



Gut *Bifidobacterium pseudocatenulatum* protects against fat deposition by enhancing secondary bile acid biosynthesis

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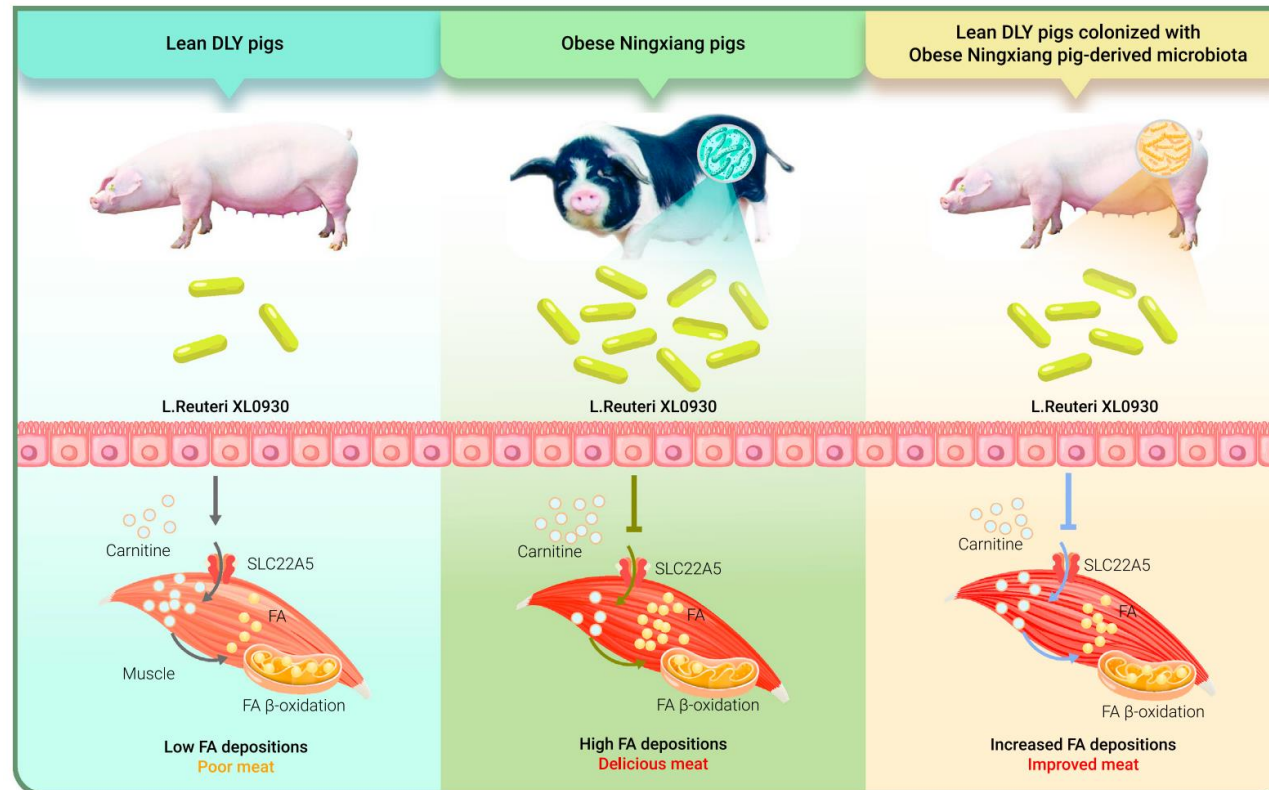
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Background

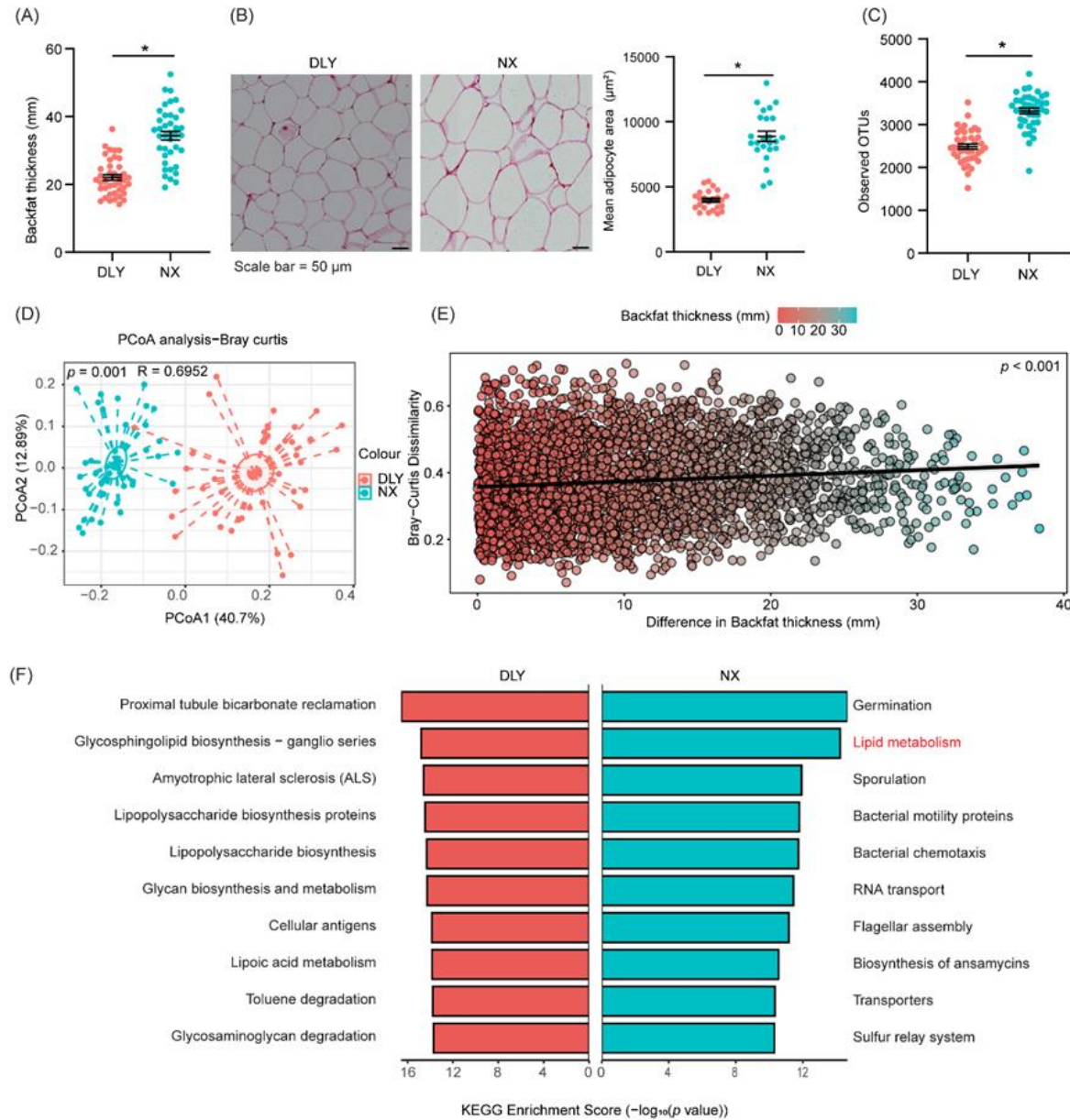
The gut microbiota is closely related to host fat deposition.

- There are significant differences in the composition of the gut microbiota and fat accumulation among different pig breeds.
- Microbiota transplantation alters the energy homeostasis and fat deposition



Results

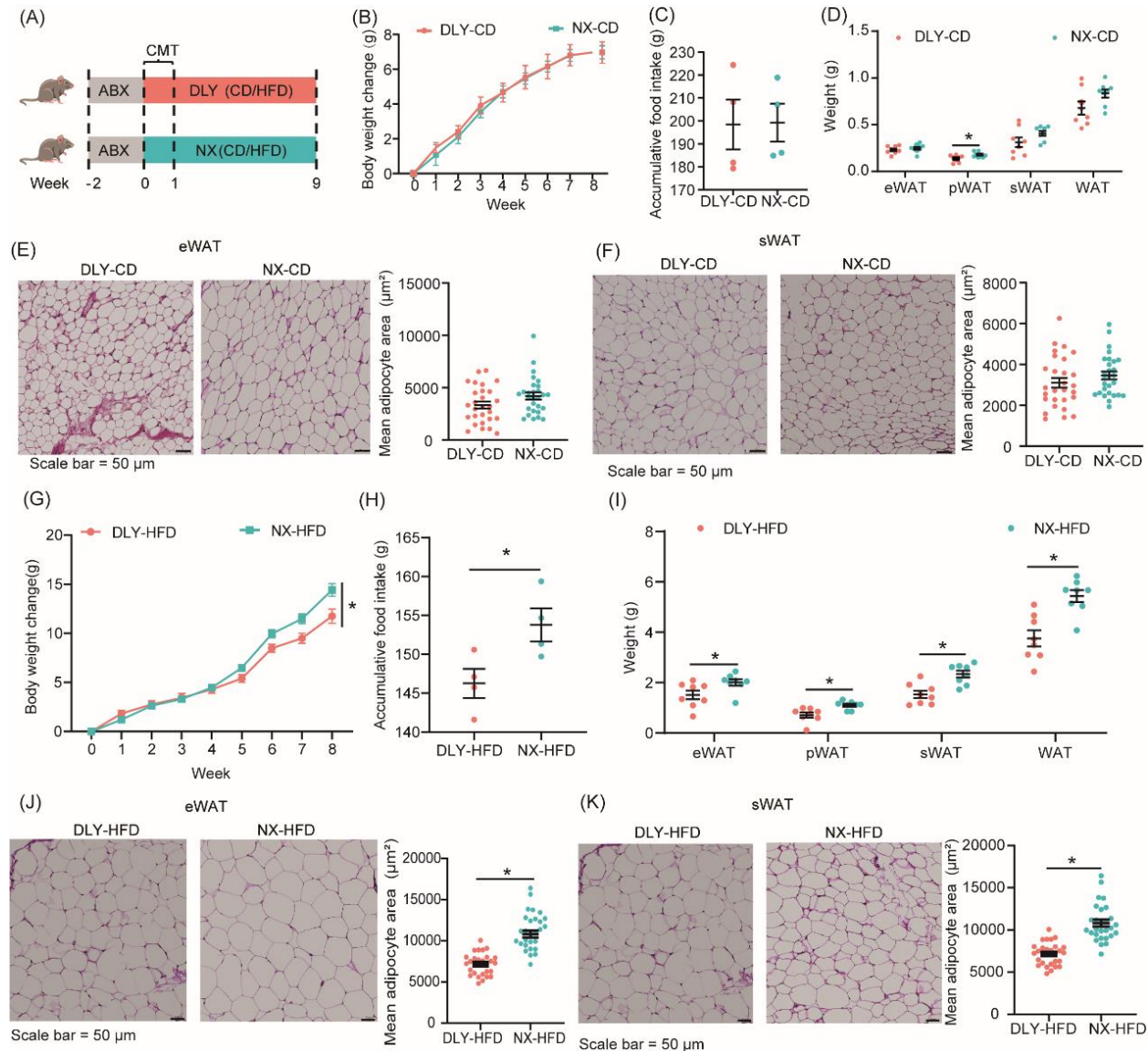
Distinct microbial profile associated with backfat deposition in lean and obese pigs



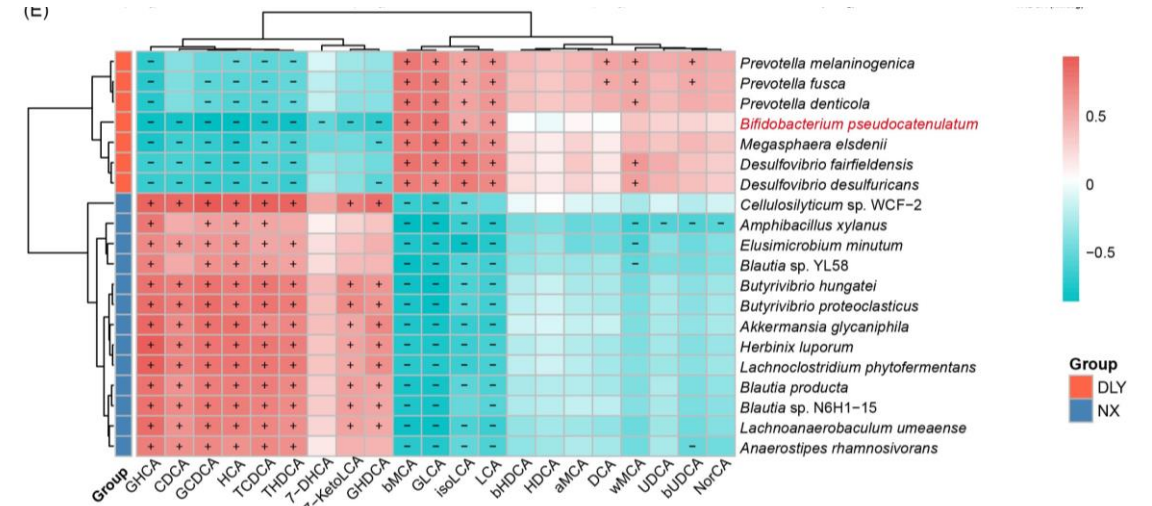
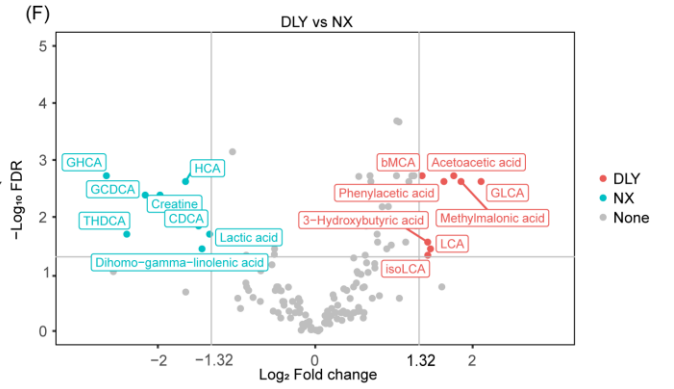
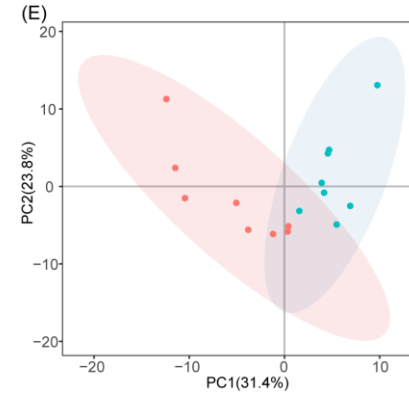
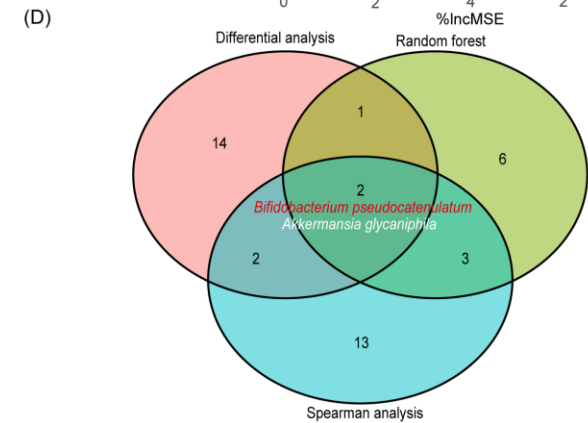
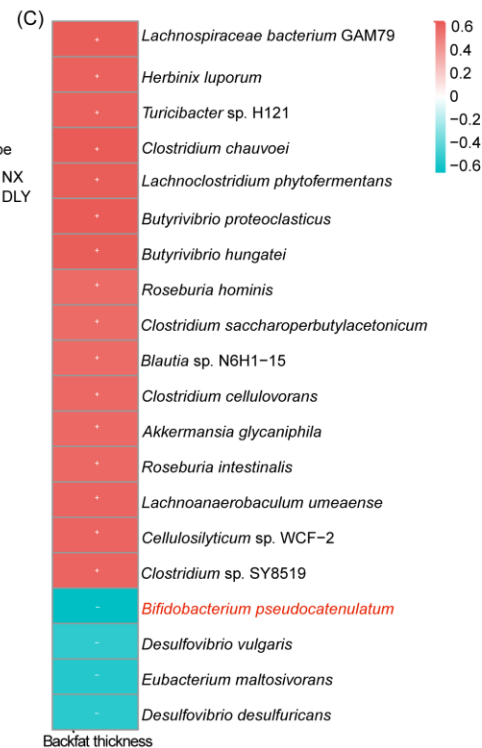
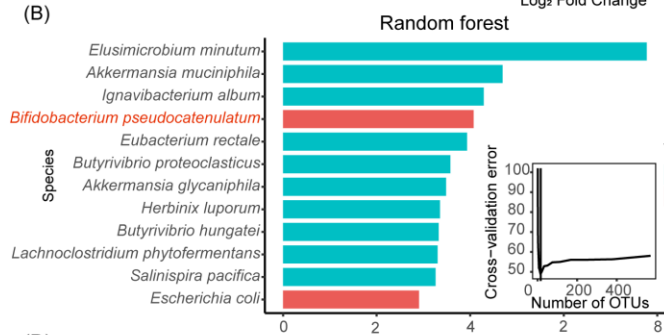
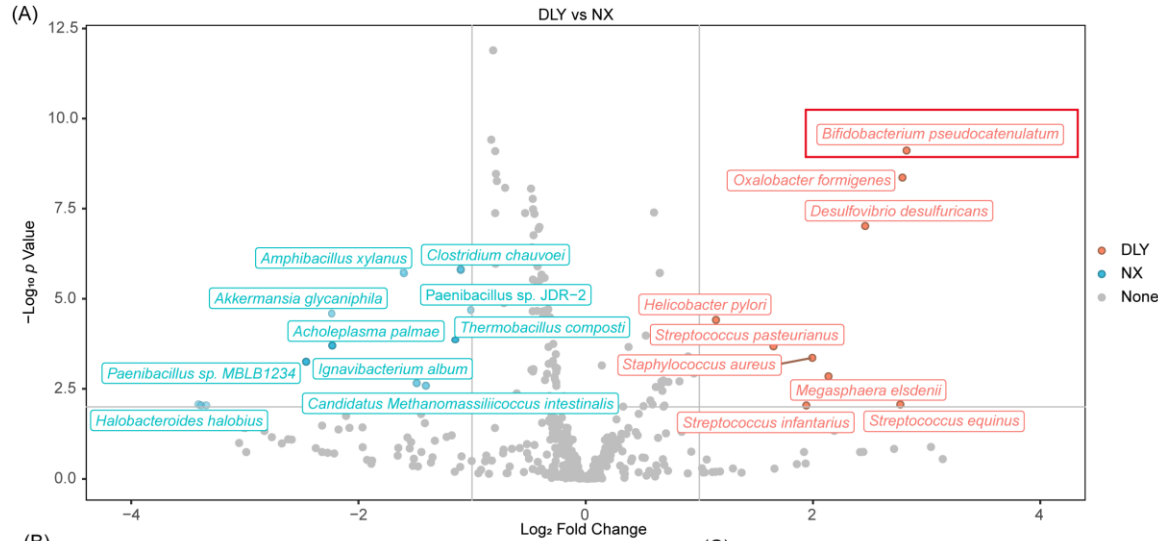


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The gut microbiome of lean and obese pigs contributes to the variations of lipid deposition

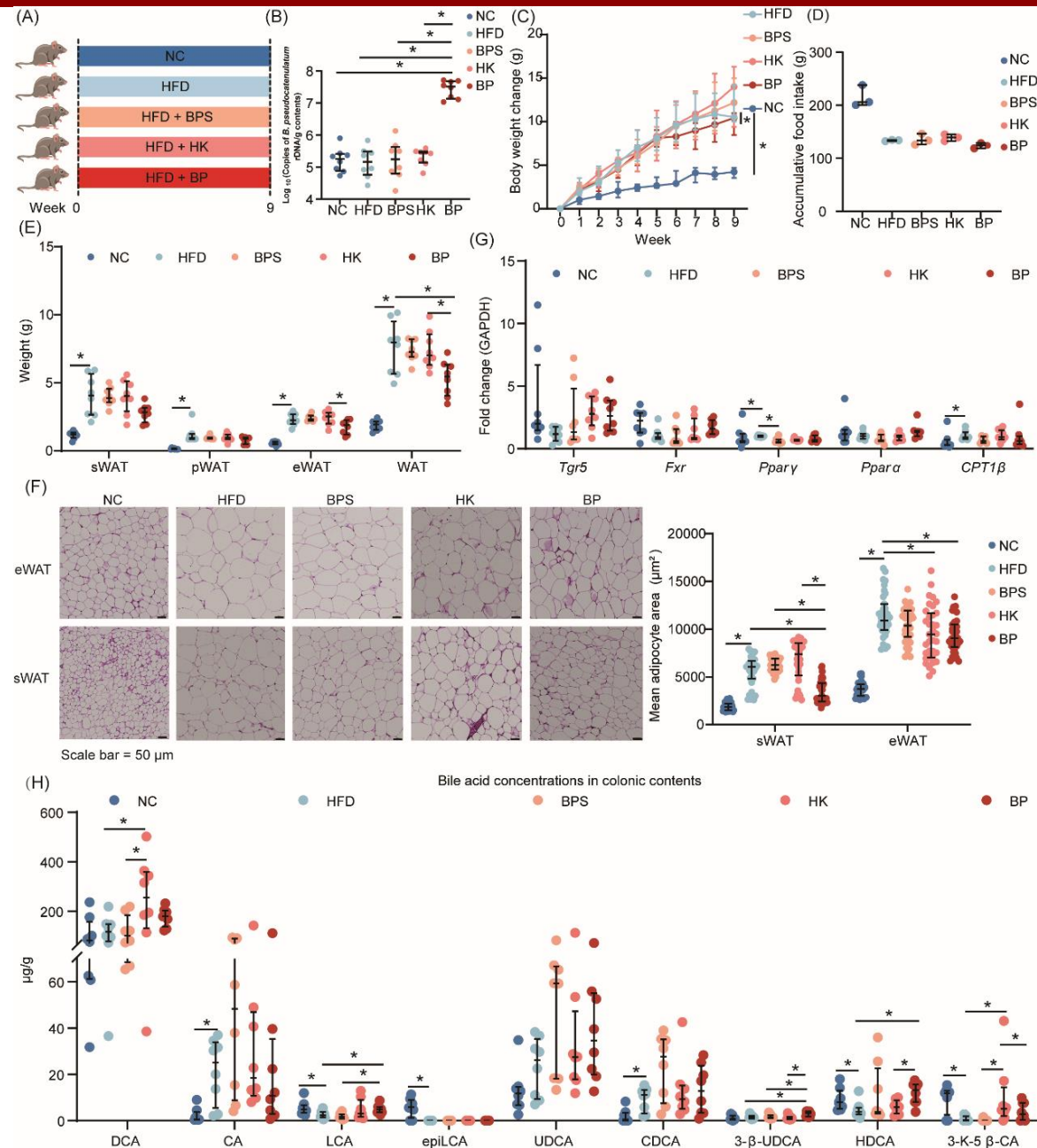


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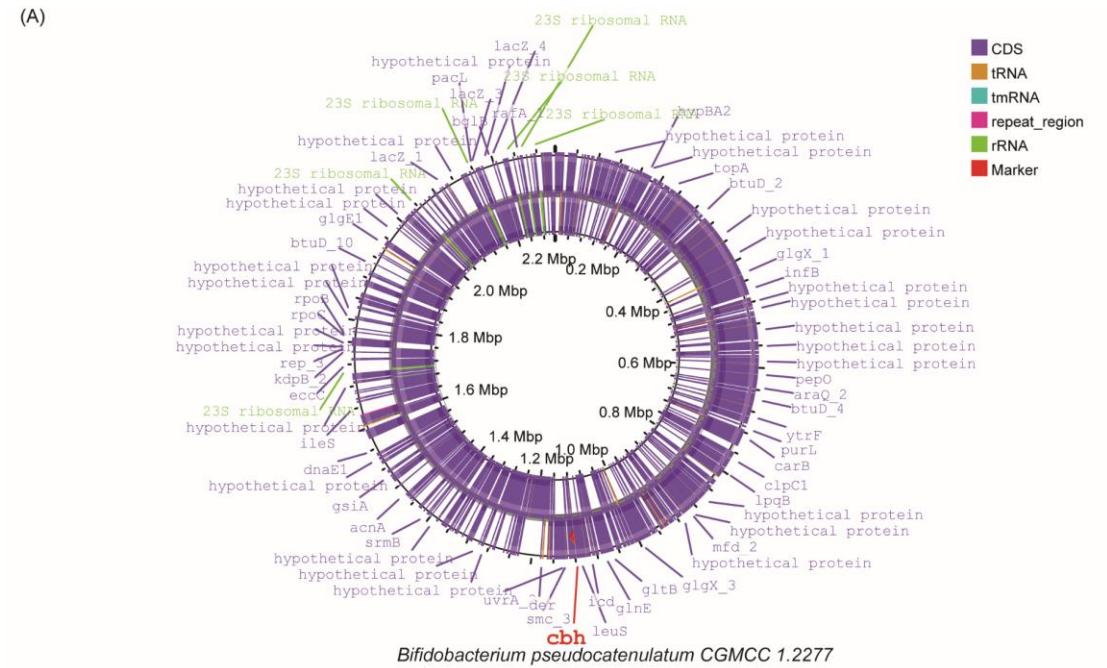
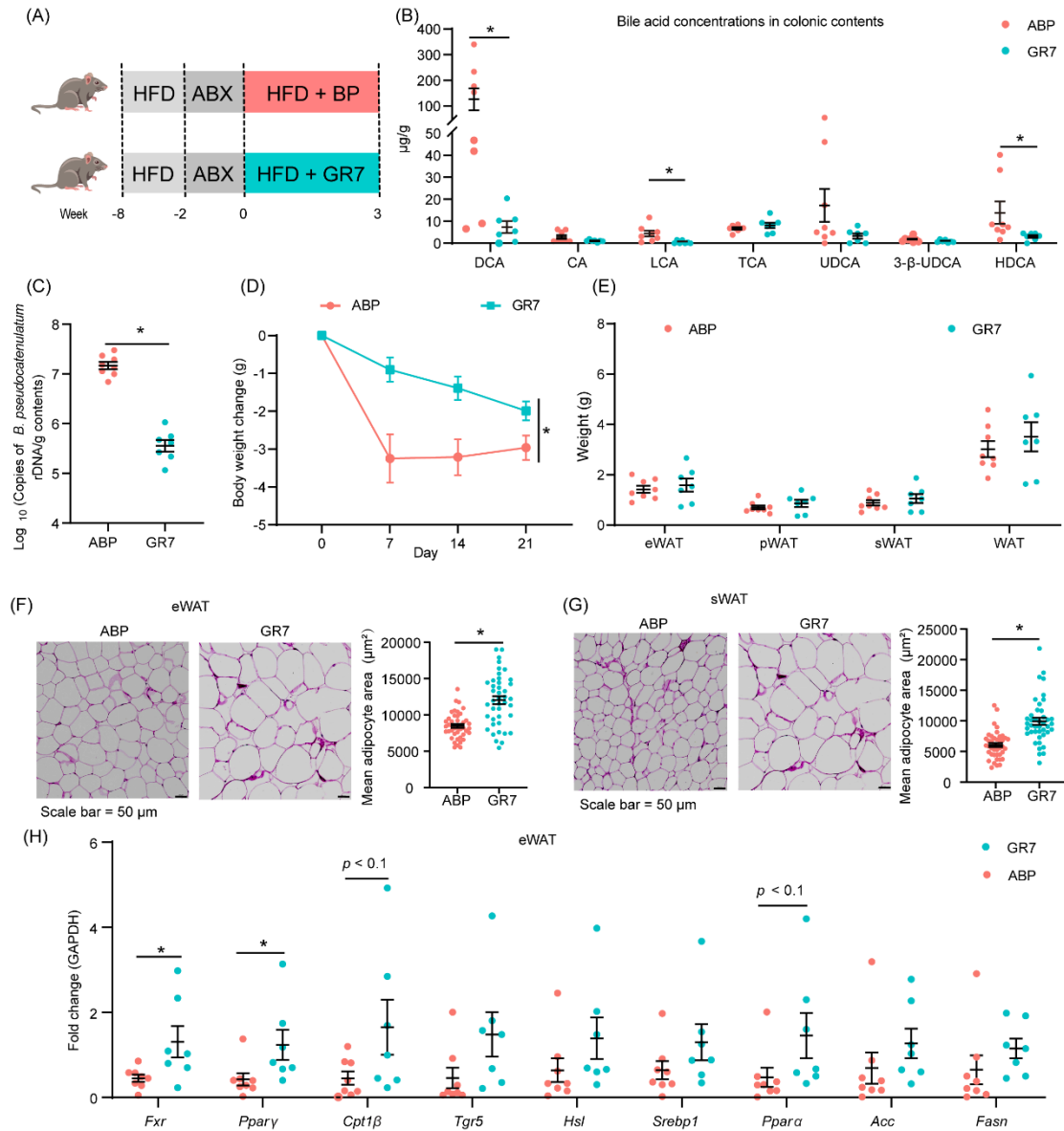
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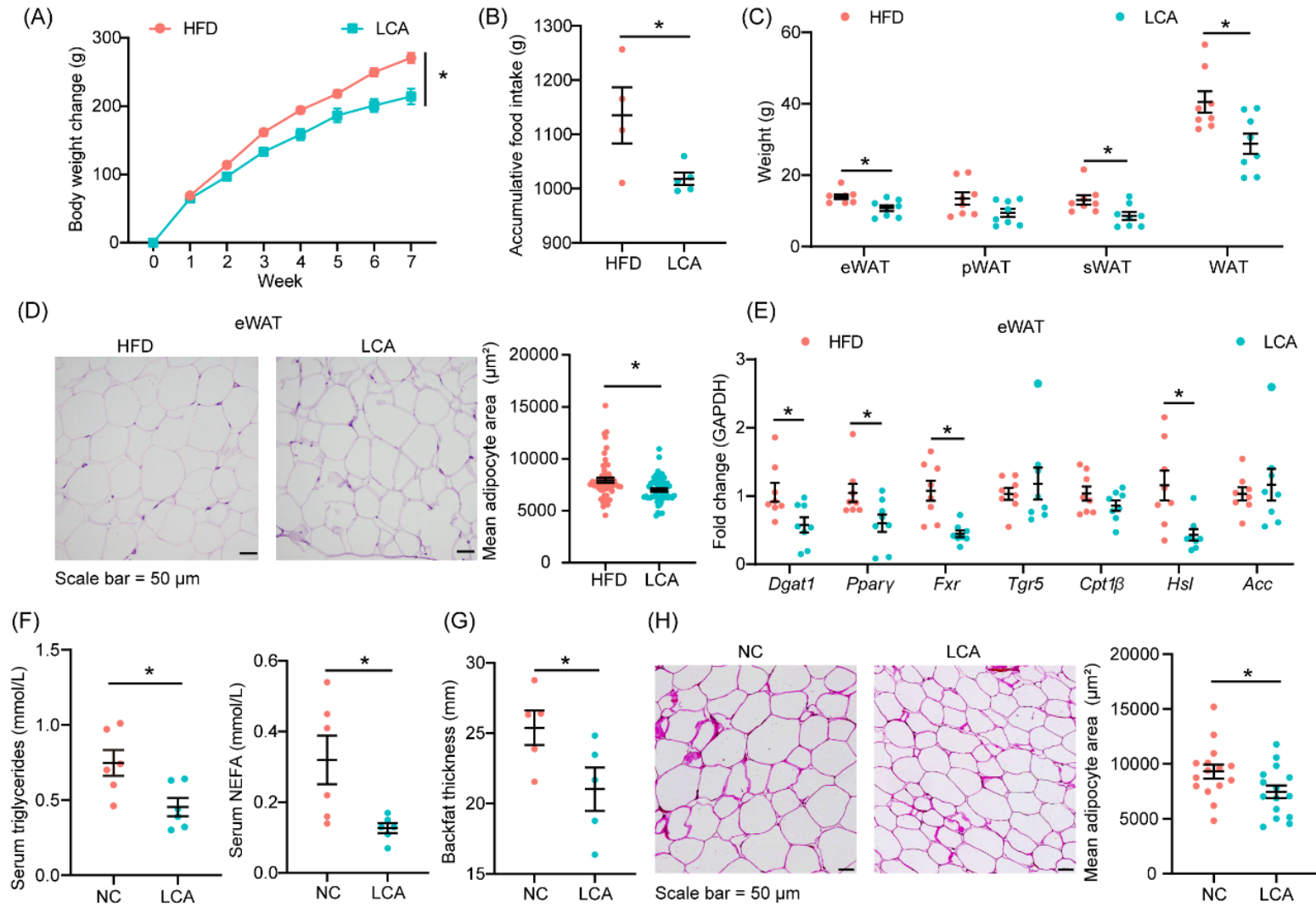
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Pharmacological inhibition of the BSH impairs the anti-fat deposition effect of *B. pseudocatenulatum*.

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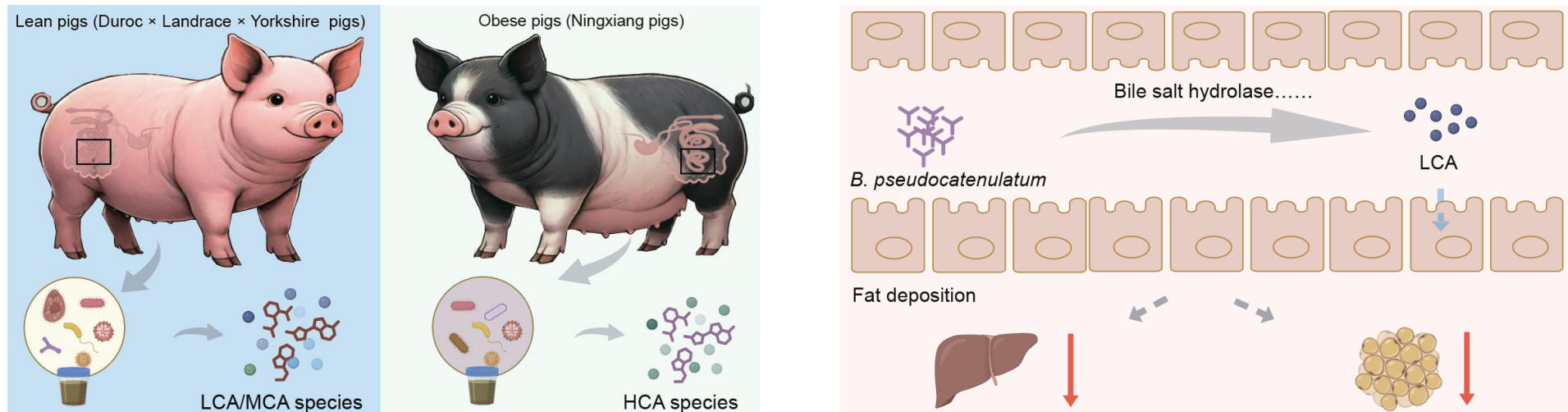


LCA protects against fat deposition in HFD-fed rat and NX pig models



Summary

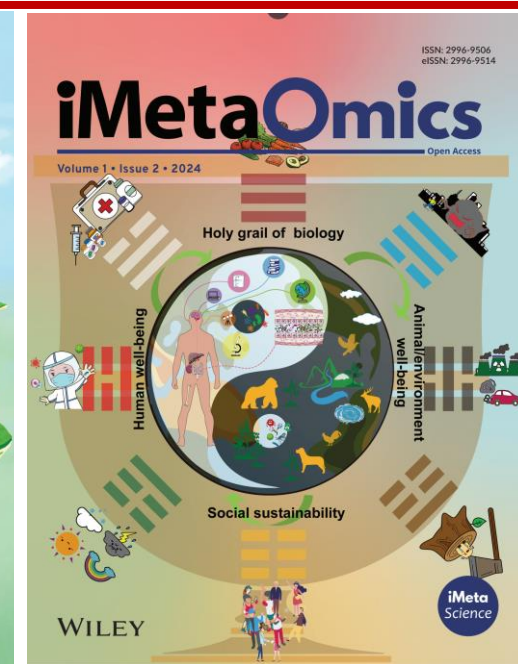
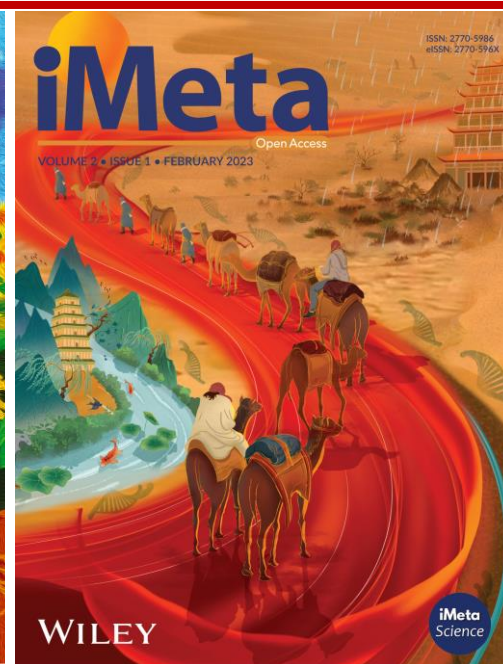
- The colonic microbiota of lean and obese growing-finishing pigs regulated fat composition.
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- *Bifidobacterium pseudocatenulatum* reduced fat deposition by enhancing secondary bile acid biosynthesis in HFD-fed mice.
- Dietary LCA reduced fat deposition in HFD-fed rat and obese Ningxiang pig models.



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