

Supplementary Materials for

Different Gene Expressions of Alpha and Beta Glucocorticoid Receptors in Asthmatics

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Calculation of GCR α and GCR β Gene Expressions BY 2- $^{\Delta\Delta CT}$ Analysis Method

Part 1

Relations of the GCRa expression among the groups:

Mean Δ Cts of Asthma group:2.47Mean Δ Cts of SRA group:2.75Mean Δ Cts of Control group:2.37

So,

1) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for Asthma *vs.* Control: $2^{-(2.47-2.37)} = 2^{-0.1} = 0.93303$ 2) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for SRA *vs.* Control: $2^{-(2.75-2.37)} = 2^{-0.38} = 0.76843$ 3) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for SRA *vs.* asthma: $2^{-(2.75-2.47)} = 2^{-0.28} = 0.82359$

Relations of the GCR\$\beta\$ expression among the groups:

Mean Δ Cts of Asthma group:12.09Mean Δ Cts of SRA group:11.55Mean Δ Cts of Control group:11.57

So,

1) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for Asthma *vs.* Control: $2^{-(12.09-11.57)} = 2^{-0.52} = 0.69737$ 2) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for SRA *vs.* Control: $2^{-(11.55-11.57)} = 2^{-0.52} = 0.69737$ 3) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for SRA *vs.* asthma: $2^{-(11.55-12.09)} = 2^{0.54} = 1.45397$

Part 2

Relations of the GCRa and GCRb expressions in each group:

In Asthma group;

Mean ΔCts of $GCR\alpha$: 2.47 Mean ΔCts of $GCR\beta$: 12.09

So,

1) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for GCR α vs. GCR β : $2^{-(2.47-12.09)} = 2^{9.62} = 768.8800$ 2) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for GCR β vs. GCR α : $2^{-(12.09-2.47)} = 2^{-9.62} = 0.0012$

In SRA group;

Mean ΔCts of $GCR\alpha$: 2.75 Mean ΔCts of $GCR\beta$: 11.55

So,

1) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for GCR α vs. GCR β : $2^{-(2.75-11.55)} = 2^{8.8} = 445.7218$ 2) Calculation of $2^{-\Delta\Delta Ct}$ for GCR β vs. GCR α : $2^{-(11.55-2.75)} = 2^{-8.8} = 0.0022$

In control group;

Mean Δ Cts of GCR α : 2.37 Mean Δ Cts of GCR β : 11.57 So,

Calculation of 2^{-ΔΔCt} for GCRα vs. GCRβ:
 Calculation of 2^{-ΔΔCt} for GCRβ vs. GCRα:

 $2^{-(2.37-11.57)} = 2^{9.2} = 588.1335$ $2^{-(11.57-2.37)} = 2^{-9.2} = 0.0017$

The Dot Plot Diagram of Correlations of the GCR α and GCR β Gene Expression

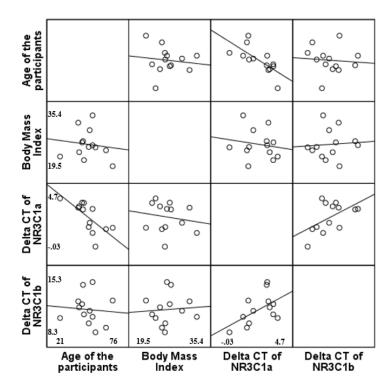


Figure S1. Dot plot diagram of correlation in severe asthma group (Age and BMI are presented in year and kg/M² respectively. Delta CTs are ratio, have no unit).

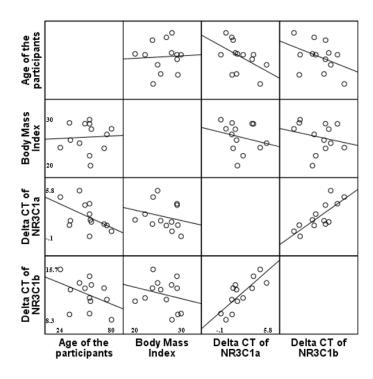


Figure S2. Dot plot diagram of correlation in asthma group (Age and BMI are presented in year and kg/M^2 respectively. Delta CTs are ratio, have no unit).

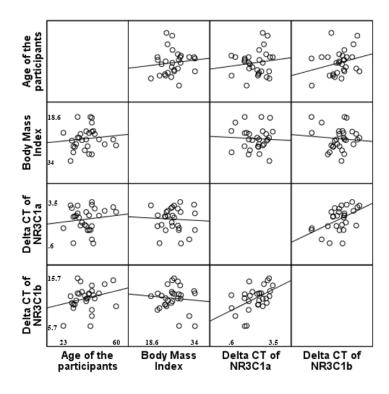


Figure S3. Dot plot diagram of correlation in control group (Age and BMI are presented in year and kg/M^2 respectively. Delta CTs are ratio, have no unit).