# From Single Hepatocytes to Whole Liver Function: A Multi-Scale Model of Human Hepatic Galactose Metabolism - Supplementary Information

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# ABRREVIATIONS

IVM – in vivo microscopy

IPM – in plastic microscopy

OPS – orthogonal polarization spectral imaging

QSD – quantitative stereological description

SEM – scanning electron microscopy

 $SE-standard\ error\ (measurement)$ 

SD - standard deviation

TEM - transmission electron microscopy

# **SUPPLEMENTARY TABLES**

**Supplementary Table 1** - Reactions and transporters in human galactose metabolism and kinetic parameters.

Id	Information	Kinetics
GLUT2	Facilitated glucose transporter member 2	km(D-glc)=21.7 ± 1.8mM (rat liver) (Ciaraldi, et al., 1986)
	D-glucose (disse) [ $\mathbf{glc\_dis}$ ] $\leftrightarrow$ D-glucose (cytosol) [ $\mathbf{glc}$ ]	km(D-glc)=66±14mM (rat? hepatocytes) (Elliott and Craik, 1982)
	D-galactose (disse) [ $gal_dis$ ] $\leftrightarrow$ D-galactose (cytosol) [ $gal$ ]	km(3-O-MG)=42.3±4.1mM (human liver) (Gould, et al., 1991; Walmsley, et al.,
		1998)
	Mechanism	$km(3-O-Methyl glc)=17.3 \pm 4.3mM$ (rat liver) (Ciaraldi, et al., 1986)
	TCDB:2.A.1.1 (glucose transporter subfamily)	
	Protein/Structure	km(D-gal)=174±48mM (rat? hepatocytes) (Elliott and Craik, 1982)
	UniProt:P11168 (GTR2_HUMAN)	km(D-gal) > 50mM (GLUT2 enderocytes) (Walmsley, et al., 1998)
	Gene	$km(D-gal) = 85.5 \pm 10.7mM$ (human, liver-type GLUT2) (Colville, et al., 1993)
	SLC2A2, GLUT2	$km(D-gal) = 92 \pm 8.4mM$ (human, liver-type GLUT2) (Arbuckle, et al., 1996)
	Disease	
	MIM:227810 (Fanconi-Bickel syndrome; FBS)	Km(D-fru) = 66mM (Walmsley, et al., 1998)
	•	Km(D-fru)=212±32mM (rat? hepatocytes) (Elliott and Craik, 1982)
	Galactose and glucose transported via GLUT2 (competitive	
	inhibition kinetics) (Brown, 2000; Colville, et al., 1993)	Accumulation rate (human GLUT2)
		$v(deoxy-D-glc) = 4.33\pm0.15 \text{ pmol/min/oocyte}$
	Deficient transport of galactose into hepatocytes in human	$v(D-gal) = 1.68 \pm 0.09 \text{ pmol/min/oocyte}$
	patients with defective GLUT2 transporters (Fanconi-Bickel	$v(D-fru) = 0.78 \pm 0.09 \text{ pmol/min/oocyte}$
	syndrome) resulting in galactose malabsorption/intolerance	
	(Brown, 2000; Leslie, 2003).	v(D-glc)=220±19mmol/min/l of cell H2O (rat? hepatocytes) (Elliott and Craik,
		1982)
		v(D-gal)=288±48 mmol/min/l of cell H2O (rat? hepatocytes) (Elliott and Craik,
		1982)
		v(D-fru)=291±26 mmol/min/l of cell H2O (rat? hepatocytes) (Elliott and Craik,
		1982)
GALK	Galactokinase	Two-substrate ordered, ternary complex reaction (Timson and Reece, 2003)
	D-galactose [gal] + ATP [atp] $\leftrightarrow$ D-galactose 1-	
	phosphate [gal1p] + ADP [adp]	$kcat(gal) = 8.7 \pm 5 \text{ 1/s}$ (SABIORK:14785)(Timson and Reece, 2003)
		$km(atp) = 0.034 \pm 0.004mM$ (SABIORK:14792)(Timson and Reece, 2003)
	Reaction	km(gal)=0.97±0.22 mM (SABIORK:14785) (Timson and Reece, 2003)
	EC:2.7.1.6	km(gal) = 0.436mM (SABIORK:45367), (Sangiuolo, et al., 2004)
	RHEA:13556	
	KEGG:R01092	Uncompetitive product inhibition of GALK (adult rat liver) by gallp with both
	Protein	1mM and 5mM gallp altering the Km for galactose from 0.150mM to 0.800mM

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	<u>UniProt:P51570 (GALK1_HUMAN)</u> homodimer P51570*2	(1mM gal1p caused 15% inhibition, 5mM gal1p 50% inhibition) ki(gal1p) = 5.3mM (5.0-5.7mM) (adult rat liver) (Cuatrecasas and Segal, 1965)
	Gene	
	GALK, GALK1	
	Disease MIM:230200 (GALCT2 Galactosemia II)	
	Galactokinase being rate limiting for galactose clearance (Schirmer, et al., 1986) -> [27,28, 50]	
IMP	Inositol monophosphatase	Competitive inhibition model
	D-galactose 1-phosphate [gal1p] $\leftrightarrow$ D-galactose [gal] + phosphate [pi]	Kinetic analysis demonstrated that gallp competitively inhibited human IMP1 by increasing Km for inositol-1p (ino1p) from 320±50μM to 980±70μM without changing the Vmax (Slepak, et al., 2007)
	Reaction	$km(ino1p) = 0.320 \pm 0.050mM$ (Slepak, et al., 2007)
	EC:3.1.3.25	km(gal1p) = 0.35mM (similar kinetics gal1p to ino1p in vitro) (Parthasarathy, et al.,
	Protein	1997)
	<u>UniProt:P29218</u> (IMPA1_HUMAN) homodimer P29218*2	
	Gene	
	IMPA1, IMPA	
	Normal substrate inositol-1p (ino1p)	
GALT	Galactose-1-phosphate uridyl transferase	The catalytic mechanism of GALT is <b>ping-pong kinetics</b> with covalent intermediate
	UDP-D-glucose [ <b>udpglc</b> ] + D-galactose 1-phosphate [ <b>gal1p</b> ] ↔ D-glucose 1-phosphate [ <b>glc1p</b> ] + UDP-D-galactose [ <b>udpgal</b> ].	UMP-enzyme (Facchiano and Marabotti, 2010).
		Mutation analysis (Quimby, et al., 1996)
	Reaction	$km(gal1p) = 0.57 \pm 0.14mM$ (human, wildtype) (Quimby, et al., 1996)
	EC:2.7.7.12 RHEA:13992	$km(udpglc) = 0.21 \pm 0.04 mM$ (human, wildtype) (Quimby, et al., 1996)
	KEGG:R00955	Mutation analysis (Tang, et al., 2012)
	Protein	$km(gal1p) = 1.25 \pm 0.36mM$ (human, wildtype) (Tang, et al., 2012)
	UniProt:P07902 (GALT_HUMAN)	$km(udpglc) = 0.43 \pm 0.09mM$ (human, wildtype) (Tang, et al., 2012)
	homodimer P07902*2	
	Gene	(?species, 4°C) (Geeganage and Frey, 1998)
	GALT	$km(udpglc) = 0.5 \pm 0.1 mM$
	Disease	$v(glc1p) = 281 \pm 18 \text{ 1/s}$
	MIM:230400 (GALCT Galactosemia)	$km(glc1p) = 0.37 \pm 0.18mM$
		$v(glc1p) = 226 \pm 10 \text{ 1/s}$
		$km(gal1p) = 0.061 \pm 0.020 mM$ $v(glc1p) = 166 \pm 13.1/s$
		$v(glc1p) = 166 \pm 13 \text{ 1/s}$

# $\label{potential} \textbf{Potent linear competent inhibitors UTP and UDP of UDP-glucose} \ (\textbf{Segal and}$

Rogers, 1971):

Ki(UTP) = 0.13mM (rat, liver)

Ki(UDP) = 0.35mM (rat, liver)

Ki(UMP) = 2.3mM (rat, liver)

Ki(UDP-glucuronic acid)=0.40mM (rat, liver)

### GALE UDP-glucose 4-epimerase

 $UDP\text{-}D\text{-}glucose \ [\textbf{udpglc}] \leftrightarrow UDP\text{-}D\text{-}galactose \ [\textbf{udpgal}]$ 

#### Reaction

EC:5.1.3.2

RHEA:22171

KEGG:R00291

Protein

UniProt:Q14376 (GALE\_HUMAN)

homodimer Q14376\*2

Gene

GALE Disease

MIM:230350 (GALE deficiency)

Alternative activity with GlcNAc: UDP-GalNAc ↔ UDP-GlcNAc

"Ethanol treatment increases the NADH/NAD ratio in liver (Keppler, et al., 1970) [2-4] and by this inhibits the GALE - [3,5]. Under these conditions oxidation and elimination [6-8] of galactose are impaired. Combined galactose+ethanol treatment results in accumulation of gal1p and udpgal in rat liver. The formation of high amounts of udpgal leads to a change in the distribution of liver uracil nucleotides. A marked decrease of udpglc, utp, udp and ump is followed by an increase of the sum of uracil nucleotides." (Keppler, et al., 1970)

"The GALE reaction is indicated as the rate-limiting step of galactose metabolism in rat liver by the ratio of galactose metabolites (Keppler, et al., 1970)".

"The almost 4-fold increase of gal1p and updgal and the even stronger drop of the udpglc content in the ethanol treated liver after a galactose load demonstrates the ethanol-induced Mutation analysis(Timson, 2005)

**km(udpgal)=0.069±0.012mM** (human, wildtype) (Timson, 2005)

 $kcat(udpgal) = 36\pm1.4 \text{ 1/s}$  (human, wildtype) (Timson, 2005)

 $km(udpgal) = 0.15 \pm 0.02mM$  (human, wildtype) (Wohlers and Fridovich-Keil, 2000)

km(udpgal, V94M) =  $0.27 \pm 0.01 \text{mM}$  (human, V94M) (Wohlers and Fridovich-Keil, 2000)

km(udpgal)=0.140± 0.007mM (human, wildtype) (SABIORK:19823) (Winans and Bertozzi, 2002)

**km(udpgal)=0.120± 0.04mM** (human, wildtype) (SABIORK:46260) (Wasilenko, et al., 2005)

**kcat=** 33.8±11.2 (human, wildtype) (SABIORK:16222) (Thoden, et al., 2002) **km(udpgal) = 0.230±0.06mM** (human, wildtype) (SABIORK:46263) (Quimby, et al., 1997)

inhibition of the GALE" (Keppler, et al., 1970). "Galactose provokes pronounced alterations of the uracil nucleotide contents in the liver, which are intensified by an inhibition of the GALE" (Keppler, et al., 1970)

### UGP UDP-glucose pyrophosphorylase

D-glucose 1-phosphate [glc1p] + UTP [utp] ↔ UDP-glucose [udglc]+ diphosphate [pp]

#### Reaction

EC:2.7.7.9 RHEA:19892 KEGG:R00289

Protein

UniProt:Q16851 (UGPA\_HUMAN)

homooctamer Q16851\*8

Gene

UGP2, UGP1

### UGALP UDP-galactose pyrophosphorylase

D-galactose-1-phosphate [gal1p] + UTP [utp] +  $\leftrightarrow$  UDP-D-galactose [udpgal] pyrophosphate [pp]

### Reaction

EC:2.7.7.10 RHEA:14212 KEGG:R00502 Protein

UniProt:Q16851 (UGPA HUMAN)

homooctamer Q16851\*8

Gene

UGP2, UGP1

The formation of UDP-glucose is the major physiological function of UGP, however at slow rates, the enzyme also catalyzes the phosphorylation of UDP-galactose (Knop and Hansen, 1970) [Segal1968].

Not significant in normal physiological conditions, but in galactosemic patients could circumvent GALT deficiency Enzyme displays simple Michaelis-Menten kinetics in both directions (Chang, et al., 1996)

MgUTP is a product inhibitor that shows competitive inhibition with respect to UDP-Glc (Chang, et al., 1996)

(human, liver, wildtype) (Chang, et al., 1996)

km(udpglc) = [0.031 - 0.051]mM km(pp) = [0.172 - 0.210] mM km(glc1p) = [0.172 - 0.174] mMkm(utp) = [0.563 - 0.692] mM

 $ki(utp) = 0.477 \pm 41$  mM (competitive inhibition with respect to UDP-glc)

 $V_{fwd}/V_{rev} = 0.260$ 

(human, liver, wildtype) (Duggleby, et al., 1996)

 $\begin{array}{l} km(udpglc) = 0.049 \pm 0.004 mM \\ km(pp) = 0.166 \pm 0.013 \ mM \\ km(glc1p) = 0.172 \pm 0.010 \ mM \\ km(utp) = 0.563 \pm 0.115 \ mM \end{array}$ 

 $\begin{array}{l} ki(utp) = 0.643 \pm 0.047 \ mM \ \ (\text{competitive inhibition with respect to UDP-glc}) \\ ki(udpglc) = 0.013 \pm 4 \ mM \ \ (\text{competitive inhibition with respect to UTP?}) \end{array}$ 

(human, liver, wildtype) (Knop and Hansen, 1970)  $\mathbf{keq}([\mathbf{udpglc}][\mathbf{pp}]/([\mathbf{UTP}][\mathbf{glc1p}])) = \mathbf{0.15} - \mathbf{0.16}$ 

km(udpglc) = 50mM km(utp) = 48 mM $km(glc1p) = 95\pm10 mM$ 

 $\textbf{keq}([UTP][glc1p]/([udpglc][pp])) = 4.55 \pm 0.1 \; (Guynn, \, et \, al., \, 1974) \; (\textbf{0.22})$ 

The saturating concentration for UDP-galactose is 10 times that of UDP-glucose:  $km(udpgal) = 10*km(udpglc) \sim 0.5mM$  (human, liver, wildtype) (Knop and Hansen, 1970)

**km(udpgal) = 0.420mM** (rabbit, liver, wildtype) (Turnquist, et al., 1974) udpgal was an adequate substrate at 10 times the concentration of udpglc, showing 14.3% of udpglc (Calf) and 12.0% (Human).

activity with udpgal 2-12% of udpglc (12% with 3mM udpgal) (human liver) (Turnquist, et al., 1974)

	(Isselbacher ?). Stable transfection of human UGP (hUGP2) rescued galactose GALT deficient yeast from "galactose toxicity [Lai2002].	"The activity of UDPG:galactose-1-phosphate uridylyltransferase from rat liver under optimal conditions in vitro is less than 5% of the UDPG pyrophosphorylase activity" (Keppler, et al., 1970)[Keppler1970 ->39,40]
		gal1p as competitive inhibitor of glc1p  "Previously, we showed that galactose-1-phosphate competitively inhibited UDP-glucose pyrophosphorylase, leading to 66% reduction in UDP-glucose/galactose contents in GALT-deficient cells under galactose challenge" [Slepak2007->Lai2002].
ALDR	Aldose reductase (galactitol NAD 1-oxidoreductase) D-galactose [gal] + NADPH [nadph] + H ↔ galactitol [galtol] + NADP [nadp]	km(gal) = 40.0mM (human brain) (SABIORK:22893) (Wermuth, et al., 1982) kcat(gal) = 0.40 1/s (human brain) (SABIORK:22893) (Wermuth, et al., 1982)
	Reaction EC:1.1.1.21	km(gal) = 110.0mM (human brain) (SABIORK:15695) (Wermuth and von Wartburg, 1982)
	RHEA:12792 -> RHEA:37967 <u>KEGG:R01095</u> <b>Protein</b> UniProt:P15121 (ALDR_HUMAN)	
	monomer P15121*1  Gene AKR1B1, ALDR1	
	Aldolase reductase is specific for NADPH as cofactor (NADH ~10% of NADPH-dependent activity) (Wermuth and von Wartburg, 1982).	
	"Aldolase reductase catalyzes the conversion of aldoses and a number of other aldehydes to the corresponding alcohol metabolites. It is one of several cytosolic, monomeric, NADPH- dependent aldehyde and ketone reductases of wide substrate specificity" (Wermuth, et al., 1982)".	
PGM1	Phosphoglucomutase-1	The equilibrium lies strongly toward glc6p and reaction proceeds through ping-
	D-glucose 1-phosphate [glc1p] $\leftrightarrow$ D-glucose 6-phosphate [glc6p]	pong mechanism (Guynn, et al., 1974) The kinetic properties of PGM1 and PGM2 are essentially the same. PGM1 is specific for mutation of glucose, whereas PGM2 also has phosphoribomutase
	Reaction	activities. (human, RBC) (Accorsi, et al., 1989)
	EC:5.4.2.2	
	KEGG:R00959	[glc6p]/[glc1p] ~10-12 (Guynn, et al., 1974)
	RHEA:23539	DeltaG =-7.1 kJ/mol (König, et al., 2012)
	Protein (multiple isoforms PGM1, PGM2)	

	UniProt:P36871 (PGM1_HUMAN)	km(glc1p) = 0.049mM (human, RBC) (Quick, et al., 1974)
	monomer P36871*1 main isoform for glc1p ↔ glc6p reaction	km(glc1p) = 0.045mM (rat, heart) (Kashiwaya, et al., 1994)
	Gene PGM1	km(glc6p) = 0.67mM (rat, heart) (Kashiwaya, et al., 1994)
	Disease MIM:612934 (Glycogen storage disease 14) MIM:614921 (Congenital disorder of glycosylation 1T CDG1T)	km(glc1p) = 0.083mM (human, RBC, PGM1) (Accorsi, et al., 1989) ki(fru16bp) = 0.092mM (human, RBC, PGM1) (Accorsi, et al., 1989)
	Protein <u>UniProt:Q96G03</u> (PGM2_HUMAN) Gene PGM2	
	CDG1T - A multisystem disorder caused by a defect in glycoprotein biosynthesis and characterized by underglycosylated serum glycoproteins.	
PPASE	Pyrophosphatase Pyrophosphate [pp] + H2O → 2 phosphate [pi]	km(pp) = 0.005mM (rat liver) (Yoshida, et al., 1982) km(pp) = 0.14mM (human erythrocyte) (Thuillier, 1978) km(pp) = 0.07mM (rat liver) (Irie, et al., 1970)
	<b>Reaction</b> EC:3.6.1.1 RHEA:24579	<b>Delta G0 = -23.56 kJ/mol</b> (Thuillier, 1978) <b>Delta G0 = -19.2 kJ/mol</b> (Guynn, et al., 1974)
	KEGG:R00004 Protein UniProt:Q15181 (IPYR_HUMAN) homodimer Q15181*2	
	Gene PPA1, IOPPP, PP	
NDKU	$\begin{aligned} & \textbf{Nucleoside diphosphokinase (ATP:UDP phosphotransferase)} \\ & \textbf{ATP [atp]} + \textbf{UDP [udp]} \leftrightarrow \textbf{ADP [adp]} + \textbf{UTP [udp]} \end{aligned}$	Compulsory-order substituted-enzyme ( <b>Ping Pong Bi Bi</b> ) mechanism (Lam and Packham, 1986)
	Reaction EC: 2.7.4.6 RHEA:25101	km(atp) = 0.38mM (human, platelets) (Lam and Packham, 1986) km(adp) = 0.024mM (human, platelets) (Lam and Packham, 1986) km(gtp) = 0.12mM (human, platelets) (Lam and Packham, 1986)
	KEGG:R00156 Multitude of isoforms	km(atp) = 1.33mM (rat, liver) (Kimura and Shimada, 1988) km(adp) = 0.042mM (rat, liver) (Kimura and Shimada, 1988) km(udp) = 0.19mM(rat, liver) (Kimura and Shimada, 1988)

		km(atp) = 1.80  mM (rat, liver) (Fukuchi, et al., 1994)
		km(adp) = 0.066  mM (rat, liver) (Fukuchi, et al., 1994)
		km(utp) = 27.00mM (rat, liver) (Fukuchi, et al., 1994)
		km(gtp) = 0.15mM (rat, liver) (Fukuchi, et al., 1994)
		km(gdp) = 0.049mM (rat, liver) (Fukuchi, et al., 1994)
NADPR	NADP reductase	Delta $G0 = -19.6 \text{ kJ/mol [Schuster1995]}$
	NADP [nadp] + H2→NADPH [nadph]	
		$km(glc6p) = 0.040\pm0.008 \text{ mM}$ (human, placenta) (Ozer, et al., 2001)
	Modeled via glucose-6-phosphate dehydrogenase in pentose	$km(nadp) = 0.020 \pm 0.010 \text{ mM}$ (human, placenta) (Ozer, et al., 2001)
	phosphate pathway	$ki(nadph) = 0.0171 \pm 0.0032 \text{ mM}$ (human, placenta) (Ozer, et al., 2001)
	D-glucose 6-phosphate [glc6p] + NADP [nadp] → 6-phospho-	
	D-glucono-1,5-lactone + NADPH [nadph] + H	km(glc6p) = 0.072  mM (human, RBC) (Bautista, et al., 1992)
	2 giacono 1,0 metono i 1112111 (mapi) i 11	$km(glc6p) = 0.069 \pm 0.003 \text{ mM}$ (human, recombinant) (Bautista, et al., 1992)
	Reaction	km(nadp) = 0.013  mM (human, RBC) (Bautista, et al., 1992)
	EC: 1.1.1.49	$km(nadp) = 0.012 \pm 0.002 \text{ mM}$ (human, recombinant) (Bautista, et al., 1992)
	RHEA:15844	$km(nadp) = 0.015\pm0.002 \text{ mW} \text{ (human, RBC) (Bautista, et al., 1992)}$
	KEGG:R00835	$km(nadph) = 0.013\pm0.002 \text{ mW} \text{ (human, RDC) (Bautista, et al., 1992)}$ $km(nadph) = 0.014\pm0.003 \text{ mM} \text{ (human, recombinant) (Bautista, et al., 1992)}$
	Protein	Kin(naupii) = 0.014±0.003 mivi (numan, recombinant) (Bautista, et al., 1992)
	<u>UniProt:P11413</u> (G6PD_HUMAN) homotetramer (dimer of dimer) P11413*4	km(glc6p) = 0.326mM (rat, liver)
	,	km(glc6p) = 0.157mM  (rat, liver)
	Gene	(Corpas, et al., 1995; Corpas, et al., 1995)
	G6PD	km(nadp) = 0.108  mM  (rat, liver)
		<b>km(nadp)</b> = <b>0.258 mM</b> (rat, liver) (Corpas, et al., 1995; Corpas, et al., 1995)
		ki(nadhp) = 0.010  mM(rat, liver)
		ki(nadhp) = 0.021  mM(rat, liver) (Corpas, et al., 1995; Corpas, et al., 1995)
ATPS	ATP synthesis	
	$ADP[adp] + phosphate[pi] \rightarrow ATP[atp]$	
	Modeled via general ATP producing reaction representative for	
	ATP production via glycolysis and oxidative phosphorylation	
GTF	Glycosyltransferase	
GTFGAL	Aceptor [gac] + UDP-glucose [udpglc] -> Acceptor-	
GTFGLC	glucose[gacglc] + UDP [udp]	
GIFGEC	glucose[gaegie] + obi [uup]	
	Aceptor [gac] + UDP-glucose [udpgal] -> Acceptor-	
	glucose[gacgal] + UDP [udp]	
	grucoscigacgai j + ODF [uup]	
	Engrange that therefore many on all acceptable described	
	Enzymes that transfer mono- or oligosaccharides from donor	
	molecules to growing oligosaccharide chains or proteins are	
	called glycosyltransferases (Gtfs)	

# GALDH

Galactose 1-dehydrogenase
D-galactose + NAD+ ↔ D-galactono-1,4-lactone + NADH + H+
EC.1.1.1.48 (Brenda only bacteria)
D-galactose -> galactonate
(first enzyme in oxidative pathway)
[Segal1968 -> Cuatrecasas1966,15]
Alternative pathway to xylulose.

D-Galactose + Oxygen + H2O <=> D-Galactonate + Hydrogen

peroxide

EC:1.1.3.9

KEGG:R01098 (only bacteria)

Supplementary Table 2 - Metabolites in hepatic galactose metabolism.

Id	Name (mass) Annotation	Initial Concentration	Comments
glc	D-glucose	5.5mM (König, et al., 2012)	[glc] = 5.5mM (König, et al., 2012) 3-10mM (depending on physiological state)
	(M <sub>w</sub> 180.2) <u>CHEBI:4167</u> <u>KEGG:C00031</u>		
gal	D-galactose	0.00012mM (no galactose)	plasma of post-absorptive humans (data considerable lower (3-18-fold) than conventional enzymatic assay) (Schadewaldt, et al., 2000)
	(M <sub>w</sub> 180.2) <u>CHEBI:4139</u> <u>KEGG:C00124</u>	<b>0.00144mM</b> (GALT deficient) <b>0.0013-0.0027mM</b> (GALE deficient)	[gal] = $0.12\pm0.03\mu M$ (n=16) healthy subjects [gal] = $1.44\pm0.54\mu M$ (n=10) classical galactosemia (GALT deficiency) [gal] = $0.17\pm0.07\mu M$ (n=5) obligate heterozygous parents of classical galactosemia [gal] = $0.11\pm0.04\mu M$ (n=15) diabetic patients
			<b>GALE deficient patients</b> (blood) (Yamaguchi, et al., 1989) <b>[gal]</b> =24-29mg/L ( <b>0.013-0.016mM</b> ) <b>[gal]</b> = 48mg/L ( <b>0.027mM</b> )
			Neonatal control (blood): [gal]=13±6 mg/L (0.0072±0.0033mM) (Yamaguchi, et al., 1989) normal values: [gal]=0.015±0.009mM (range 0-0.044mM) (Orfanos, et al., 1986) Cut-off values for newborn screening blood for galactosemias: "If gal > 60mg/L (0.033mM) or gal1P > 150mg/L (0.058mM)." (Yamaguchi, et al., 1989)
glc1p	D-glucose 1- phosphate	0.012mM (no galactose)	[glc1p] = 0.012mM (König, et al., 2012) (Keppler, et al., 1970)
	(M <sub>w</sub> 258.1) CHEBI:58601 KEGG:C00103	0.011mM (1h galactose) 0.012mM (1h galactose, GALE inhibition)	[glc1p] = $0.010 \pm 0.004 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~ $0.011 mM$ ) (starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver) [glc1p] = $0.011 \pm 0.005 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~ $0.012 mM$ ) (ethanol, starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			(Guynn, et al., 1974) $ [glc1p] = 0.0075 \pm 0.0010 \; \mu mol/g_{WW} \; (\sim 0.0083 mM) \; (\text{rat liver, starved}) \\ [glc1p] = 0.0115 \pm 0.008 \; \mu mol/g_{WW} \; (\sim 0.0127 mM) \; (\text{rat liver, fed ad}) $

			libitum)
glc6p	D-glucose 6- phosphate	<b>0.12mM</b> (no galactose)	[glc6p] = 0.12mM (König, et al., 2012) (Guynn, et al., 1974) [glc6p] = 0.078±0.011 μmol/g <sub>WW</sub> (~0.086mM) (rat liver, starved)
	(M <sub>w</sub> 258.1) CHEBI:58225	<b>0.29mM</b> (1h galactose)	[glc6p] = $0.147\pm0.012~\mu mol/g_{WW}~(\sim0.163mM)$ (rat liver, fed ad libitum)
	KEGG:C00668	<b>0.30mM</b> (1h galactose, GALE inhibition)	[glc6p] = 0.157±0.007 $\mu$ mol/gww (~0.174mM) (rat liver, meal fed) [glc6p]/[glc1p] ~10-12
			(Keppler, et al., 1970) [glc6p] =0.26 $\pm 0.06 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~0.29mM) (starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			[glc6p] =0.30 $\pm$ 0.13 $\mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~0.33mM) (ethanol, starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			[glc6p]/[glc1p] =22.2 ±5.9 (starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver) [glc6p]/[glc1p] =22.8 ±5.9 (ethanol, starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
gal1p	D-galactose 1-	0.001mM	(Lai, et al., 2003) (human cells)
	phosphate	(no galactose)	[gal1p] = ND (not detectable) (Control glucose medium) [gal1p] = 0.2±0.01mM (Control galactose medium)
	$(M_w 258.1)$	0.20mM	
	CHEBI:58336	(1h galactose)	(Keppler, et al., 1970)
	KEGG:C00446	<b>0.77mM</b> (1h galactose, GALE	[gal1p] =0.18 $\pm 0.04 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~0.2mM)(starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
		inhibition)	[gal1p] =0.69 $\pm 0.11 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~0.77mM) (ethanol, starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
		1.2mM	7 1 1 2000 7 11 )
		(GALT deficient,	(Lai, et al., 2003) (human cells)
		glucose) 5.2mM (GALT deficient,	$[gal1p] = 1.2 \pm 0.4 mM \; (GALT\text{-deficient} \; \text{glucose} \; \text{medium}) \\ [gal1p] = 5.2 \pm 0.02 mM \; (GALT\text{-deficient} \; \text{galactose} \; \text{medium})$
		galactose)	GALT deficiency detected (blood)
		<i>5</i> ,	[gal1p] > <b>3.0mM</b> (human cells) (Diepenbrock, et al., 1992)
			GALE deficient patients (blood) (Yamaguchi, et al., 1989) [gal1p]=330-360mg/L (1.28-1.39mM)
			[gal1p]=474 mg/L ( <b>1.84mM</b> ) (Yamaguchi, et al., 1989)
			Neonatal control (blood):

			gal1P=15±11 mg/L ( <b>0.058±0.042mM</b> ) (Yamaguchi, et al., 1989)
			normal values:
			gal1P = $0.038\pm0.027$ mM (range 0-0.096 $\mu$ M) (Orfanos, et al., 1986)
			Mean concentration of gallp (blood) was <b>0.15mM</b> in cases below the
			cut-off of 0.74mM (Diepenbrock, et al., 1992)
udpglc	UDP-D-glucose	0.34mM	[ <b>udpglc</b> ] = <b>0.38mM</b> (König, et al., 2012)
	<b>B</b>	(no galactose)	(
	$(M_w 564.3)$	(no gamerose)	[udpglc] = $0.32\pm0.05 \mu\text{mol/gwW}$ ( $\sim 0.36\text{mM}$ ) (rat liver)(Keppler and
	CHEBI:58885	0.27mM	Decker, 1969)
	KEGG:C00029	(1h galactose)	[udpglc] = $0.26\pm0.07 \mu\text{mol/gww}$ (~ $0.29\text{mM}$ ) (rat liver)(Keppler, et al.,
	KEGG.C00025	0.17mM	[1969] 1969)
			1909)
		(1h galactose, GALE	/TZ 1 1 1070)
		inhibition)	(Keppler, et al., 1970)
			[udpglc] =0.32 $\pm 0.04 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~0.36mM) (fed, rat, liver)
			[udpglc] =0.29 $\pm 0.05 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~0.32mM) (starved, rat, liver)
			[udpglc] =0.24 $\pm 0.09 \mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~0.27mM) (starved + galactose 1h, rat,
			liver)
			[udpglc] =0.15 $\pm 0.03 \mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~0.17mM) (ethanol, starved +
			galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			[Guynn, et al., 1974) [udpglc] = 0.342±0.024 μmol/gww (~0.38mM) (rat liver, starved) [udpglc] = 0.433±0.023 μmol/gww (~0.48mM) (rat liver, fed ad libitum) [udpglc] = 0.347±0.027 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver, meal fed)  (Lai, et al., 2003) (human cells, in μmol/100g(cell protein)) [udpglc] = 236±25 (Control glucose medium) [udpglc] = 179±24 (76% glucose) (Control galactose medium)
			[udpsic] = 177224 (7070 gracose) (Control galactose mediani)
			(Lai, et al., 2003) (human cells, in µmol/100g(cell protein))
			[udpglc] = 157±10 (GALT-deficient glucose medium)
			[udpglc] = 110±10 (70% glucose) (GALT-deficient galactose medium)
udpgal	UDP-D-	0.11mM	Both the levels and approximate ratio of 1:3 of udpgal and udpglc are
aupgar	galactose	(no galactose)	very tightly controlled in normal human cells. (Fridovich-Keil, 2006;
	Saraciosc	(no galactose)	Segal, 1995) (1:3 rule udpglc)
	$(M_w 564.3)$	0.36mM	Segai, 1773) (1.3 tule uupgic)
			(Keppler, et al., 1970)
	CHEBI:66914 VEGG:C00052	(1h galactose)	
	KEGG:C00052	1.39mM	[udpgal] =0.09 ±0.01 $\mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~0.10mM) (fed, rat, liver)
		(1h galactose, GALE	[udpgal] =0.09 $\pm$ 0.01 $\mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~0.10mM) (starved, rat, liver)

		inhibition)	[udpgal] =0.32 $\pm 0.07 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ ( $\sim 0.36 mM$ ) (starved + galactose 1h, rat,
			liver)
			[udpgal] =1.25 $\pm 0.16 \mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~1.39mM) (ethanol, starved +
			galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			(Keppler, et al., 1970)
			[udpgal]/[udpglc] =3.4 $\pm$ 0.3 (fed, rat, liver)
			[udpgal]/[udpglc] =3.3 $\pm 0.3$ (starved, rat, liver)
			[udpgal]/[udpglc] =0.78 $\pm$ 0.39 (starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			[udpgal]/[udpglc] =0.11 $\pm 0.02$ (ethanol, starved + galactose 1h, rat,
			liver)
			[udpgal]/[gal1p] =1.94 $\pm 0.35$ (starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			[udpgal]/[gal1p] =1.85 $\pm 0.27$ (ethanol, starved + galactose 1h, rat,
			liver)
			(Lai, et al., 2003) (human cells, in µmol/100g(cell protein))
			[udpgal] = 82±10 (Control glucose medium)
			[udpgal] = 46±4 ( <b>56% glucose</b> ) (Control galactose medium 24h)
			(Lai, et al., 2003) (human cells, in µmol/100g(cell protein))
			$[udpgal] = 25\pm 5$ (GALT-deficient glucose medium)
			[udpgal] = 17±3 (68% glucose) (GALT-deficient galactose medium
			24h)
galtol	D-galactitol	0.001mM	[galtol]=4.8-40µmol/g (~5.3-44mM) (occupational gray matter, human)
		(no galactose)	[galtol]=17.6\mumol/g (~)(basal ganglia, human) (Wang, et al., 2001)
	$(M_w 182.2)$		[galtol]=12.9µmol/g (~14.3mM) (Wang, et al., 2001) (Wells, et al.,
	CHEBI:16813	~8mM	1965)
	KEGG:C01697	(GALT deficiency)	[galtol]=22.18µmol/g (~24.6mM) (Wang, et al., 2001) (Quan-Ma, et
			al., 1966)
			Galactitol measured directly in <b>GALT-deficient mice</b> are lower (2mM)
			than levels detected by MRS in human subjects (8mM) (Leslie, 2003;
			Wang, et al., 2001)
atp	ATP	2.7mM	[atp] = 2.8mM (König, et al., 2012)
		(no galactose)	
	$(M_w 503.2)$		(Guynn, et al., 1974)
	CHEBI:30616	2.9mM	[atp] = $2.49\pm0.12 \mu\text{mol/gww}$ (~2.77mM) (rat liver, starved)
	KEGG:C00002	(1h galactose)	[atp] = $2.56\pm0.09 \mu\text{mol/gww}$ (~ $2.84\text{mM}$ ) (rat liver, fed ad libitum)
		2.9mM	[atp] = $2.32\pm0.07 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 2.58 mM)$ (rat liver, meal fed)
		(1h galactose, GALE	
		inhibition)	$[atp] = 2.42 \pm 0.50 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 2.69 mM) $ (rat liver) (Keppler, et al.,

			1969)
			(Keppler, et al., 1970)
			[atp] =2.60 $\pm$ 0.16 $\mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~2.89mM) (starved + galactose 1h, rat,
			liver)
			[atp] =2.81 $\pm 0.15 \mu mol/g_{ww}$ (~3.12mM) (ethanol, starved + galactose
			1h, rat, liver)
			$[atp]/[adp] = 3.14 \pm 0.52$ (starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
			$[atp]/[adp] = 3.10 \pm 0.53$ (ethanol, starved + galactose 1h, rat, liver)
adp	ADP	1.2mM	[atp] = 0.8mM (König, et al., 2012)
•		(no galactose)	(Guynn, et al., 1974)
	$(M_w 424.2)$	` ' '	[adp] = $1.38\pm0.08\mu$ mol/gww (~ $1.53$ mM) (rat liver, starved)
	CHEBI:456216	1.0mM	[adp] = $1.06\pm0.03\mu$ mol/gww (~ $1.18$ mM) (rat liver, fed ad libitum)
	KEGG:C00008	(1h galactose)	[adp] = $1.24\pm0.04\mu$ mol/g <sub>WW</sub> (~ $1.38$ mM) (rat liver, meal fed)
	11200100000	1.0mM	[aup] 112 i=viv ipiniong, (i) (iii in vii) (iiii in vii) (iiii in vii)
		(1h galactose, GALE	$[adp] = 1.08 \pm 0.12 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 1.20 \text{mM}) \text{ (rat liver) (Keppler, et al.,}$
		inhibition)	1969)
		minoraon)	(Keppler, et al., 1970)
			[adp] =0.88 $\pm$ 0.17 $\mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~0.98mM) (starved + galactose 1h, rat,
			liver)
			[adp] =0.97 $\pm$ 0.19 $\mu$ mol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~1.08mM) (ethanol, starved + galactose
			1h, rat, liver)
4	UTP	0.27mM	[utp] = 0.27mM (König, et al., 2012)
utp			$[\mathbf{utp}] = 0.27 \mathbf{mvi} \text{ (Konig, et al., 2012)}$
	$(M_w 480.1)$	(no galactose)	(C + 1 1074)
	CHEDI 46200		(Guynn, et al., 1974)
	CHEBI:46398		[utp] = $0.362 \pm 0.014 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 0.40 mM)$ (rat liver, starved)
	KEGG:C00075		[utp] = $0.494\pm0.038 \mu\text{mol/gww}$ (~ $0.55\text{mM}$ ) (rat liver, fed ad libitum)
			[utp] = $0.443\pm0.039 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 0.49 mM)$ (rat liver, meal fed)
udp	UDP	0.09mM	[utp] = 0.443±0.039 μmol/gww (~0.49mM) (rat liver, meal fed) [udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)
udp	UDP (M <sub>w</sub> 401.1)	0.09mM (no galactose)	[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)
udp	-		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012) [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et
udp	-		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1)		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012) [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1) <u>CHEBI:58223</u>		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012) [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1) <u>CHEBI:58223</u>		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.05 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler and
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1) <u>CHEBI:58223</u>		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.05 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver)(Keppler and Decker, 1969)
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1) <u>CHEBI:58223</u>		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.05 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver)(Keppler and Decker, 1969)  (Keppler, et al., 1970)
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1) <u>CHEBI:58223</u>		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.05 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver)(Keppler and Decker, 1969)  (Keppler, et al., 1970)  [utp+udp] = 0.34 ±0.05μmol/gww (~0.38mM) (fed, rat, liver)  [utp+udp] = 0.23 ±0.05μmol/gww (~0.26mM) (starved, rat, liver)
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1) <u>CHEBI:58223</u>		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.05 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver)(Keppler and Decker, 1969)  (Keppler, et al., 1970)  [utp+udp] = 0.34±0.05μmol/gww (~0.38mM) (fed, rat, liver)  [utp+udp] = 0.23±0.05μmol/gww (~0.26mM) (starved, rat, liver)  [utp+udp] = 0.15±0.03μmol/gww (~0.17mM) (starved + galactose 1h,
udp	(M <sub>w</sub> 401.1) <u>CHEBI:58223</u>		[udp] = 0.09mM (König, et al., 2012)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.07 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver) (Keppler, et al., 1969)  [utp+udp] = 0.35±0.05 μmol/gww (~0.39mM) (rat liver)(Keppler and Decker, 1969)  (Keppler, et al., 1970)  [utp+udp] = 0.34 ±0.05μmol/gww (~0.38mM) (fed, rat, liver)  [utp+udp] = 0.23 ±0.05μmol/gww (~0.26mM) (starved, rat, liver)

			Marked decrease in [utp+udp] under galactose challenge.
phos	Phosphate	5.0mM (König, et	$[\mathbf{pi}] = 5.0 \text{mM} \text{ (König, et al., 2012)}$
	a	al., 2012)	(Guynn, et al., 1974)
	$(M_w 96.0)$		[pi] = 4.37±0.16 μmol/gww (~4.86mM) (rat liver, starved)
	<u>CHEBI:43474</u>		[pi] = $3.64\pm0.32 \mu\text{mol/gww}$ (~4.04mM) (rat liver, fed ad libitum)
	KEGG:C00009		$[pi] = 4.41 \pm 0.10 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 4.90 mM)$ (rat liver, meal fed)
			[pi] = $3.18\pm0.56 \mu\text{mol/g}_{WW}$ (~ $3.53\text{mM}$ ) (rat liver)(Keppler and Decker,
			1969)
ppi	Pyrophosphate	0.008mM(König, et	[ <b>pp</b> ] = <b>0.008mM</b> (König, et al., 2012)
		al., 2012)	(Guynn, et al., 1974)
	$(M_w 175.0)$		$[pp] = 0.0023 \pm 0.0003 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 0.0026 mM)$ (rat liver, starved)
	CHEBI:33019		$[pp] = 0.0038 \pm 0.0004 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 0.0042 \ mM)$ (rat liver, fed ad
	KEGG:C00013		libitum)
			$[pp] = 0.0049 \pm 0.0006 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 0.0054 mM)$ (rat liver, meal fed)
			[pp] = $0.0065\pm0.00086 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} (\sim 0.0072 mM)$ (rat total liver)
nadp	NADP	0.1mM	
	(M. 740.4)		
	(M <sub>w</sub> 740.4)		
	CHEBI:58349 KEGG:C00006		
nadph	NADPH	0.1mM	
пацрп	NADIII	V.11111VI	
	$(M_w 741.4)$		
	CHEBI:57783		
	KEGG:C00005		
suc	Sucrose		
	$(M_w 342.3)$		
	CHEBI:17992		
	KEGG:C00089		
h2oM	H2O M		
	CHEBI:15377		
	KEGG:C00001		
alb	albumin		
	PR:000003918		
rbc	red blood cell		
•	BTO:0000424		
galnat	D-galactonate		
	(M <sub>w</sub> 195.1)		
	CHEBI:12931		

	KEGG:C00880	
galn	galactosamine	Uptake of galactosamine by rat liver is a~0.4µmol/g(liver)/min as measured by the disappearance of galactosamine from the medium (Keppler, et al., 1969)  Time-dependent decrease in uridine nucleotides in isolated perfused rat livers after galactosamine addition. (Keppler, et al., 1969)
amp	AMP	$[amp] = 0.28 \pm 0.06 \ \mu mol/g_{WW} \ (\sim 0.31 mM) \ (rat \ liver) \ (Keppler, \ et \ al., \ 1969) \\ (Keppler, \ et \ al., \ 1970) \\ [amp] = 0.15 \pm 0.09 \mu mol/g_{ww} \ (\sim 0.167 mM) \ (starved + \ galactose \ 1h, \ rat, \ liver) \\ [amp] = 0.19 \pm 0.07 \mu mol/g_{ww} \ (\sim 0.21 mM) \ (ethanol, \ starved + \ galactose \ 1h, \ rat, \ liver)$
ump	UMP	[ump] = 0.04 μmol/g <sub>ww</sub> (~0.044mM) (rat liver) (Segal and Rogers, 1971)

# Supplementary Table 3 - Tissue-and organ parameters

Parameter	Symbol	Model value	Human	Dog	Rat
number of hepatocytes along sinusoid	$N_c$	20	<b>15-25</b> (human) (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006)		<b>12-20</b> (rat, from image) (Burkel and Low, 1966)
sinusoid length	$L_{ m sin}$	500μm (±125μm)	500-650μm diameter of hepatic lobules 1.0–1.3mm (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006)) 500μm (distance between central veins 1000μm) (Lautt, 2009) 350–500μm (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006)	<b>500μm</b> (Goresky, 1963)	400-450μm distance between central veins 809±199μm (SD, n=79, young rat, SEM of corrosion cast)(Warren, et al., 2008) 891±190μm (n=78, old rat, SEM of corrosion cast)(Warren, et al., 2008)
Diameter hepatocyte in sinusoidal direction	$X_{cell}$	$L_{\rm sin}$ / $N_c$ <b>25<math>\mu</math>m</b> (calculated from geometry)	<b>20 – 40μm</b> (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006)		No significant difference could be shown in the average size of parenchymal cells among the lobular zones of rat liver.  20.8±0.2µm (SD, n=50, rat, periportal, QSD) (Loud, 1968)  20.8±0.3µm (SD, n=50, rat, midzonal, QSD) (Loud, 1968)  21.0±0.3µm (SD, n=50, rat, perivenious, QSD) (Loud, 1968)  Parenchymal cells of normal rat liver are at least 80% homogeneous with respect to the structural parameters measured.
sinusoidal radius	${oldsymbol y}_{ m sin}$	4.4μm (8.8μm sinusoidal diameter)	Sinusoidal diameter 8.8±0.9µm (human, OPS) (Puhl, et al., 2003) 4-15µm (human) (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006) 13.23±2.36µm (human, n=100, SEM) (Debbaut, et al., 2014)		Sinusoidal diameter 5.9±0.17μm (SE, n=545, rat, periportal, IVM) (Wisse, et al., 1985) 7.1±0.29μm (SE, n=498, rat, central, IVM) (Wisse, et al., 1985) 6.42±0.12μm (SE, n=696, rat, periportal, IPM) (Wisse, et al., 1985) 7.62±NDμm (SE, n=696, rat, central, IPM) (Wisse, et al., 1985) 5.9±0.17μm (rat, Zone 1), 7.1±0.29μm (rat, Zone 3) (MacPhee, et al., 1995) 6.4±0.1μm (rat, Zone 1), 8.3±0.2μm (rat, Zone 3) (MacPhee, et al., 1995) 6.6±0.09μm (SEM, n=139, rat, direct sinusoids)(Koo,

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				6.3±0.07μm (n=304, rat, branching sinusoids, SEM) (Koo, et al., 1975) 6.3±0.12μm (n=72, rat, direct sinusoids, SEM) (Koo, et al., 1975) 9.4±3.6μm (SD, n=977, young rat, SEM of corrosion cast)(Warren, et al., 2008) 9.7±3.5μm (n=1225, old rat, SEM of corrosion cast)(Warren, et al., 2008)
width space of Disse	$y_{dis}$	1.2±0.4μm	0.4-1.5µm (human, SEM, estimated from imaged) (Muto, et al., 1977)  The sinusoidal lining of human liver appeared remarkably similar to that of the rat by both TEM and SEM. (Burwen, et al., 1982)  0.5-1.7µm (human, SEM, estimated from image) (Burwen, et al., 1982)	<ul> <li>0.3-1.5μm (rat, SEM micrograph, estimated from image) (Burkel and Low, 1966)</li> <li>0.2–1μm (rat, SEM micrograph, estimated from image) (Wisse, et al., 1985)</li> <li>0.3–1.2μm (rat, TEM, estimated from image (Braet and Wisse, 2002)</li> </ul>
cell sheet thickness	${\cal Y}_{cell}$	7.58±1.25µm (calculated from FSD with geometry)	7.58µm Calculated from functional sinusoidal density FSD FSD 391±30 [1/cm] (SD, n=88, human, OPS) (Puhl, et al., 2003) $y_{cell} = \frac{1}{2 \cdot FSD} - (y_{\sin} + y_{dis})$ 6.1±1.25µm Calculated from intersinusoidal distance ISD $y_{cell} = \frac{ISD}{2} - (y_{\sin} + y_{dis})$ ISD 22.6±2.5µm (SD, n=88, human, OPS) (Puhl, et al., 2003)	intersinusoidal distance ~15-30μm (SEM, estimated from image)(Wisse, et al., 1985)  16.1±3.9μm (SD, n=567, young rat, SEM of corrosion cast)(Warren, et al., 2008)  15.5±3.8μm (SD, n=558, old rat, SEM of corrosion cast)(Warren, et al., 2008)
Area between adjacent sinusoid compartments	$A_{\sin}$	$\pi(y_{\sin})^2$	,	
Area between adjacent Disse compartments	$A_{dis}$	$\pi (y_{\sin} + y_{dis})^2 - A_{\sin}$		
Area between adjacent sinusoid and Disse	$A_{\sin dis}$	$2\pi \cdot y_{\sin} \cdot x_{\sin}$		

et al., 1975)

compartments					
Volume sinusoid compartment	$V_{ m sin}$	$A_{\sin} \cdot x_{\sin}$			
Volume Disse compartment	$V_{\it dis}$	$A_{dis} \cdot x_{\sin}$			
Volume cell	$V_{\it cell}$	$\begin{split} \pi \left( y_{sin} + y_{dit} + y_{cell} \right)^2 \cdot x_{cell} \\ - \pi \left( y_{sin} + y_{dit} \right)^2 x_{cell} \end{split}$			Volumes cytosol calculated per average cell, i.e. per nucleus 5100µm^3 (peripheral, rat, QSD) (Loud, 1968) 5100µm^3 (midzonal, rat, QSD) (Loud, 1968) 5100µm^3 (periveniousl, rat, QSD) (Loud, 1968) No significant difference could be shown in the average size of parenchymal cells among the lobular zones of rat liver. 5100µm^3 (all zones, rat, QSD) (Wiener, et al., 1968) Cell Volumes ~1.4*5100µm^3=7140 µm^3
Volume sinusoidal unit	$V_{ ext{sin}\textit{unit}}$	$L_{\sin} \cdot \pi \cdot (y_{\sin} + y_{dis} + y_{cell})^2$ 272.9E3 $\mu m^3$ (calculated from geometry)			
Volume fraction sinusoidal blood volume, % liver	$f_{ m sin}$	$rac{V_{ m sin}}{V_{ m sin} + V_{dis} + V_{cell}}$ 11.1% (calculated from geometry)	15–25% (percent of liver volume) (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006) 9-15% ( n=6, isolated perfused human liver)(Villeneuve, et al., 1996)	15.2% (indicator dilution dog) (Goresky, 1963) 15.0% (dog) (Allen and Reeve, 1953; Goresky, 1963)	19.4% (rat) (Everett, et al., 1956; Goresky, 1963) 11.6% (rat) (Brauer, et al., 1959; Goresky, 1963) 10.6% (morphological studies, % volume) (Blouin, et al., 1977; Lautt, 2009)
Volume fraction extravascular volumes, % liver	$f_{\it dis}$	$rac{V_{dis}}{V_{\sin} + V_{dis} + V_{cell}}$ 6.9% (calculated from geometry)	~5% (percent of liver volume) (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006) 5-8% (n=6, isolated perfused human liver)(Villeneuve, et al., 1996)	6.2%(indicator dilution dog) (Goresky, 1963) 9.5±2.1%(±SD, indicator dilution dog, sucrose volume) (Goresky, 1963) 6.7% (dog) (Allen and Reeve, 1953; Goresky, 1963)	7.3% (rat) (Goresky, 1963) 6.0% (rat) (Brauer, et al., 1959; Goresky, 1963) 4.9% (morphological studies, % volume) (Blouin, et al., 1977; Lautt, 2009)
Volume fraction parenchymal cells, % liver	$f_{\it hep}$	$rac{V_{hep}}{V_{\sin} + V_{dis} + V_{cell}}$ 81.9% (calculated from geometry)			78% (morphological studies, % volume) (Blouin, et al., 1977; Lautt, 2009)

volumetric blood flow sinusoidal unit	$V_{RBC}$	270 $\mu$ m/s±58 $\mu$ m/s (mode 180 $\mu$ m/s) $\pi (y_{\sin})^2 v_{RBC}$ 16.4E3 $\frac{\mu m^3}{s}$ (calculated from geometry)	970±430µm/s (SD; human, OPS) (Puhl, et al., 2003) Values probably too high due to larger arterial contribution with high flow on organ surface.  [TODO: Ref & discussion] 259µm/s (boundary condition, calculated from scaling to tissue sample, human) (Debbaut, et al., 2012) The mean flow velocities of simulations in model of human liver microcirculation based on a 3D image-based geometry were for the r, phi and z directions 100µm/s, 73µm/s and 77µm/s, respectively. (Debbaut, et al., 2012) The sinusoidal circulation is clearly anisotropic. Modeling in human corrosion cast showed that pressure drops significantly through certain sinusoids and stays almost constant through others. This corresponds to the typical presence of preferential pathways in the sinusoidal geometry along tracks with relevant pressure drops (streamlines). (Debbaut, et al., 2012) flow through cylinder analogue to (Gross and Aroesty, 1972; Puhl, et al., 2003)	93µm/s (dog, calculated from transit time of RBC) (Goresky, 1963) [CHECK, depends on injection time]	180±20μm/s (SE, rat) (MacPhee, et al., 1988) 250±3μm/s (SE, rat, IVM) (Koo and Liang, 1979) 150±6μm/s (SE, rat, stated in (MacPhee, et al., 1988), video flying spot method) 69.2±30.6μm/s (±SD, mice, IVM) (MacPhee, et al., 1988) 410±39μm/s (SEM, n=139, rat, direct sinusoids)(Koo, et al., 1975) 270±58μm/s (SEM, n=304, rat, branching sinusoids)(Koo, et al., 1975) 370±25μm/s (SEM, n=72, rat, direct sinusoids)(Koo, et al., 1975) Analysis of the blood cell velocity data of Koo as a cumulative distribution showed that the data is fitted better by a log-normal than a normal distribution (Roberts and Rowland, 1985).
fenestraction parameter The presence of fenestrace reduces the surface available for free	$f_{\it fen}$	0.09	107±1.5nm (SE, human) (Wisse, et al., 2008) diameter fenestrae	(Wisse, et al., 1985) demonstrated presence of	diameter fenestrae 175nm (Wisse, et al., 1996) 161±2.7nm (Spraque-Dawley rats) (Wisse, et al., 2008)

transport, whereas the parenchymal surface available for uptake is 6.0 times enlarged by microvilli (Schaff and Lapis, 1990; Wisse, et al., 1985) 50-300nm (SEM,

human)(Braet and Wisse, 2002; Horn, et al., 1987)

No difference in ultrastructural morphology was seen between Zones 3 and 1 (Horn, et al., 1987)

## frequency

(SEM, human) (Braet and Wisse, 2002; Horn, et al., 1987) **23.5** [15 – 25] [1/µm^2] (n=13, SEM, human, Zone3) (Horn, et al., 1987) **19** [10-24] [1/µm^2] (n=10, SEM, human, Zone1) (Horn, et

# al., 1987) porosity

9.3% [4.8-16.2] (n=13, Zone3, SEM, human) (Horn, et al., 1987) 7.6% [3.8-12.3] (n=10, Zone1, SEM, human) (Horn, et al., 1987)

fenestrae in dog liver with preliminary measurements indicating that the size distribution was almost equal to rat liver

fenestrae.

**174.6**±1.0**nm** (SE, rat, periportal, TEM) (Wisse, et al., 1985)

 $147.2\pm0.9$ nm (SE, rat, pericentral, TEM) (Wisse, et al., 1985)

SEM preparation causes significant shrinkage at the level of fenestrae (approximately 30%)!

**110.7**±0.25**nm** (SE, rat, periportal, SEM) (Wisse, et al., 1985)

**104.8**±0.22**nm** (SE, rat, pericentral, SEM) (Wisse, et al., 1985)

**98.0**±13.0**nm** (SD, n=3, SEM, rat) (Fraser, et al., 1988)

#### frequency

**9 per μm** (SE, rat, periportal, SEM) (Wisse, et al., 1985)

**13** [1/µm^2] (SE, rat, pericentral, SEM) (Wisse, et al., 1985)

**9.08 – 13.3 [1/μm^2]** (SE, rat) (Wisse, et al., 1985) **20.0**±6.3**[1/μm^2]** (SD, n=3, SEM, rat) (Fraser, et al., 1988)

#### porosity

**6-8%** (Wisse, et al., 1996)

A lobular gradient of decreasing fenestrae diameter is compensated by an inverse gradient of fenestrae number. (Wisse, et al., 1996)
Only a limited surface of the lining is available for free exchange (~10%) (Wisse, et al., 1996)
17.6±6.9 (SD, n=3, SEM, rat) (Fraser, et al., 1988)

# **Supplementary Table 4** – Parameters for the log-normal distributions

Parameter		meanlog	stdlog	mean	standard	SD	references
				$\mu$ (reported)	deviation (reported)	SD	
Sinusoidal length	$L_{ m sin}$	6.184	0.2462	500µm	125μm		based on distance between central veins <b>809</b> ±199µm (SD, n=79, young rat, SEM of corrosion cast) (Warren, et al., 2008) scaled to human sinusoidal length
Sinusoidal radius	$y_{\rm sin}$	$1.465~(\pm 0.010)$	0.1017 (±0.0073)	4.4µm	0.45µm		Based on distribution of sinusoidal diameter 8.8±0.9µm (SD, n=440 in N=11 human, OPS) (Puhl, et al., 2003)
Width of Disse space	$y_{dis}$	0.1296	0.3246	1.2µm	0.4µm		<b>0.4-1.5µm</b> (human, SEM, estimated from imaged) (Muto, et al., 1977) <b>0.5-1.2µm</b> (human, SEM, estimated from image) (Burwen, et al., 1982)
Hepatocyte sheet thickness	${\cal Y}_{cell}$	1.977 (±0.014)	0.1390 (±0.0099)	7.58µm	1.25µm		7.58µm Calculated from functional sinusoidal density FSD FSD 391±30 [1/cm] (SD, n=88, human, OPS) (Puhl, et al., 2003) $y_{cell} = \frac{1}{2 \cdot FSD} - (y_{sin} + y_{dis})$
							6.1±1.25μm Calculated from intersinusoidal distance ISD $y_{cell} = \frac{ISD}{2} - (y_{sin} + y_{dis}) \text{ISD } 22.6\pm2.5\mu\text{m} \text{ (SD, n=88, human, OPS) (Puhl, et al., 2003)}$
RBC flow velocity	$v_{RBC}$	5.457 (0.0267)	0.6178 (0.0189)	$270\mu m/s$	$58\mu m/s$		<b>270</b> ±58μm/s (SEM, n=304, rat, branching sinusoids)(Koo, et al., 1975)

	name	mean	std	unit	meanlog	meanlog_error	sdlog	sdlog_error	scale_fac	scale_unit
L	L	0.0005	0.000125	m	6.1842957875	NA	0.2462206771	NA	1000000	μm
y_sin	y_sin	0.0000044	0.00000045	m	1.4652733102	0.0102747149	0.1017144881	0.0072653206	1000000	μm
y_dis	y_dis	0.0000012	0.0000004	m	0.129641299	NA	0.324592846	NA	1000000	μm
y_cell	y_cell	0.00000758	0.00000125	m	1.9769003149	0.0140416505	0.1390052478	0.0099289463	1000000	μm
flow_sin	flow_sin	0.00027	0.000058	m/s	5.4572075437	0.0267357281	0.6178209697	0.0189050147	1000000	μm/s

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# Supplementary Table 5 – Diffusion coefficients

Diffusion coefficients	Symbol	Model value [µm²/s]	References [µm²/s]
water	$D^{h2o}$	2200	<b>2100</b> (water in water) Bionumbers id=104087, ver=7)(Milo, et al., 2010)
	D		2300 (water in water) Bionumbers id=104087, ver=3)(Milo, et al., 2010)
sucrose	$D^{suc}$	720	720 (D37, free diffusion coefficient in water at 37°C)(Renkin, 1977)
	D		<b>520</b> (sucrose in water) (Bionumbers id=100614, ver=7)(Milo, et al., 2010)
glucose	$D^{\it glc}$	910	<b>910</b> (D37, hexose, free diffusion coefficient in water at 37°C)(Renkin, 1977)
			(Casciari, et al., 1988; Groebe, et al., 1994)
			<b>600</b> (glucose in water) (Bionumbers id=104089, ver=6)(Milo, et al., 2010)
			<b>673</b> (glucose in water) (Bionumbers id=109504, ver=1)(Milo, et al., 2010)
galactose	$D^{gal}$	910	<b>910</b> (D37, hexose, free diffusion coefficient in water at 37°C)(Renkin, 1977)
albumin	$D^{\it alb}$	90	90 (D37, free diffusion coefficient in water at 37°C)(Renkin, 1977)

# Supplementary Table 6 – Organ/Liver parameters

Parameter	Symbol	Model value	Human	Dog	Rat
total liver weight	$m_{liv}$	1500g	<b>1500-1800g</b> (man), <b>1300-1500g</b> (woman) (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006) <b>1697±171g</b> (±SD, n=6)(Villeneuve, et al., 1996)	<b>556g</b> (400 – 800g) (dog) (Goresky, 1963)	17.1±2.2g (±SD. N=13, in situ perfused rat livers)(Gariepy, et al., 1993)
			2.5% of body weight (Vollmar and Menger, 2009)		
density liver tissue	$ ho_{\scriptscriptstyle liv}$	$1\frac{g}{dt}$	$1\frac{g}{ml}$ (Debbaut, et al., 2012)		
		ml	mt Literature (data from metabolite conversions ~1.2g/ml)		
total liver volume	$V_{liv}$	1500ml	1500ml (calculated by $\frac{m_{liv}}{\rho_{liv}}$ ) measured by ultrasonography 1524ml (man, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 1102ml (man, 91 years, -28%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 1415ml (woman, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 789ml (woman, 91 years, -44%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 1474ml (all, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 934ml (all, 91 years, -37%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) volumes per bodyweight (ultrasonography) 20.7 ml/kgbw (man, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 14.5 ml/kgbw (man, 91 years, -30%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 23 ml/kgbw (woman, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989)	556ml (calculated)	17.1ml (calculated)
			13.6 ml/kgbw (woman, 91 years, -43%) (Wynne, et al., 1989)		
			<b>23.6ml/kgbw</b> (all, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 14.0 ml/kgbw (all, 91 years, -41%) (Wynne, et al., 1989)		
parenchymal tissue fraction of liver (due to large vessel, connective tissue, lymphs system,	$f_{\it tissue}$	0.5	Tissue volume of liver is calculated by $V_{tissue} = f_{tissue} \cdot V_{liv}$ Literature (25 % large vessels,)		

only part of whole liver volume is parenchymal tissue)

total hepatic blood flow per liver weight (~75-80% portal vein partially deoxygenated, 20-25% hepatic artery well-oxygenated)	$q_{\mathit{liv}}$	$1.2 \frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}}$	$ \begin{array}{l} {\color{red} {\bf -1.0-1.3}} \frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}} \ (\text{Lautt, 2009}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1}} \frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}} \ (\text{Vollmar and Menger, 2009}) \ (\text{Kuntz}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1}} \frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}} \ (\text{Vollmar and Menger, 2009}) \ (\text{Kuntz}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1}} \frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}} \ (\text{Vollmar and Menger, 2009}) \ (\text{Kuntz}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1}} \frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}} \ (\text{Muntz, 2006}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1}} \frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}} \ (\text{Munn, 24 years}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.11}} \frac{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{woman, 24 years}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.18}} \frac{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{Munna, 24 years}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.18}} \frac{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 24 years}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -0.94}} \frac{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/\min/gLW} \ (\text{all, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml/ml} \frac{ml}{ml/ml} \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml} \frac{ml}{ml} \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml} \frac{ml}{ml} \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml} \frac{ml}{ml} \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml} \frac{ml}{ml} \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{Wynne, et al., 1989}) \\ {\color{red} {\bf -1.98}} \frac{ml}{ml} \frac{ml}{ml} \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (\text{woman, 91 years, -20\%}) \ (w$	1.83±0.55 $\frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}} \text{ (±SD, g}$ liver weight, dog) (Goresky, 1963)	1.30±0.13 $\frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}}$ (SD, rat 3 month, determined by clearance of albumin)(Warren, et al., 2008)  1.54±0.19 $\frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}}$ (SD, rat 6 month, determined by clearance of albumin)(Warren, et al., 2008)  1.33±0.28 $\frac{ml}{\min \cdot g_{LW}}$ (SD, rat 36 month, determined by clearance of albumin)(Warren, et al., 2008)
total hepatic blood flow per body weight			measured by ultrasonography 25.3 ml/min/kgBW (man, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 14.5 ml/min/kgBW (man, 91 years, -43%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 25.5 ml/min/kgBW (woman, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 11.5 ml/min/kgBW (woman, 91 years, -55%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 25.7 ml/min/kgBW (all, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 13.5 ml/min/kgBW (all, 91 years, -47%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 17.0 $\pm$ 2.72 $\frac{ml}{\min \cdot kg_{BW}}$ ( $\pm$ SD, n=10 women, Doppler ultrasound)(Carlisle, et al., 1992) 30 $\frac{ml}{\min \cdot kg_{BW}}$ (Lautt, 2009)		

total hepatic blood flow	$Q_{\mathit{liv}}$	$q_{liv}\cdot m_{liv}$ 1800 $\frac{ml}{\min}$ (calculated)	1800 ml/min (man) (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006) 1200 ml/min (woman) (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006)  measured by ultrasonography 1864 ml/min (man, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 1126 ml/min (man, 91 years, -40%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 1546 ml/min (woman, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 645 ml/min (woman, 91 years, -58%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 1717 ml/min (all, 24 years) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 807 ml/min (all, 91 years, -53%) (Wynne, et al., 1989) 1067±160 ml/min(±SD, n=6, isolated perfused human liver)(Villeneuve, et al., 1996) 992±276 ml/min (n=14)(Jakab, et al., 1995)	<b>869 ml/min</b> (dog) (Goresky, 1963)	20.9±1.3 ml/min (±SD. N=13, in situ perfused rat livers, perfusate blood flow)(Gariepy, et al., 1993)	
total number of hepatic sinusoids	$N_{ m sin}$		Calculate based on flow $N_{\sin} = \frac{Q_{liv}}{Q_{\sin unit}} = \frac{Q_{liv}}{A_{\sin} \cdot v_{RBC}} = \frac{Q_{liv}}{\pi (y_{\sin})^2 \cdot v_{RBC}}$ $N_{\sin} = 2472E6 \text{ (calculated) update}$ Calculate based on volumes $N_{\sin} = \frac{V_{tissue}}{V_{\sin unit}} = \frac{f_{tissue} \cdot V_{liv}}{\pi \cdot (y_{\sin} + y_{dis} + y_{cell})^2 \cdot L_{\sin}}$ $N_{\sin} = 3250E6 \text{ (calculated) update}$ With the number of hepatic lobuli: $N_{Lob} = \textbf{1.0E6-1.5E6} \text{ (Kuntz and Kuntz, 2006)}$ Comes this to an estimated number of sinusoids per lobules of ~2600 sinusoidal units per lobules			
mean transit time RBC	MTT	~3-4s	Calculate from curves [Villeneuve 1996]	Calculate from curves [Goresky1973, Goresky1983]	~ <mark>6.3±0.5sec RBC</mark> ??(Gariepy, et al., 1993) Calculate from curves	Commented [WU4]: Check in Dilution transit times are
large vessel transit time	$t_0$	~5-10s	Calculate from curves [Villeneuve 1996]	Calculate from curves [Goresky1973, Goresky1983]	Calculate from curves	

lution curves what the real

## SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURES

Supplementary Figure 1 – Validation of single cell model of galactose metabolism time courses in GALE inhibition via ethanol.

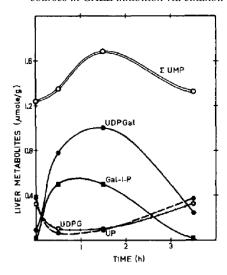


Fig. 1. Time-dependent changes of galactose metabolite and uracil nucleotide contents in livers of fed rats. D-galactose (2.7 mmole/kg) was injected at zero time, one hr after ethanol administration (130 mmole/kg). Uridine phosphates (UTP + UDP + UMP) are designated as UP, the sum of all acid soluble uracil 5 '-nucleotides as ΣUMP. (Keppler, et al., 1970)

Typical effect of galactose challenge on the galactose metabolism of single cell model. Prediction of effects of GALE inhibition. GALE is inhibited by ethanol ingestion, due to altered NAD/NADH quotient resulting in altered GALE activity due to NAD cofactor. Ethanol ingestion was simulated by altering the NAD levels. Experimental data from (Keppler, et al., 1970)

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Supplementary Figure 2 – Metabolic Control Analysis (MCA) - Role of the different parameters in controlling hepatic galactose metabolism on a single cell level

Supplementary Figure 2 – Multiple indicator dilution curves in galactosemias

Supplementary Figure 3 – Altered hepatic galactose clearance and dependency on flow in galactosemias analogue to Figure 4.

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