



# MITO EAGLE data repository in muscle

## TG2.1 Skeletal

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## TG2.2 Cardiac

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# Summary of the discussion about ...

## → Proposal for a state-of-the-art literature review

- Leader of the project: Paul Coen
- Topic: human skeletal muscle mitochondrial function
- Cf. revue from Erich (2009) → extensive literature since the last ten years
- Of interest for further researchers but...

➤ **Definition of “quality control criteria”** for data to be included in the review (or distinction of data according on whether the data meets these inclusion criteria or not)

### • To be included (or additional paper(s))

- Description of protocols (that include quality controls: Cyt c, O<sub>2</sub>, T°... ) according to objectives of the study
- Cultured muscle cells (myoblast, myotubes)  
Leader of this chapter (or paper): Arild Rustan



### • Targeted journal “Physiological review” (contact the editor)

Review  
**Capacity of oxidative phosphorylation in human skeletal muscle**  
**New perspectives of mitochondrial physiology**  
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ABSTRACT

Maximal ADP-stimulated mitochondrial respiration depends on convergent electron flow through Complex I–II to the Q-junction of the electron transport system (ETS). In most studies of respiratory control in mitochondrial preparations, however, respiration is limited artificially by supplying substrates for electron input through either Complex I or II. High-resolution respirometry with minimal amounts of tissue biopsy (1–3 mg wet weight of permeabilized muscle fibres per assay) provides a routine approach for multiple substrate-uncoupler-inhibitor titrations. Under physiological conditions, maximal respiratory capacity is obtained with glutamate + malate + succinate, reconstituting the operation of the tricarboxylic acid cycle and preventing depletion of key metabolites from the mitochondrial matrix. In human skeletal muscle, conventional assays with pyruvate + malate or glutamate + malate yield submaximal oxygen fluxes at 0.50–0.75 of capacity of oxidative phosphorylation (OXPHOS). Best estimates of muscular OXPHOS capacity at 37 °C (pmol O<sub>2</sub> s<sup>-1</sup> mg<sup>-1</sup> wet weight) with isolated mitochondria or permeabilized fibres, suggest a range of 100–150 and up to 180 in healthy humans with normal body mass index and top endurance athletes, but reduction to 60–120 in overweight healthy adults with predominantly sedentary life-style. The apparent ETS excess capacity (uncoupled respiration) over ADP-stimulated OXPHOS capacity is high in skeletal muscle of active and sedentary humans, but absent in mouse skeletal muscle. Such differences of mitochondrial quality in skeletal muscle are unexpected and cannot be explained at present. A comparative database of mitochondrial physiology may provide the key for understanding the functional implications of mitochondrial diversity from mouse to man, and evaluation of altered mitochondrial respiratory control patterns in health and disease.

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Table 2  
 Oxidative phosphorylation capacity in various strata of healthy humans, normal, overweight and obese groups are defined according to average body mass index (BMI). Subjects are ranked by declining fitness level and decreasing average age. Within each group, values are distributed with high and low OXPHOS capacity. B, obese; H, H, fit; M, middle-aged; S, sedentary; T, trained; U, untrained. Values are mean ± SEM. Values in bold indicate statistical significance (p < 0.05) compared with the corresponding control group. \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01, \*\*\* p < 0.001. Abbreviations: BMI, body mass index; OXPHOS, oxidative phosphorylation; P<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption; P<sub>max</sub>/W<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body mass; P<sub>max</sub>/A<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body area; P<sub>max</sub>/V<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body volume; P<sub>max</sub>/F<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body fat; P<sub>max</sub>/L<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body length; P<sub>max</sub>/H<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body height; P<sub>max</sub>/A<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body area; P<sub>max</sub>/V<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body volume; P<sub>max</sub>/F<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body fat; P<sub>max</sub>/L<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body length; P<sub>max</sub>/H<sub>max</sub>, maximal oxygen consumption per body height.

Fitness level*	Age (years)	M:F	T <sub>body</sub> (°C)	Preparation	P <sub>max</sub> (pmol O <sub>2</sub> s <sup>-1</sup> mg <sup>-1</sup> )				P <sub>max</sub> /W <sub>max</sub> (μmol/kg/min)	Reference
					CI (I)	CI (II)	CI (III)	CI (IV)		
<b>Normal (BMI 20–25)</b>										
A										
Active	31	15:0	32	fit	–	132	–	183 <sup>††</sup>	175.6 <sup>††</sup>	1†
Athletic	36	7:0	32	fit	117	135	148	177 <sup>††</sup>	148.2 <sup>††</sup>	2†
Athlete	41	11:2	32	fit	–	185	–	146 <sup>††</sup>	122.6 <sup>††</sup>	3†
Trained	25	8:0	25	fit	52	–	–	144 <sup>††</sup>	122.2 <sup>††</sup>	4
Active	42	8:1	32	fit	–	161	–	129 <sup>††</sup>	117.7 <sup>††</sup>	5†
Ath, in sed.	24	18:0	25	fit	75	90	103	123	11.9	6†
Ath, in sed.	34	13:0	35	fit	75	80	105	123 <sup>††</sup>	11.7	7†
Untrained	27	5:1	25	fit	63	–	–	108 <sup>††</sup>	8.3 <sup>††</sup>	8
				85†				140 ± 2.2		
<b>B</b>										
Active	34	16:0	25	fit	45	–	–	177 <sup>††</sup>	15.0 <sup>††</sup>	9
Active	37	16:0	22	fit	27	–	–	165 <sup>††</sup>	12.0 <sup>††</sup>	10
Ath, in sed.	29	16:0	25	fit	33	–	–	173 <sup>††</sup>	16.4 <sup>††</sup>	11
Ath, in sed.	29	16:0	25	fit	43	–	–	176 <sup>††</sup>	16.4 <sup>††</sup>	12
Sedentary	23	7:7	37	fit	–	26	57	54	14.9 <sup>††</sup>	13
Sedentary	25	9:1	30	fit	–	57	–	176 <sup>††</sup>	16.7 <sup>††</sup>	14†
				35 ± 2*				75 ± 11	6.4 ± 1.0	
<b>Overweight (BMI 25–30)</b>										
A										
Active	46	6:2	22	fit	–	79	–	100 <sup>††</sup>	11.5 <sup>††</sup>	1†
Act. to Sed.	72	16:1	25	fit	68	81	104	110 <sup>††</sup>	10.4	2†
Untrained	24	9:1	22	fit	63	–	–	104 <sup>††</sup>	10.6 <sup>††</sup>	3†
Sedentary	46	7:0	22	fit	74	44	81	101 <sup>††</sup>	10.6 <sup>††</sup>	4†
Sedentary	45	2:4	22	fit	–	48	–	101 <sup>††</sup>	10.2 <sup>††</sup>	5†
Sedentary	51	8:1	22	fit	–	43	–	108 <sup>††</sup>	11.0 <sup>††</sup>	6†
Sedentary	52	1:1	22	fit	–	43	–	103 <sup>††</sup>	10.3 <sup>††</sup>	7†
Sedentary	55	6:1	24	fit	–	34	55	107 <sup>††</sup>	11.5 <sup>††</sup>	8†
Sedentary	58	1:1	37	fit	–	43	76	107 <sup>††</sup>	11.2 <sup>††</sup>	9†
				49 ± 12*				81 ± 2.2	7.8 ± 2.1	
<b>B</b>										
Sedentary	59	16:0	37	fit	–	–	–	37	12.0 <sup>††</sup>	10
Sedentary	75	7:7	37	fit	–	22	45	44	14.2 <sup>††</sup>	11
<b>Obese (BMI &gt;30)</b>										
Sedentary	54	1:1	37	fit	–	29	–	61	15.2 <sup>††</sup>	20



Carolina Doerrier



Larsen Steen

## Summary of the discussion about ...

### → different types of media

How to get robust conclusion since other factors may influence results?

### → Proposal for two joint experiments

- 1. with experts in the field of *human skeletal muscle*
  - In Denmark
- 2. with experts in the field of *mouse skeletal muscle*
  - In Innsbruck

**NB:**

+ researchers from Inclusiveness Target Countries

Date: after April 2018 (2<sup>nd</sup> grant period)



Pablo Garcia-Roves



## Summary of the discussion about ...

### → MitoEAGLE WG2 pilot study

**Aim:** Implementation of a reference protocol as a tool for instrumental and technical quality control in muscle tissues

### → Collection of data (Permeabilized fibers (pfi) - soleus )

#### Mouse model

- Mouse strain: C57BL6 J - Age: 14-20 weeks
- Gender: male (N=4) and female (N=4), total N=8
- **SUIT protocol: 1PM;2D;2c;3G;4S;5U;6Ama**

### → Quick analysis of data

- Variability among groups (Flux)
- Same *FRC*



### → How to improve the protocol to reduce the variability?

- Additional labs
- Factors: Ww, mechanical permeabilisation (video, picture)
- Supply of chemicals to participating labs



## Summary of the discussion about ...

→ cardiac muscle respirometry data in MitoEAGLE format

→ Search of the literature

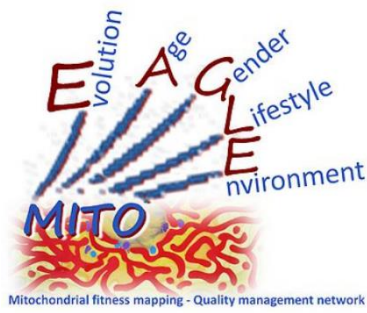
➤ Data according to different diseases

➤ Several studies in clinical journals: *often lack of robust description of the methodology*

➤ Probably not one paper to be written but several ones according to the condition and preparations

→ Working team extended





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