



# Improvements In Insulin Sensitivity Seen In Patients With Type 2 Diabetes After Revita<sup>®</sup> DMR Are Associated With A Decrease In Glucagon, Glucose, And GIP After A Mixed Meal Tolerance Test

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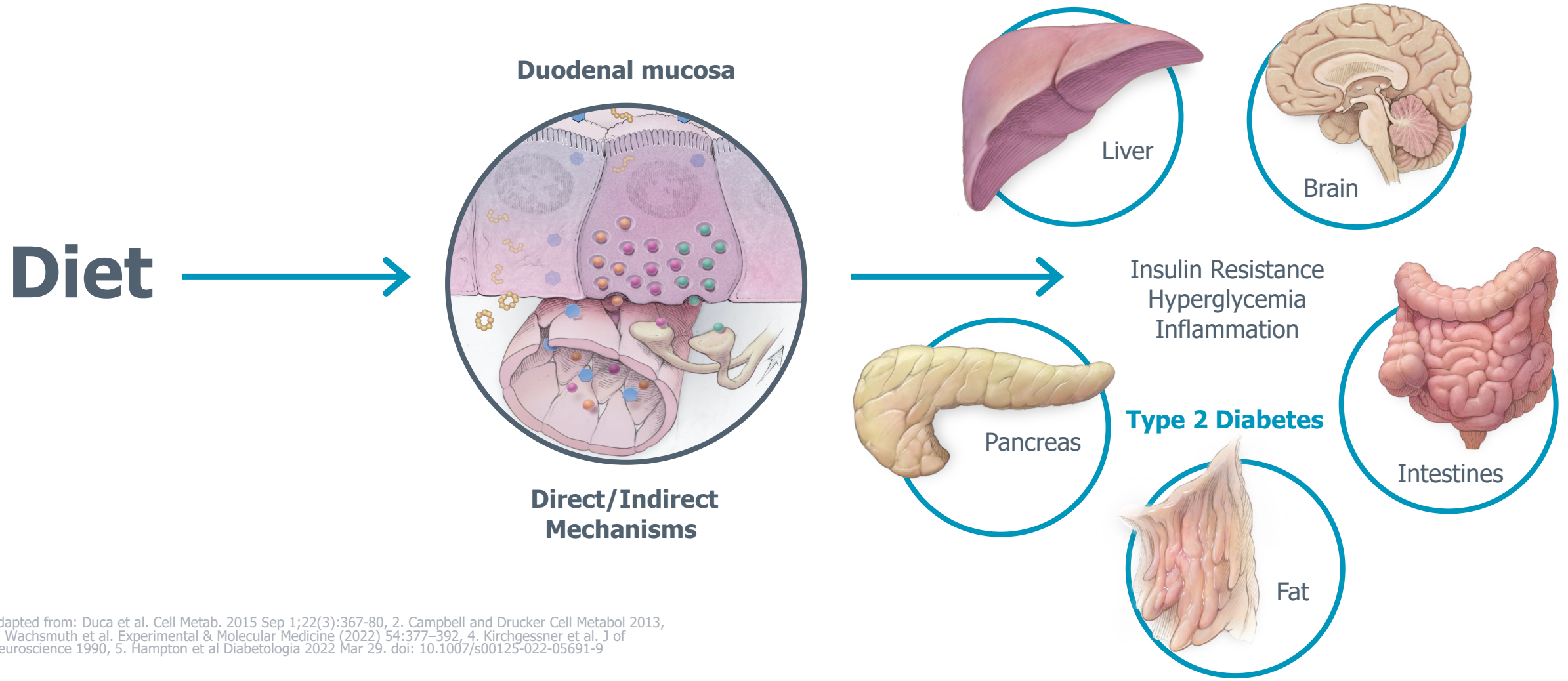
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# The role of the proximal gut in metabolic disease

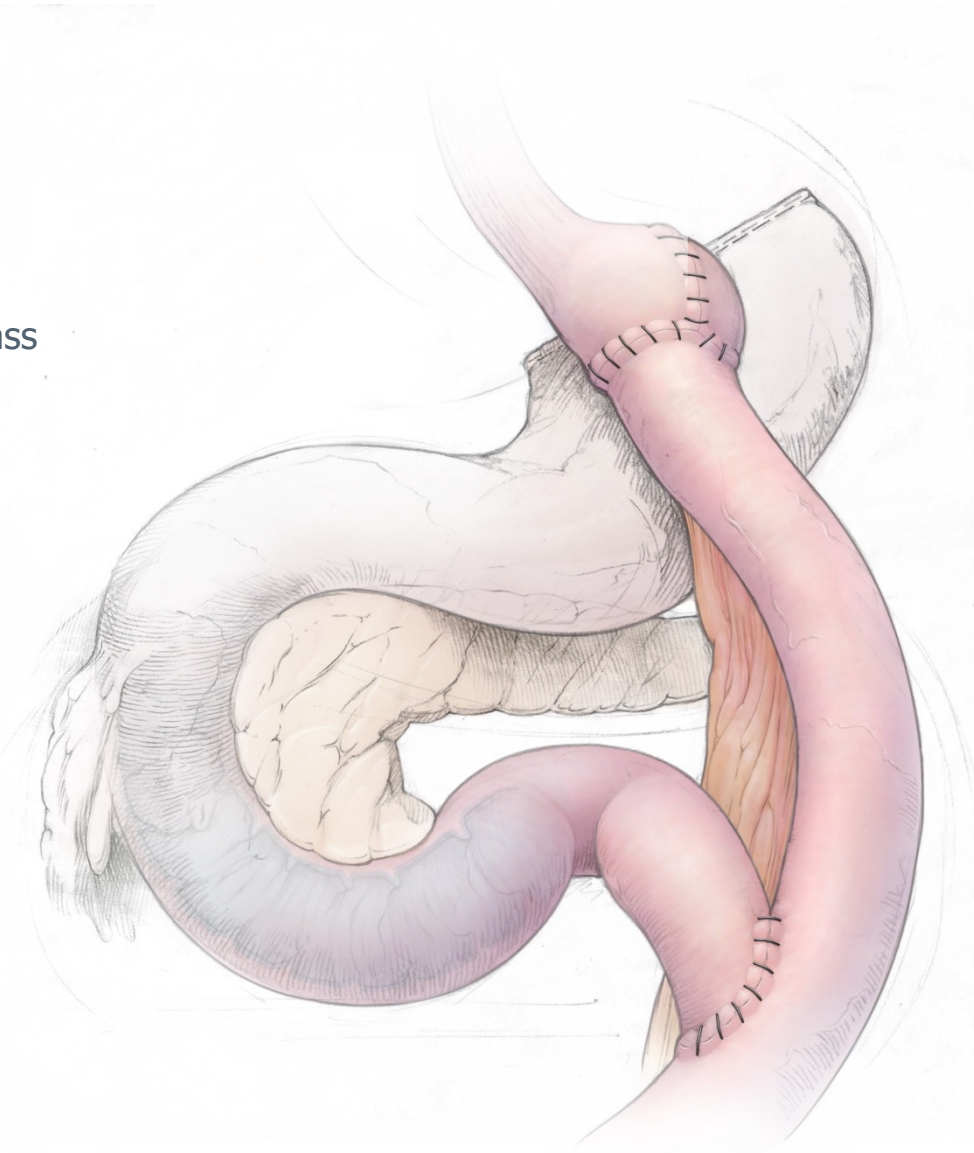
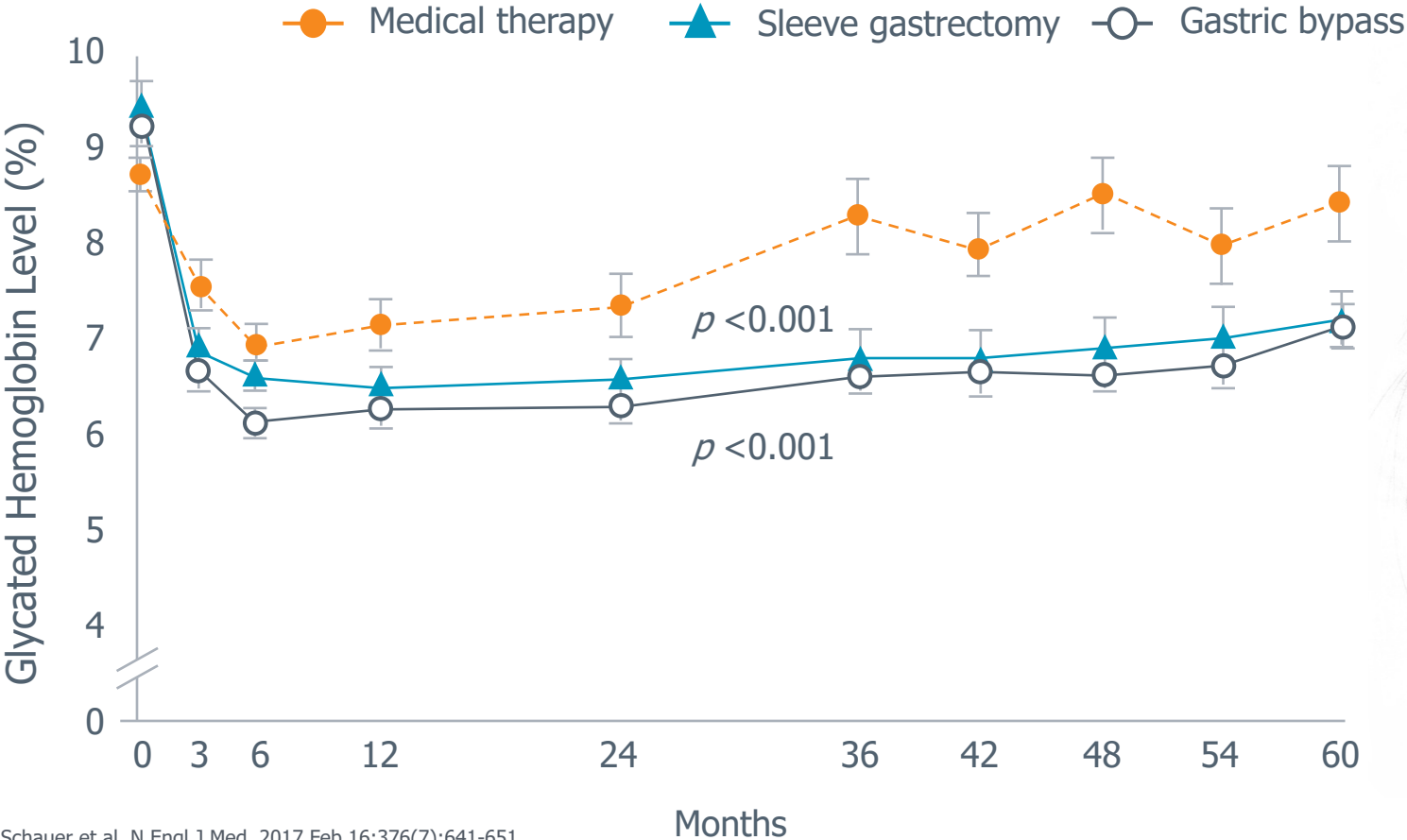


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# Bariatric Surgery as a treatment for T2D

## The duodenum as a target



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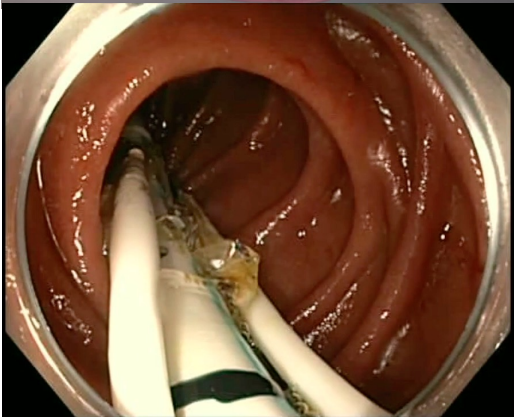
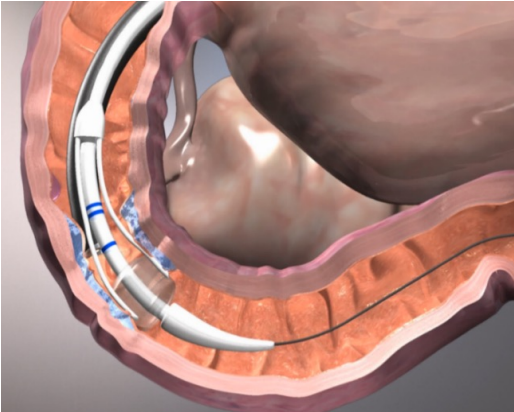


# Revita DMR®: Duodenal Mucosal Resurfacing System

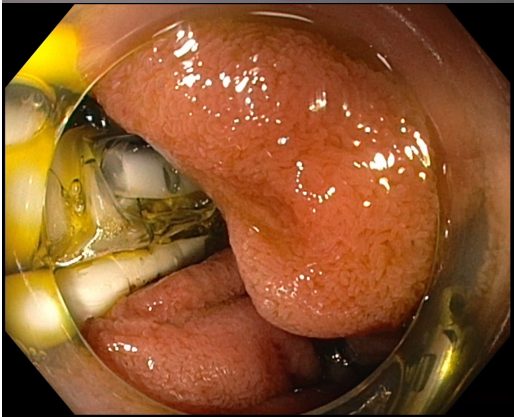
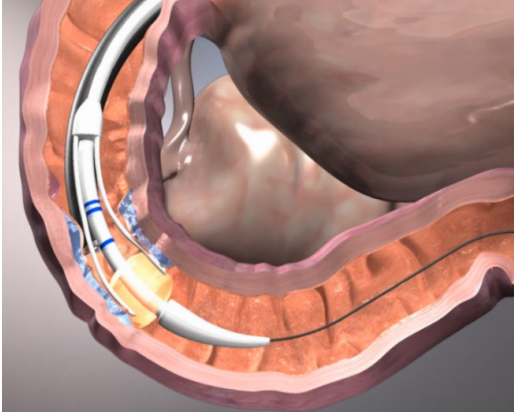
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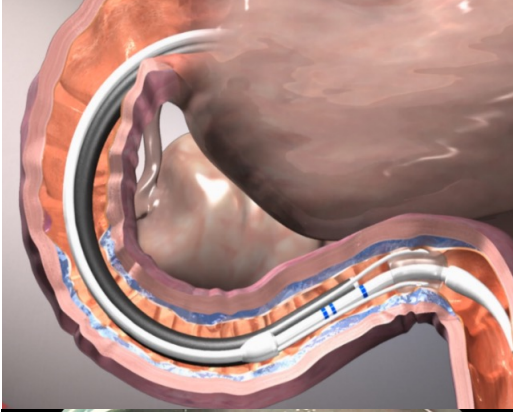
**Submucosal injection of saline**



**Hydrothermal ablation**



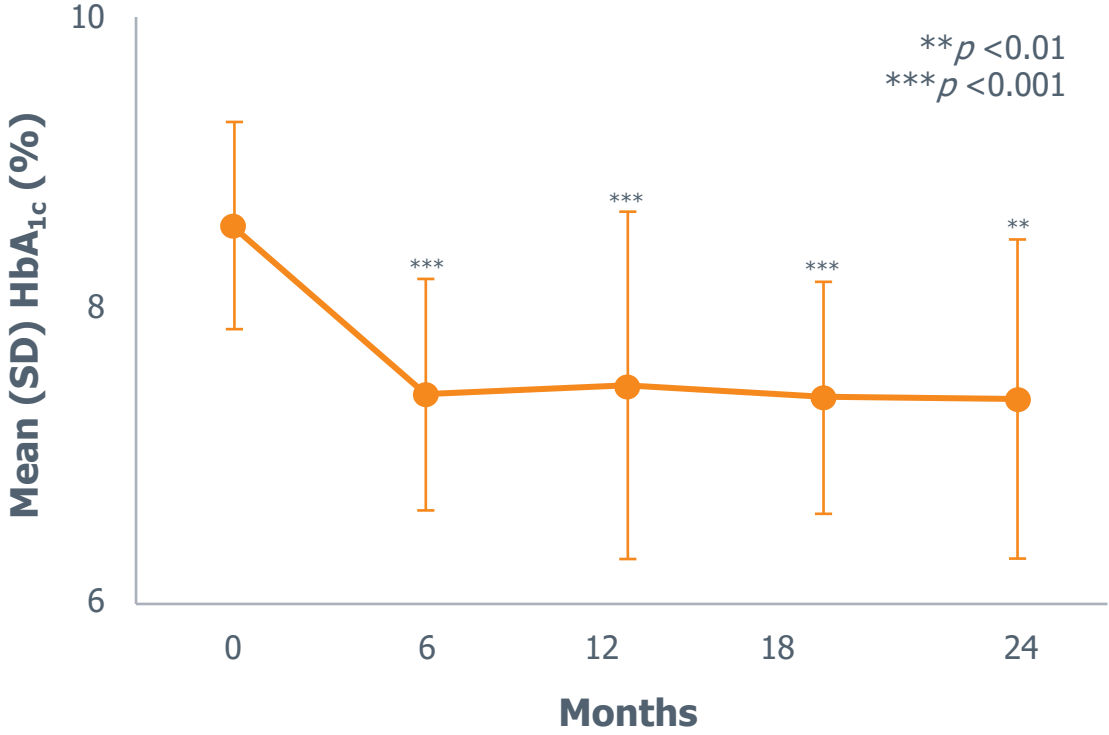
**From Papilla to Treitz Flexure**



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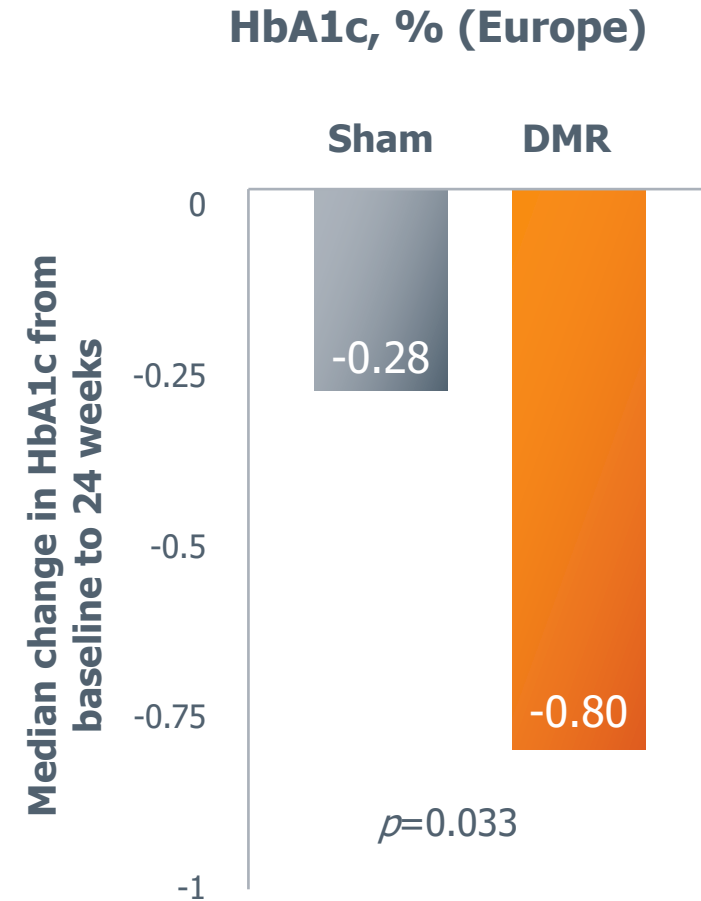
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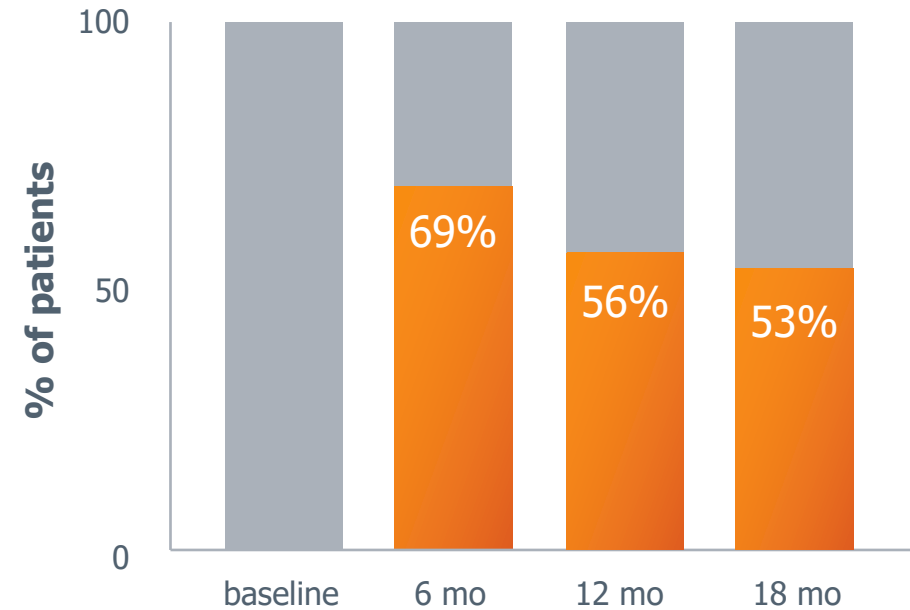
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**INSPIRE**, T2D open-label single center (basal insulin), N=16

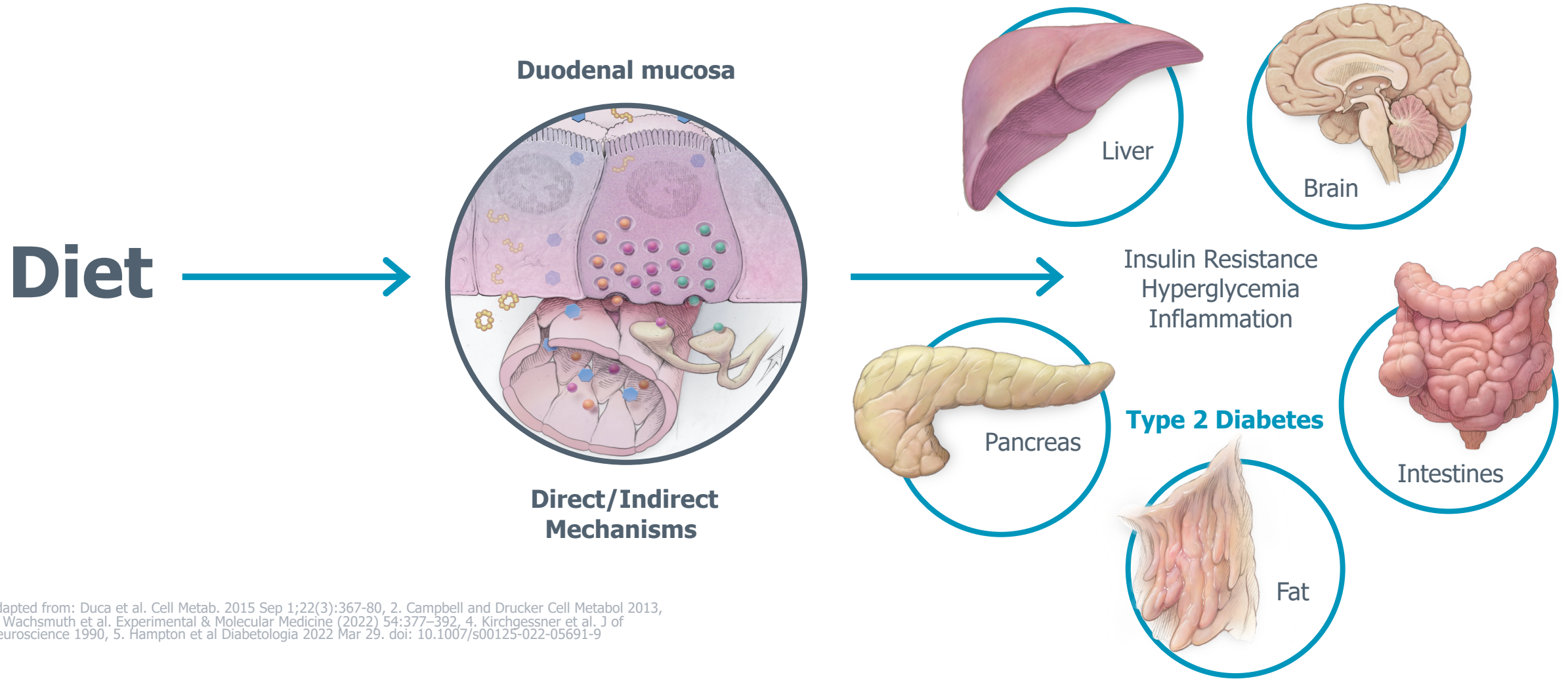
69% discontinued insulin after DMR + GLP-1RA

## T2D Patients off insulin (HbA1c <7.6%)





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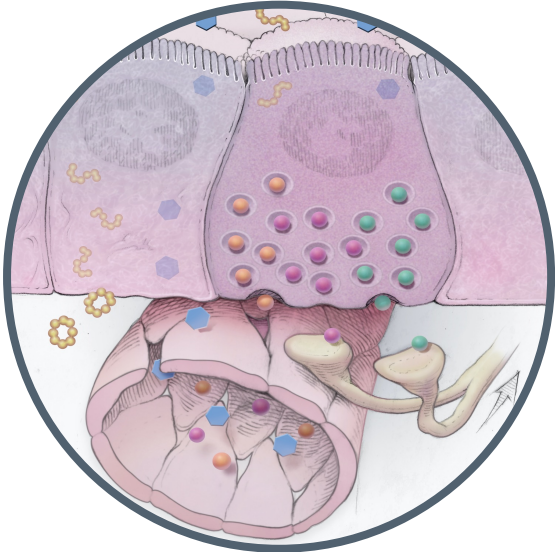
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# Methodology, Mixed meal test

## Standardized liquid meal

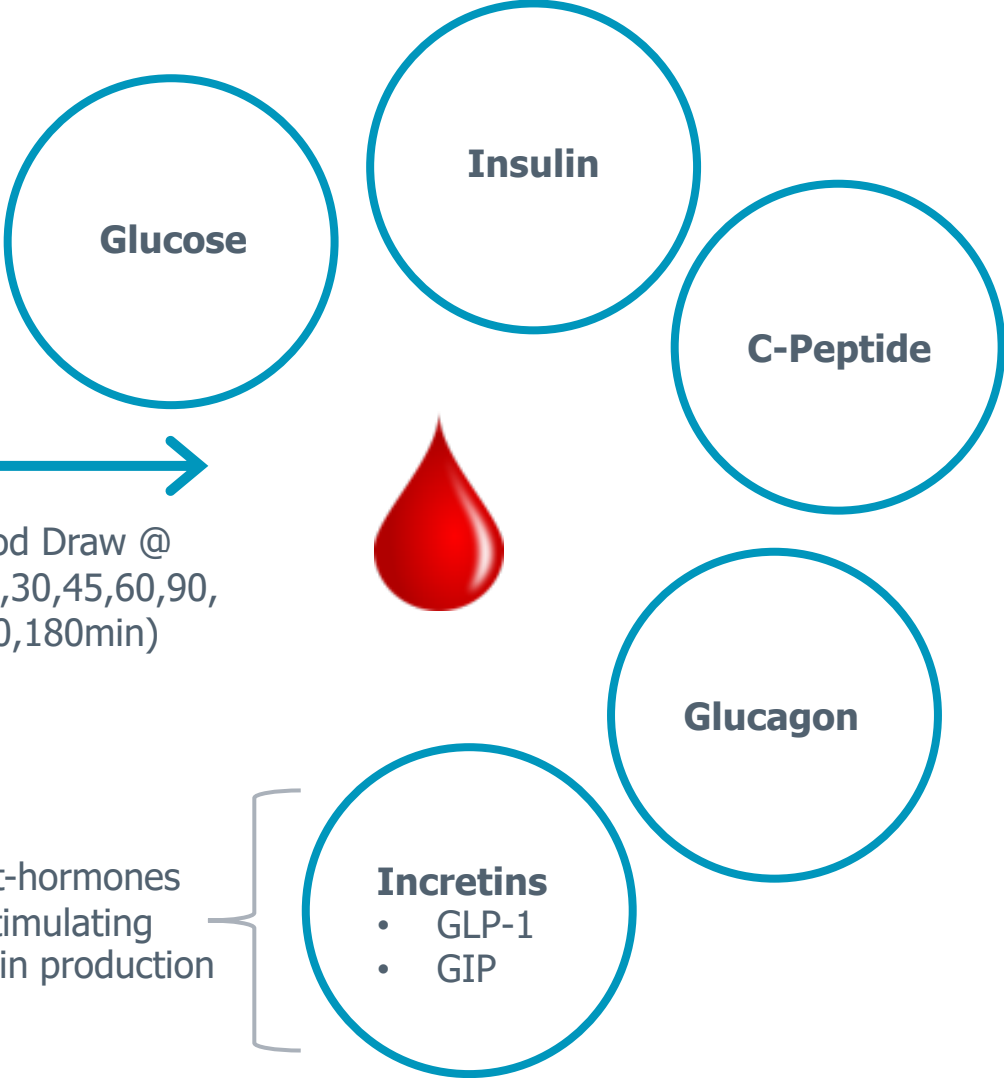
- 200 ml
- 400 kcal
- 20g protein
- 45g carbohydrates
- 15.6g fat



Direct/Indirect Mechanisms



Blood Draw @ T(0,15,30,45,60,90,120,180min)



Gut-hormones stimulating insulin production



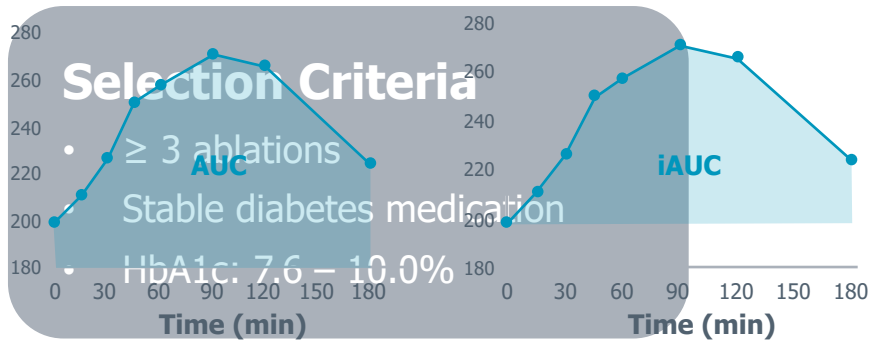
# Methodology

**Revita-1**, subset who underwent Mixed Meal Test (MMT) (n=13)

**Revita-2**, open-label phase who underwent MMT (n=15)

n = 28

**Mixed Meal Test Performed**  
Baseline and 3 months post-DMR



## Analysis

- Mixed Effect Models
- AUC and iAUC

## Endpoints

- Glucose, insulin, glucagon, c-peptide, incretins
- HOMA-IR, Matsuda Index
- Insulin secretion rate, disposition index



# Baseline Characteristics

<b>Number</b>	<b>28</b>
Age (y)	55 (50 – 63)
Male (%)	86
Duration of T2D (y)	6.8 (3 – 10)
BMI (kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	31.4 (29 – 34)
HbA1c (%)	8.2 (7.9 - 9.0)

Data are expressed as median (IQR) or %



# Glucose control improved

	Baseline (n=28)	3 months (n=28)	<i>p</i> -value
Body weight, kg	91.7	87.4	<0.001
BMI, kg/m <sup>2</sup>	31.4	29.5	<0.001
Fasting Insulin, pmol/L	11.9	8.8	0.004
Fasting C-peptide, nmol/L	3.07	2.43	0.001
<b>HbA1c, %</b>	8.2	7.4	0.002
<b>Fasting glucose, mg/dL</b>	198	162	<0.001
HOMA-IR	5.4	3.6	0.005
Matsuda index	2.64	3.49	0.005
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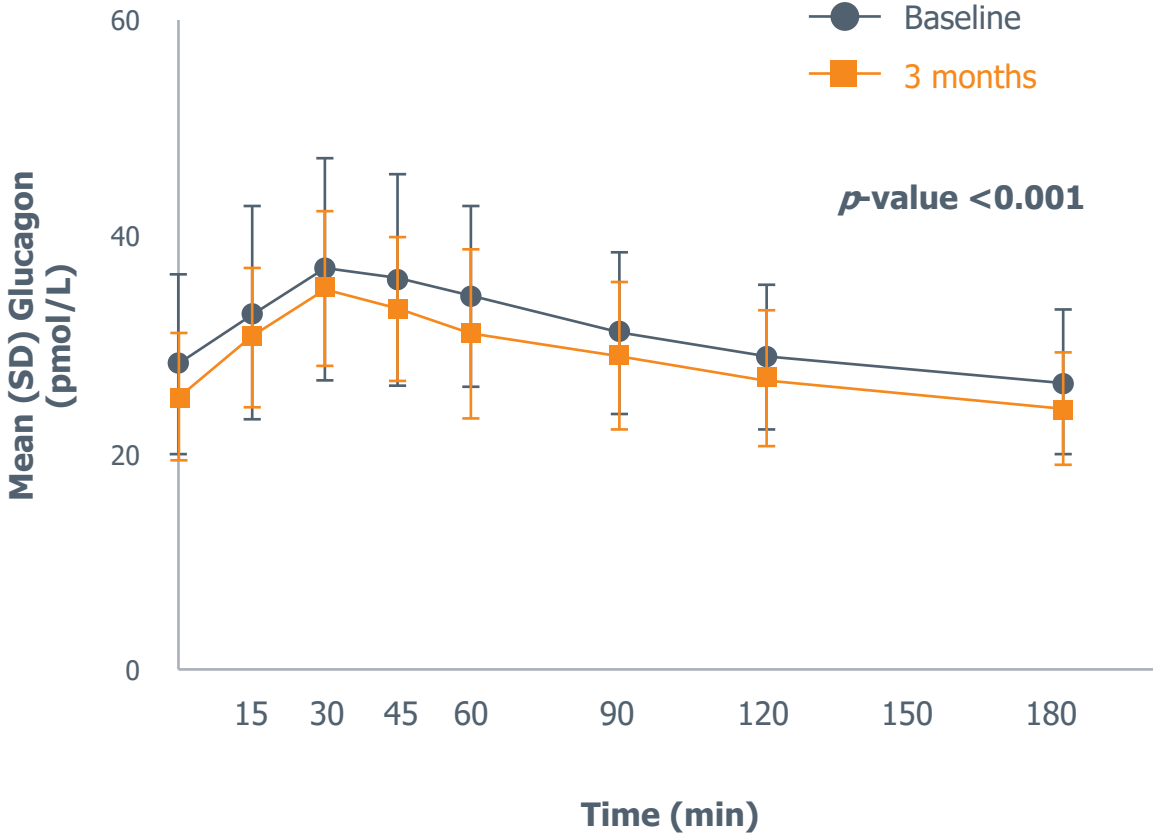
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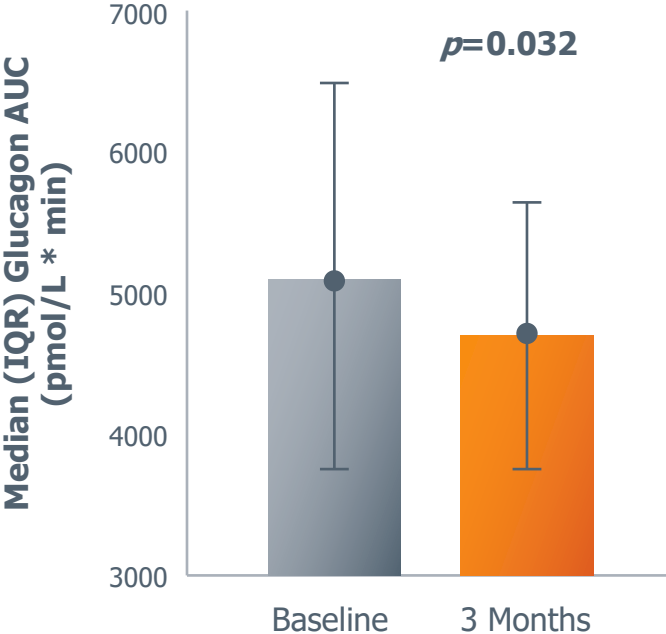


# Glucagon Decreased

## Glucagon

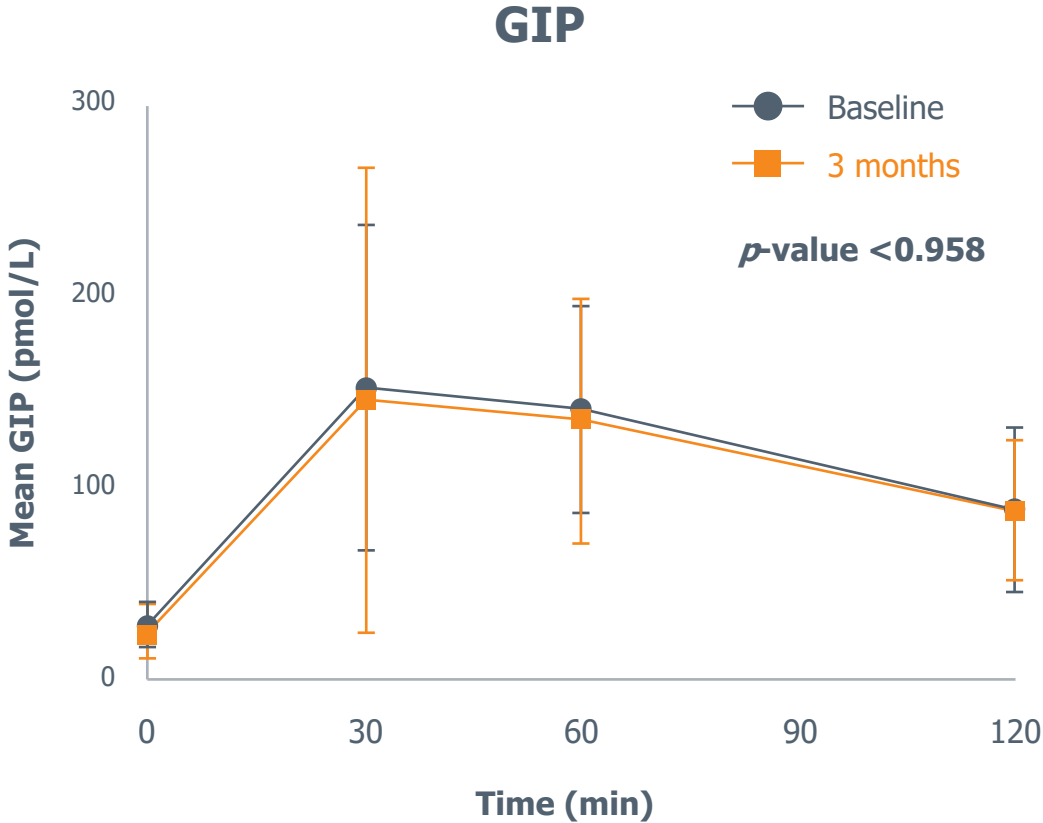
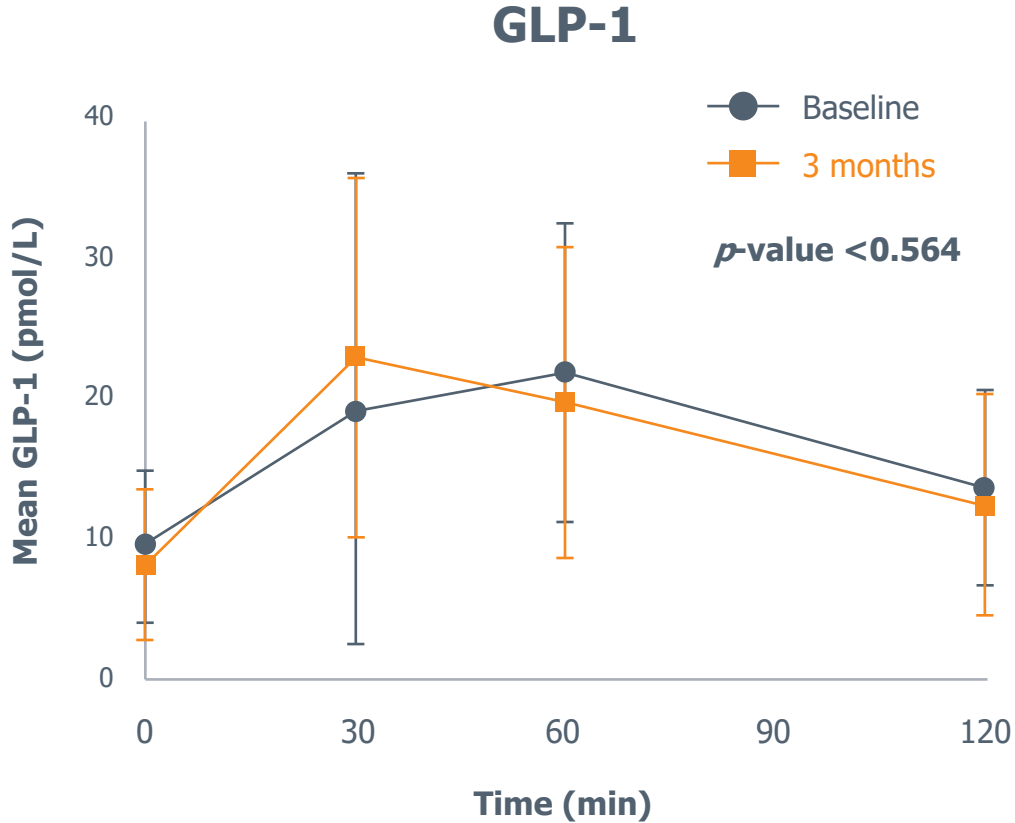


## Glucagon AUC





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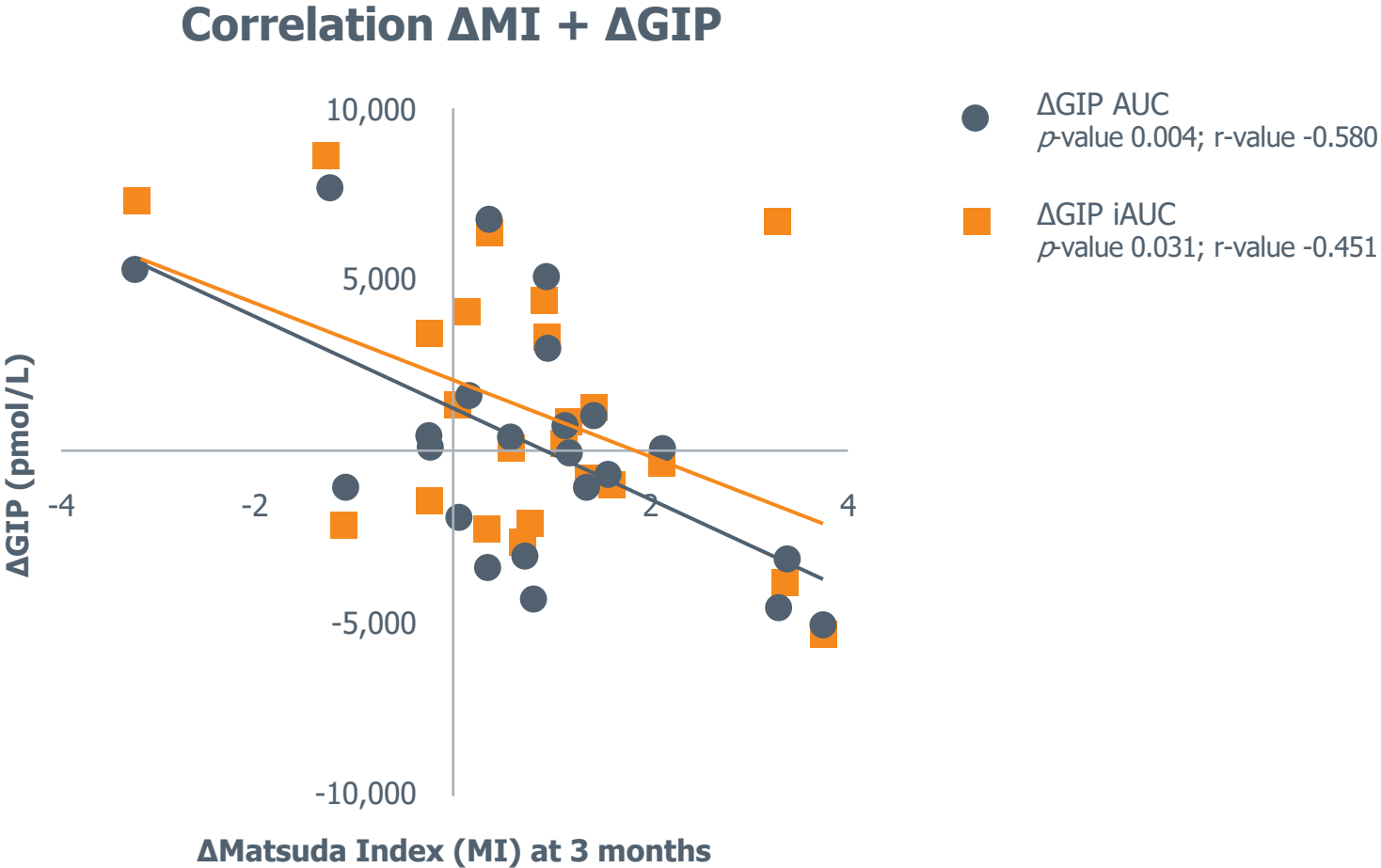


# Correlation glucose control and GIP

Inverse relationship between MI and GIP



Patients with improved insulin sensitivity had a decreased GIP



# Summary

## Insulin sensitivity and $\beta$ -cell function improved

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