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 1.73 (1.16-2.59) | 0.008 |
| 1-methylguanosine                  | HMDB0001563 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 1.41 (0.97-2.06) | 0.073 |
| N2,N2-dimethylguanosine            | HMDB0004824 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 1.15 (0.79-1.67) | 0.463 |
| guanosine                          | HMDB0000133 | Purine nucleosides        | NA  | 0.88 (0.59-1.3)  | 0.512 |
| 1-methylnicotinamide               | HMDB0000699 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives  | 0.72 (0.48-1.06) | 0.094 |
| N1-methyl-2-pyridone-5-carboxamide | HMDB0004193 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridinecarboxylic acids and derivatives  | 0.76 (0.52-1.11) | 0.16  |
| pyridoxamine                       | HMDB0001431 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyridoxamines                             | 1.41 (0.97-2.04) | 0.071 |
| cotinine                           | HMDB0001046 | Pyridines and derivatives | Pyrrolidinylpyridines                     | 1.09 (0.76-1.56) | 0.629 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|  |              |                                  |   |                  |       |
|--|--------------|----------------------------------|---|------------------|-------|
| ribothymidine<br>N4-<br>acetylcytidine   | HMDB0000884  | Pyrimidine nucleosides           | NA                                      | 1.14 (0.81-1.61) | 0.437 |
|  | HMDB0005923  | Pyrimidine nucleosides           | NA                                      | 1.09 (0.77-1.55) | 0.609 |
| kynurenic acid<br>C16:0<br>Ceramide<br>(d18:1)<br>C24:1<br>Ceramide<br>(d18:1)<br>C22:0<br>Ceramide<br>(d18:1)<br>C24:0<br>Ceramide<br>(d18:1) | HMDB0000715  | Quinolines and derivatives       | Quinoline carboxylic<br>acids           | 0.9 (0.63-1.28)  | 0.551 |
|  | HMDB0004949  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                               | 1.58 (1.1-2.29)  | 0.014 |
|  | HMDB0004953* | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                               | 1.47 (1.02-2.12) | 0.037 |
|  | HMDB0004952  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                               | 1.28 (0.9-1.82)  | 0.174 |
|  | HMDB0004956  | Sphingolipids                    | Ceramides                               | 1.12 (0.79-1.59) | 0.527 |
| C14:0 SM   | HMDB0012097  | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipi<br>ds                | 1.14 (0.8-1.63)  | 0.464 |
| C22:1 SM   | HMDB0012104* | Sphingolipids                    | Phosphosphingolipi<br>ds                | 0.99 (0.69-1.41) | 0.949 |
| glycodeoxychol<br>ate/glycocheno<br>deoxycholate   | HMDB0000631* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols<br>and derivatives | 1.53 (1.04-2.27) | 0.032 |
| glycocholate   | HMDB0000138  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Bile acids, alcohols<br>and derivatives | 1.36 (0.93-2)    | 0.117 |
| cholesterol  | HMDB0000067  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholestane steroids                     | 1.08 (0.75-1.55) | 0.69  |
| campesterol  | HMDB0002869  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Ergostane steroids                      | 1.1 (0.77-1.59)  | 0.6   |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

|                  |              |                                  |                    |                  |       |
|------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|
| cortisol         | HMDB0000063  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids    | 1.16 (0.77-1.73) | 0.477 |
| cortisone        | HMDB0002802  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Hydroxysteroids    | 1.09 (0.74-1.61) | 0.654 |
| 21-deoxycortisol | HMDB0004030  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Pregnane steroids  | 1.18 (0.79-1.76) | 0.43  |
| C22:5 CE         | HMDB0010375* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.67 (0.46-0.97) | 0.035 |
| C20:5 CE         | HMDB0006731  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.75 (0.52-1.08) | 0.12  |
| C18:3 CE         | HMDB0010370* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.81 (0.57-1.17) | 0.262 |
| C16:0 CE         | HMDB0000885  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.85 (0.58-1.22) | 0.377 |
| C14:0 CE         | HMDB0006725  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.86 (0.59-1.26) | 0.433 |
| C20:3 CE         | HMDB0006736* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.88 (0.62-1.25) | 0.468 |
| C18:1 CE         | HMDB0000918* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.87 (0.6-1.27)  | 0.47  |
| C18:2 CE         | HMDB0000610* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.88 (0.61-1.26) | 0.492 |
| C20:4 CE         | HMDB0006726  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.9 (0.63-1.28)  | 0.567 |
| C22:6 CE         | HMDB0006733  | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.94 (0.65-1.36) | 0.752 |
| C16:1 CE         | HMDB0000658* | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 1.04 (0.72-1.49) | 0.832 |

Supplemental Table 1.9 (continued).

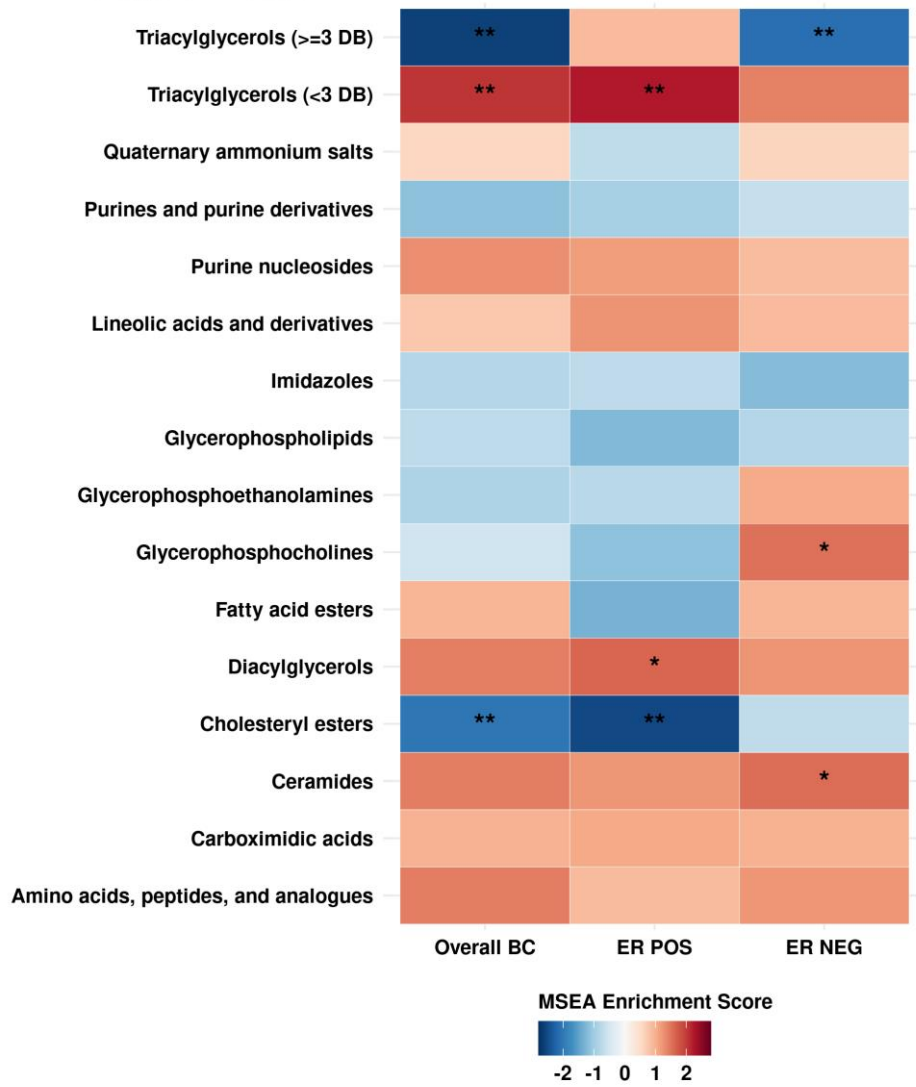
|            |             |                                  |                    |                  |       |
|------------|-------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|
| C18:0 CE   | HMDB0010368 | Steroids and steroid derivatives | Cholesteryl esters | 0.96 (0.67-1.4)  | 0.847 |
| bilirubin  | HMDB0000054 | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 0.81 (0.57-1.15) | 0.24  |
| biliverdin | HMDB0001008 | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | Bilirubins         | 1.22 (0.85-1.73) | 0.281 |

\*\*Metabolites with <10% missingness. Missing values imputed with 1/2 minimum value. Results sorted by class, subclass, and p-value for fully adjusted models.

^Multivariable model includes: BMI age 18, weight change from 18 to blood draw, age at menarche, combined age at first birth and parity, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, family history of breast cancer, alcohol use (g/day), activity level (met hrs/week).

\*Representative HMDBID

### Average of Bloods



**Supplemental Figure 1.3.** MSEA results for average of distant and proximate bloods.

**APPENDIX 2: Supplementary Materials Chapter 2**

**Supplemental Table 2.1.** Metabolites correlated with BMI with  $r > |0.15|$  detected uniquely in premenopausal or postmenopausal-only participant groups.<sup>†</sup>

| HMDBID                                   | Metabolite name        | Metabolite class                 | Spearman correlation* |                      |
|--|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
|  |                        |                                  | Premenopausal women   | Postmenopausal women |
| Uniquely selected in premenopausal women |                        |                                  |                       |                      |
| HMDB0000064                              | creatine               | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.18                  | 0.03                 |
| HMDB0000112                              | GABA                   | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.16                  | 0.09                 |
| HMDB0000182                              | lysine                 | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.21                  | 0.06                 |
| HMDB0029416                              | NMMA                   | Carboxylic acids and derivatives | 0.20                  | 0.10                 |
| HMDB0000705                              | C6 carnitine           | Fatty Acyls                      | 0.19                  | 0.14                 |
| HMDB0005385                              | C54:5 TAG              | Glycerolipids                    | 0.29                  | 0.12                 |
| HMDB0005410                              | C56:3 TAG              | Glycerolipids                    | 0.19                  | 0.10                 |
| HMDB0010517                              | C52:7 TAG              | Glycerolipids                    | 0.25                  | 0.13                 |
| HMDB0002815                              | C18:1 LPC              | Glycerophospholipids             | -0.25                 | -0.14                |
| HMDB0007870                              | C30:1 PC               | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.20                  | 0.06                 |
| HMDB0007873                              | C32:1 PC               | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.24                  | 0.09                 |
| HMDB0007874                              | C32:2 PC               | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.20                  | 0.01                 |
| HMDB0007883                              | C34:4 PC               | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.24                  | 0.06                 |
| HMDB0008138                              | C36:4 PC-B             | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.22                  | 0.09                 |
| HMDB0009003                              | C38:4 PE               | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.18                  | 0.14                 |
| HMDB0010379                              | C14:0 LPC              | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.17                  | 0.07                 |
| HMDB0010391                              | C20:1 LPC              | Glycerophospholipids             | -0.30                 | -0.10                |
| HMDB0011503                              | C16:0 LPE              | Glycerophospholipids             | -0.16                 | -0.13                |
| HMDB0001431                              | pyridoxamine           | Pyridines and derivatives        | 0.22                  | 0.11                 |
| HMDB0004949                              | C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Sphingolipids                    | 0.20                  | 0.09                 |
| HMDB0004956                              | C24:0 Ceramide (d18:1) | Sphingolipids                    | 0.21                  | 0.02                 |
| HMDB0012097                              | C14:0 SM               | Sphingolipids                    | 0.23                  | 0.01                 |
| HMDB0012104                              | C22:1 SM               | Sphingolipids                    | 0.22                  | -0.02                |

Supplemental Table 2.1 (continued).

|   |                 |                                  |       |       |
|---|-----------------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0000067                               | cholesterol     | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.25  | 0.04  |
| HMDB0002869                               | campesterol     | Steroids and steroid derivatives | 0.21  | 0.02  |
| HMDB0010370                               | C18:3 CE        | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.20 | -0.14 |
| HMDB0000054                               | bilirubin       | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | -0.16 | -0.09 |
| HMDB0001008                               | biliverdin      | Tetrapyrroles and derivatives    | -0.17 | -0.07 |
| <hr/>                                     |                 |                                  |       |       |
| Uniquely selected in postmenopausal women |                 |                                  |       |       |
| HMDB0000462                               | allantoin       | Azoles                           | 0.07  | 0.16  |
| HMDB0007991                               | C38:6 PC        | Glycerophospholipids             | -0.02 | -0.17 |
| HMDB0008511                               | C40:10 PC       | Glycerophospholipids             | -0.01 | -0.19 |
| HMDB0008731                               | C40:9 PC        | Glycerophospholipids             | -0.03 | -0.17 |
| HMDB0008942                               | C38:2 PE        | Glycerophospholipids             | -0.14 | -0.23 |
| HMDB0008993                               | C36:1 PE        | Glycerophospholipids             | 0.15  | 0.16  |
| HMDB0000897                               | 7-methylguanine | Imidazopyrimidines               | 0.04  | 0.16  |
| HMDB0006731                               | C20:5 CE        | Steroids and steroid derivatives | -0.12 | -0.17 |

† Does not include 80 metabolites that overlapped between pre- and postmenopausal groups.

\*Spearman correlations with BMI, adjusted for age at blood draw.



**Supplemental Table 2.2.** Comparison of selected metabolites & coefficients using LASSO, Ridge, and Stepwise regression.\*

| RIDGE <sup>^</sup> |                         | LASSO <sup>^</sup>  | STEPWISE <sup>^</sup> |
|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| HMDBID             | Metabolite Name         | coefficient         | coefficient           |
|                    | Intercept               | 25.98202087         | 25.99                 |
| HMDB0000062        | carnitine               | 0.106147338         | 0.11                  |
| HMDB0000067        | cholesterol             | 0.304588118         | 0.25                  |
| HMDB0000123        | glycine                 | -0.144932927        | -0.10                 |
| HMDB0000128        | guanidinoacetic acid    | -0.347399399        | -0.31                 |
| HMDB0000158        | tyrosine                | 0.423924003         | 0.42                  |
| HMDB0000159        | phenylalanine           | -0.067707381        | -0.04                 |
| HMDB0000161        | alanine                 | 0.115781243         | 0.08                  |
| HMDB0000162        | proline                 | 0.19004368          | 0.17                  |
| HMDB0000172        | isoleucine              | 0.053466025         | 0.05                  |
| HMDB0000182        | lysine                  | -0.42334201         | -0.44                 |
| HMDB0000201        | C2 carnitine            | -0.475298989        | -0.53                 |
| HMDB0000289        | urate                   | 0.496583223         | 0.50                  |
| HMDB0000610        | C18:2 CE                | 0.360647212         | 0.30                  |
| HMDB0000687        | leucine                 | -0.583394966        | -0.71                 |
| HMDB0000688        | C5 carnitine            | 0.04480631          | 0.01                  |
| <b>HMDB0000705</b> | C6 carnitine            | <b>0.010208859</b>  |                       |
| HMDB0000767        | pseudouridine           | -0.284301997        | -0.28                 |
| HMDB0000824        | C3 carnitine            | 0.057393976         | 0.07                  |
| HMDB0000883        | valine                  | 0.711388316         | 0.82                  |
| HMDB0000885        | C16:0 CE                | -0.019795215        | -0.03                 |
| HMDB0000918        | C18:1 CE                | -0.111788835        | -0.05                 |
| HMDB0001431        | pyridoxamine            | 0.15923255          | 0.15                  |
| HMDB0001563        | 1-methylguanosine       | 0.069687865         | 0.05                  |
| HMDB0002815        | C18:1 LPC               | 0.628221491         | 0.94                  |
| HMDB0004824        | N2,N2-dimethylguanosine | 0.510699619         | 0.53                  |
| HMDB0004949        | C16:0 Ceramide (d18:1)  | 0.015035744         | -0.01                 |
| <b>HMDB0004952</b> | C22:0 Ceramide (d18:1)  | <b>0.027635701</b>  |                       |
| HMDB0005356        | C48:0 TAG               | 0.178525936         | 0.16                  |
| HMDB0005357        | C50:0 TAG               | -0.3534856          | -0.22                 |
| <b>HMDB0005359</b> | C48:1 TAG               | <b>-0.241278644</b> | <b>-0.44</b>          |
| HMDB0005360        | C50:1 TAG               | 0.370956461         | 0.67                  |
| HMDB0005362        | C51:2 TAG               | 0.345780338         | 0.39                  |
| HMDB0005363        | C52:4 TAG               | -0.278114934        | -0.39                 |
| <b>HMDB0005367</b> | C52:1 TAG               | <b>0.256205433</b>  |                       |
| HMDB0005369        | C52:2 TAG               | -0.053368442        | -0.03                 |
| HMDB0005376        | C48:2 TAG               | -0.306917631        | -0.37                 |
| <b>HMDB0005377</b> | C50:2 TAG               | <b>0.146623013</b>  |                       |

Supplemental Table 2.2 (continued)

|                    |                      |                     |       |       |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-------|-------|
| HMDB0005385        | C54:5 TAG            | 0.252782035         | 0.26  | 0.36  |
| HMDB0005403        | C54:2 TAG            | 0.413031716         | 0.59  | 0.89  |
| HMDB0005410        | C56:3 TAG            | -0.763104443        | -0.90 | -0.97 |
| <b>HMDB0005432</b> | C48:3 TAG            | <b>-0.047307183</b> |       |       |
| HMDB0005433        | C50:3 TAG            | 0.348607776         | 0.40  | 0.63  |
| HMDB0005436        | C52:6 TAG            | -0.306822888        | -0.38 | -0.63 |
| HMDB0005923        | N4-acetylcytidine    | 0.31046602          | 0.29  |       |
| HMDB0006725        | C14:0 CE             | -0.976890955        | -1.08 | -1.13 |
| HMDB0006726        | C20:4 CE             | 0.763483701         | 0.87  | 1.05  |
| HMDB0006733        | C22:6 CE             | -0.155431829        | -0.04 |       |
| HMDB0007098        | C32:0 DAG            | -0.482528308        | -0.59 | -1.28 |
| HMDB0007099        | C32:1 DAG            | -0.303180041        | -0.46 | -1.18 |
| HMDB0007100        | C34:0 DAG            | -0.317971606        | -0.31 |       |
| HMDB0007102        | C34:1 DAG            | 0.350669709         | 0.36  | 1.42  |
| <b>HMDB0007103</b> | C34:2 DAG            | <b>-0.08986484</b>  |       |       |
| HMDB0007132        | C34:3 DAG            | 0.401514173         | 0.41  | 0.69  |
| HMDB0007199        | C38:5 DAG            | 0.076399787         | 0.08  |       |
| HMDB0007216        | C36:1 DAG            | 0.391857334         | 0.46  |       |
| HMDB0007218        | C36:2 DAG            | -0.172890317        | -0.48 | -1.28 |
| <b>HMDB0007219</b> | C36:3 DAG            | <b>-0.122206603</b> |       | 1.27  |
| HMDB0007248        | C36:4 DAG            | 0.503809501         | 0.70  |       |
| HMDB0007870        | C30:1 PC             | 0.106568938         | 0.02  |       |
| HMDB0007873        | C32:1 PC             | 0.031910606         | 0.08  |       |
| HMDB0007883        | C34:4 PC             | -0.348927632        | -0.25 |       |
| HMDB0008047        | C38:3 PC             | 1.223053435         | 1.45  | 1.50  |
| HMDB0008138        | C36:4 PC-B           | -0.304165142        | -0.38 | -0.67 |
| HMDB0008942        | C38:2 PE             | -0.891646454        | -0.97 | -0.93 |
| HMDB0008993        | C36:1 PE             | 0.063665073         | 0.00  |       |
| <b>HMDB0008994</b> | C36:2 PE             | <b>-0.052797588</b> |       |       |
| HMDB0009003        | C38:4 PE             | -0.585272323        | -0.60 | -0.59 |
| HMDB0009016        | C36:1 PE plasmalogen | 0.299672558         | 0.35  | 0.36  |
| <b>HMDB0010370</b> | C18:3 CE             | <b>0.065061851</b>  |       |       |
| HMDB0010375        | C22:5 CE             | -0.578697171        | -0.63 | -0.68 |
| HMDB0010386        | C18:2 LPC            | -0.42683284         | -0.48 | -2.50 |
| HMDB0010391        | C20:1 LPC            | -0.301687655        | -0.32 | -0.34 |
| HMDB0010397        | C20:5 LPC            | 0.076654402         | 0.04  | 1.94  |
| HMDB0010404        | C22:6 LPC            | -0.486530215        | -0.59 | -0.68 |
| <b>HMDB0010411</b> | C46:0 TAG            | <b>0.098556369</b>  |       |       |
| <b>HMDB0010412</b> | C46:1 TAG            | <b>0.019159901</b>  |       |       |
| <b>HMDB0010419</b> | C46:2 TAG            | <b>0.080380515</b>  |       |       |
| <b>HMDB0010471</b> | C50:5 TAG            | <b>-0.088392325</b> |       |       |
| <b>HMDB0010497</b> | C50:6 TAG            | <b>-0.002549172</b> |       |       |

Supplemental Table 2.2 (continued)

|                    |                        |                     |       |       |
|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------|-------|
| <b>HMDB0010517</b> | C52:7 TAG              | <b>0.030071205</b>  |       |       |
| HMDB0011208        | C34:1 PC plasmalogen   | -0.138887605        | -0.14 | -0.15 |
| <b>HMDB0011210</b> | C34:2 PC plasmalogen   | <b>0.013612643</b>  |       |       |
| HMDB0011211        | C34:3 PC plasmalogen   | 0.582000349         | 0.81  | 0.94  |
| HMDB0011239        | C34:1 PC plasmalogen-B | -0.423042446        | -0.42 | -0.42 |
| <b>HMDB0011243</b> | C36:2 PC plasmalogen   | <b>-0.021762429</b> |       |       |
| HMDB0011244        | C36:3 PC plasmalogen   | -0.778343614        | -1.06 | -1.16 |
| <b>HMDB0011310</b> | C36:4 PC plasmalogen   | <b>-0.032532688</b> |       |       |
| HMDB0011520        | C22:0 LPE              | -0.564067651        | -0.68 | -0.89 |
| <b>HMDB0011701</b> | C51:3 TAG              | <b>0.007257966</b>  |       |       |
| HMDB0011706        | C49:2 TAG              | -0.253317864        | -0.14 |       |
| HMDB0012097        | C14:0 SM               | 1.223244269         | 1.33  | 1.29  |
| HMDB0013127        | C4-OH carnitine        | 0.818012156         | 0.91  | 0.96  |
| HMDB0029416        | NMMA                   | 0.220684438         | 0.24  | 0.26  |
| <b>HMDB0031106</b> | C51:0 TAG              | <b>-0.047851562</b> |       |       |
| <b>HMDB0042076</b> | C47:2 TAG              | <b>-0.140263825</b> |       |       |
| <b>HMDB0042103</b> | C49:3 TAG              | <b>0.173861546</b>  |       |       |
| HMDB0042104        | C51:1 TAG              | 0.278092722         | 0.08  |       |
| HMDB0042196        | C53:2 TAG              | 0.305789122         | 0.42  | 0.47  |
| <b>HMDB0042226</b> | C55:2 TAG              | <b>-0.025664489</b> |       |       |

\*Metabolites unique to Ridge or to Stepwise regression (i.e. not included in LASSO equation) are in bold.

^ LASSO regression uses a penalty ( $\lambda=0.003$ ,  $\alpha=1$ ). Ridge regression using a penalty equivalent to square of the magnitude of the coefficients ( $\lambda=0.20$ ,  $\alpha=0$ ). Lasso and ridge regression performed using glmnet function in R, with cross-validation. Stepwise selection performed in both directions, using OLSRR package in R.

**Supplemental Table 2.3.** Quartile values for adiposity measures, true and predicted, in entire cohort (pre- and post-menopausal combined).

| Adiposity Measures       | <i>Quartile 1</i> | <i>Quartile 2</i> | <i>Quartile 3</i> |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Self-reported</b>     |                   |                   |                   |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 22.16             | 24.74             | 28.35             |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 71.12             | 78.74             | 88.9              |
| Weight change (kg)       | 4.55              | 10.91             | 19.55             |
| Fat mass                 | 20.61             | 24.78             | 30.88             |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b> |                   |                   |                   |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 23.26             | 25.56             | 28.3              |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 76.61             | 81.4              | 86.61             |
| Weight change (kg)       | 6.94              | 12.32             | 18.50             |
| Fat mass                 | 22.55             | 26.39             | 30.44             |

**Supplemental Table 2.4a.** Association between true and metabolomic-predicted adiposity scores & ER+ breast cancer incidence for women by menopausal status at blood draw and/or diagnosis.†

| Adiposity Measures                 | Quartile 1* |             | Quartile 2*      |      | Quartile 3* |                  | Quartile 4* |             |                  |      |              |                      |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|------|-------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|------|--------------|----------------------|
| <b>Premenopausal at blood draw</b> |             |             |                  |      |             |                  |             |             |                  |      |              |                      |
| <b>Self-reported measures</b>      | N           | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI      | N cases/controls | OR          | 95% CI      | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI       | p-trend <sup>^</sup> |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )           | 139/62      | 1.0 (ref)   | 132/195          | 1.33 | (0.97-1.82) | 90/175           | 1.03        | (0.72-1.46) | 80/181           | 0.95 | (0.63-1.44)  | 0.54                 |
| Waist circumference (cm)           | 76/140      | 1.0 (ref)   | 96/152           | 1.18 | (0.80-1.74) | 60/120           | 0.86        | (0.56-1.34) | 37/82            | 0.87 | (0.50- 1.51) | 0.41                 |
| Weight change (kg)                 | 118/210     | 1.0 (ref)   | 133/253          | 0.86 | (0.63-1.18) | 99/185           | 0.86        | (0.61-1.21) | 88/168           | 0.89 | (0.62-1.27)  | 0.57                 |
| Fat mass                           | 98/171      | 1.0 (ref)   | 82/108           | 1.32 | (0.89-1.95) | 36/102           | 0.59        | (0.36-0.94) | 48/98            | 0.85 | (0.51-1.42)  | 0.07                 |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b>           |             |             |                  |      |             |                  |             |             |                  |      |              |                      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )           | 154/225     | 1.0 (ref)   | 108/212          | 0.73 | (0.53-1.00) | 82/188           | 0.65        | (0.46-0.91) | 97/188           | 0.78 | (0.55-1.11)  | 0.1                  |
| Waist circumference (cm)           | 78/135      | 1.0 (ref)   | 85/127           | 1.15 | (0.77-1.72) | 54/124           | 0.72        | (0.47-1.12) | 52/108           | 0.85 | (0.54-1.35)  | 0.22                 |
| Weight change (kg)                 | 149/216     | 1.0 (ref)   | 105/221          | 0.69 | (0.50-0.94) | 94/184           | 0.73        | (0.52-1.02) | 90/195           | 0.67 | (0.48-0.95)  | 0.04                 |
| Fat mass                           | 89/125      | 1.0 (ref)   | 75/130           | 0.79 | (0.53-1.19) | 45/118           | 0.53        | (0.33-0.82) | 55/107           | 0.73 | (0.47-1.15)  | 0.06                 |

Supplemental Table 2.4a (continued).

| <b>Premenopausal at blood draw &amp; diagnosis</b> |                  |             |                  |      |             |                  |      |             |                  |      |             |                      |
|--|------------------|-------------|------------------|------|-------------|------------------|------|-------------|------------------|------|-------------|----------------------|
| <b>Self-reported measures</b>                      | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI      | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI      | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI      | p-trend <sup>^</sup> |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                           | 80/148           | 1.0 (ref)   | 64/109           | 1.08 | (0.70-1.66) | 46/93            | 0.86 | (0.54-1.39) | 36/91            | 0.63 | (0.34-1.13) | 0.10                 |
| Waist circumference (cm)                           | 36/78            | 1.0 (ref)   | 53/74            | 1.49 | (0.86-2.60) | 35/61            | 1.07 | (0.59-1.96) | 17/45            | 0.67 | (0.30-1.46) | 0.25                 |
| Weight change (kg)                                 | 64/122           | 1.0 (ref)   | 72/140           | 0.91 | (0.59-1.39) | 46/96            | 0.85 | (0.52-1.37) | 41/82            | 0.86 | (0.52-1.41) | 0.53                 |
| Fat mass   | 58/85            | 1.0 (ref)   | 38/59            | 0.85 | (0.49-1.46) | 20/50            | 0.46 | (0.23-0.90) | 21/54            | 0.45 | (0.21-0.91) | 0.03                 |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b>                           |                  |             |                  |      |             |                  |      |             |                  |      |             |                      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                           | 75/134           | 1.0 (ref)   | 59/116           | 0.88 | (0.57-1.36) | 45/100           | 0.81 | (0.51-1.28) | 47/91            | 0.89 | (0.55-1.46) | 0.56                 |
| Waist circumference (cm)                           | 40/78            | 1.0 (ref)   | 50/69            | 1.41 | (0.81-2.45) | 28/54            | 1.01 | (0.55-1.87) | 23/57            | 0.77 | (0.39-1.49) | 0.33                 |
| Weight change (kg)                                 | 77/126           | 1.0 (ref)   | 54/131           | 0.68 | (0.44-1.05) | 51/89            | 0.95 | (0.60-1.51) | 41/94            | 0.69 | (0.42-1.12) | 0.27                 |
| Fat mass   | 43/74            | 1.0 (ref)   | 47/64            | 1.26 | (0.72-2.21) | 22/57            | 0.64 | (0.34-1.22) | 25/53            | 0.80 | (0.41-1.53) | 0.22                 |
| <b>Postmenopausal at blood draw</b>                |                  |             |                  |      |             |                  |      |             |                  |      |             |                      |
| <b>Self-reported measures</b>                      | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI      | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI      | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI      | p-trend              |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                           | 65/119           | 1.0 (ref)   | 89/181           | 0.88 | (0.59-1.32) | 133/205          | 1.27 | (0.86-1.87) | 138/200          | 1.55 | (1.04-2.34) | 0.003                |
| Waist circumference (cm)                           | 26/49            | 1.0 (ref)   | 69/104           | 1.22 | (0.68-2.21) | 90/165           | 1.01 | (0.58-1.79) | 149/228          | 1.3  | (0.76-2.28) | 0.21                 |

Supplemental Table 2.4a (continued).

|                          |        |           |        |                  |         |                  |         |                  |         |
|--------------------------|--------|-----------|--------|------------------|---------|------------------|---------|------------------|---------|
| Weight change (kg)       | 67/142 | 1.0 (ref) | 89/147 | 1.19 (0.79-1.80) | 116/197 | 1.21 (0.82-1.80) | 139/189 | 1.56 (1.06-2.31) | 0.02    |
| Fat mass                 | 43/78  | 1.0 (ref) | 70/138 | 0.85 (0.53-1.38) | 93/169  | 0.98 (0.62-1.57) | 109/146 | 1.57 (0.98-2.56) | 0.83    |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b> |        |           |        |                  |         |                  |         |                  |         |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 64/158 | 1.0 (ref) | 99/168 | 1.53 (1.04-2.27) | 141/197 | 1.92 (1.32-2.81) | 121/182 | 1.93 (1.30-2.86) | 0.001   |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 60/136 | 1.0 (ref) | 70/130 | 1.27 (0.83-1.96) | 93/143  | 1.62 (1.07-2.48) | 111/137 | 2.11 (1.39-3.24) | <0.0001 |
| Weight change (kg)       | 71/156 | 1.0 (ref) | 92/167 | 1.23 (0.83-1.81) | 128/177 | 1.7 (1.17-2.47)  | 120/175 | 1.66 (1.14-2.45) | 0.004   |
| Fat mass                 | 53/128 | 1.0 (ref) | 71/130 | 1.43 (0.92-2.25) | 91/138  | 1.76 (1.15-2.73) | 100/135 | 2.15 (1.39-3.37) | 0.001   |

† Multivariable logistic regression models adjusted for: age at menarche, age at first birth and parity combined, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, BMI at age 18 (kg/m<sup>2</sup>), hormone use at blood draw (any v. none), alcohol use (g/day) at blood draw, and activity level (MET-hrs/week) at blood draw

\*Quartile values were determined from the full cohort (pre-and postmenopausal at blood draw) for each measure. See Supplemental Table 3 for values.

^ p-trend calculated using median of quartiles (defined by the overall cohort)

**Supplemental Table 2.4b.** Association between true and metabolomic-predicted adiposity scores & ER- breast cancer incidence for women by menopausal status at blood draw.†

| Adiposity Measures                                 | Tertile 1*              |                   |                     | Tertile 2* |                 | Tertile 3*              |      |                 |             |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------|-----------------|-------------------------|------|-----------------|-------------|
| <b>Premenopausal at blood draw</b>                 |                         |                   |                     |            |                 |                         |      |                 |             |
| <b>Self-reported measures</b>                      | N cases/<br>controls    | OR<br>(95%<br>CI) | N<br>cases/controls | OR         | 95% CI          | N cases/<br>controls    | OR   | 95% CI          | p-<br>trend |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                           | 42/311                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 26/265              | 0.77       | ( 0.44 , 1.31 ) | 26/237                  | 0.99 | ( 0.52 , 1.85 ) | 1           |
| Waist circumference (cm)                           | 25/195                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 21/191              | 0.86       | ( 0.45 , 1.64 ) | 17/108                  | 1.35 | ( 0.62 , 2.88 ) | 0.46        |
| Weight change (kg)                                 | 40/339                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 31/256              | 1.01       | ( 0.60 , 1.67 ) | 23/221                  | 0.94 | ( 0.53 , 1.64 ) | 0.84        |
| Fat mass   | 21/212                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 23/139              | 1.66       | ( 0.85 , 3.24 ) | 16/129                  | 1.42 | ( 0.62 , 3.20 ) | 0.42        |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b>                           |                         |                   |                     |            |                 |                         |      |                 |             |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                           | 38/285                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 32/276              | 0.89       | ( 0.53 , 1.47 ) | 24/252                  | 0.78 | ( 0.43 , 1.37 ) | 0.38        |
| Waist circumference (cm)                           | 17/173                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 25/169              | 1.52       | ( 0.79 , 2.99 ) | 21/152                  | 1.53 | ( 0.75 , 3.15 ) | 0.25        |
| Weight change (kg)                                 | 34/295                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 35/265              | 1.2        | ( 0.72 , 1.99 ) | 25/256                  | 0.93 | ( 0.52 , 1.63 ) | 0.82        |
| Fat mass   | 23/159                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 16/169              | 0.64       | ( 0.32 , 1.27 ) | 21/152                  | 0.99 | ( 0.50 , 1.93 ) | 0.96        |
| <b>Premenopausal at blood draw &amp; diagnosis</b> |                         |                   |                     |            |                 |                         |      |                 |             |
| <b>Self-reported measures</b>                      | N<br>cases/control<br>s | OR<br>(95%<br>CI) | N<br>cases/controls | OR         | 95% CI          | N<br>cases/control<br>s | OR   | 95% CI          |             |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                           | 24/175                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 12/149              | 0.61       | ( 0.28 , 1.29 ) | 18/117                  | 1.21 | ( 0.53 , 2.69 ) | 0.58        |
| Waist circumference (cm)                           | 14/102                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 11/101              | 0.65       | ( 0.26 , 1.59 ) | 10/55                   | 1    | ( 0.34 , 2.84 ) | 0.98        |
| Weight change (kg)                                 | 22/192                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 19/137              | 1.17       | ( 0.59 , 2.29 ) | 13/111                  | 0.95 | ( 0.44 , 1.99 ) | 0.92        |
| Fat mass   | 12/109                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 11/72               | 1.22       | ( 0.48 , 3.08 ) | 10/67                   | 1.25 | ( 0.40 , 3.72 ) | 0.7         |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b>                           |                         |                   |                     |            |                 |                         |      |                 |             |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                           | 21/172                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 19/147              | 1.08       | ( 0.55 , 2.12 ) | 14/122                  | 0.88 | ( 0.40 , 1.89 ) | 0.77        |
| Waist circumference (cm)                           | 8/101                   | 1.0 (ref)         | 14/81               | 2.19       | ( 0.86 , 5.87 ) | 13/76                   | 2.18 | ( 0.82 , 6.09 ) | 0.12        |
| Weight change (kg)                                 | 19/170                  | 1.0 (ref)         | 19/149              | 1.19       | ( 0.60 , 2.36 ) | 16/121                  | 1.17 | ( 0.55 , 2.49 ) | 0.67        |
| Fat mass   | 12/89                   | 1.0 (ref)         | 8/86                | 0.65       | ( 0.24 , 1.71 ) | 13/73                   | 1.35 | ( 0.53 , 3.47 ) | 0.53        |



Supplemental Table 2.4b (continued).

|                               | <b>Postmenopausal at blood draw</b> |             |                  |      |                 |                  |      |                 |      |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|------------------|------|-----------------|------------------|------|-----------------|------|
|                               | N cases/controls                    | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI          | N cases/controls | OR   | 95% CI          |      |
| <b>Self-reported measures</b> |                                     |             |                  |      |                 |                  |      |                 |      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )      | 19/174                              | 1.0 (ref)   | 32/250           | 1.1  | ( 0.60 , 2.08 ) | 21/281           | 0.68 | ( 0.34 , 1.39 ) | 0.2  |
| Waist circumference (cm)      | 6/79                                | 1.0 (ref)   | 28/199           | 2.09 | ( 0.85 , 5.96 ) | 21/268           | 1.11 | ( 0.43 , 3.28 ) | 0.4  |
| Weight change (kg)            | 19/211                              | 1.0 (ref)   | 27/215           | 1.16 | ( 0.61 , 2.25 ) | 24/249           | 0.85 | ( 0.44 , 1.67 ) | 0.51 |
| Fat mass                      | 14/110                              | 1.0 (ref)   | 18/215           | 0.64 | ( 0.30 , 1.38 ) | 21/206           | 0.85 | ( 0.40 , 1.84 ) | 0.93 |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b>      |                                     |             |                  |      |                 |                  |      |                 |      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )      | 31/205                              | 1.0 (ref)   | 16/240           | 0.37 | ( 0.18 , 0.70 ) | 25/260           | 0.56 | ( 0.30 , 1.01 ) | 0.08 |
| Waist circumference (cm)      | 23/177                              | 1.0 (ref)   | 14/173           | 0.53 | ( 0.25 , 1.08 ) | 18/196           | 0.62 | ( 0.31 , 1.22 ) | 0.18 |
| Weight change (kg)            | 26/203                              | 1.0 (ref)   | 21/224           | 0.63 | ( 0.33 , 1.18 ) | 23/248           | 0.61 | ( 0.32 , 1.14 ) | 0.14 |
| Fat mass                      | 22/166                              | 1.0 (ref)   | 11/176           | 0.43 | ( 0.19 , 0.91 ) | 20/189           | 0.71 | ( 0.35 , 1.40 ) | 0.36 |

† Multivariable logistic regression models adjusted for: age at menarche, age at first birth and parity combined, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, BMI at age 18 (kg/m<sup>2</sup>), hormone use at blood draw (any v. none), alcohol use (g/day) at blood draw, and activity level (MET-hrs/week) at blood draw

\*Tertile values were determined from the full cohort (pre-and postmenopausal at blood draw) for each measure.

^ p-trend calculated using median of tertiles (defined by the overall cohort)

**Supplemental Table 2.5.** Association between true and metabolomic-predicted adiposity scores & breast cancer incidence for women premenopausal at blood draw and postmenopausal at diagnosis.†

| Adiposity Measures       | Quartile 1*      |             | Quartile 2*      |                  | Quartile 3*      |                  | Quartile 4*      |                  | p-trend <sup>^</sup> |
|--------------------------|------------------|-------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------------|
|                          | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)      | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)      | N cases/controls | OR (95% CI)      |                      |
| <b>Self-reported</b>     |                  | 1.0 (ref)   |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 84/85            | (ref)       | 79/67            | 1.39 (0.87-2.24) | 58/70            | 1.05 (0.63-1.75) | 66/69            | 1.35 (0.76-2.41) | 0.51                 |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 40/48            | 1.0 (ref)   | 63/61            | 1.33 (0.76-2.35) | 40/46            | 1.18 (0.62-2.24) | 36/29            | 1.74 (0.81-3.76) | 0.22                 |
| Weight change (kg)       | 76/68            | 1.0 (ref)   | 83/83            | 0.88 (0.55-1.41) | 59/75            | 0.68 (0.41-1.12) | 67/69            | 0.86 (0.52-1.42) | 0.49                 |
| Fat mass                 | 50/66            | 1.0 (ref)   | 56/38            | 2.33 (1.30-4.24) | 28/42            | 1.12 (0.58-2.16) | 44/36            | 2.18 (1.07-4.52) | 0.67                 |
| <b>Metabolomic Score</b> |                  | 1.0 (ref)   |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                      |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 97/68            | (ref)       | 65/73            | 0.64 (0.40-1.02) | 56/75            | 0.59 (0.36-0.96) | 69/75            | 0.68 (0.41-1.12) | 0.11                 |
| Waist circumference (cm) | 51/44            | 1.0 (ref)   | 47/41            | 1.09 (0.59-2.01) | 29/57            | 0.46 (0.24-0.87) | 52/42            | 1.19 (0.64-2.21) | 0.98                 |
| Weight change (kg)       | 90/68            | 1.0 (ref)   | 62/68            | 0.66 (0.41-1.07) | 69/79            | 0.68 (0.42-1.08) | 66/80            | 0.62 (0.38-1.02) | 0.07                 |
| Fat mass                 | 55/37            | 1.0 (ref)   | 41/51            | 0.56 (0.30-1.01) | 32/50            | 0.47 (0.25-0.88) | 50/44            | 0.82 (0.44-1.54) | 0.47                 |

† Multivariable logistic regression models adjusted for: age at menarche, age at first birth and parity combined, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, BMI at age 18 (kg/m<sup>2</sup>), hormone use at blood draw (any v. none), alcohol use (g/day) at blood draw, and activity level (MET-hrs/week) at blood draw

\*Quartile values were determined from the full cohort (pre-and postmenopausal at blood draw) for each measure. See Supplemental Table 3 for values.

<sup>^</sup> p-trend calculated using median of quartiles (defined by the overall cohort)

**Supplemental Table 2.6.** Odds ratio (95% confidence interval) for self-reported adiposity measures and adiposity metabolomic scores, cross-classified as above or below the median, with breast cancer, by menopausal status at blood draw and diagnosis.<sup>†</sup>

|                            | Below median in both |             | Above median true, Below median predicted |                  | Below median true, Above median predicted |                  | Above median in both |                  |
|----------------------------|----------------------|-------------|---|------------------|---|------------------|----------------------|------------------|
|                            | N cases/controls     | OR (95% CI) | N cases/controls                          | OR (95% CI)      | N cases/controls                          | OR (95% CI)      | N cases/controls     | OR (95% CI)      |
| <b>BMI</b>                 |                      |             |   |                  |   |                  |                      |                  |
| Premenopausal              | 396/355              | 1.0 (ref)   | 83/82                                     | 0.98 (0.69-1.40) | 98/102                                    | 0.85 (0.62-1.17) | 243/274              | 0.88 (0.69-1.14) |
| Pre-Pre*                   | 218/203              | 1.0 (ref)   | 43/47                                     | 0.85 (0.52-1.37) | 58/54                                     | 1.00 (0.65-1.53) | 122/137              | 0.82 (0.58-1.17) |
| Postmenopausal             | 197/213              | 1.0 (ref)   | 92/113                                    | 0.97 (0.68-1.37) | 75/87                                     | 0.89 (0.61-1.30) | 323/292              | 1.35 (1.04-1.77) |
| <b>Weight change</b>       |                      |             |   |                  |   |                  |                      |                  |
| Premenopausal              | 374/364              | 1.0 (ref)   | 97/73                                     | 1.23 (0.87-1.74) | 96/99                                     | 0.99 (0.72-1.37) | 250/280              | 0.89 (0.70-1.12) |
| Pre-Pre                    | 217/214              | 1.0 (ref)   | 45/43                                     | 0.98 (0.62-1.57) | 49/48                                     | 1.03 (0.66-1.62) | 127/135              | 0.91 (0.66-1.26) |
| Postmenopausal             | 175/213              | 1.0 (ref)   | 106/110                                   | 1.12 (0.79-1.59) | 82/76                                     | 1.42 (0.97-2.08) | 301/276              | 1.35 (1.03-1.77) |
| <b>Waist circumference</b> |                      |             |   |                  |   |                  |                      |                  |
| Premenopausal              | 232/205              | 1.0 (ref)   | 59/57                                     | 0.88 (0.58-1.35) | 83/87                                     | 0.85 (0.59-1.23) | 130/145              | 0.78 (0.56-1.08) |
| Pre-Pre                    | 137/111              | 1.0 (ref)   | 33/36                                     | 0.68 (0.39-1.19) | 41/40                                     | 0.79 (0.47-1.33) | 66/70                | 0.70 (0.44-1.10) |
| Postmenopausal             | 119/122              | 1.0 (ref)   | 108/144                                   | 0.76 (0.52-1.10) | 41/31                                     | 1.26 (0.73-2.18) | 260/249              | 1.13 (0.82-1.56) |
| <b>FM</b>                  |                      |             |   |                  |   |                  |                      |                  |
| Premenopausal              | 239/207              | 1.0 (ref)   | 47/48                                     | 0.78 (0.49-1.26) | 77/72                                     | 0.90 (0.62-1.32) | 131/153              | 0.72 (0.52-1.01) |
| Pre-Pre                    | 140/116              | 1.0 (ref)   | 23/22                                     | 0.67 (0.33-1.33) | 40/28                                     | 1.11 (0.64-1.95) | 67/82                | 0.59 (0.38-0.93) |
| Postmenopausal             | 136/163              | 1.0 (ref)   | 74/95                                     | 0.97 (0.65-1.44) | 52/53                                     | 1.15 (0.73-1.82) | 236/220              | 1.38 (1.02-1.88) |

<sup>†</sup> Multivariable logistic regression models adjusted for: age at menarche, age at first birth and parity combined, breastfeeding history, history of benign breast disease, BMI at age 18 (kg/m<sup>2</sup>), hormone use at blood draw (any v. none), alcohol consumption (g/day) at blood draw, and physical activity level (MET-hrs/week) at blood draw.

\*Premenopausal at blood draw and at diagnosis

**APPENDIX 3: Supplementary Materials Chapter 3**

**Supplemental Table 3.1.** Participant Characteristics at study entry, for subset with full birth index information, derivation & validation data (N=149,099 N cases=2,402)^

|   | Derivation Data (N=99,518) |              |              | Validation data (N=49,581) |             |              |
|---|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|----------------------------|-------------|--------------|
|   | GS                         | NHS          | NHSII        | GS                         | NHS         | NHSII        |
| N   | 27,939                     | 20,848       | 50,731       | 13,804                     | 10,382      | 25,395       |
| N cases (full study)                        | 208                        | 453          | 949          | 110                        | 227         | 455          |
| Premenopausal duration                      | 24.6 (8.1)                 | 26.2 (6.3)   | 22.0 (5.0)   | 24.7 (8.1)                 | 26.1 (6.4)  | 22.0 (5.0)   |
| Age (years)                                 | 37.3 (8.1)                 | 38.6 (6.2)   | 34.4 (4.7)   | 37.4 (8.0)                 | 38.5 (6.3)  | 34.4 (4.7)   |
| Age at menarche (years)                     | 12.7 (1.4)                 | 12.4 (1.4)   | 12.4 (1.4)   | 12.7 (1.4)                 | 12.4 (1.4)  | 12.4 (1.4)   |
| Parous (yes)                                | 16628 (60%)                | 18368 (88%)  | 33052 (65%)  | 8,380 (61%)                | 9,127 (88%) | 16,473 (65%) |
| Parity*                                     | 1.7 (0.5)                  | 1.7 (0.5)    | 1.6 (0.5)    | 1.7 (0.5)                  | 1.7 (0.5)   | 1.6 (0.5)    |
| Age from menarche to first birth*           | 15.7 (4.8)                 | 13.3 (3.8)   | 13.8 (4.3)   | 15.6 (4.9)                 | 13.3 (3.8)  | 13.7 (4.3)   |
| Age at first birth (years)*                 | 28.3 (4.7)                 | 25.8 (3.6)   | 26.2 (4.1)   | 28.2 (4.8)                 | 25.8 (3.6)  | 26.1 (4.1)   |
| Birth index*                                | 19.3 (15.1)                | 20.3 (12.6)  | 13.2 (10.5)  | 19.4 (15.2)                | 20.0 (12.6) | 13.3 (10.5)  |
| Breastfeeding duration, months*             | 10.6 (10.9)                | 17.1 (10.8)  | 17.3 (9.5)   | 10.4 (10.7)                | 17.1 (10.8) | 17.4 (9.5)   |
| Oral contraceptive use (%)                  | 26,336 (94%)               | 12,327 (59%) | 42,393 (84%) | 12,990 (94%)               | 6,201 (60%) | 21,222 (84%) |
| Height (cm)                                 | 165.3 (6.6)                | 164.1 (6.2)  | 164.9 (6.5)  | 165.3 (6.5)                | 164.2 (6.1) | 164.9 (6.5)  |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                    | 24.9 (4.6)                 | 23.3 (4.0)   | 24.0 (4.9)   | 24.9 (4.7)                 | 23.3 (4.1)  | 24.0 (4.9)   |
| BMI in young adulthood (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 22.1 (3.2)                 | 21.4 (3.1)   | 21.4 (3.4)   | 22.0 (3.2)                 | 21.5 (3.1)  | 21.3 (3.3)   |
| Weight Change last 4 yrs (kg)               | 0.65 (2.47)                | 0.12 (0.34)  | 0.54 (2.50)  | 0.64 (2.49)                | 0.11 (0.35) | 0.54 (2.48)  |
| Alcohol (drinks/week)                       | 5.9 (6.7)                  | 3.5 (5.7)    | 1.9 (3.7)    | 5.8 (6.6)                  | 3.5 (5.8)   | 1.9 (3.6)    |
| Family history of BC (%)                    | 4,071 (15%)                | 1,119 (5.4%) | 8,025 (16%)  | 2,044 (15%)                | 557 (5.4%)  | 3,985 (16%)  |
| BBD (yes) (%)                               | 4,040 (14%)                | 10,430 (50%) | 27,984 (55%) | 2,032 (15%)                | 5,192 (50%) | 13,903 (55%) |

^Continuous variables given in mean (SD). Categorical variables with N (%).

\*Among parous women

**Supplemental Table 3.2.** Participant Characteristics at study entry, for subset with PRS, derivation & validation data.<sup>^</sup>

|   | Derivation  |             | Validation  |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|   | NHS         | NHSII       | NHS         | NHSII       |
| N   | 3207        | 2483        | 1509        | 1086        |
| N cases (full study)                        | 161         | 537         | 72          | 245         |
| Premenopausal duration                      | 28.6 (5.9)  | 24.3 (4.5)  | 28.4 (5.9)  | 24.2 (4.6)  |
| Age (years)                                 | 41.1 (5.9)  | 36.7 (4.2)  | 40.9 (5.8)  | 36.5 (4.3)  |
| Age at menarche (years)                     | 12.5 (1.3)  | 12.4 (1.4)  | 12.5 (1.3)  | 12.4 (1.4)  |
| Parous (yes)                                | 2871 (95%)  | 575 (75%)   | 1430 (95%)  | 820 (76%)   |
| Parity*                                     | 3.1 (1.5)   | 2.0 (0.9)   | 3.1 (1.5)   | 2.1 (1.0)   |
| Age from menarche to first birth*           | 12.3 (3.2)  | 13.6 (4.4)  | 12.5 (3.5)  | 13.4 (4.3)  |
| Age at first birth (years)*                 | 24.8 (3.0)  | 26.0 (4.2)  | 25.0 (3.2)  | 25.8 (4.1)  |
| Birth index*                                | 24.4 (8.3)  | 18.3 (10.5) | 23.8 (8.2)  | 18.5 (10.3) |
| Breastfeeding duration, months*             | 15.2 (11.3) | 19.0 (10.7) | 14.9 (11.3) | 20.0 (11.0) |
| Breastfeeding duration*                     |             |             |             |             |
| >0-52 weeks                                 | 2293 (76%)  | 1125 (49%)  | 1172 (78%)  | 478 (44%)   |
| 52-104 weeks                                | 391 (13%)   | 370 (16%)   | 169 (11%)   | 207 (19%)   |
| 104-156 weeks                               | 115 (3.8%)  | 167 (7.2%)  | 62 (4.1%)   | 92 (8.5%)   |
| 156 + weeks                                 | 72 (2.4%)   | 71 (3.1%)   | 27 (1.8%)   | 43 (4.0%)   |
| Oral contraceptive use (%)                  | 1655 (55%)  | 1971 (85%)  | 825 (55%)   | 907 (84%)   |
| Height (cm)                                 | 164.2 (6.0) | 165.3 (6.4) | 164.3 (6.1) | 165.4 (6.5) |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )                    | 23.3 (3.7)  | 23.7 (4.4)  | 23.3 (3.7)  | 23.5 (4.3)  |
| BMI in young adulthood (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 21.2 (2.8)  | 21.0 (2.9)  | 21.3 (2.9)  | 20.9 (2.8)  |
| Weight Change last 4 yrs (kg)               | 0.11 (0.30) | 0.27 (1.34) | 0.11 (0.29) | 0.34 (1.71) |
| Alcohol (drinks/week)                       | 3.8 (5.8)   | 2.1 (3.8)   | 3.6 (5.6)   | 2.0 (3.9)   |
| Family history of BC (%)                    | 206 (6.8%)  | 471 (20.4%) | 101 (6.7%)  | 185 (17%)   |
| BBD (yes) (%)                               | 1505 (50%)  | 1457 (63%)  | 792 (52%)   | 703 (65%)   |
| PRS (std)                                   | 0.09 (1.02) | 0.10 (1.03) | 0.06 (0.99) | 0.10 (1.01) |

<sup>^</sup>Continuous variables given in mean (SD). Categorical variables with N (%).

\*Among parous women

**Supplemental Table 3.3.** Participant Characteristics at study entry for full data, derivation & validation data (Total cases=5,165).<sup>^</sup>

|                                   | Derivation Data (N=193,088, cases=3,463) |              |              |              | Validation data (N=96,616, Cases=1,712) |              |              |              |
|-----------------------------------|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|
|                                   | GS                                       | NHS          | NHSII        | Sister Study | GS                                      | NHS          | NHSII        | Sister Study |
| N                                 | 41,018                                   | 63,461       | 77,360       | 11,249       | 20,576                                  | 31,730       | 38,680       | 5,630        |
| N cases (full study)              | 311                                      | 1,275        | 1,633        | 244          | 148                                     | 666          | 768          | 130          |
| Premenopausal duration            | 24.6 (8.8)                               | 28.3 (6.3)   | 22.4 (4.9)   | 33.7 (5.1)   | 24.6 (8.8)                              | 28.2 (6.4)   | 22.4 (4.9)   | 33.6 (5.1)   |
| Age (years)                       | 37.2 (8.8)                               | 40.8 (6.3)   | 34.8 (4.7)   | 46.4 (4.8)   | 37.3 (8.7)                              | 40.7 (6.3)   | 34.8 (4.7)   | 46.4 (4.8)   |
| Age at menarche (years)           | 12.7 (1.4)                               | 12.5 (1.4)   | 12.4 (1.4)   | 12.7 (1.5)   | 12.7 (1.4)                              | 12.5 (1.4)   | 12.4 (1.4)   | 12.7 (1.5)   |
| Missing age at menarche           | 4636 (11%)                               | 486 (0.7%)   | 248 (0.3%)   | 7 (<0.1%)    | 2315 (11%)                              | 255 (0.4%)   | 137 (0.3%)   | 8 (0.1%)     |
| Parous (yes)                      | 25,150 (62%)                             | 58,564 (94%) | 55,248 (71%) | 8,870 (79%)  | 12,822 (63%)                            | 29,210 (94%) | 27,562 (71%) | 29,210 (94%) |
| Missing parous                    |  | 1,396        | 11           | 22           |   |              |              |              |
| Parous (yes/no)                   | 607 (1.5%)                               | (2.3%)       | (<0.1%)      | (<0.1%)      | 329 (1.6)                               | 723 (2.3)    | 5 (<1%)      | 8 (<1%)      |
| Parity*                           | 2.0 (0.8)                                | 3.0 (1.5)    | 2.0 (0.9)    | 2.2 (0.9)    | 2.0 (0.8)                               | 3.0 (1.5)    | 2.0 (0.9)    | 2.2 (0.9)    |
| Age from menarche to first birth* |  |              |              |              |   |              |              |              |
| Age at first birth (years)*       | 27.8 (4.8)                               | 24.9 (3.2)   | 25.6 (4.1)   | 26.3 (5.6)   | 27.7 (4.8)                              | 24.9 (3.2)   | 25.5 (4.1)   | 26.3 (5.7)   |
| Birth index*                      | 19.1 (15.1)                              | 20.7 (12.9)  | 13.1 (10.5)  | 30.2 (15.9)  | 19.2 (15.2)                             | 20.5 (12.9)  | 13.1 (10.5)  | 30.2 (16.0)  |
| Missing birth index*              | 5296 (21%)                               | 34256 (58%)  | 14176 (25%)  | 2,699 (30%)  | 2,770 (22%)                             | 17,061 (58%) | 7,053 (26%)  | 1,374 (31%)  |
| Breastfeeding duration, months*   | 12.7 (13.4)                              | 17.4 (11.1)  | 19.3 (10.6)  | 18.4 (15.9)  |   |              |              |              |
| Oral contraceptive use (%)        | 38,226 (93%)                             | 34,125 (54%) | 64,430 (84%) | 9,937 (88%)  | 19,189 (93%)                            | 16,988 (54%) | 32,282 (84%) | 4,980 (89%)  |
| Missing OC use                    | 22 (<0.1%)                               | 0            | 90 (0.1%)    | 4 (<0.1%)    | 7 (<0.1%)                               | 0            | 52 (0.1%)    | 3 (<0.1%)    |
| Height (cm)                       | 164.5 (13.1)                             | 163.6 (9.5)  | 164.2 (11.7) | 165.2 (6.6)  | 164.5 (13.2)                            | 163.6 (9.2)  | 164.2 (12.0) | 165.2 (6.8)  |
| BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )          | 24.9 (4.7)                               | 23.7 (4.1)   | 24.1 (4.9)   | 27.2 (6.0)   | 24.9 (4.7)                              | 23.7 (4.1)   | 24.1 (4.9)   | 27.0 (5.9)   |

Supplemental Table 3.3 (continued).

|   |              |              |              |               |              |              |              |              |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Missing BMI                                 | 749 (1.8%)   | 318 (0.5%)   | 494 (0.6%)   | 88 (0.8%)     | 377 (1.8%)   | 148 (0.5%)   | 255 (0.7%)   | 54 (1.0%)    |
| BMI in young adulthood (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ) | 22.1 (3.3)   | 21.4 (3.0)   | 21.3 (3.3)   | 0             | 22.1 (3.3)   | 21.4 (3.0)   | 21.3 (3.2)   | 0            |
| Missing BMI in young adulthood              | 2,097 (5.1%) | 12,462 (20%) | 1,110 (1.4%) | 11,249 (100%) | 1,040 (5.1%) | 6,179 (19%)  | 570 (1.5%)   | 5,630 (100%) |
| Weight Change last 4 yrs (kg)               |              |              |              |               |              |              |              |              |
| Alcohol (drinks/week)                       | 5.8 (6.7)    | 3.6 (5.8)    | 1.8 (3.6)    | 2.8 (4.6)     | 5.7 (6.6)    | 3.5 (5.8)    | 1.8 (3.5)    | 2.8 (4.6)    |
| Missing drinks/week                         | 760 (1.8%)   | 15,450 (24%) | 14,081 (18%) | 8 (<0.1%)     | 420 (2.0%)   | 7,727 (24%)  | 7,028 (18%)  | 7 (0.1%)     |
| Family history of BC (%)                    | 5,894 (14%)  | 3,626 (5.7)  | 12,353 (16%) | 10,783 (96%)  | 2,980 (14%)  | 1,807 (5.7%) | 6,024 (16%)  | 5,391 (96%)  |
| BBD (yes) (%)                               | 5,933 (14%)  | 26,296 (41%) | 41,222 (53%) | 407 (3.8%)    | 2,927 (14%)  | 13,256 (42%) | 20,516 (53%) | 207 (3.9%)   |
| Missing BBD                                 | 0            | 0            | 0            | 584 (5.2%)    | 0            | 0            | 0            | 317 (5.6%)   |

^Continuous variables given in mean (SD). Categorical variables with N (%).

\*Among parous women