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ERRATUM

In the article "The Effect of Dietary Partially Hydrogenated Marine Oils on Desaturation of Fatty Acids in Rat Liver Microsomes" by L. Svensson (*Lipids* 18:171-178, 1983), Table 3 on page 176 was incomplete. It should read:

TABLE 3

Δ^9 -, Δ^6 -, and Δ^5 -Desaturase Activities in Liver Microsomes Isolated from Rats Fed Diets Containing 20% (w/w) PO, HPO+4.6 cal % 18:2, HCO+4.6 cal % 18:2, HHO+4.6 cal % 18:2, and RSO for 10 Weeks^a

| Dietary treatment | Δ^9 -Desaturase activity (nmol mg prot ⁻¹ 20 min ⁻¹) | Δ^6 -Desaturase activity (nmol mg prot ⁻¹ 20 min ⁻¹) | Δ^5 -Desaturase activity (nmol mg prot ⁻¹ 20 min ⁻¹) |
|--------------------|---|---|---|
| PO | 0.5 ± 0.4 ^b | 2.5 ± 0.7 | 4.6 ± 1.4 |
| HPO+4.6 cal % 18:2 | 2.2 ± 1.0 ^d | 2.0 ± 0.4 | 5.4 ± 2.4 |
| HCO+4.6 cal % 18:2 | 1.0 ± 0.3 ^c | 1.9 ± 0.4 | 3.4 ± 0.8 |
| HHO+4.6 cal % 18:2 | 0.8 ± 0.5 | 1.7 ± 0.5 ^c | 3.0 ± 0.9 ^c |
| RSO | 1.2 ± 0.5 ^c | 3.4 ± 0.8 | 6.0 ± 2.6 |

^aThe partially hydrogenated oils were supplemented with safflower oil.

^bValues are mean ± standard deviation from 6 rats.

^{c,d}Probability level as calculated according to Student's t-test; c and d are significantly different from PO values: p < 0.05 and p < 0.005, respectively.