

## **Abbreviations**

- ADA- American diabetic association  
ADIPOQ- Adiponectin  
AIF- Apoptosis inducing factor  
ATM- Adipose tissue macrophage  
Akt- Protein kinase B  
AMPK- AMP-activated protein kinase  
APPL1- Adaptor protein, phosphotyrosine interacting with PH domain and leucine zipper 1  
ARX- Aristaless-related homeobox  
AT- Adipose tissue  
AUC- Area under curve  
BMI- Body mass index  
BrdU- 5-bromo-2'-deoxyuridine  
BSA- Bovine serum albumin  
BW- Body weight  
DAG- Diacyl glycerol  
DAPI- 4',6-diamidino-2-phenylindole  
DEPC- Diethylpyrocarbonate  
DM- Diabetes mellitus  
ETC- Electron transport chain  
FBG- Fasting blood glucose  
FBPase- Fructose 1,6-bisphosphatase  
FFA- Free fatty acid  
GAD65- Glutamic acid decarboxylase  
GCK- Glucokinase  
GD- Gestation diabetes  
GLUT2- Glucose transporter 2  
GLUT4- Glucose transporter 4  
GSIS- Glucose stimulated insulin secretion  
Gly Synth- Glycogen synthase  
Gly phosphorylase- Glycogen phosphorylase  
G6Pase- Glucose 6-phosphatase  
GWAS- Genome wide association studies  
HDL- High density Lipoproteins  
HFD- High fat diet  
HMW- High molecular weight  
IDF- International diabetes federation  
IL- Interleukin  
IPGTT- Intraperitoneal glucose tolerance test  
IPITT-Intraperitoneal insulin tolerance test  
IR1 $\beta$ - Insulin receptor 1  $\beta$   
IRS- Insulin receptor substrate  
JNK- cJun N-terminal Kinase  
kDa- Kilodalton  
LDL- Low density lipoproteins  
LG- L-glutamine  
MCP1- Monocyte chemoattractant protein-1  
NEFAs- Non-esterified free fatty acids  
NGN3- Neurogenin-3

NS- Non significant  
OCR- Oxygen consumption rate  
P- Pitavastatin  
PAX 4- Paired box 4  
PBMC- Peripheral Blood Mononuclear cells  
PCR- Polymerase chain reaction  
PDX 1- Pancreas/duodenum homeobox protein 1  
PEPCK- Phosphoenolpyruvate carboxykinase  
PGC1 $\alpha$ - PPAR $\gamma$  coactivator  
PI3K- Phosphoinositide 3-kinase  
PO- Per OS  
PPAR- Peroxisome Proliferator- activated receptor  
PPAR $\gamma$ - Peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor gamma  
RFLP- Restriction fragment length polymorphism  
SEM- Standard error mean  
SIRT1- Sirtuin 1  
SNP- Single nucleotide polymorphism  
STZ- Streptozotocin  
TFAM- Transcription factor A, mitochondrial  
TG- Triglyceride  
TNF $\alpha$ - Tumor Necrosis Factor- alpha  
TUNEL- Terminal deoxynucleotidyl transferase dUTP nick end labelling  
T2D- Type 2 Diabetes mellitus  
WAT- White adipose tissues  
WHO- World health organization