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## Supplemental information accompanying the manuscript

## Robust hydrolysis of prostaglandin glycerol esters by human monoacylglycerol lipase (MAGL)

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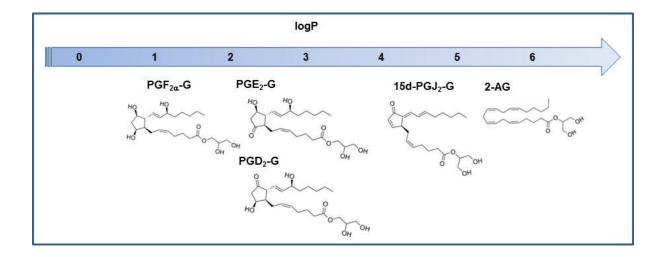
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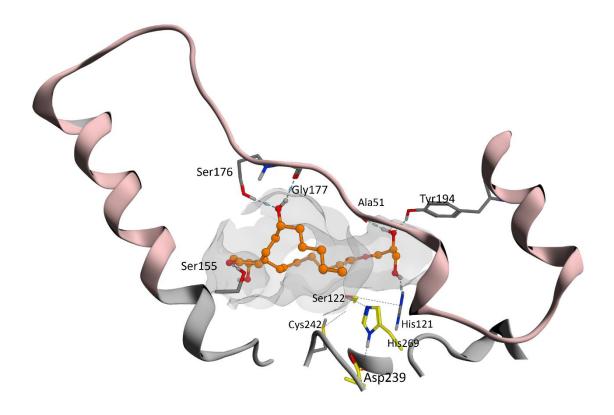
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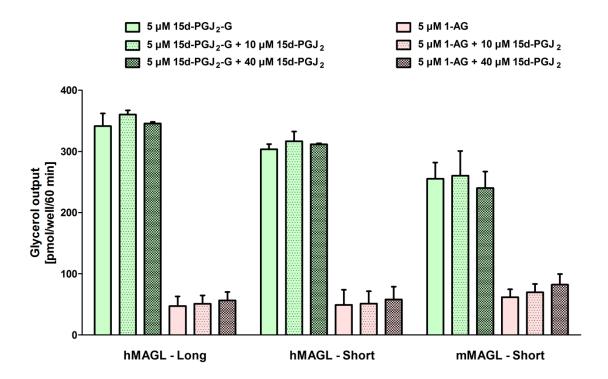
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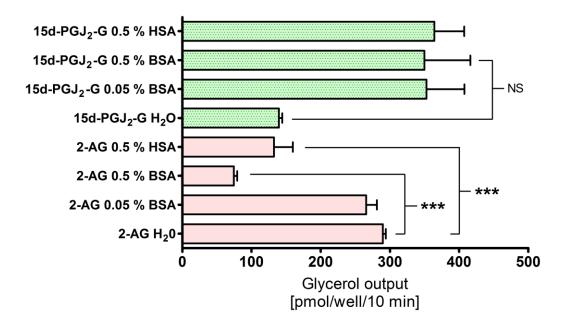
**Supplemental Figure 1.** Chemical structures and calculated logP values of the PG-G species tested in this study. The logP values were estimated using ChemAxon Marvin 6.0 software. Note that 15d-PGJ<sub>2</sub>-G represented the 2-isomer while PGD<sub>2</sub>-G, PGE<sub>2</sub>-G and PGF<sub>2 $\alpha$ </sub>-G are 1(3)-isomers.



**Supplemental Figure 2.** Location of additional hydrogen bond interaction between  $PGD_2$ -G (orange) and the LID domain of hMAGL (pink). The view is from the direction of the substrate access site. In contrast to  $PGD_2$ , 15d- $PGJ_2$ -G is unable to form additional hydrogen bonds between the 15d- $PGJ_2$  moiety and the lid domain (see Figure 5A).



**Supplemental Figure 3.** No inhibition of MAGL isoforms by the 15d-PGJ<sub>2</sub>-G hydrolysis end-product 15d-PGJ<sub>2</sub>. Lysates (0.3  $\mu$ g/well) of HEK293 cells transiently overexpressing human MAGL-long (313 aa), human MAGL-short (303 aa) and mouse MAGL-short (303 aa) isoforms were incubated together with the indicated substrates (15d-PGJ<sub>2</sub>-G or 1-AG, 5  $\mu$ M final concentration) in the presence or absence of the indicated concentrations of 15d-PGJ<sub>2</sub>. Glycerol output was determined at time-point 60 min. Data are mean + S.D. of duplicate wells from two independent experiments. There were no statistically significant differences in the substrate utilization in the absence or presence of 15d-PGJ<sub>2</sub> (one-way analysis of variance followed by Tukeys multiple comparisons).



**Supplemental Figure 4.** Substrate availability for MAGL-catalyzed hydrolysis in incubations with or without bovine (BSA) or human serum albumin (HSA). Lysates (0.3  $\mu$ g/well) of HEK293 cells transiently overexpressing hMAGL (long isoform) were incubated together with the indicated substrates (25  $\mu$ M final concentration) in the presence or absence (H<sub>2</sub>O) of the indicated albumin concentrations (w/v). Glycerol output was determined at time-point 10 min. Data are mean + S.E.M. of duplicate wells and combined from three independent experiments. Statistical comparisons were done using one-way analysis of variance, followed by Tukeys multiple comparisons and the significance indicated with an asterix (\*\*\* p<0.001).