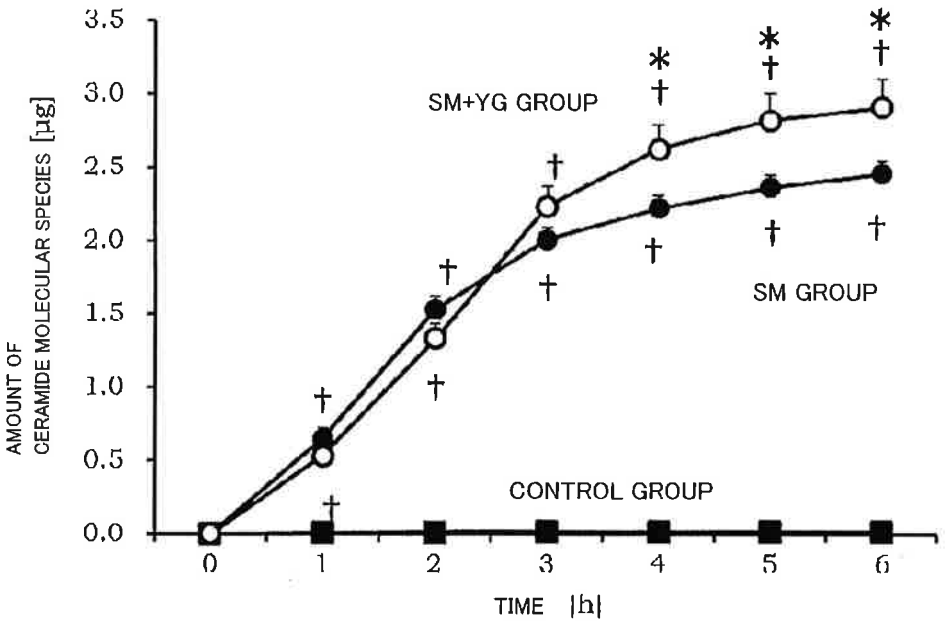
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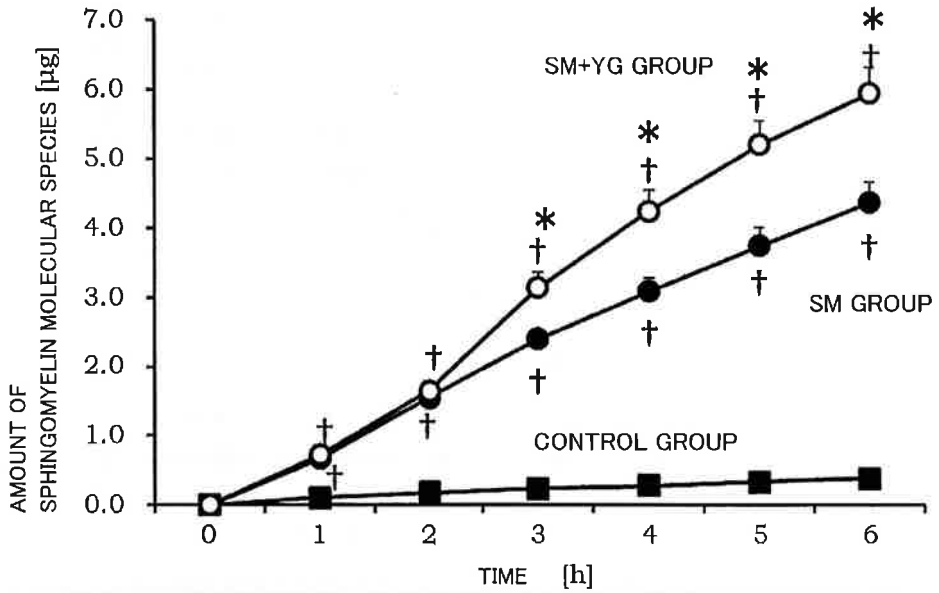


TRANSITION OF AMOUNT OF CERAMIDE MOLECULAR SPECIES IN LYMPHATIC FLUID (INTEGRATED VALUE)

[*: THERE IS SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE ($P < 0.05$) COMPARED TO SM GROUP]

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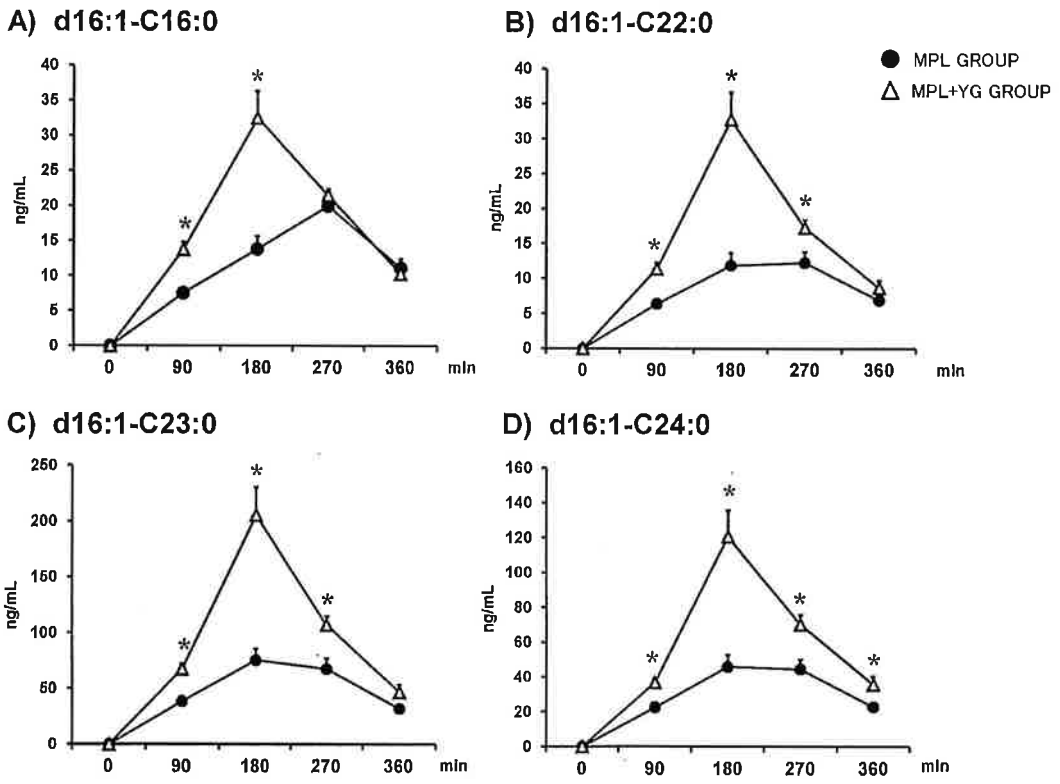


TRANSITION OF AMOUNT OF SPHINGOMYELIN MOLECULAR SPECIES IN LYMPHATIC FLUID (INTEGRATED VALUE)

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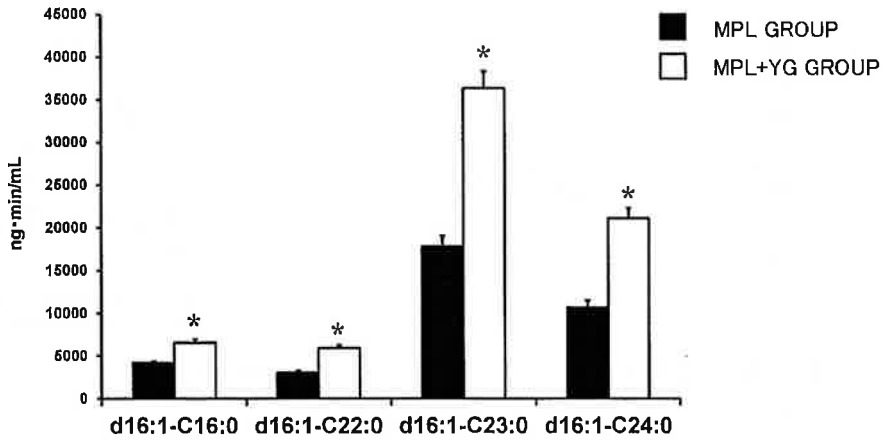
[FIG. 3]



CHANGE IN AMOUNT OF CERAMIDE MOLECULAR SPECIES IN BLOOD SERUM

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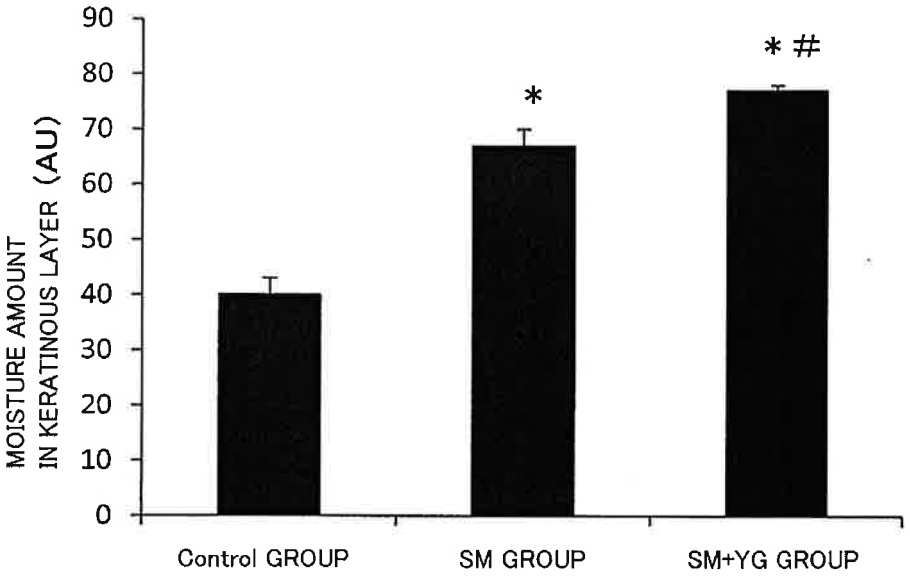
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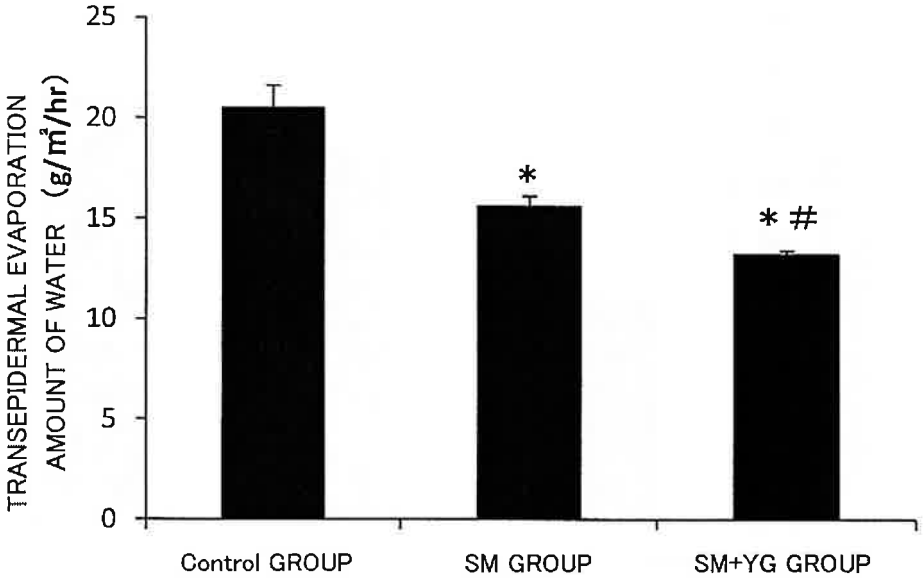
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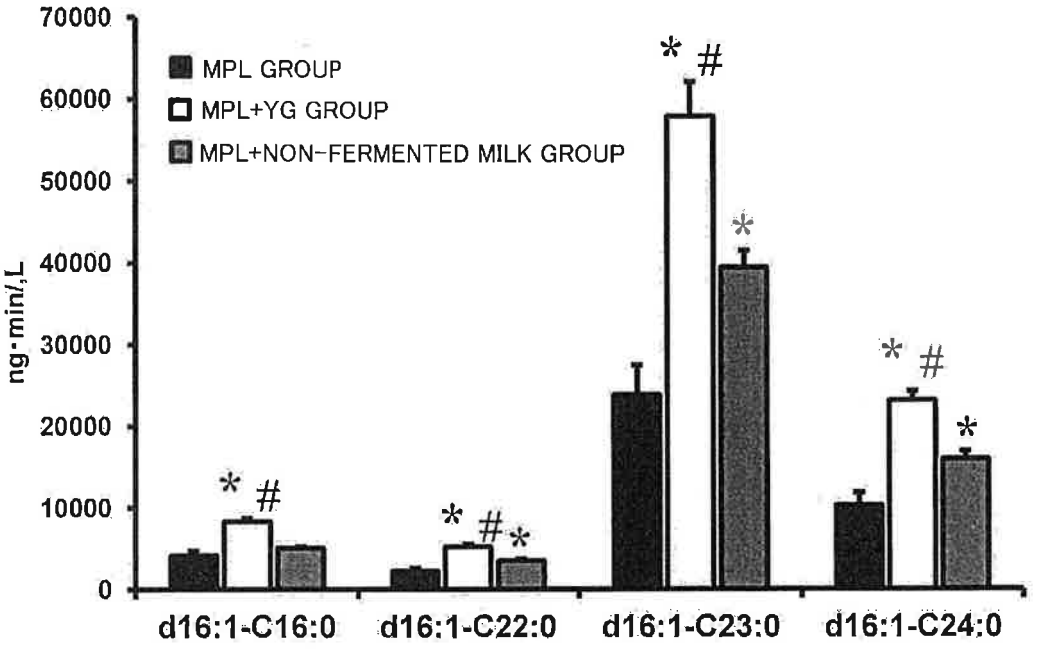
[FIG. 5]


MOISTURE AMOUNT IN KERATINOUS LAYER (AU)
90
80
70
60
50
40
30
20
10
0
*
* #
Control GROUP
SM GROUP
SM+YG GROUP

[FIG. 6]

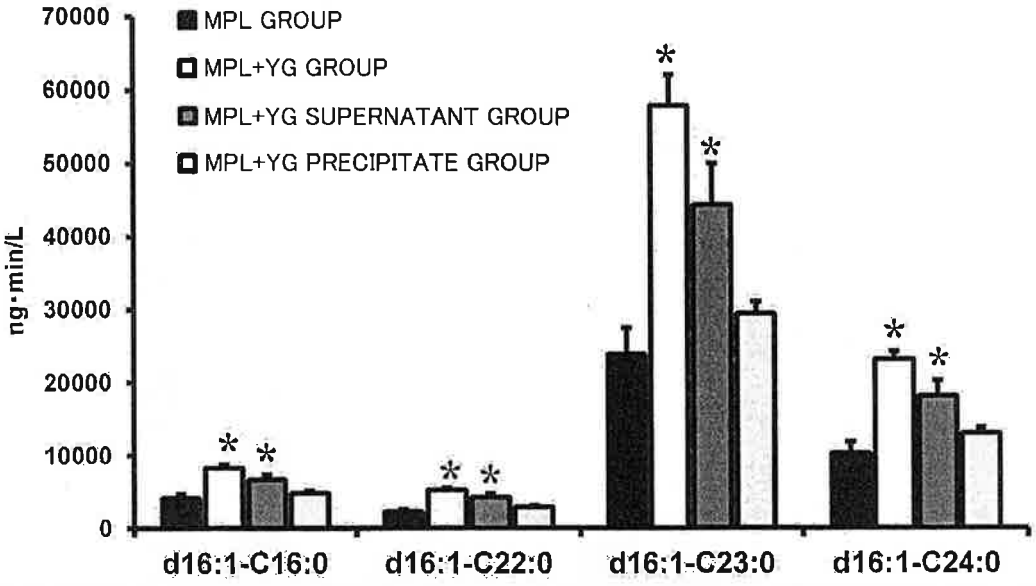

TRANSEPIDERMAL EVAPORATION AMOUNT OF WATER (g/m²/hr)
25
20
15
10
5
0
*
* #
Control GROUP
SM GROUP
SM+YG GROUP

[FIG. 7]



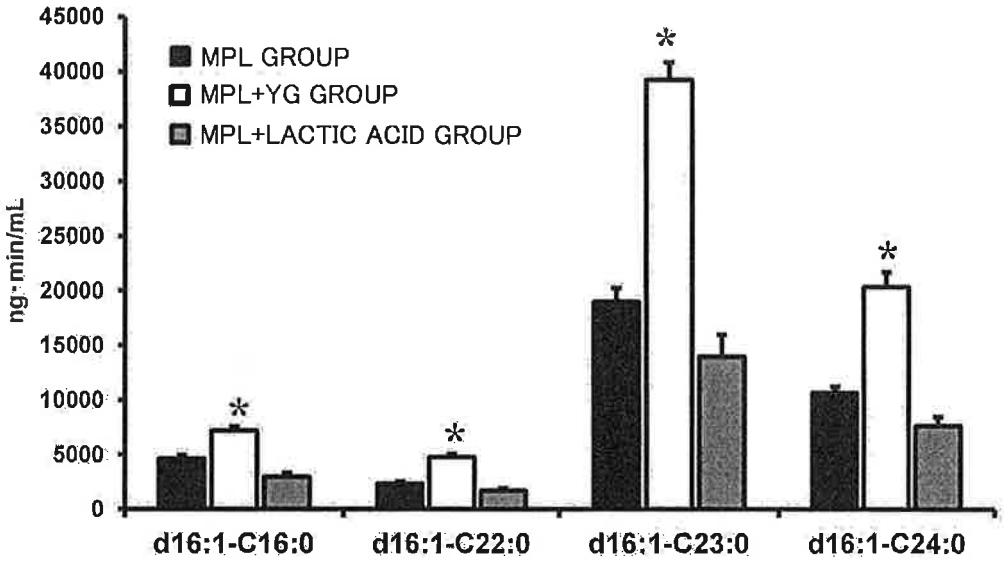
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[FIG. 8]



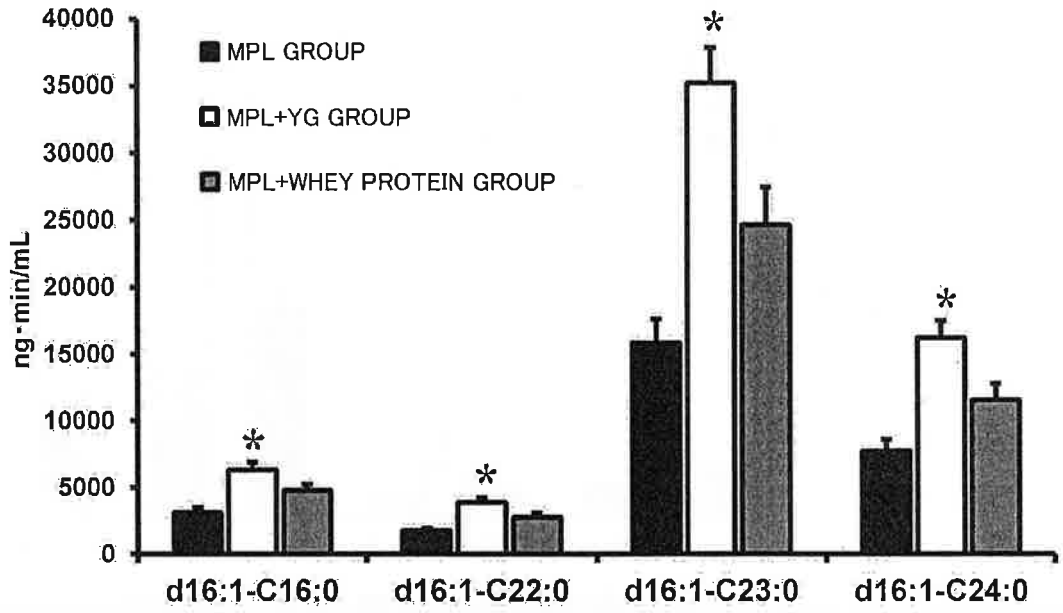
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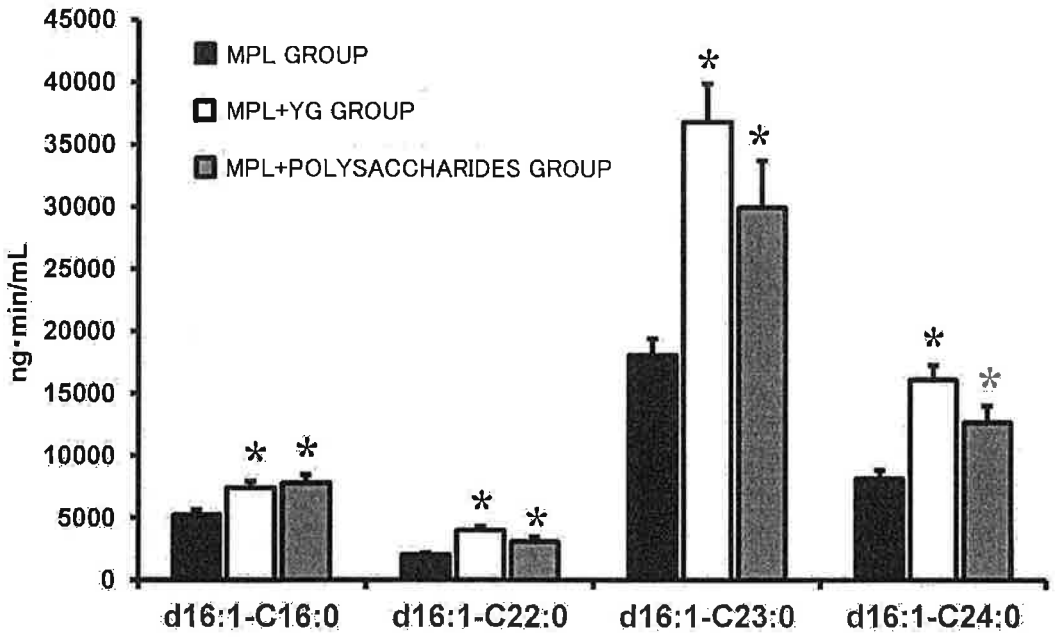
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[FIG. 10]



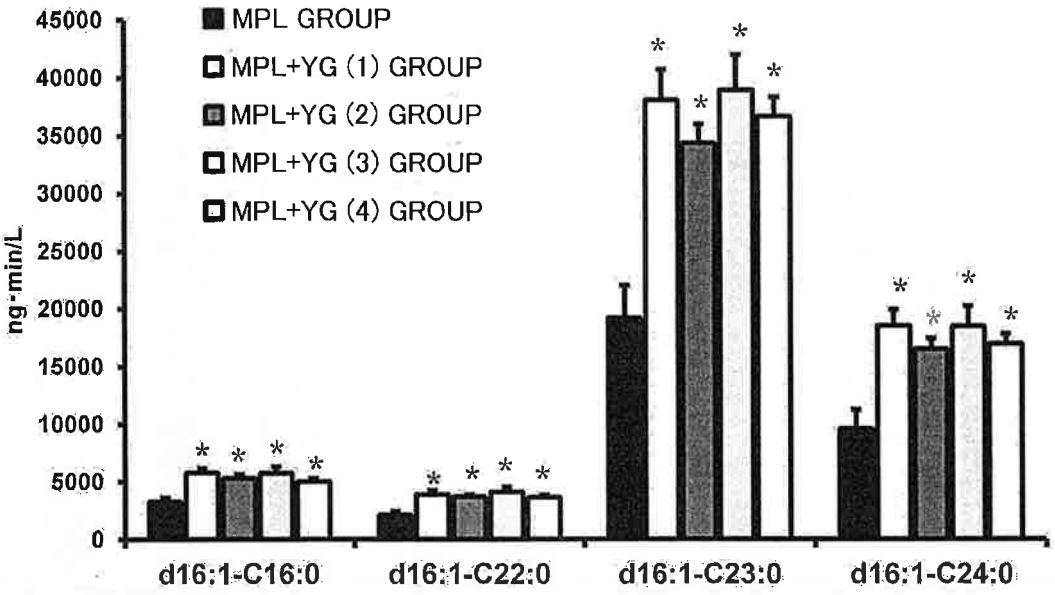
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[FIG. 11]



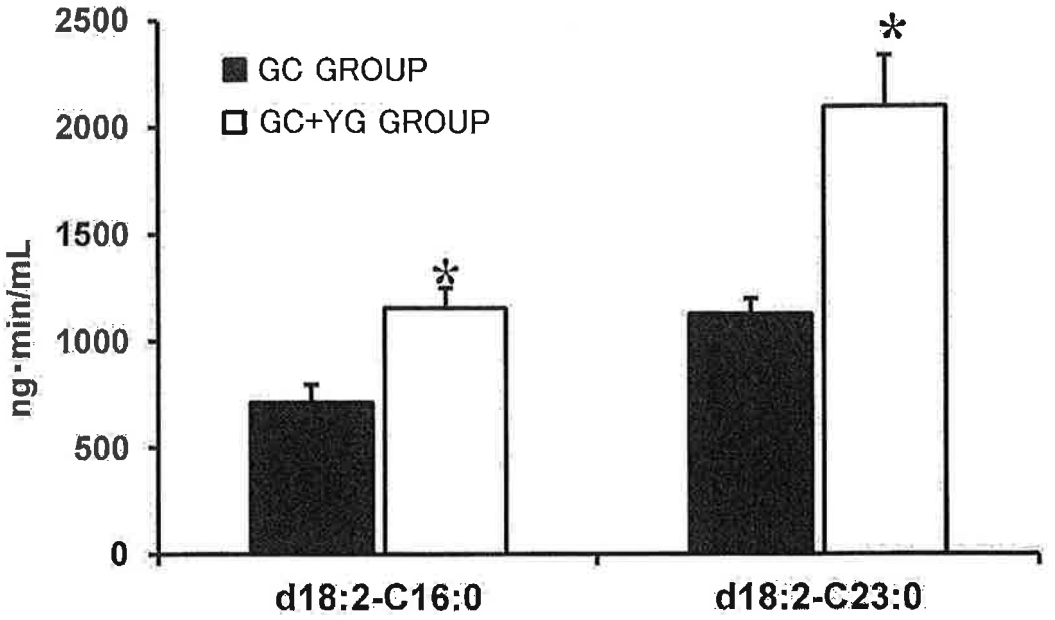
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[FIG. 12]



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[FIG. 13]



[*: THERE IS SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE ($P < 0.05$) COMPARED TO MPL GROUP]