



**Figure S1.** The sequence length of transcript and unigenes

The sequence length statistics of transcript and unigenes in the liver samples of *E. coioides*.

The horizontal axis represents the sequence length interval, and the vertical axis represents the number of transcripts and unigenes corresponding to the sequence length interval.

**Table S1.** Alignment statistics of the RNA-Seq analysis of the nine liver samples of *E. cooides* in Control, High-fat and Taurine groups

Sample	Raw reads	Clean reads	Error (%)	Q20 (%)	Q30 (%)	GC (%)
Control-1	40730652	40050010	0.03	97.79	93.83	43.39
Control-2	42191002	41722212	0.03	97.82	93.79	43.99
Control-3	40948846	40336514	0.03	97.8	93.82	42.16
High-fat-1	52582890	52119034	0.02	98.07	94.3	45.84
High-fat-2	52479728	52027176	0.02	98.46	95.45	43.35
High-fat-3	40644396	40196728	0.02	98.14	94.53	47.00
Taurine-1	46268020	45571324	0.03	97.56	93.16	45.94
Taurine-2	46244384	45663502	0.03	97.83	93.69	46.84
Taurine-3	41988098	41563038	0.03	97.94	94.09	45.03

Control 1–3, triplicate groups fed with control diet; High-fat 1–3, triplicate groups fed with 15% fat diet; Taurine 1–3, triplicate groups fed with 15% fat and 1% taurine. Raw reads, unfiltered Reads were off the machine; Clean reads, the total number of Clean reads.

**Table S2.** The DEGs with significantly changed KEGG pathways related to lipid metabolism in the liver of *E. coioides* in the comparison of High-fat and Taurine groups

Gene ID	Gene description	Gene name abbreviation s	Pathway	Log <sub>2</sub> F C	RNA-seq Expression Pattern	qRT-PCR Expression Pattern
TR4334_c0_g1	ADP-ribosylation factor 1/2	ARF1_2	Phospholipase D signaling pathway	-6.527	down	down
TR255_c0_g1	pyruvate dehydrogenase kinase isozyme 2	PDK1	HIF-1 signaling pathway	-2.739	down	up
TR41649_c0_g1	glucokinase	GK	Glycolysis /Gluconeogenesis	-7.224	down	down
TR669_c0_g1	cysteine dioxygenase	CDO1	Taurine and hypotaurine metabolism	2.184	up	up
TR7788_c3_g1	sodium/potassium-transporting ATPase subunit alpha	ATP1 $\alpha$	Bile secretion/ Insulin secretion	2.379	up	up
TR62_c0_g1	calmodulin-dependent protein kinase II	CAMK	Insulin secretion	9.198	up	up
TR10507_c0_g1	phosphatidylinositol phospholipase C	PLCD	Inositol phosphate metabolism / Phosphatidylinositol signaling system / Calcium signaling pathway	1.978	up	down
TR4858_c0_g1	carnitine/acylcarnitine translocase	CACT	Thermogenesis	3.156	up	up

log2 FC, unigenes with |log2 (Fold Change)| > 1.0.

**Table S3.** Primers sequences of lipid metabolism related genes used for real-time PCR for *E. coioides*

Target Gene	Forward (5'-3')	Reverse (5'-3')	Accession number
$\beta$ -action	TGCTGTCCCTGTATGCCTCT	CCTTGATGTCACGCCACGAT	AY510710.2
ARF1_2	GTTCAGGTCTGGTCGAGGGT	TCAGGTCTCAGCAAACGTGCC	NM_201452.2
PDK1	AGGGCAACACAAAAAGCGGA	GCGTGCCAACGTCCATCTAT	NM_200996.1
GK	GCCCTCTGTTCATCTCACGC	TGAAGATGCCGTGTCAGC	NM_001045385.2
CDO1	GTGCCAACACAGCATCGGAGA	AGGTTTCACCAGGAGCCGA	NM_200741.1
ATPase	CCAGTTACCACGACGACAGC	GTGTCTGATGTGGGTCGAG	NM_131686.1
CAMK	TGGAGTGTGTGTTGGGGG	TATCGTAGAGAGGGATGCGA	GH643012.1
PLCD	ATCCC GTTCTGGGGTGTCT	AATGTGGAATGCTGGGTGCC	NM_001122773.1
CACT	GCAATGAGACCTTGGAGGCT	TTGAAGTCGGTGAGAAGCCC	BC062851.1

Abbreviations: *ARF1\_2*, ADP-ribosylation factor 1/2; *PDK1*, pyruvate dehydrogenase kinase isozyme 2; *GK*, glucokinase; *CDO1*, cysteine dioxygenase; *ATP1 $\alpha$* , sodium/potassium-transporting ATPase subunit alpha; *PLCD*, phosphatidylinositol phospholipase C; *CACT*, the carnitine/acylcarnitine translocase; *CAMK*, calcium/calmodulin-dependent protein kinase (CaM kinase) II.