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**Supplementary Information**

**5-Cholesten-3 $\beta$ ,25-diol 3-sulfate Decreases Lipid Accumulation in Diet-induced  
Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease Mouse Model**

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**Supplementary Figure 1. Mass spectral analysis of 25HC3S.**

Characterization of the chemically synthesized and purified 5-cholest-3 $\beta$ ,25-diol 3-sulfonate was analyzed by negative ion-triple quadrupole mass spectrometer (Peking University, China), which shows the same molecular mass ion,  $m/z$  481 as the “authentic” nuclear oxysterol and the purified product was not contaminated by the starting material, 25-hydroxycholesterol,  $m/z$  401.

**Supplementary Figure 2. Proton nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy of 25HC3S.**

$^1\text{H}$  NMR analysis shows that the proton resonance at C3 with multiple small (1.5 Hz) splits near 3.65 ppm in the spectrum of 25-hydroxycholesterol (starting material) is shifted to 4.20 ppm in the product spectrum, which confirms that a  $\text{HSO}_3^-$  group is added at the C3 position of 25-hydroxycholesterol. The results indicate that the synthesized molecule is 5-cholest-3 $\beta$ ,25-diol 3-sulfonate (25HC3S).

**Supplementary Table. 1. Primer sets for real time RT-PCR analysis of gene expression**

Name	GenBank No.	Forward Sequence	Reverse Sequence
SREBP-1c	NM_011480	AGCAGCCCCCTAGAACAAACAC	CAGCAGTGAGTCTGCCTTGAT
ACC1	NM_133360	ATGGGCGGAATGGTCTCTTC	TGGGGACCTTGCTTCATCAT
FAS	NM_007988	AGAGATCCCAGAGACGCTCT	GCCTGGTAGGCATTCTGTAGT
LXR $\alpha$	NM_013839	GAGCCGACAGAGCTCGTC	GCGTGCTCCCTGATGACA
CPT1	NM_013495	CTCCGCCTGAGCCATGAAG	CACCAAGTGTGATGCCATTCT
PPAR $\alpha$	NM_011144	AGAGCCCCATCTGCCTCTC	ACTGGTAGTCTGCAAAACAAA
ACOX1	NM_015729	TCCAGACTTCCAACATGAGGA	CTGGCGTAGGTGCCAATTA
MCAD	NM_007382	AGGGTTAGTTTGAGTTGACGG	CCCCGCTTTGTATATTCCG
SCAD	NM_007383	ACAGTGGATCACCCCTTCAC	ACCCATGAGTCACCCTCTTCC
PPAR $\gamma$	NM_008904	TATGGAAGTGACATAGAGTGTGCT	CCACTTCAATCCACCCAGAAAG
FABP1	NM_017399	CTGACACCCCCCTTGATGTCC	ATGAACCTCTCCGGCAAGTAC
FATP1	NM_011977	CGCTTCTCGGTATCGTCTG	GATGCACGGGATCGTGTCT
GPAM	NM_008149	ACAGTTGGCACAATAGACGTTT	CCTTCCATTTCACTGTTGCAGA
MTTP	NM_008642	CTCTTGGCAGTGCTTTCTCT	GAGCTTGATAGCCGCTCATT
PLTP	NM_011125	CGCAAAGGGCCACTTTACTA	GCCCCCATCATATAAGAACAG
SREBP-2	NM_033218	TGAAGGACTTAGTCATGGGAC	CGCAGCTGTGATTGACCT
HMGR	NM_008255	AGCTTGCCCGAATTGTATGTG	TCTGTTGTGAACCATGTGACTTC
ABCA1	NM_013454	AAAACCGCAGACATCCTTCAG	CATACCGAAACTCGTTCACCC
ABCG1	NM_009593	GCTCCATCGTCTGTACCATCC	TGTTCTGATCCCCGTACTCCC
ABCG5	NM_031884	ATTATGTGCATCTAGGCAGCTC	CGTAGGAGAACGAGCTTGGAA
CYP7 $\alpha$	NM_007824	AACGGGTTGATTCCATACCTGG	GTGGACATATTCATCAGTT
CYP27 $\alpha$	NM_024264	GACAACCTCCTTGGGACTTAC	GTGGTCTCTTATTGGTACTTGC
LDLR	NM_010700	AGTGGCCCGAATCATTGAC	CTAACTAACACCAGACAGAGGC
SRB1	NM_016741	TTTGGAGTGGTAGTAAAAGGGC	TGACATCAGGGACTCAGAGTAG
CD36	NM_007643	ATGGGCTGTGATCGGAAC	GTCTTCCAATAAGCATGTCTCC
G6Pase	NM_008061	TCGGAGACTGGTTCAACCTC	AGGTGACAGGGAACTGCTTTAT
PCK1	NM_011044	CTGCATAACGGTCTGGACTTC	CAGCAACTGCCGTACTCC
GCK	NM_010292	AGGAGGCCAGTGAAAGATGT	CTCCCAGGTCTAAGGAGAGAAG
Pklr	NM_013631	TCAAGGCAGGGATGAACATTG	CACGGGTCTGTAGCTGAGTG
IL1 $\alpha$	NM_010554	CTGATGAAGCTCGTCAGGCAG	TGGTGCTGAGATAGTGTGTC
IL1 $\beta$	NM_008361	GCAACTGTTCTGAACACTCA	ATCTTTGGGTCCGTCAACT
NF $\kappa$ B (Rela)	NM_009045	GCGCGGGACTATGACTTG	GCCCCGTTATCAAAATCGGAT
TNF $\alpha$	NM_013693	CCCTCACACTCAGATCATCTTCT	GCTACGACGTGGCTACAG
I $\kappa$ B $\alpha$	NM_010907	TGAAGGACGAGGAGTACGAGC	TTCGTGGATGATTGCCAAGTG
GAPDH	NM_008084	CATGTTCCAGTATGACTCCACTC	GGCCTCACCCATTGATGT
$\beta$ -actin	NM_007393	GGCTGTATTCCCTCCATCG	CCAGTTGTAACAATGCCATGT