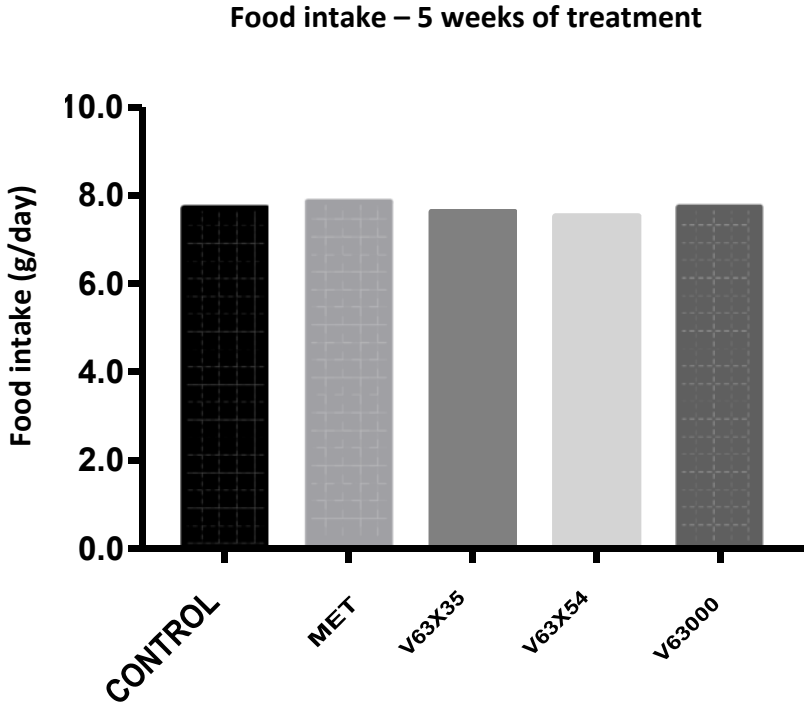

Food intake – 5 weeks of treatment
Food intake (g/day)
10.0
8.0
6.0
4.0
2.0
0.0
CONTROL
MET
V63X35
V63X54
V63000

Figure 2

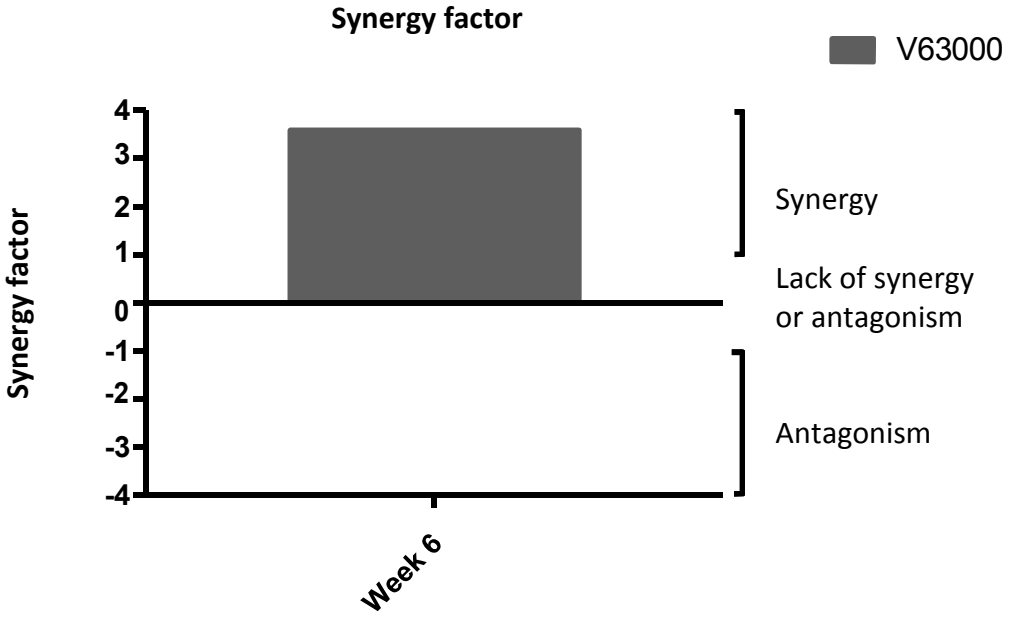


Figure 4

Median values of fasting insulinemia after 6 weeks of treatment
(diabetic db/db mice, 12 weeks old)

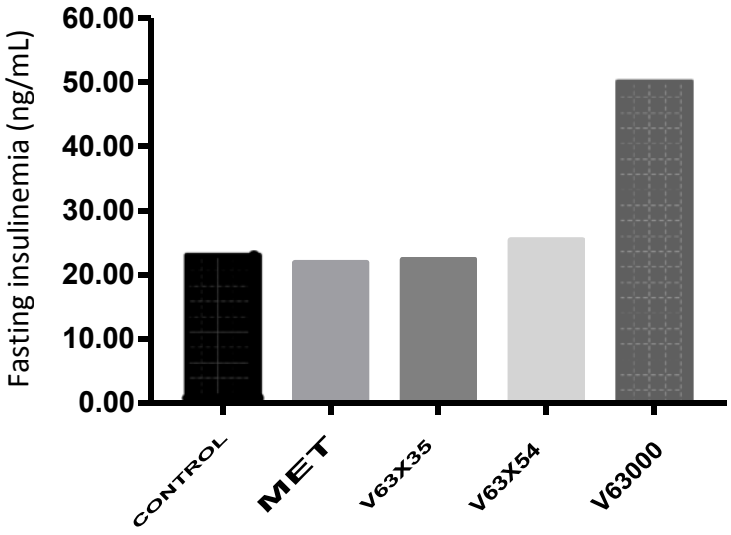
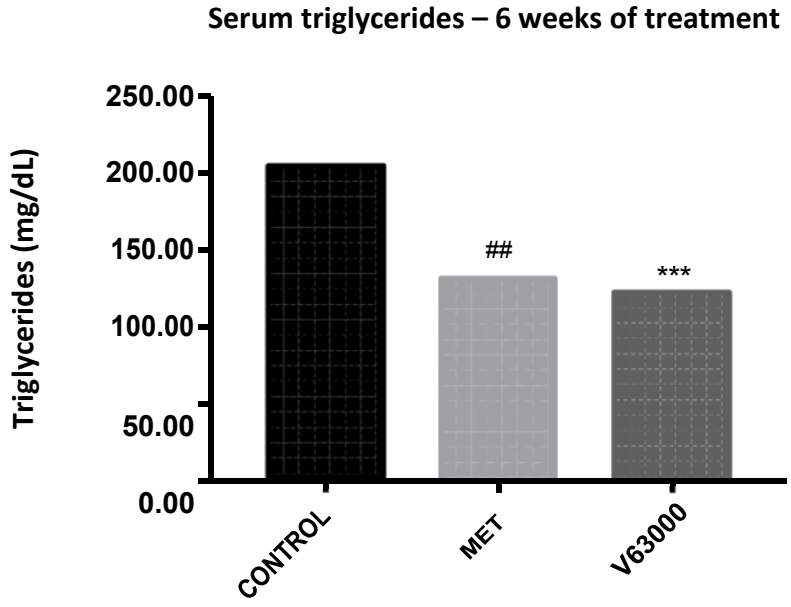


Figure 5



ANOVA
$p < 0.001$

Tukey multiple comparison tests
MET *versus* CONTROL $^{\#\#}$ $p < 0.01$
V63000 *versus* CONTROL *** $p < 0.001$

Figure 6