

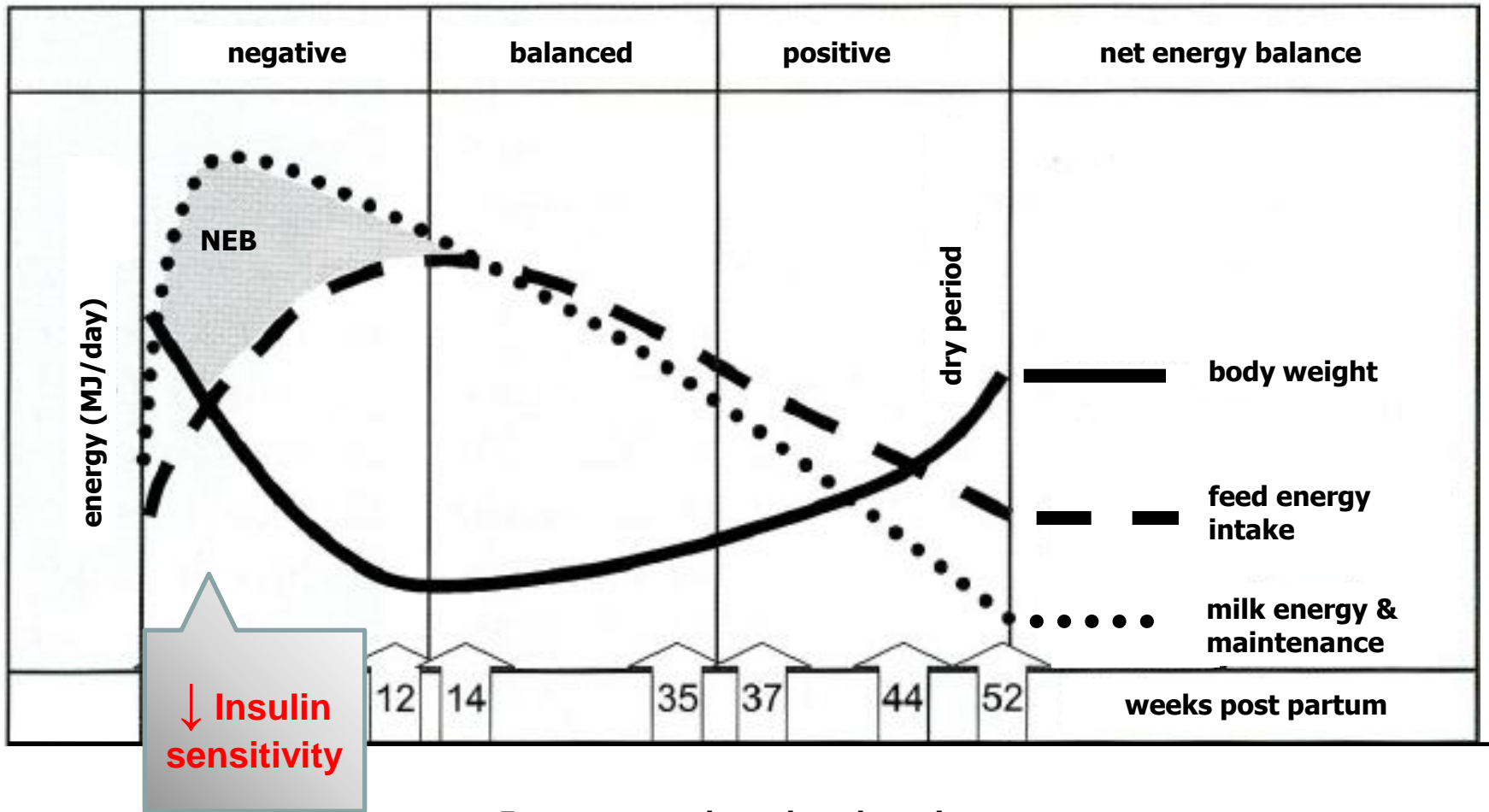
Adiponectin and leptin system: long term physiological and conjugated linoleic acid induced changes

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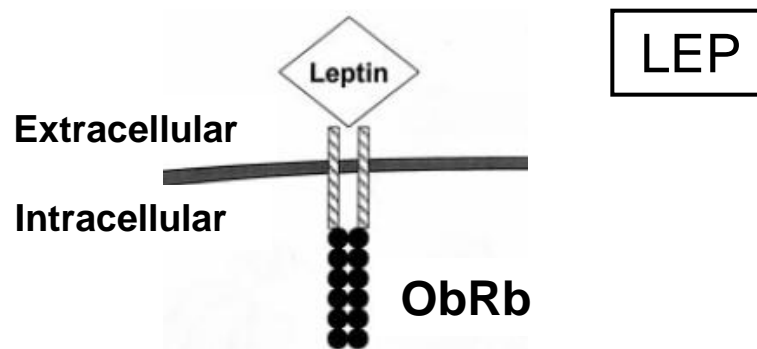
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Introduction

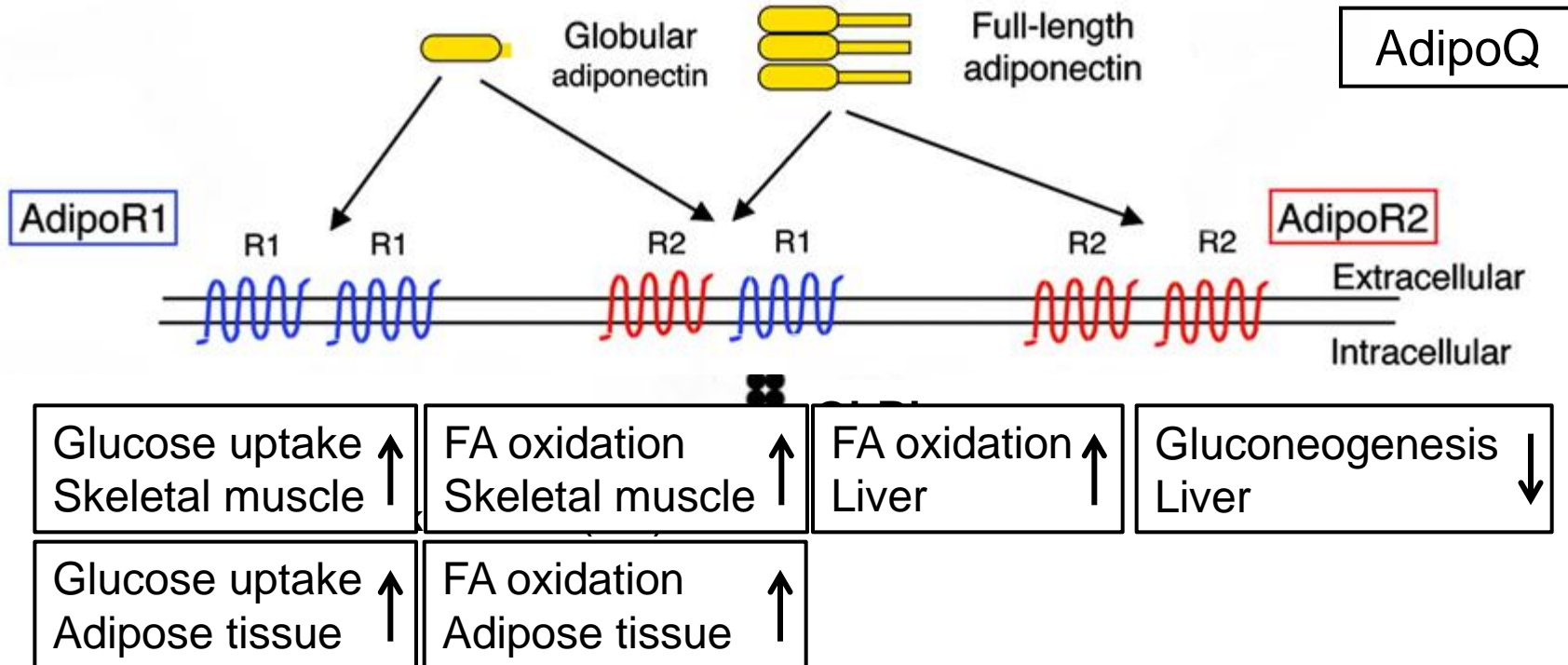


Energy status throughout lactation

Adapted from Busch et al (2004)

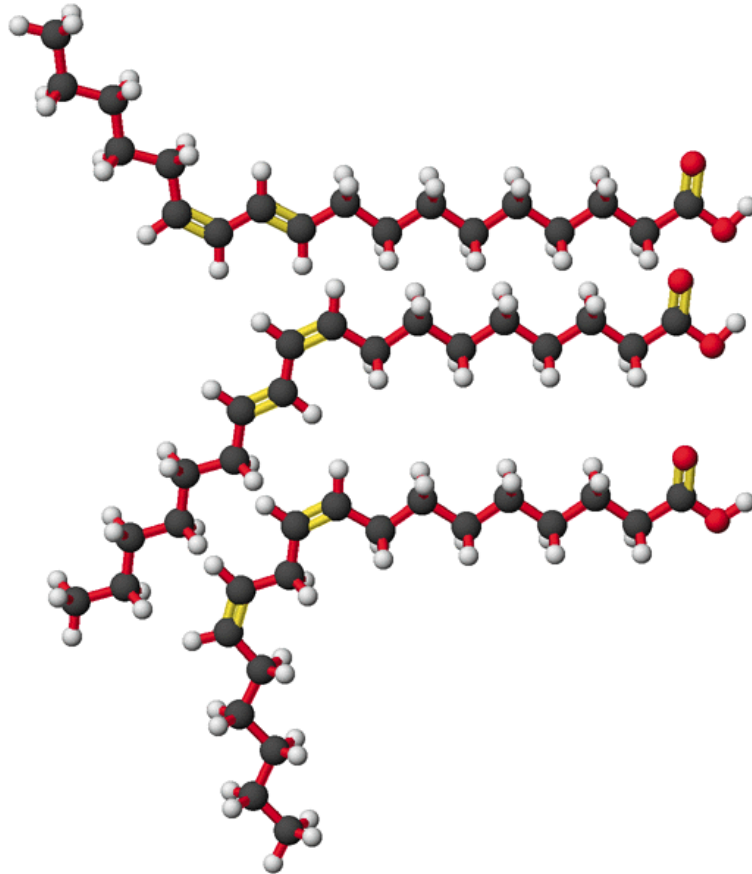


Kawachi et al (2007)



Kadowaki and Yamauchi (2005)
Wu et al (2003)
Puigserver et al (2001)

conjugated linoleic acids (CLA)



trans-10, cis-12 CLA

cis-9, trans-11 CLA

linoleic acid (cis-9, cis-12)

- Milk fat ↓
- Adipocyte size ↓
- No effect on insulin, leptin, etc

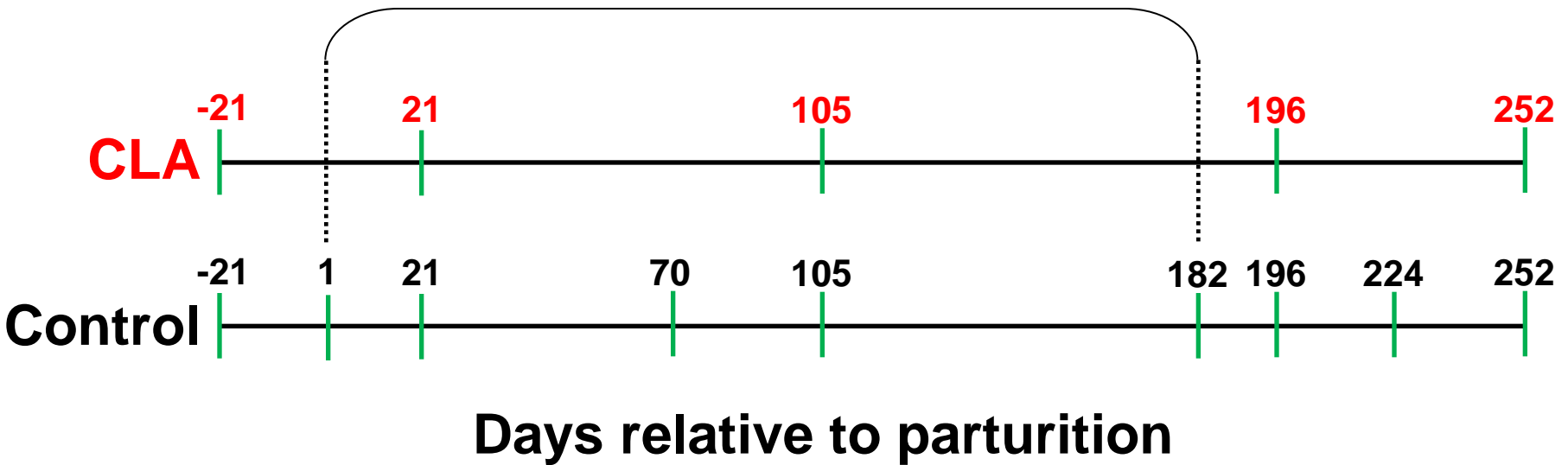
- Insulin sensitivity ↓
- Fat mass ↓

Monogastrics Dairy cows

— Days when biopsies from s.c.AT and liver were taken

Trial 1

CLA supplementation



Control (10 cows)

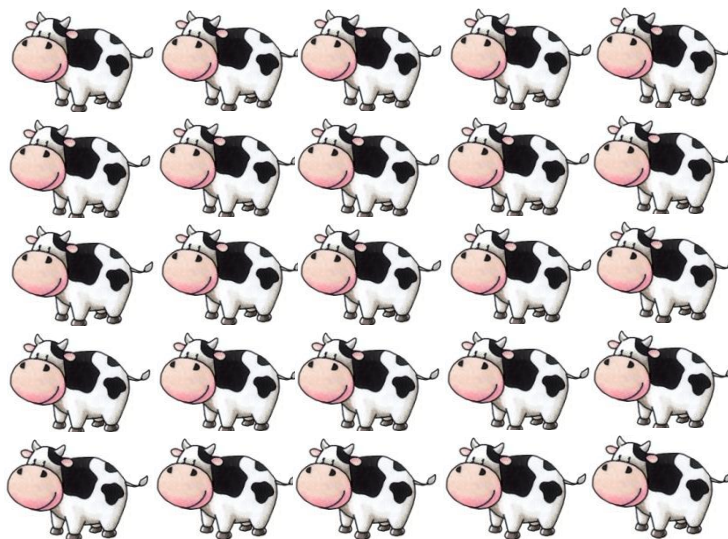
CLA substituted with stearic acid
(Silafat®, BASF, Germany)
100 g/day

CLA (11 cows)

12% each of the *cis-9*, *trans-11* and the
trans-10, *cis-12* isomers
(Lutrell pure®, BASF, Germany)
100 g/day

25 heifers

Trial 2



Control

CLA substituted with stearic acid
(Silafat[®], BASF, Germany)
100 g/day

CLA

12% each of the *cis*-9, *trans*-11 and the
trans-10, *cis*-12 isomers
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Day 1 post partum

Trial 2

Day 42 post partum



Control

Day 42 post partum



CLA



Day 105 post partum

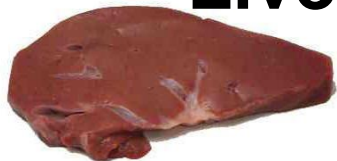


Day 105 post partum

Semitendinosus Muscle



Liver



Mammary gland



Adipose tissues (AT)

Subcutaneous (s.c.)

- Sternum
- Tail head
- Withers



Visceral (v.c.)

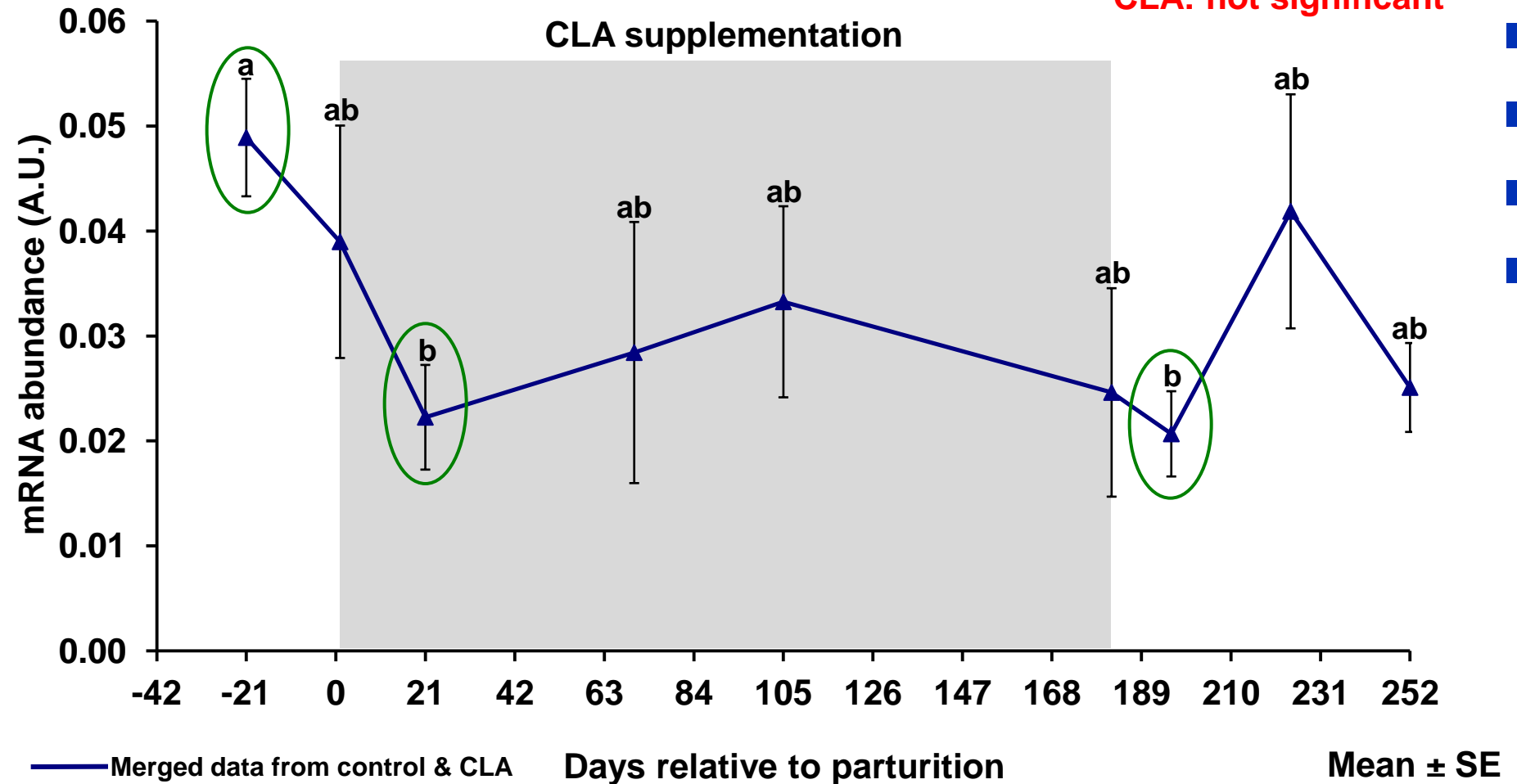
- Mesenterial
- Omental
- Retroperitoneal

- ✓ **mRNA abundance (Ab) determined using real-time PCR**

- ✓ **Statistics (SPSS, $P < 0.05$):**
 - **Mixed model (trial 1)**
 - **GLM or non parametric test (trial 2)**

AdipoQ mRNA Ab in s.c. AT (trial 1)

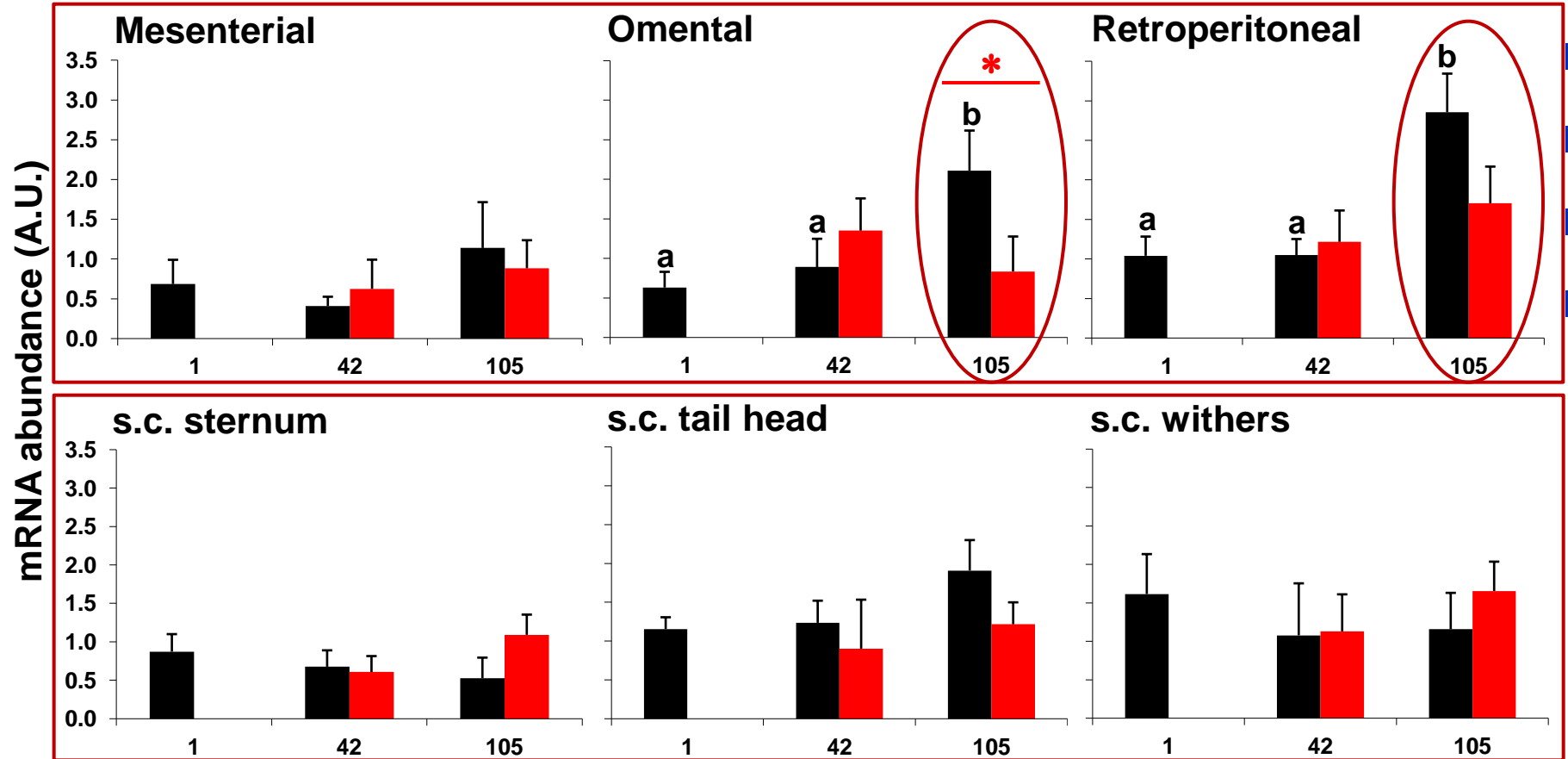
CLA: not significant



— Merged data from control & CLA Days relative to parturition
 a, b: significant differences between dates ($P < 0.05$)

Mean ± SE

AdipoQ mRNA Ab in different AT (trial 2)



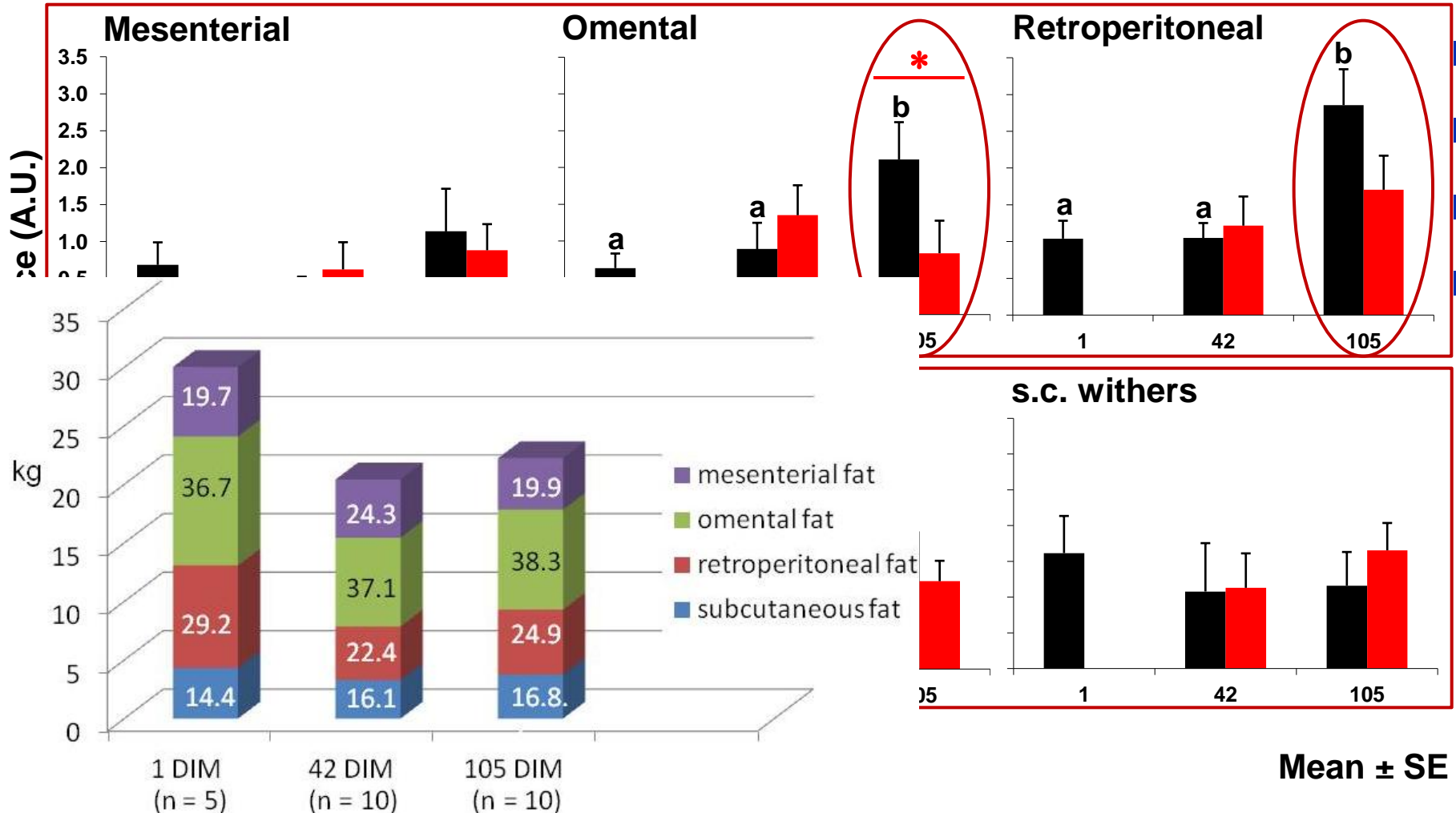
Control
 CLA

Days after parturition

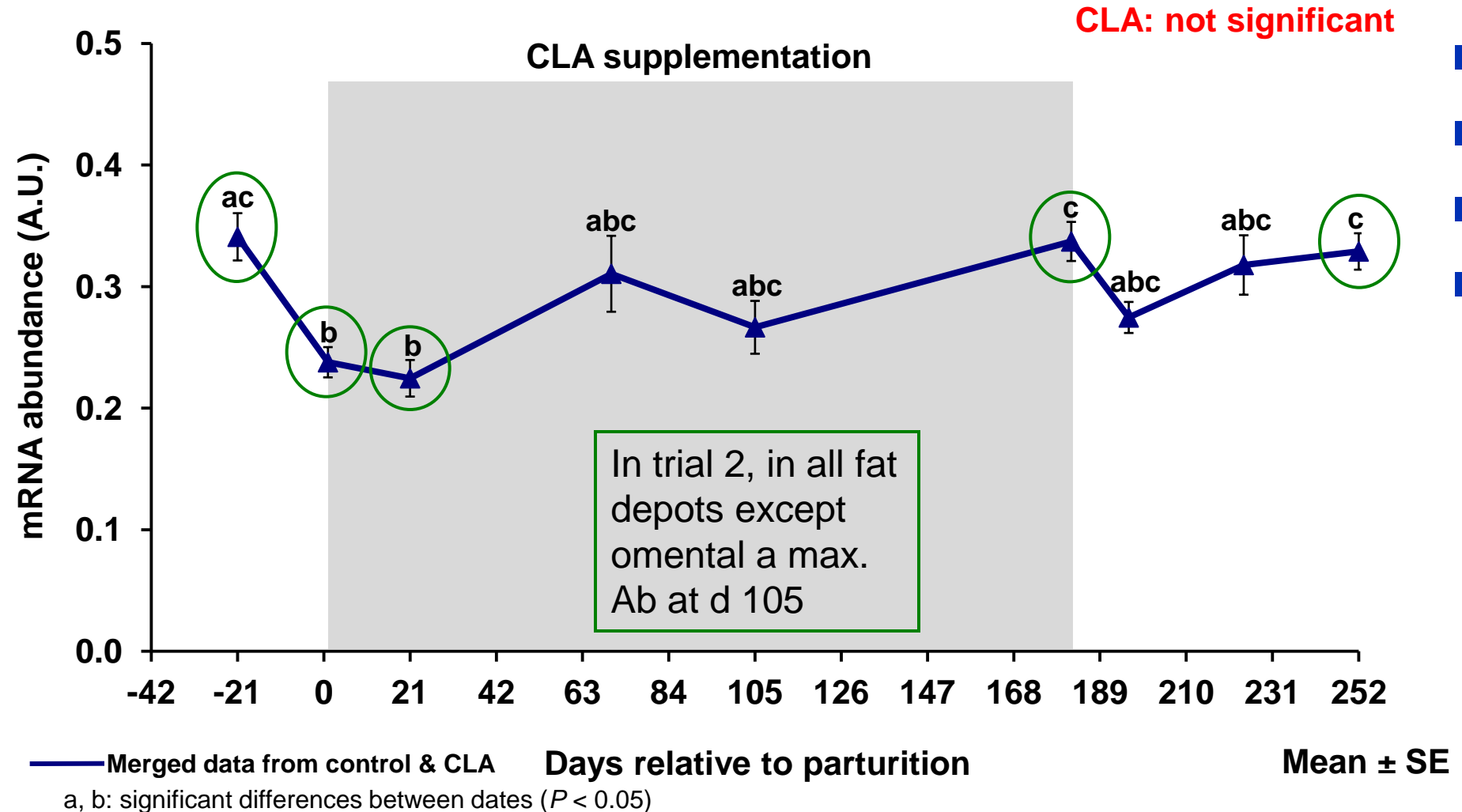
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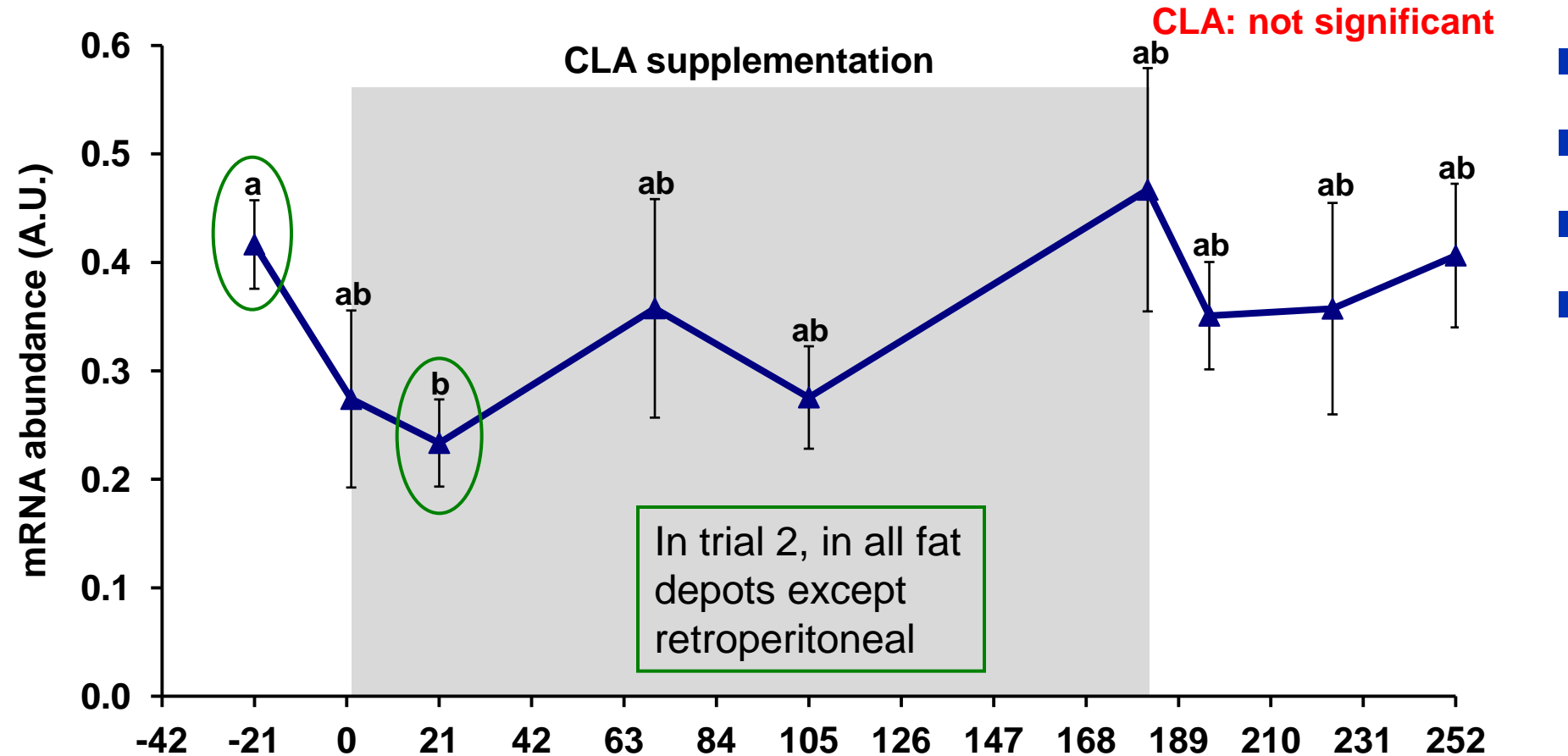
AdipoQ mRNA Ab in different AT (trial 2)



AdipoR1 mRNA Ab in s.c. AT (trial 1)

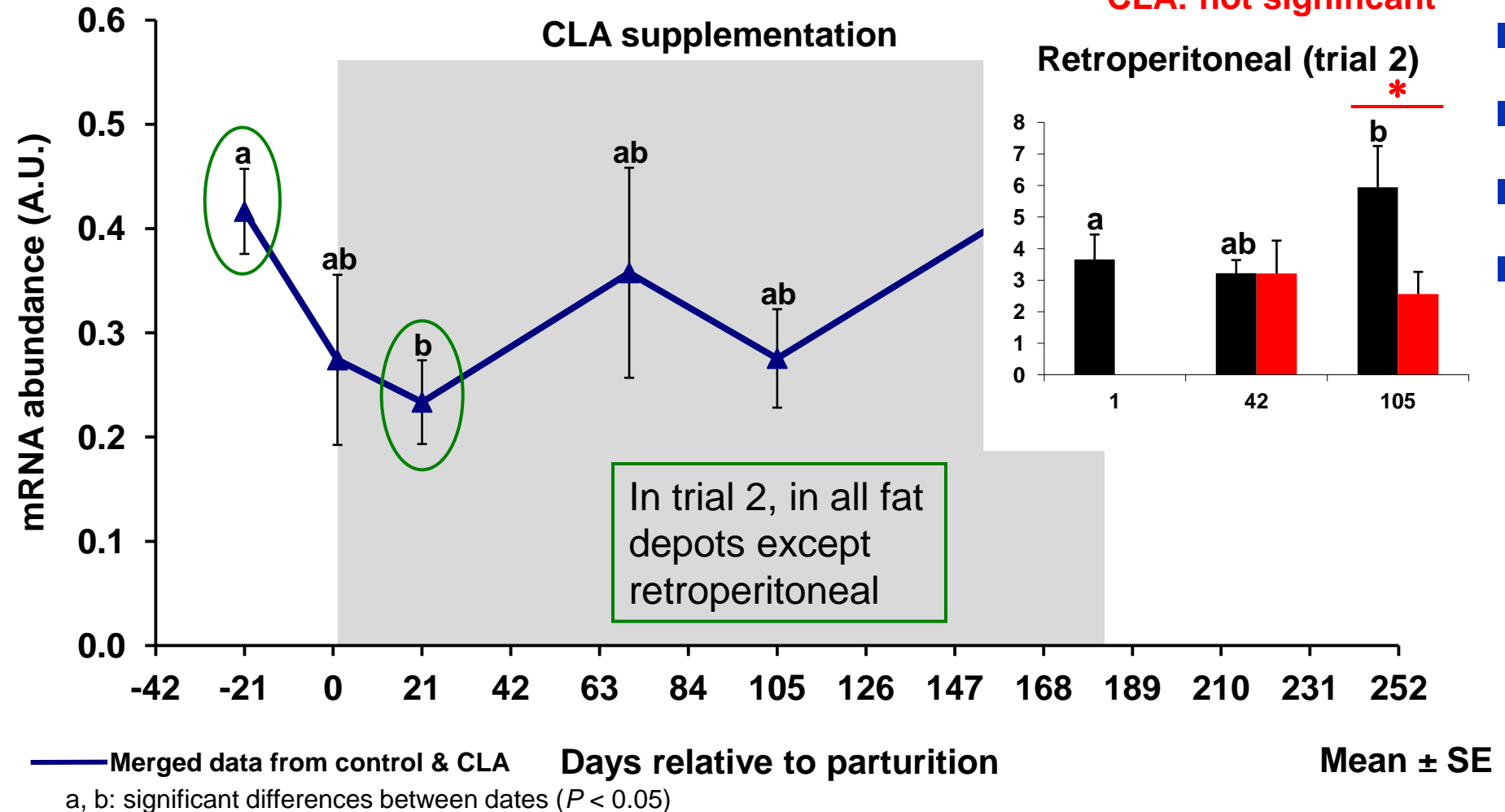


AdipoR2 mRNA Ab in s.c. AT (trial 1)

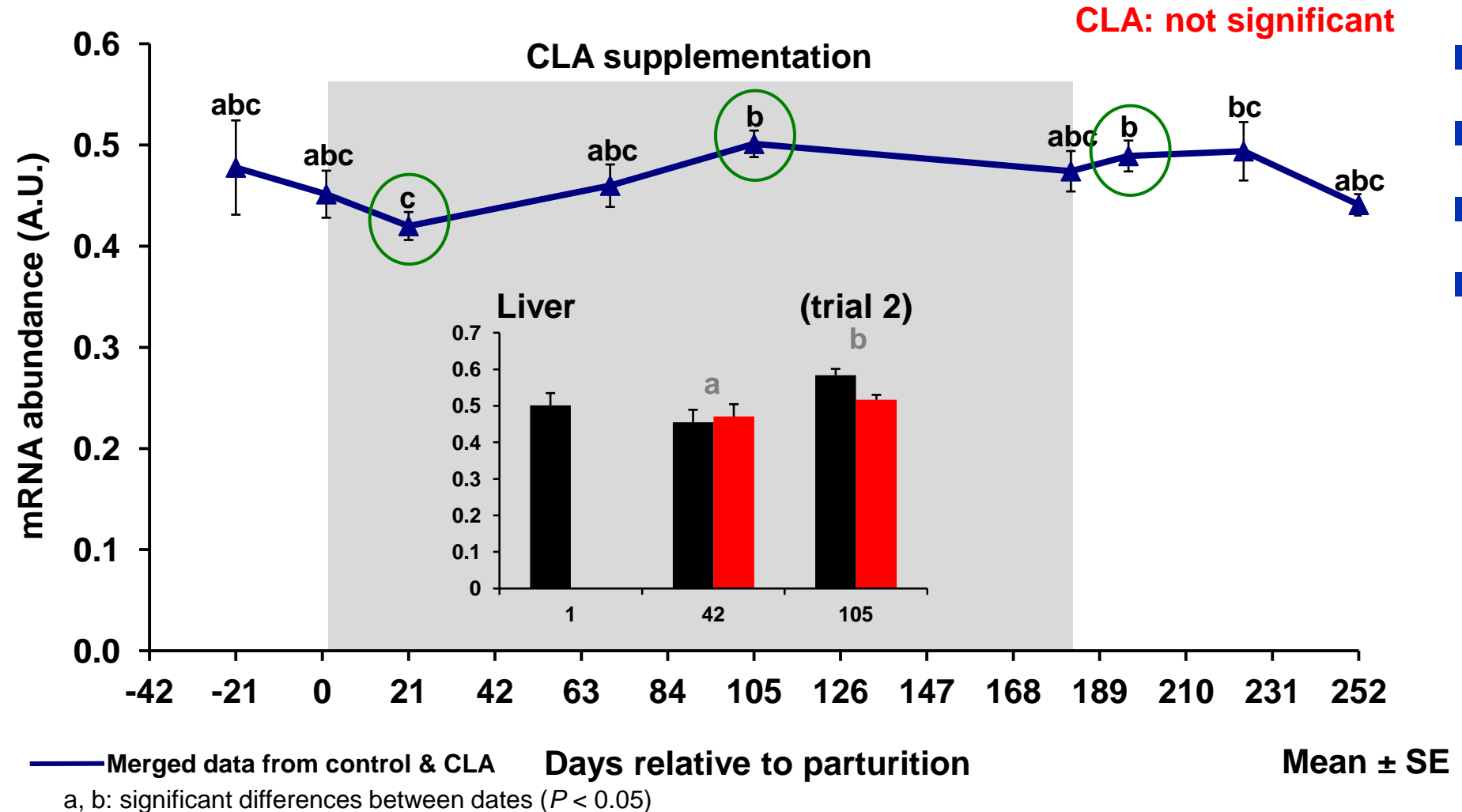


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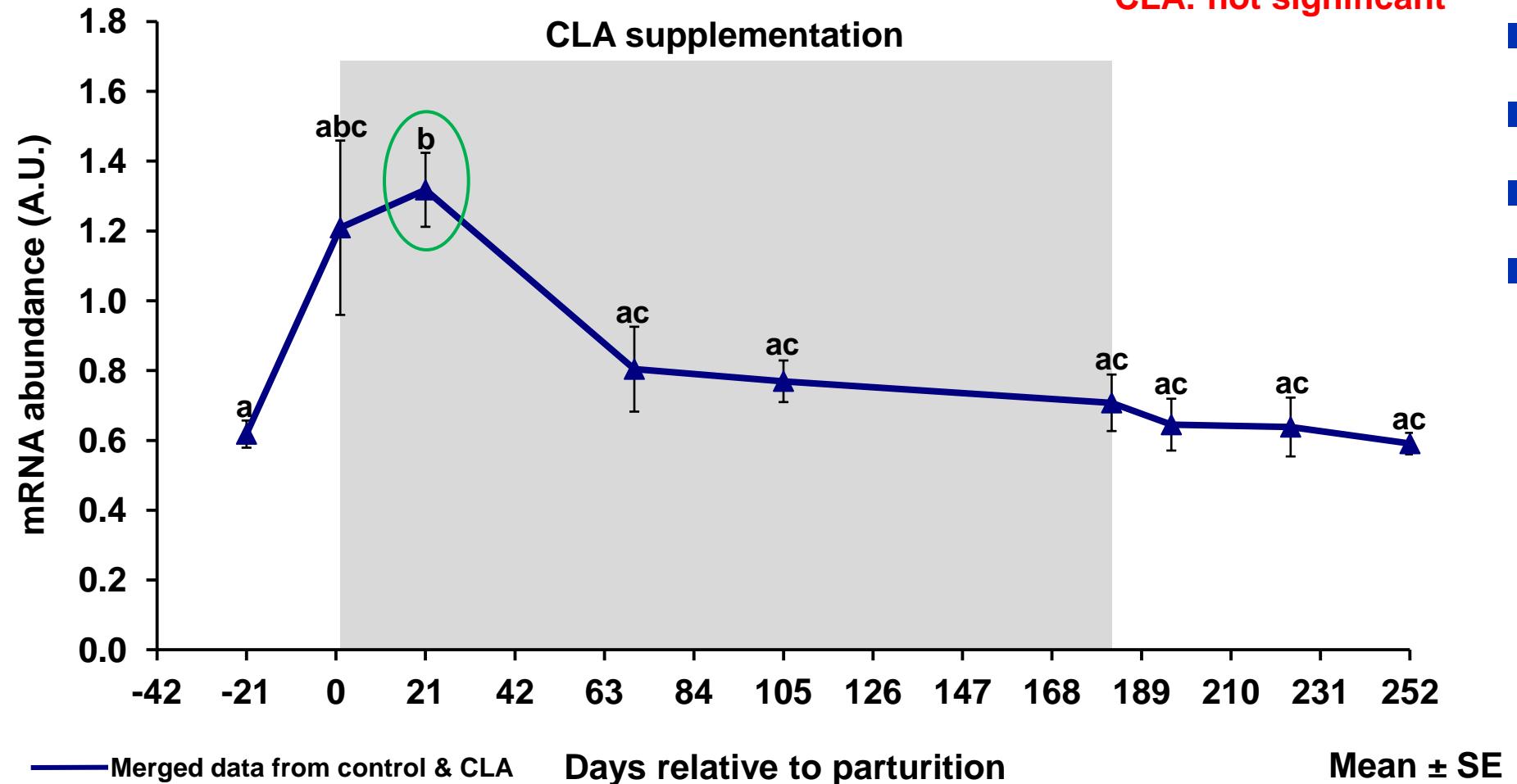


AdipoR1 mRNA Ab in liver (trial 1)



AdipoR2 mRNA Ab in liver (trial 1)

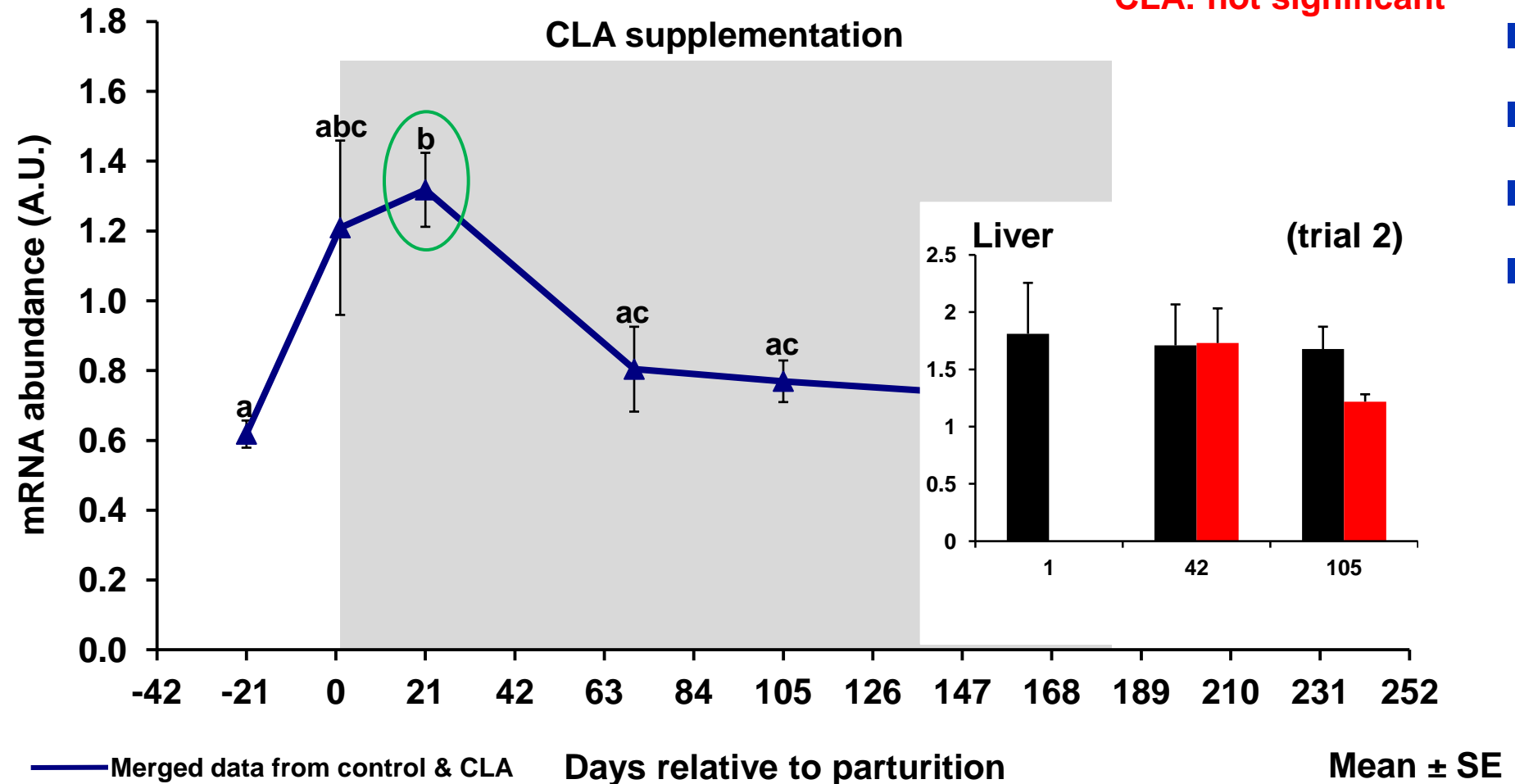
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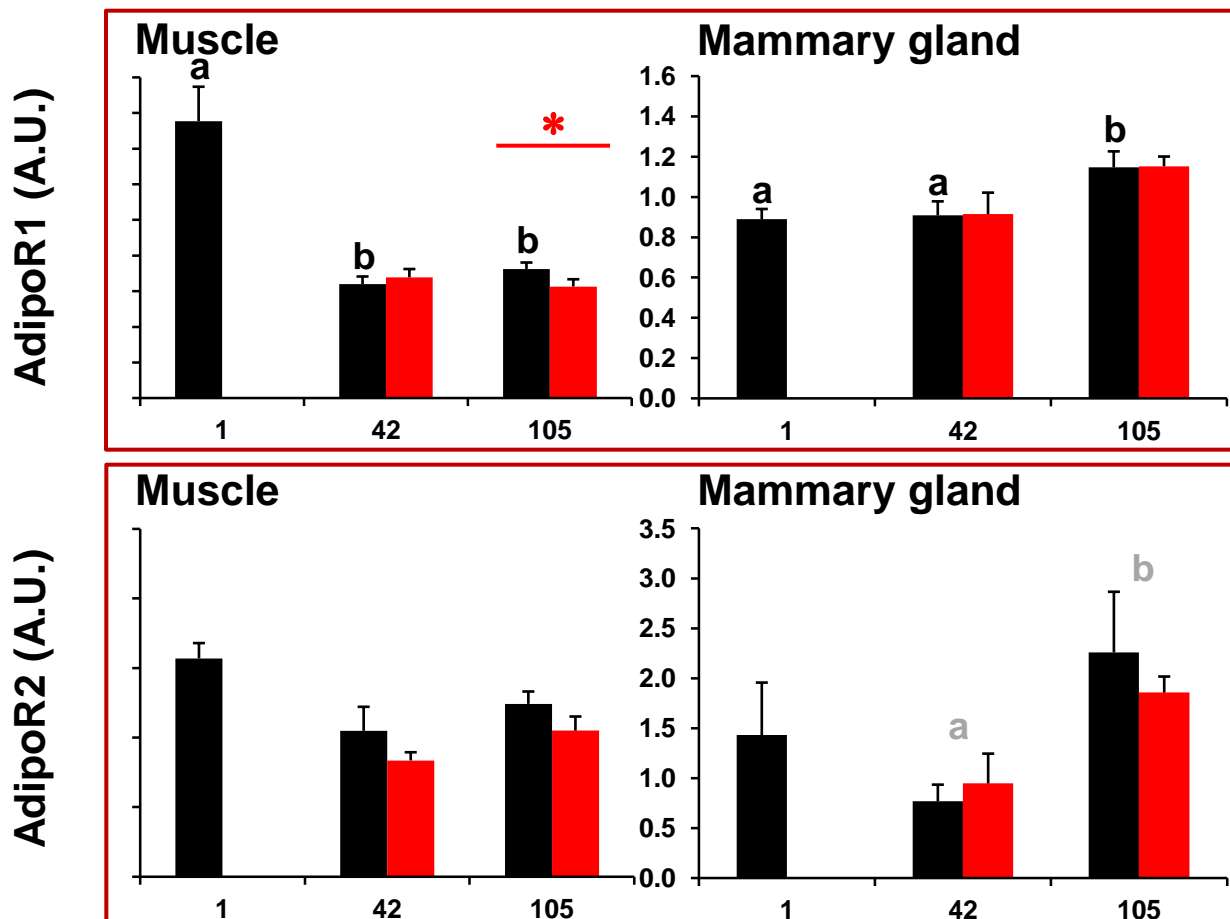
AdipoR2 mRNA Ab in liver (trial 1)

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AdipoR1&R2 mRNA Ab in non AT (trial 2)



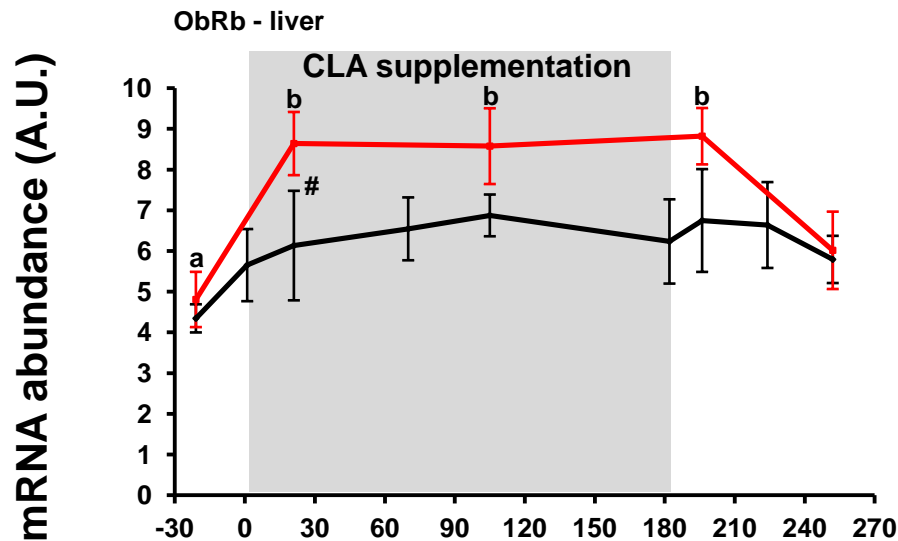
■ Control ■ CLA

Days after parturition

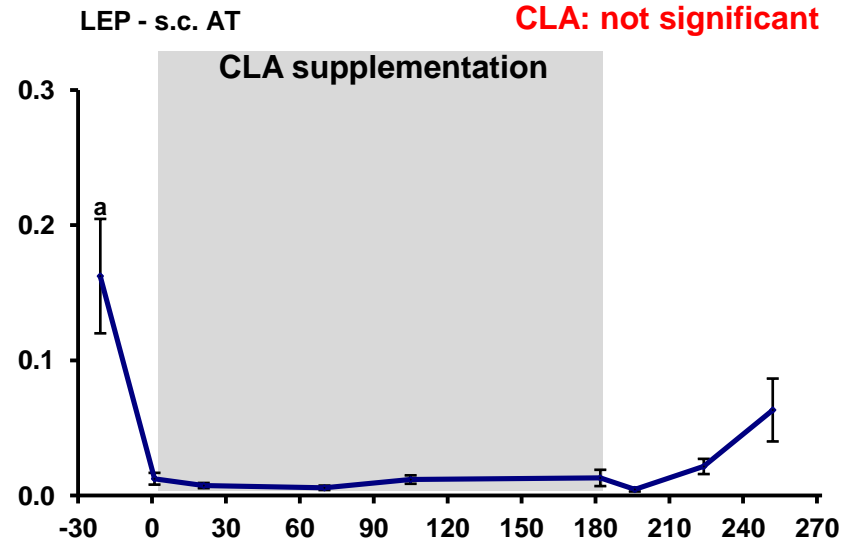
Mean ± SE

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LEP system mRNA Ab (trial 1)



In trial 2, a similar pattern without CLA effect



In trial 2, in all fat depots stably expression

— Merged data from control & CLA

— Control — CLA

Days relative to parturition

Mean ± SE

a, b: significant differences between dates ($P < 0.05$)

In trial 2, ObRb shows a reduction from d 1 to 42 and 105 in visceral AT and mammary gland opposite to muscle tissue.

Conclusions

- AdipoQ, AdipoR1, and AdipoR2 mRNA were lower in omental AT, muscle, and in retroperitoneal fat during long term CLA supplementation to the cows, indicating insulin desensitizing effects of CLA. This needs to be verified at the level of protein.
- As to whether the effects of CLA on the adiponectin system will affect insulin sensitivity in the different tissues and in the entire organism remains to be clarified.
- LEP system was not affected in general. However, ObRb mRNA in s.c. AT was affected in a parity dependent manner.

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Thank you for your attention

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