

Tris(1,3-dichloro-2-propyl) phosphate is a metabolism disrupting chemical in male mice

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Overview

- What is TDCPP and why should you care?
- Health consequences associated with exposure
- Data from my mouse model
- Potential mechanism



Why Flame Retardants?



NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION

The leading information and knowledge resource on fire, electrical and related hazards



A U.S. fire department responds to a fire.



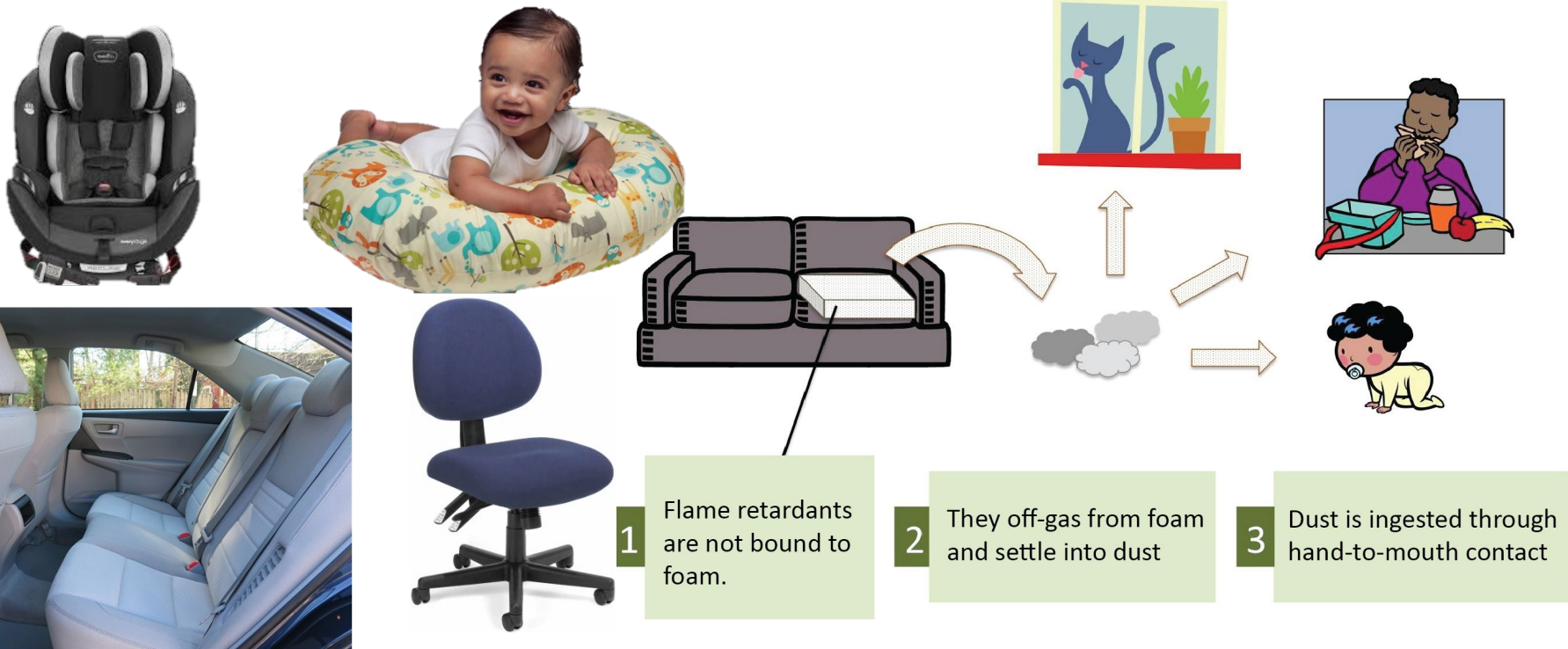
The time occupants have to escape a fire.



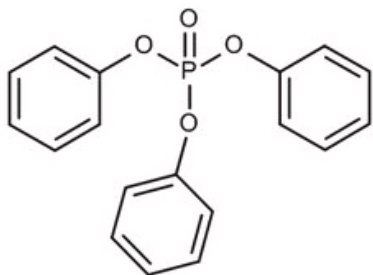
A home fire injury occurs in the U.S.

Organophosphate Flame Retardants

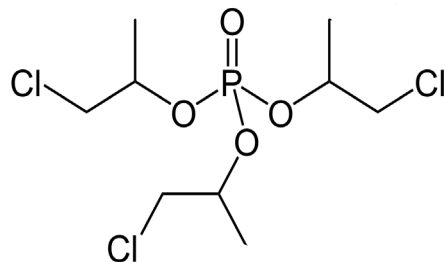
- Sprayed onto polyurethane foam



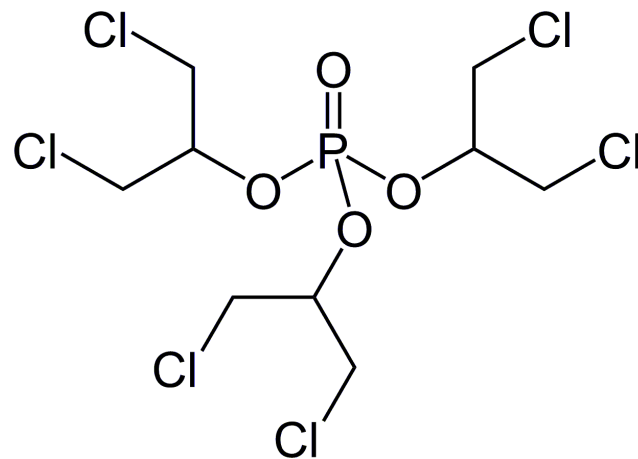
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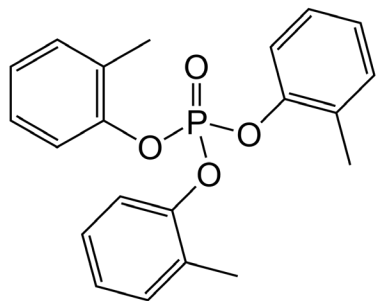
Triphenyl phosphate
TPHP



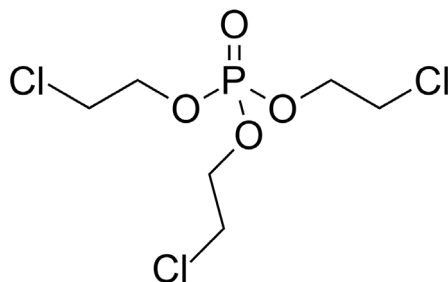
Tris(1-dichloro-2-propyl)phosphate
TCPP



Tris(1,3-dichloro-2-propyl)phosphate
TDCPP



Tricresyl phosphate
TCP



Tris(2-chloroethyl) phosphate
TCEP

TDCPP Background

Associations between urinary organophosphate ester metabolites and measures of adiposity among U.S. children and adults: NHANES 2013–2014

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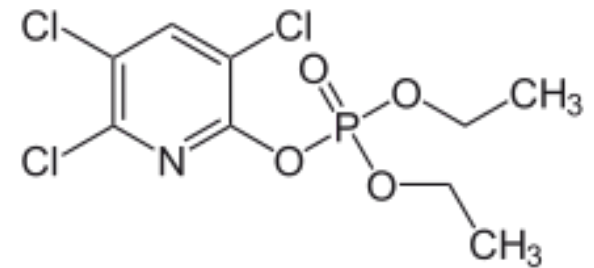
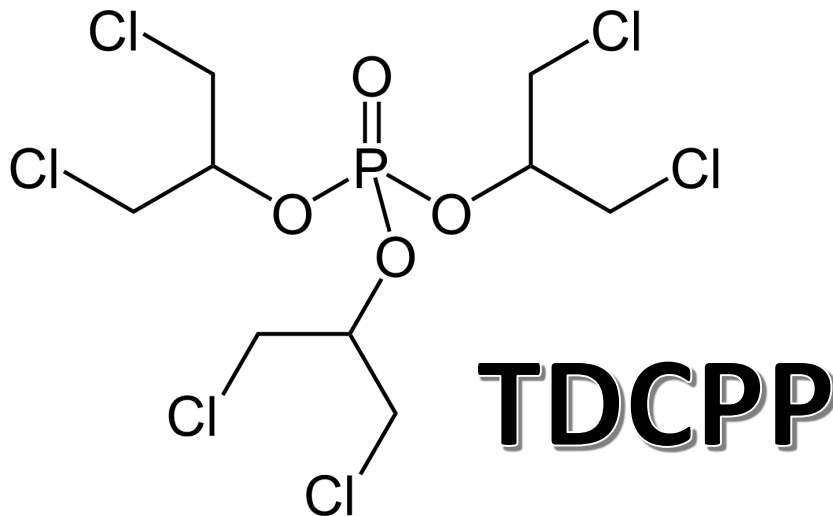
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OPE metabolite	Children (N = 784)							Adults (N = 1672)					
	DF%	LOD	GM ^b	p25	p50	p75	Max	DF%	GM ^b	p25	p50	p75	Max
DPHP	96.4	0.16	1.51 (1.57)	0.73 (0.77)	1.43 (1.41)	2.97 (2.66)	193 (235.4)	90	0.72 (0.79)	0.32 (0.40)	0.72 (0.68)	1.44 (1.28)	102 (112.1)
BDCPP	98.7	0.11	1.71 (1.78)	0.72 (0.76)	1.57 (1.60)	3.50 (3.26)	169 (75.8)	90.6	0.72 (0.78)	0.27 (0.35)	0.69 (0.70)	1.74 (1.41)	88.9 (67.9)
BCEP	94.8	0.08	0.63 (0.65)	0.26 (0.28)	0.57 (0.59)	1.34 (1.26)	97.4 (44.2)	87.3	0.37 (0.40)	0.15 (0.19)	0.36 (0.35)	0.85 (0.73)	110 (60.4)
DBUP	83.7	0.05	0.23 (0.24)	0.11 (0.13)	0.29 (0.24)	0.45 (0.43)	70.3 (42.3)	79.7	0.18 (0.19)	0.07 (0.11)	0.23 (0.20)	0.35 (0.33)	7.33 (15.9)
BCPP	67.2	0.10	0.22 (0.23)	<LOD	0.20 (0.21)	0.43 (0.41)	46.7 (50.8)	58.4	0.18 (0.20)	<LOD	0.14 (0.18)	0.33 (0.32)	14.6 (18.5)

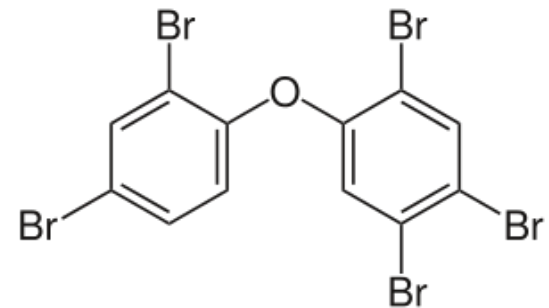
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TDCPP Background

- TDCPP does not affect acetylcholinesterase activity
- TDCPP does not bioaccumulate



Organophosphate Pesticide: Chlorpyrifos



Flame Retardant : Pentabromodiphenyl ether (PBDE)

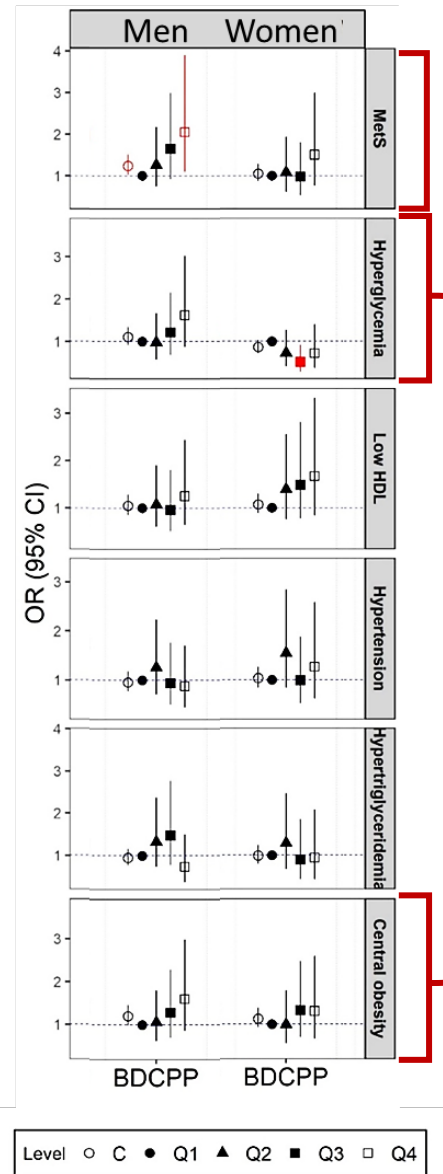
Metabolic Health Consequences of TDCPP Exposure

Exposure to Organophosphate esters and metabolic syndrome in adults

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Insulin resistance
Type 2 diabetes

TDCPP Exposure Model

- 6-week-old C57BL/6J mice
- *Ad libitum* dietary TDCPP exposure for 5 weeks
 - DMSO Vehicle control
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 - 100 mg TDCPP/kg bw/day
- Body composition analysis
- Evaluate glucose homeostasis

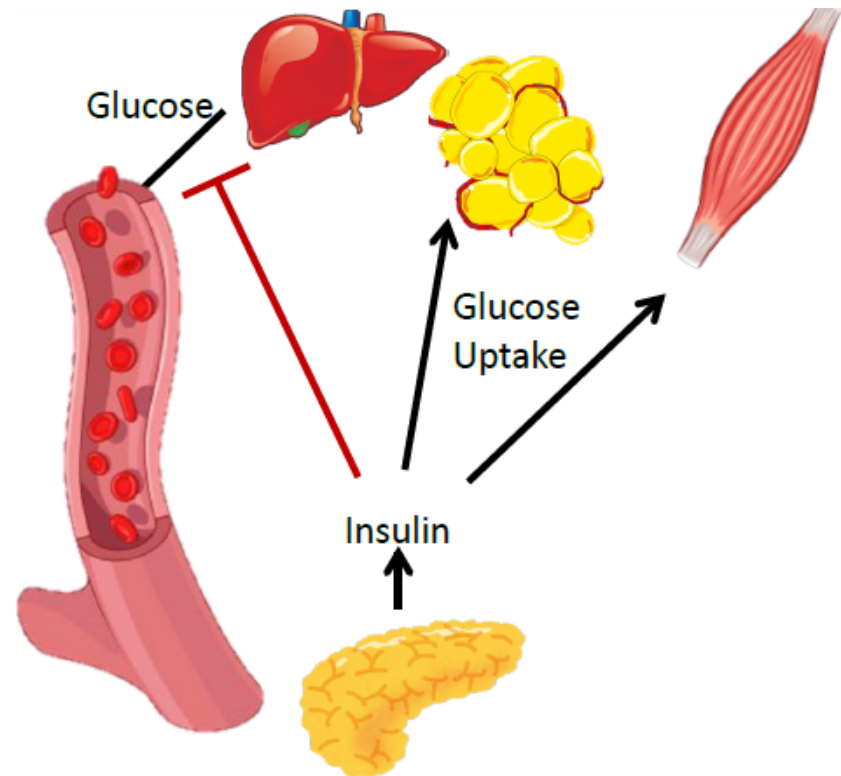


Selected Nutrient Information ¹		
	% by weight	% kcal from
Protein	17.7	18.9
Carbohydrate	60.0	63.9
Fat	7.2	17.3
Kcal/g	3.8	

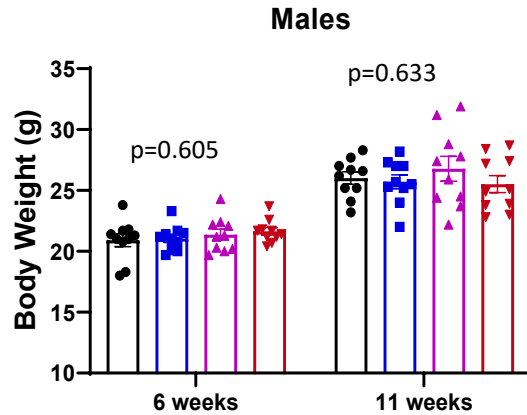
¹ Values are calculated from ingredient analysis or manufacturer data

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TDCPP causes male-specific and dose-dependent adiposity



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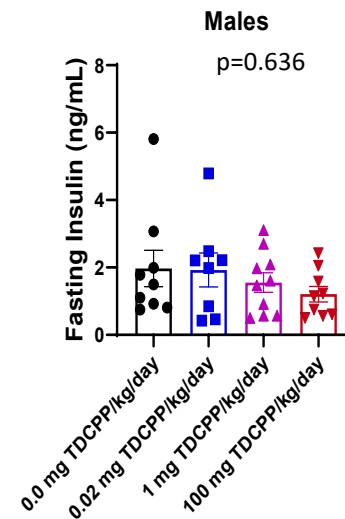
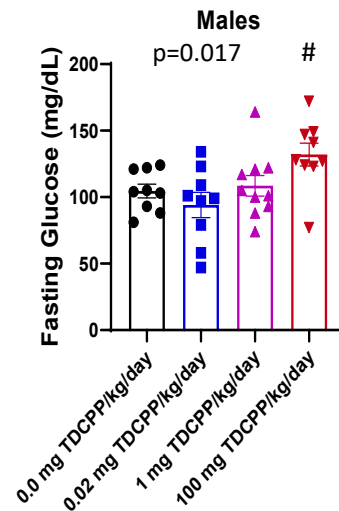
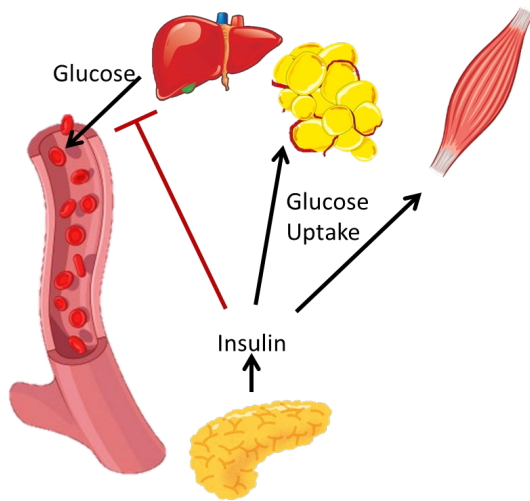
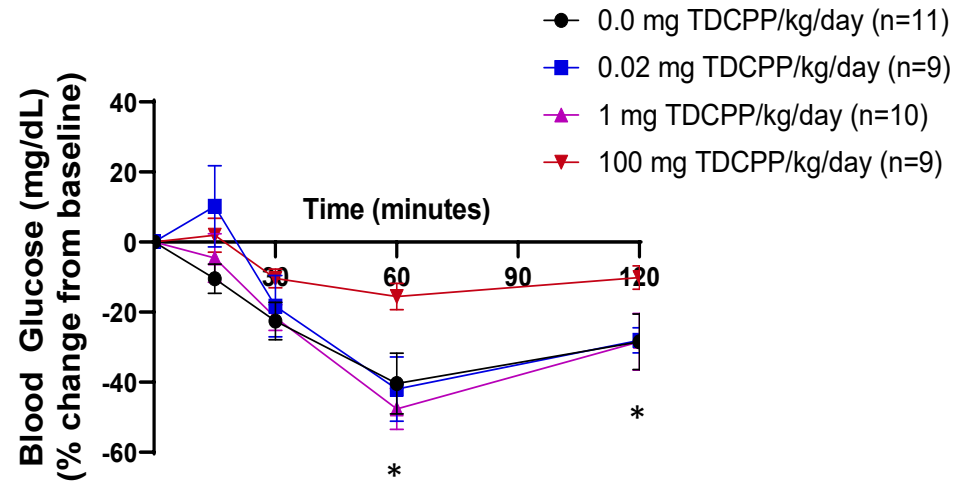
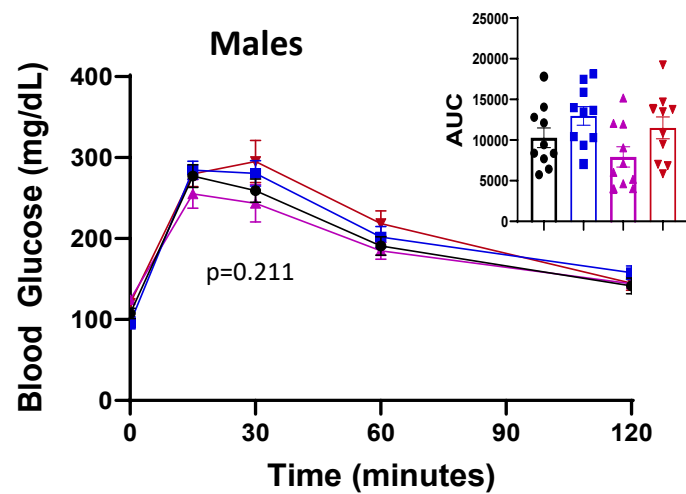
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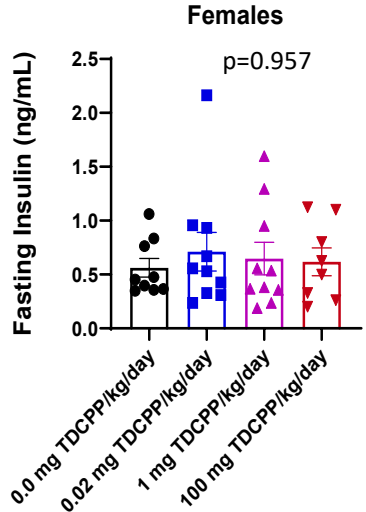
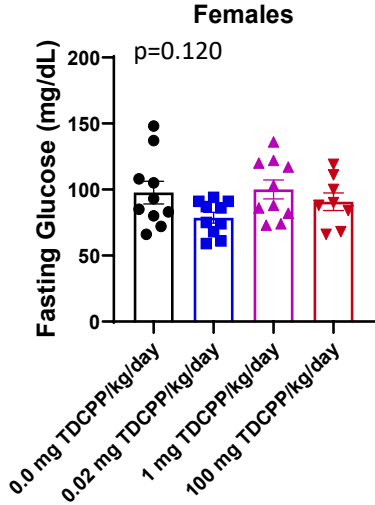
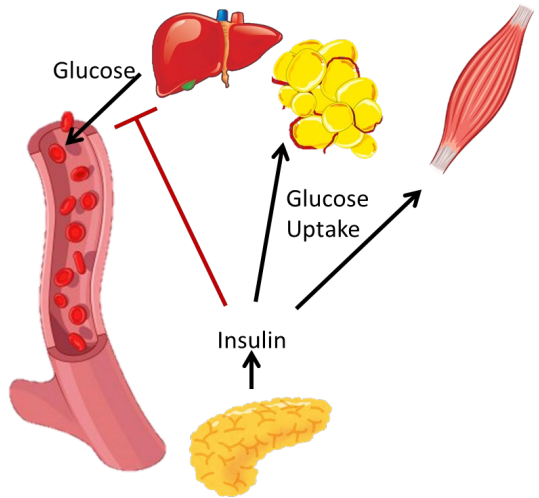
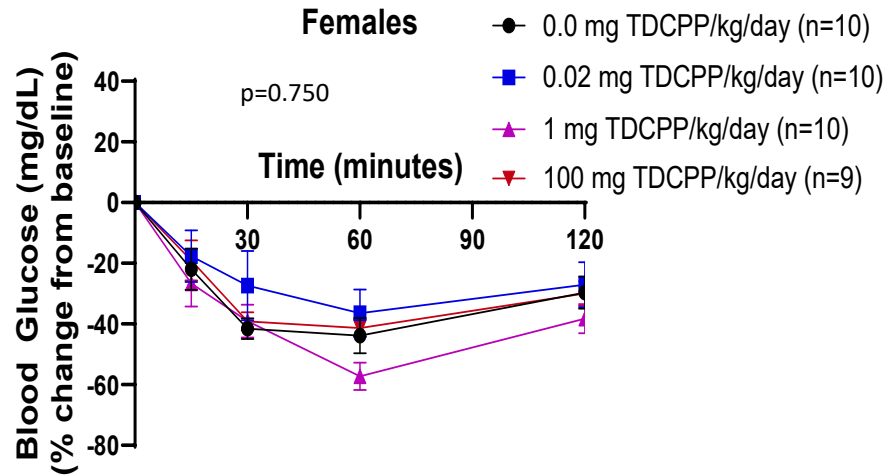
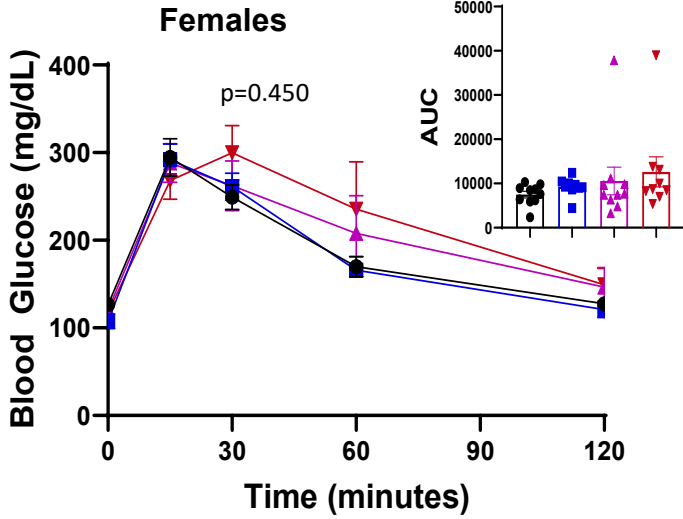
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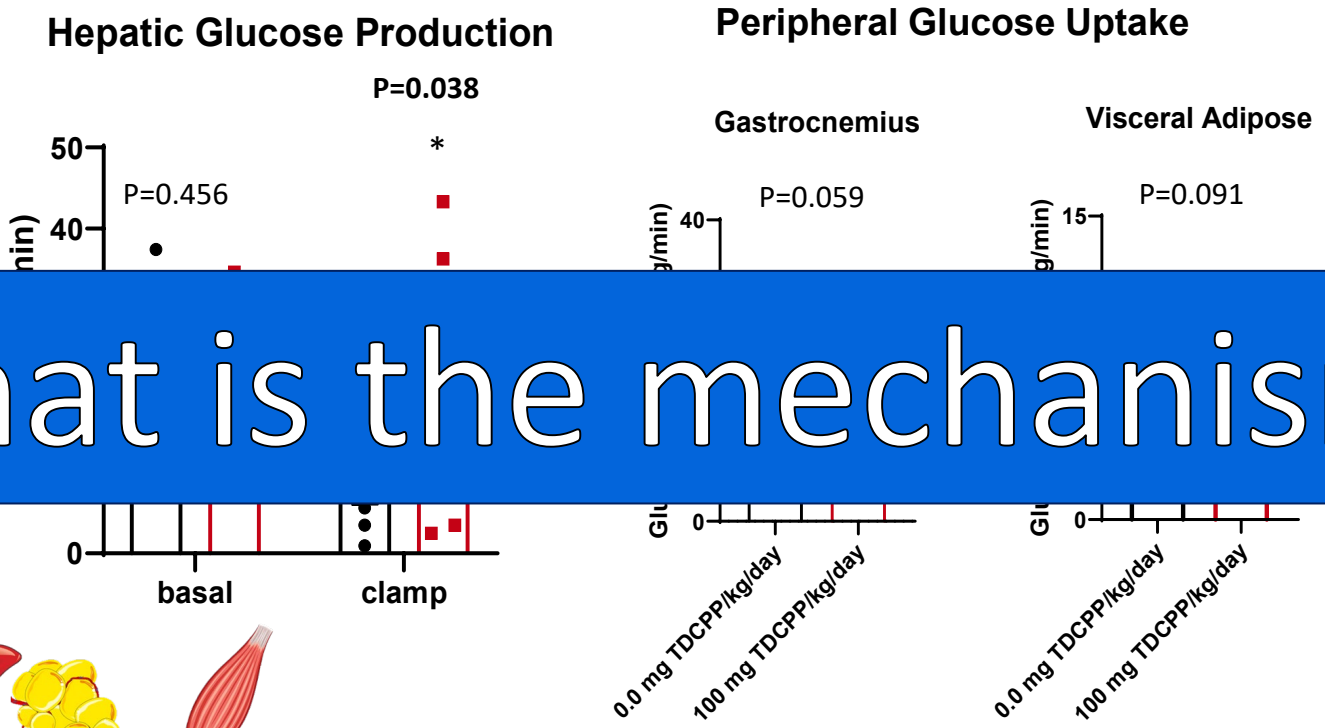
TDCPP causes insulin resistance and fasting hyperglycemia in males



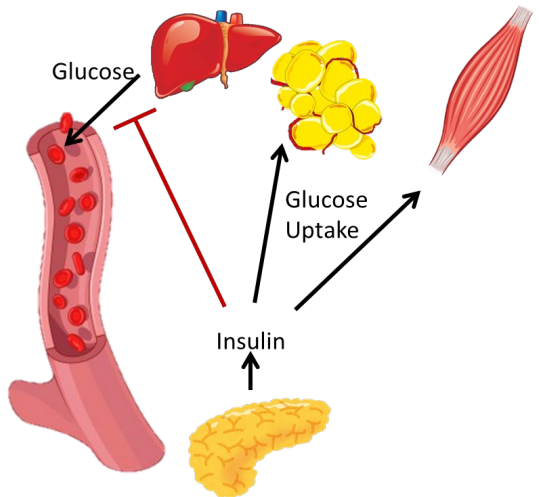
Females are resistant to TDCPP-induced perturbations of glucose homeostasis



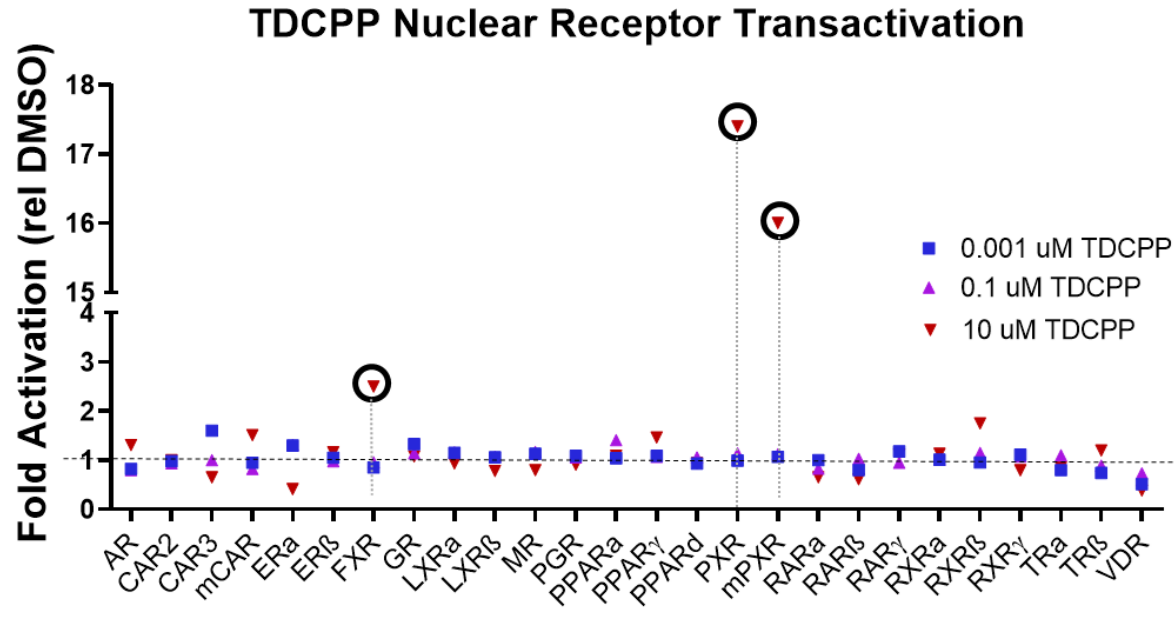
Males have hepatic insulin resistance



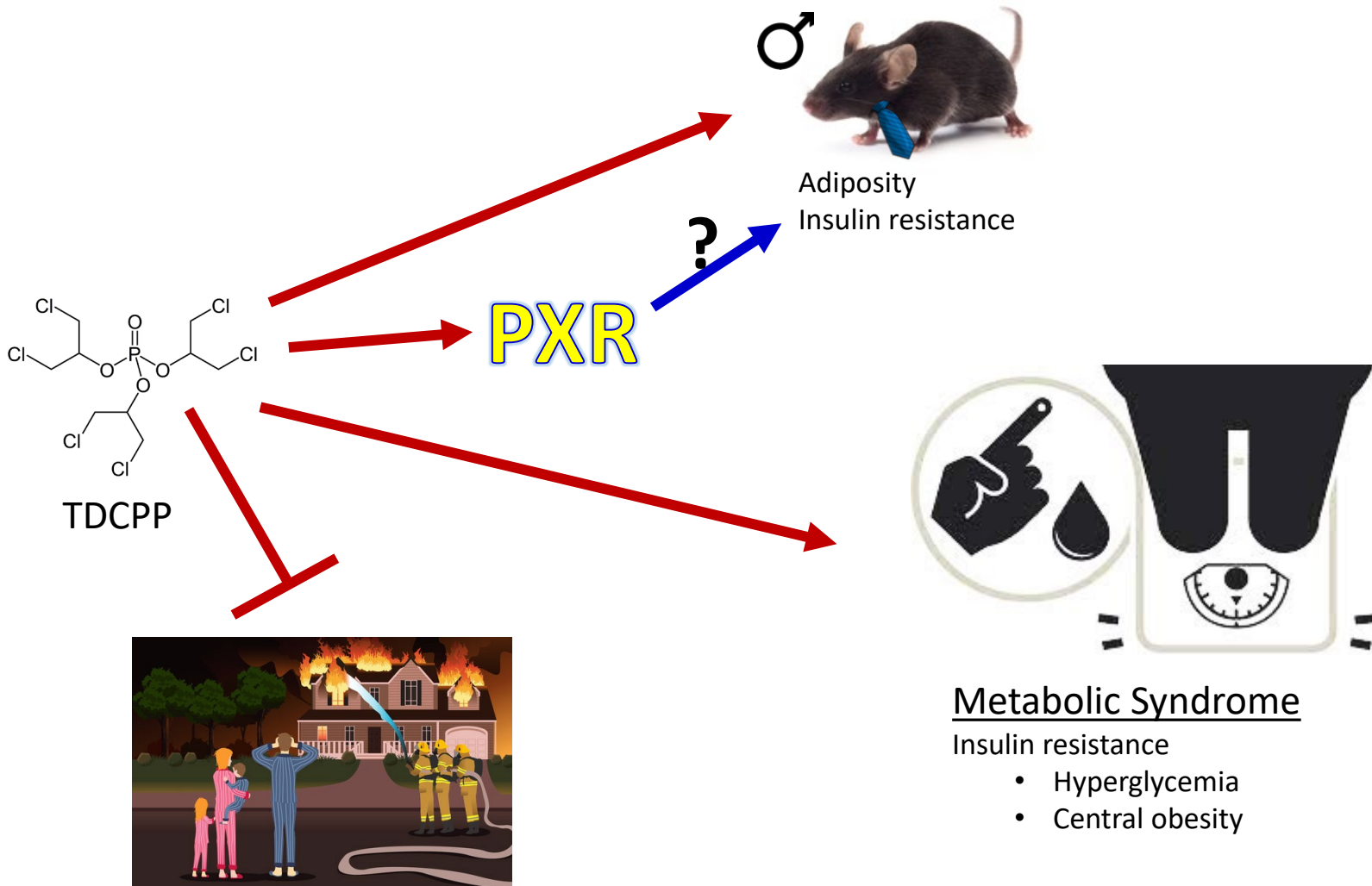
What is the mechanism?



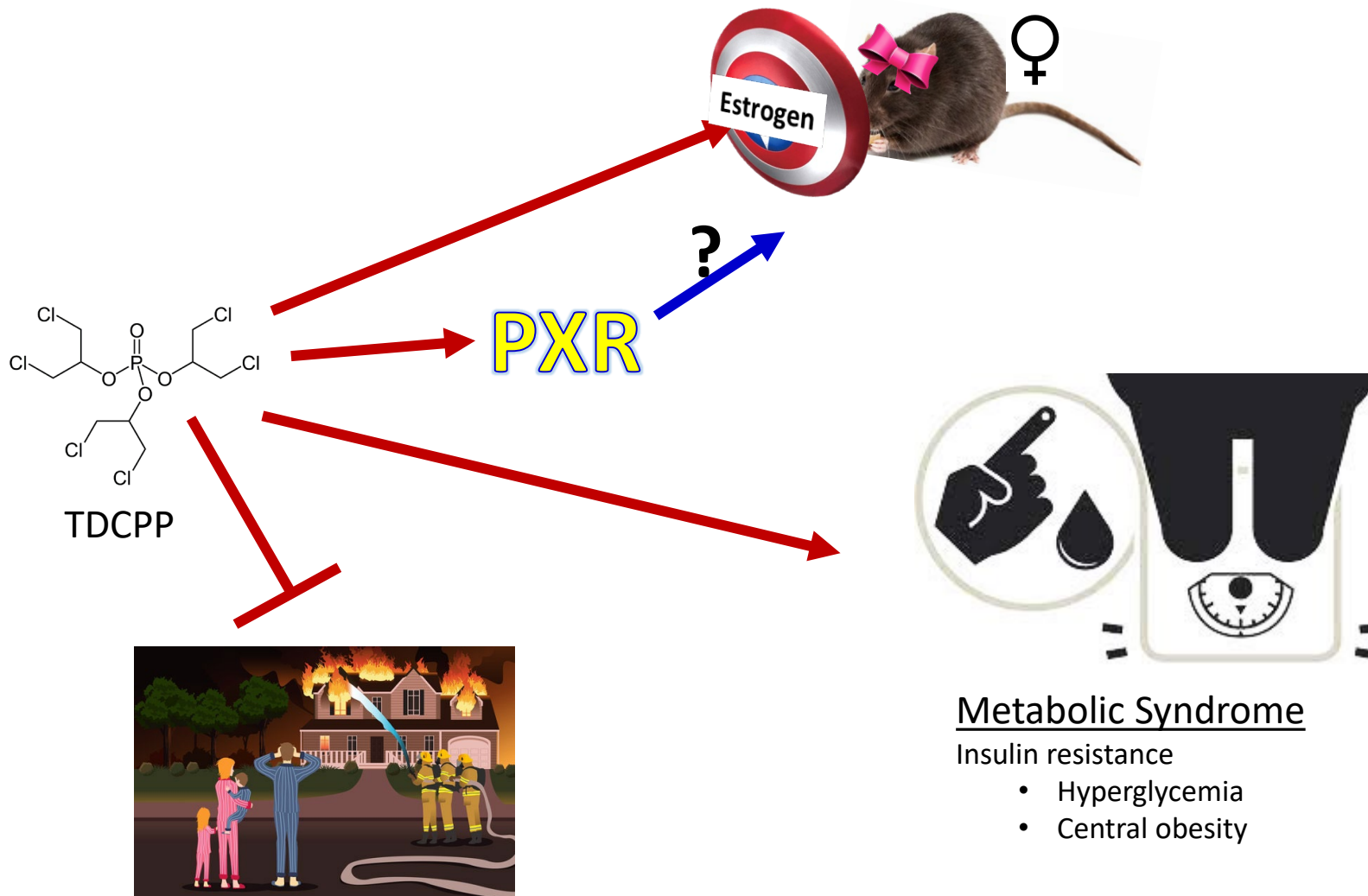
Nuclear Receptor Agonist Activity



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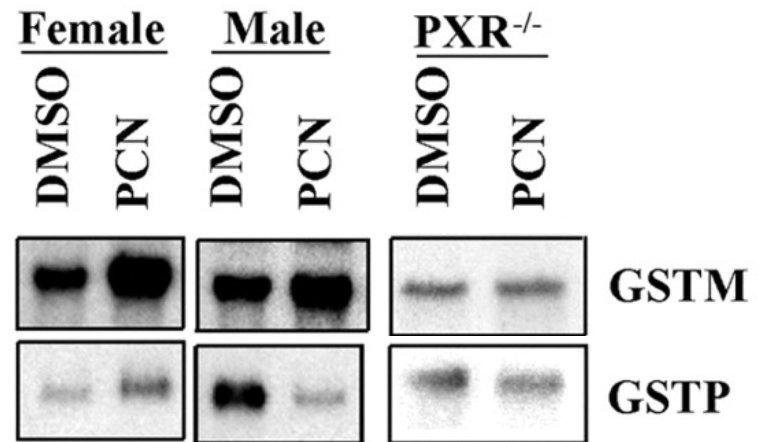
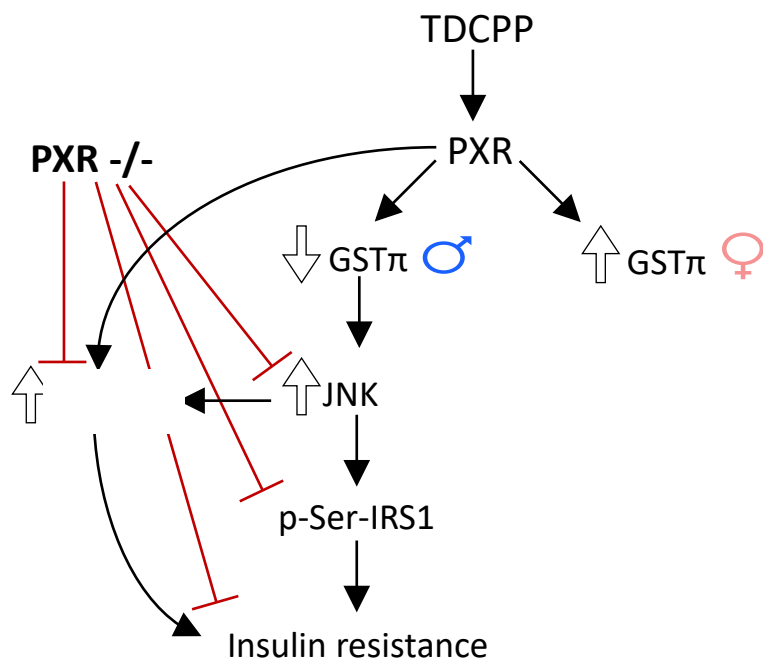


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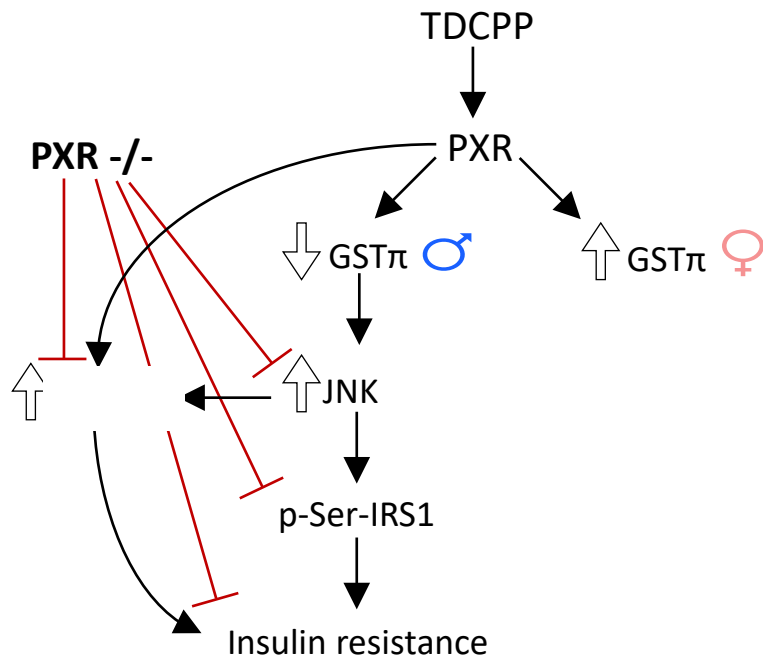
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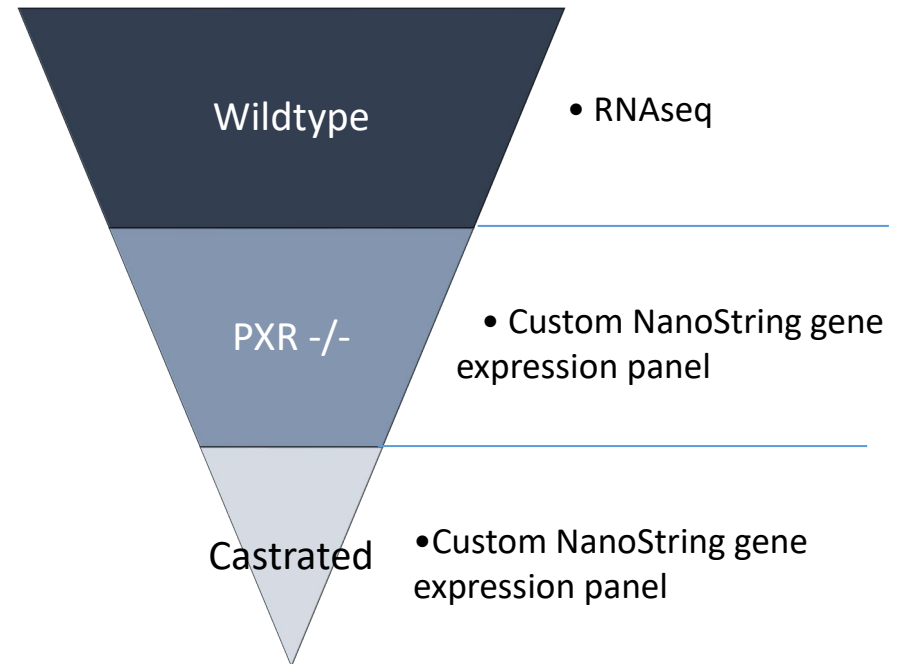
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Unbiased Funneling Approach



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QUESTIONS?

