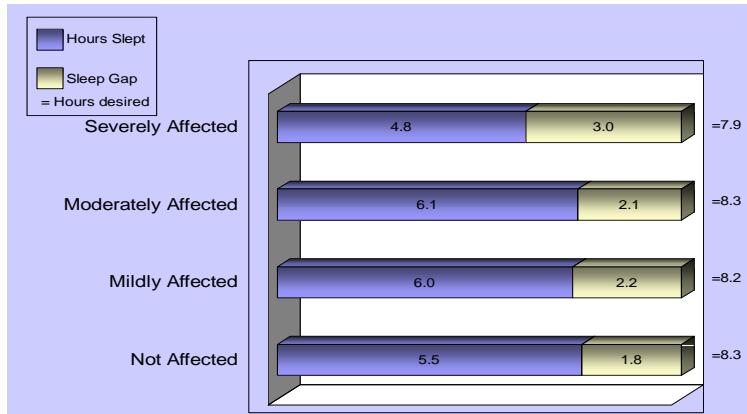


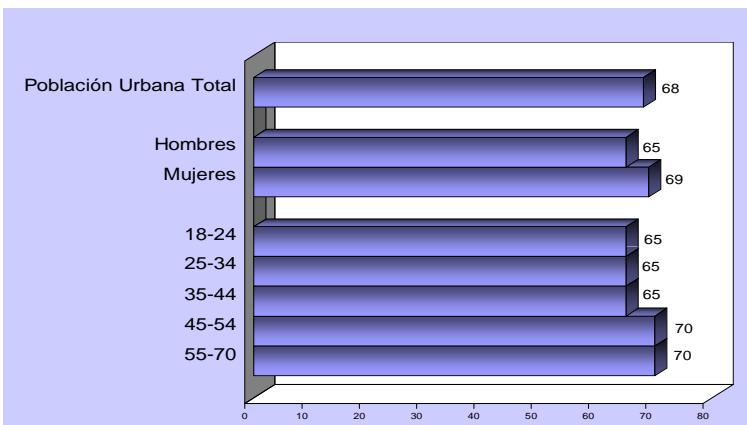
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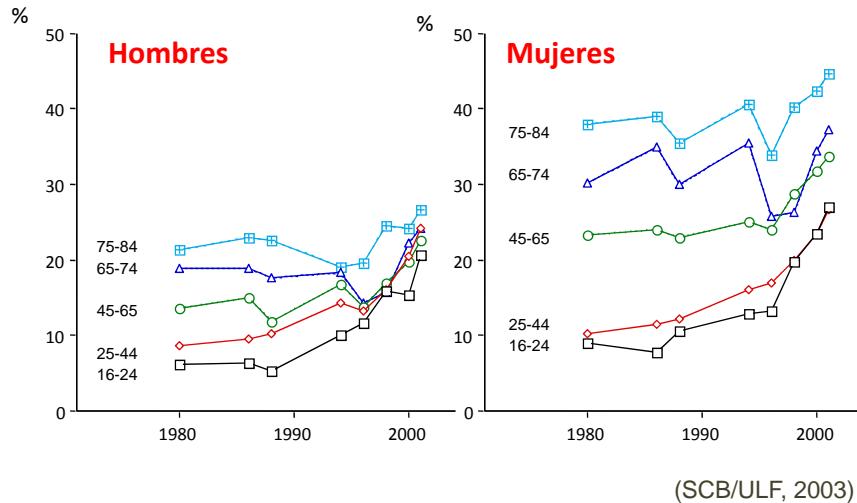
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- 68% reportan dificultades del sueño, con poca diferencia de sexo o edad.

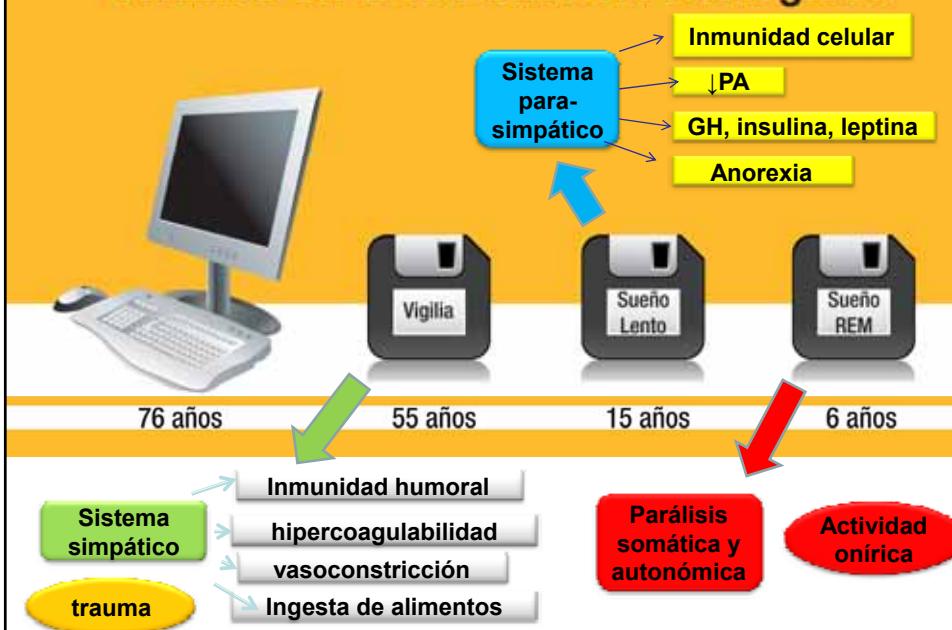


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## Alteraciones del sueño en Suecia



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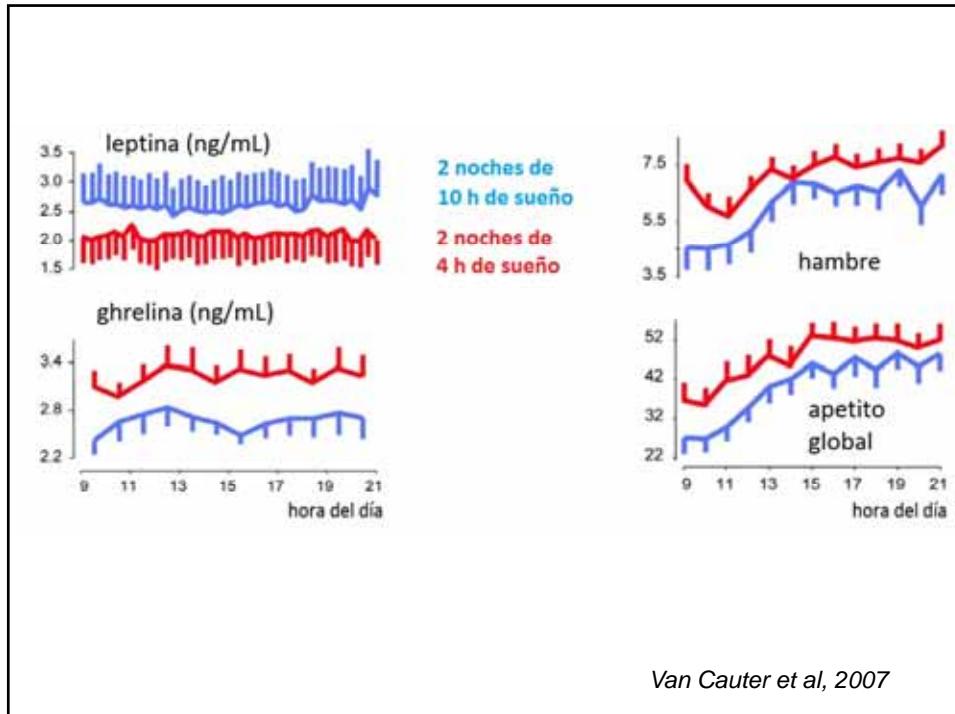
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**Original Contribution**

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**Association between Reduced Sleep and Weight Gain in Women**

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# NURSES' HEALTH STUDY

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- ✖ 68,183 mujeres seguidas durante 16 años
- ✖ Aquéllas que durmieron 5 h diarias o menos tuvieron una probabilidad de sobrepeso 32% mayor y de obesidad 15% mayor
- ✖ Estas asociaciones se mantuvieron aún luego de ajustar por dieta o actividad física.



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ORIGINAL RESEARCH

## Relationship between sleep duration and clustering of metabolic syndrome diagnostic components

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**Objective:** To examine the relation between sleep duration and metabolic syndrome (MetS).  
**Methods:** We examined the baseline data from 4356 healthy workers (3556 men and 800 women) aged 19–69 years. The physical activity of each participant was classified according to the International Physical Activity Questionnaire (IPAQ). We defined four components of MetS diagnostic components in this study as follows: 1) high blood pressure (BP)

**Conclusiones.** La privación de sueño está asociada con varios componentes del síndrome metabólico INDEPENDIENTEMENTE DEL ESTILO DE VIDA O HÁBITOS ALIMENTARIOS

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regression analysis revealed that independent factors that contributed to the number of MetS diagnostic components were being male (regression coefficient  $b = 0.752$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ), age ( $b = 0.026$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ), IPAQ classification ( $b = -0.238$ ,  $P = 0.034$ ), and alcohol intake (mL/day) ( $b = 0.018$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ). Short sleep duration (<6 hours) was also related to the number of MetS ( $b = 0.162$ ,  $P < 0.001$ ). The results of analyses with obesity component showed a similar association.

**Conclusion:** Short sleep duration was positively associated with the number of MetS diagnostic components independent of other lifestyle habits.

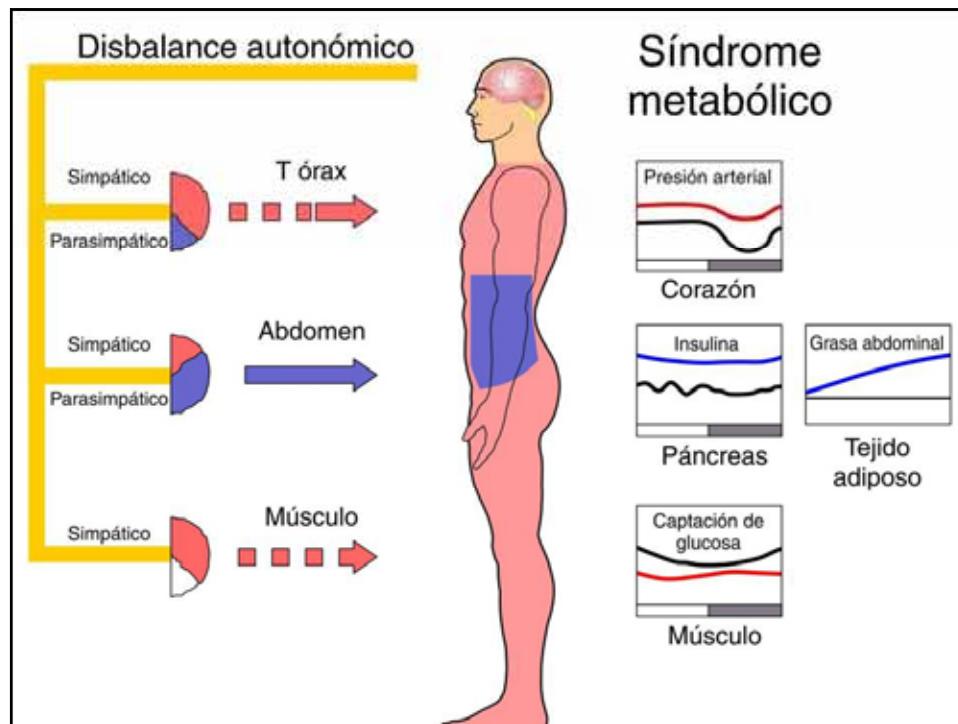
**Keywords:** short sleep duration, MetS diagnostic components, obesity

- ✗ ¿Pueden los cambios hormonales en leptina y ghrelina explicar totalmente la asociación entre sueño insuficiente y obesidad?

## SÍNDROME METABÓLICO

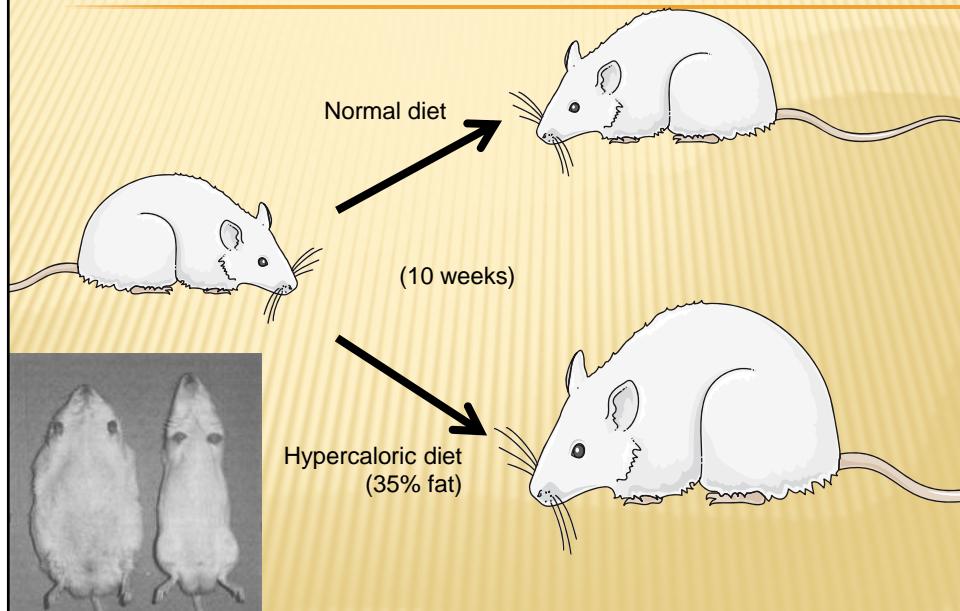
- ✗ Disbalance autonómico
- ✗ Desequilibrio a favor del parasimpático en el territorio visceral abdominal (**GRASA ABDOMINAL**)
- ✗ Desequilibrio a favor del simpático en el territorio tóraco-muscular (**AUMENTO DE LA PRESIÓN ARTERIAL Y DE LA RESISTENCIA A LA INSULINA**).

Buijs et al., 2005



## SÍNDROME METABÓLICO. ¿UN DESORDEN CIRCADIANO DEL SUEÑO?

### RAT. HIGH FAT FEEDING



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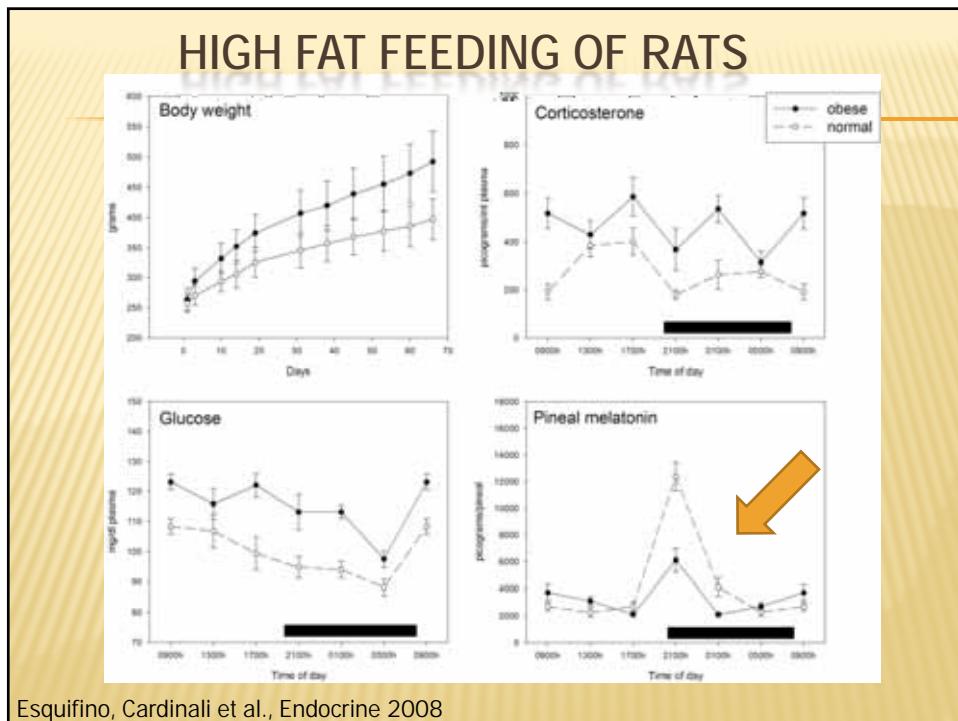
## Effect of a high-fat diet on 24-h pattern of circulating levels of prolactin, luteinizing hormone, testosterone, corticosterone, thyroid-stimulating hormone and glucose, and pineal melatonin content, in rats

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**Abstract** Circadian rhythmicity is affected in obese subjects. This article analyzes the effect of a high-fat diet (35% fat) on 24-h changes circulating prolactin, luteinizing hormone (LH), testosterone, corticosterone, thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) and glucose, and pineal melatonin content in rats. When body weight of rats reached the results underlie the significant effects that obesity has on circadian organization of hormone secretion.

**Keywords** Circadian · High-fat diet · Obesity · Hyperglycemia · Melatonin · Prolactin



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## Effect of a High-fat Diet on 24-Hour Pattern of Circulating Adipocytokines in Rats

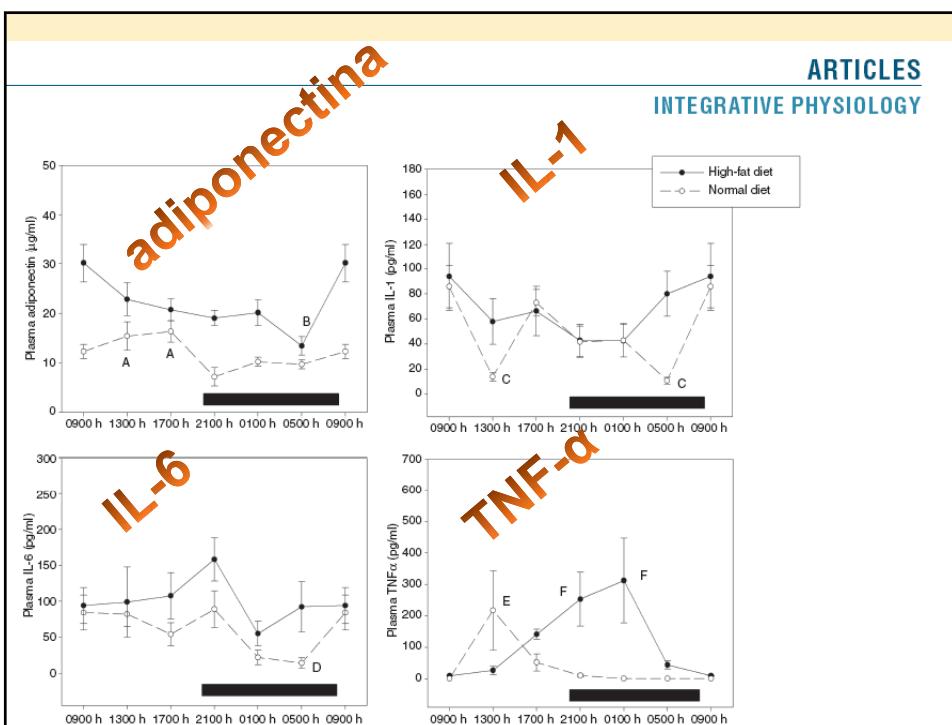
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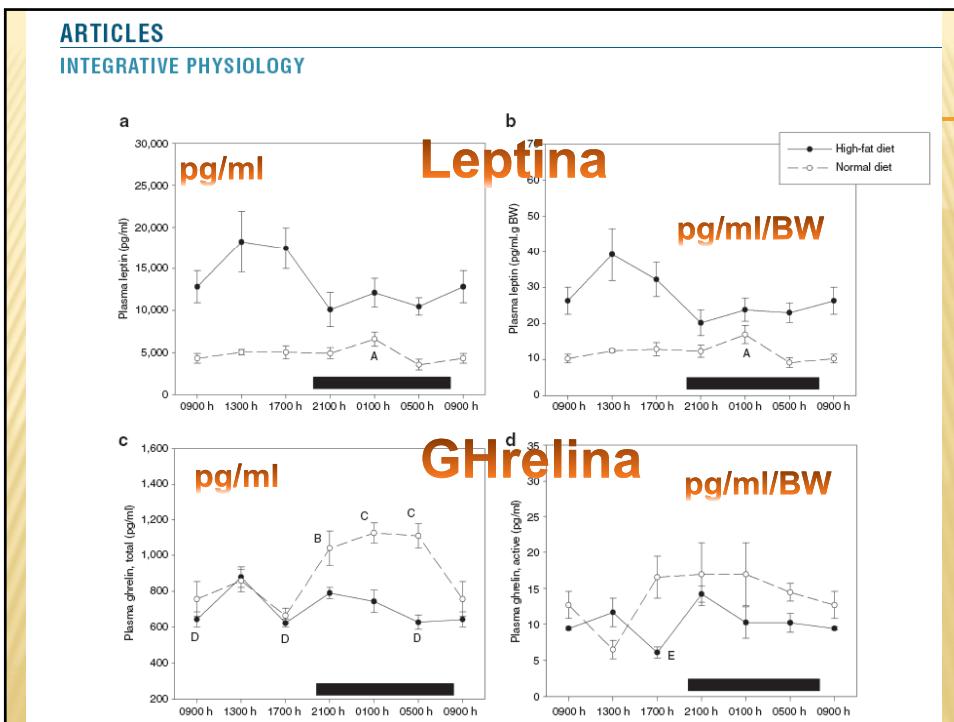
We have shown a significant disruption of 24-h pattern of plasma pituitary, adrenal, and gonadal hormones in high-fat-fed rats. Our objective was to assess the effect of a high-fat diet (35% fat) on mean levels and 24-h pattern of several adipocytokines in rats. A normal diet-fed rats (4% fat) were used as controls. When body weight of high-fat-fed rats attained values about 25% higher than controls (after 66 days of treatment), the animals were killed at six different time intervals throughout a 24-h cycle. Plasma concentrations of insulin, adiponectin, interleukin (IL)-1, leptin, ghrelin, plasminogen activator inhibitor-1 (PAI-1), and monocyte chemoattractant protein-1 (MCP-1) were measured in a multianalyte profiling by using the Luminex-100 system. Tumor necrosis factor  $\alpha$  (TNF $\alpha$ ) and IL-6 were measured by enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay. A significant hyperglycemia developed in high-fat-fed rats, together with a significant increase in plasma insulin. Mean levels of plasma adiponectin, IL-1, IL-6, TNF $\alpha$ , and leptin augmented, and ghrelin decreased, in high-fat-fed rats. The normal daily pattern of plasma insulin, adiponectin, IL-1, IL-6, TNF $\alpha$ , leptin, ghrelin, and MCP-1 became disrupted in high-fat-fed rats. The results indicate that a high-fat diet may bring about signs of insulin resistance and mild inflammation in rats, together with the disruption in daily variations of circulating insulin and ghrelin, and of several adipocytokines including leptin, adiponectin, IL-1, IL-6, TNF $\alpha$ , and MCP-1.

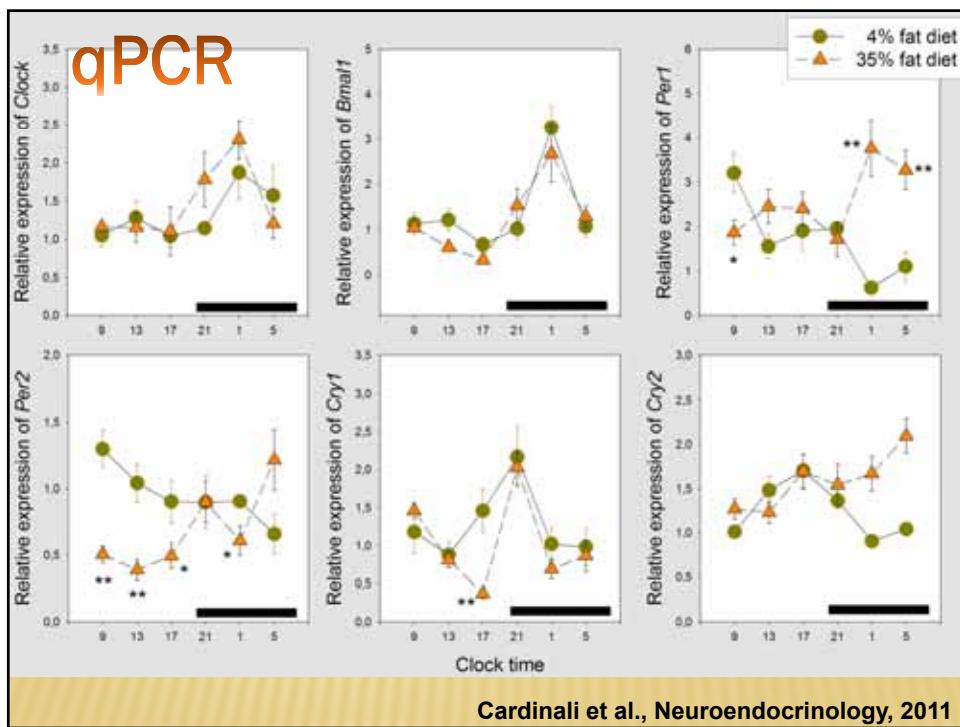
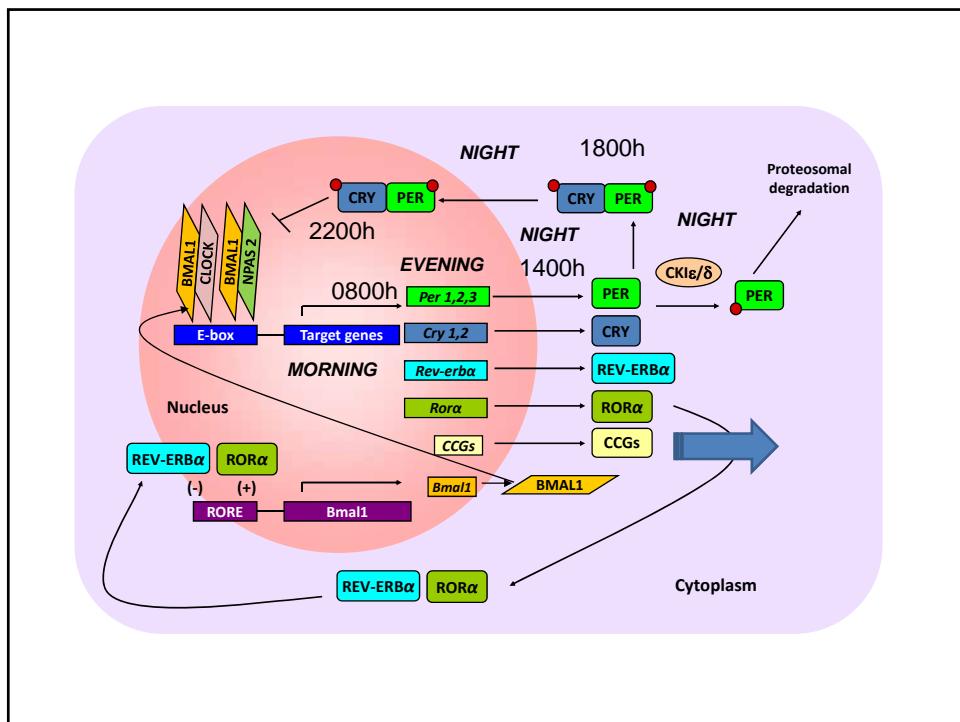
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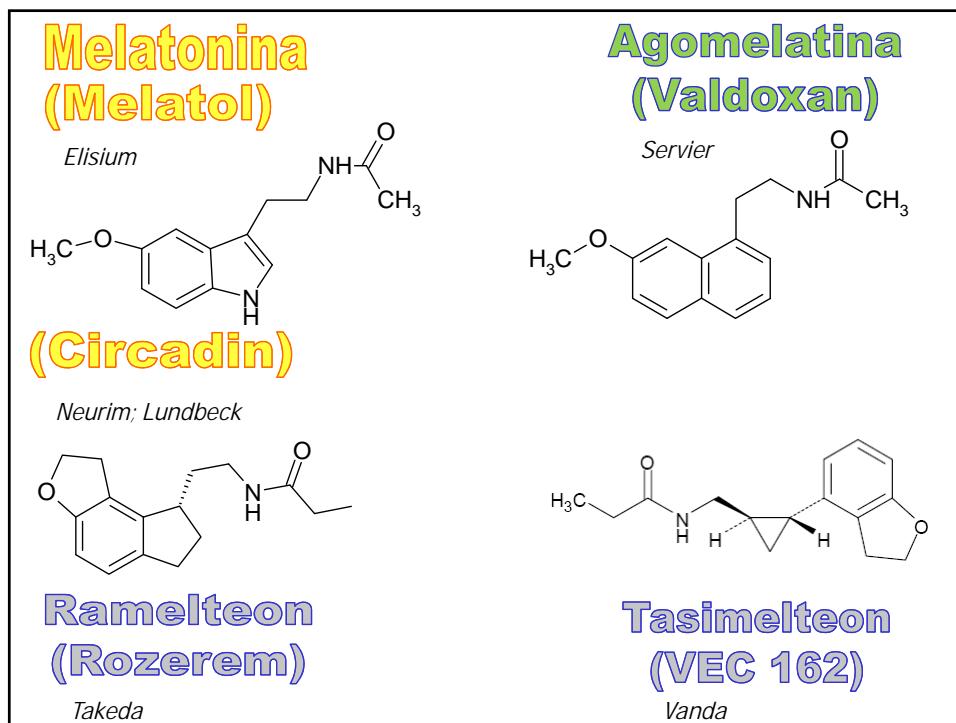
**INTRODUCTION**  
There is a large body of evidence linking feeding regimens and food components with the circadian system (see refs. 1,2). A high-fat diet that contributes to insulin resistance and inflam-

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## Treatment of insomnia in the elderly

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### What is known about treatment of insomnia in the elderly

- Cognitive behavioural therapy is effective in insomnia in the elderly (Ia)
- Short-acting Z-drugs increase the risk of falls in elderly patients (III)
- Prolonged release melatonin given for 3 weeks improves sleep onset latency and sleep quality in patients over 55 (1b)

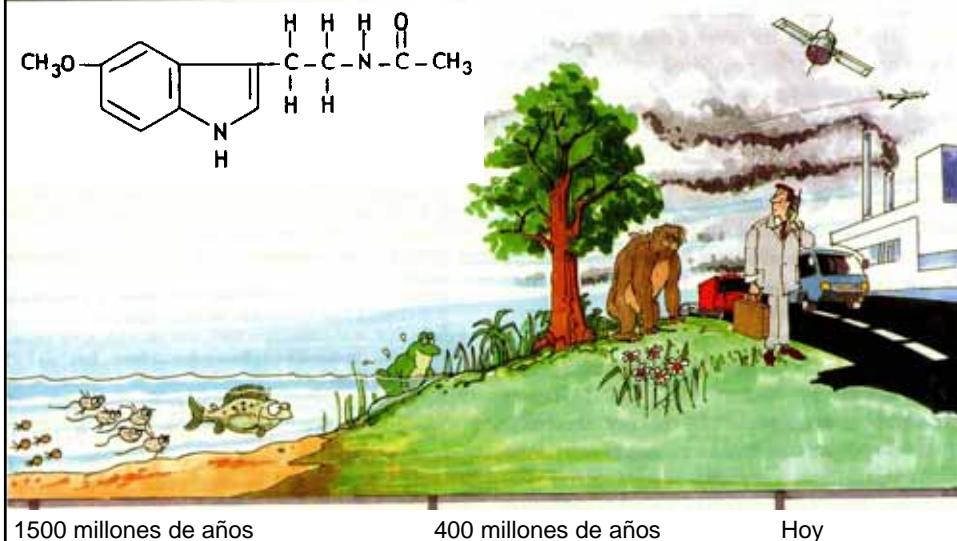
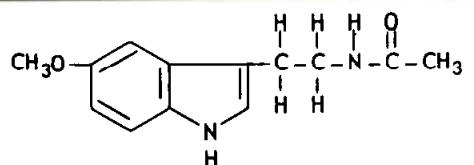
### What is not known?

- What is the long-term efficacy and safety of melatonin?

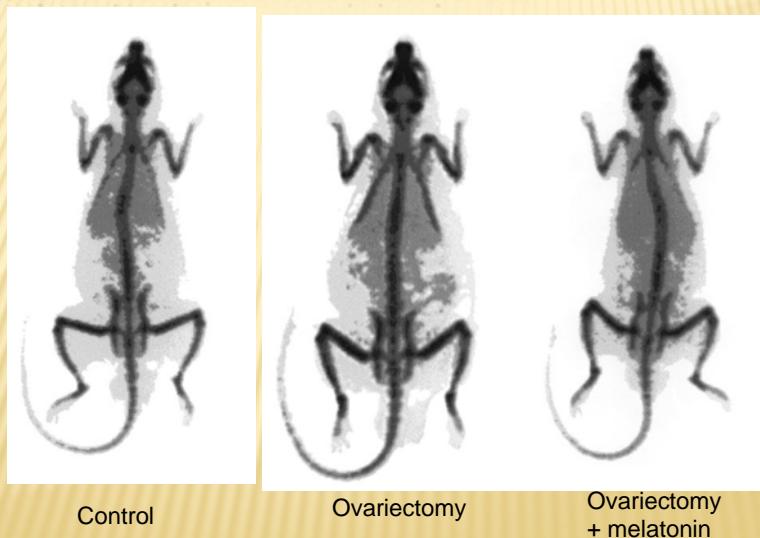
### Recommendations

- CBT is effective and should be offered as a first line where available (A).
- When a hypnotic is indicated in patients over 55, prolonged-release melatonin should be tried first (B).
- If a GABA<sub>A</sub> hypnotic is used then a shorter half-life will minimize unwanted hangover (A).

## Melatonina: Una molécula de 5000 millones de años



### MELATONIN AND BODY FAT



## Melatonin effect on plasma adiponectin, leptin, insulin, glucose, triglycerides and cholesterol in normal and high fat-fed rats

**Abstract:** Melatonin effect on body weight progression, mean levels and 24-hr pattern of circulating adiponectin, leptin, insulin, glucose, triglycerides and cholesterol were examined in rats fed a normal or a high-fat diet. In experiment 1, rats fed a normal diet were divided into two groups: receiving melatonin (25 µg/mL drinking water) or vehicle for 9 wk. In experiment 2, animals were divided into three groups: two fed with a high-fat diet (35% fat) and melatonin (25 µg/mL) or vehicle in drinking water for 11 wk, while a third group was given a normal diet (4% fat). At the end of experiments, groups of eight rats were killed at six different time intervals throughout a 24-hr period. Melatonin administration for 9 wk decreased body weight gain from the 3rd wk on without affecting food intake. A significant reduction in circulating insulin, glucose and triglyceride mean levels and disrupted daily patterns of plasma adiponectin, leptin and insulin were observed after melatonin. In high fat-fed rats, melatonin attenuated body weight increase, hyperglycemia and hyperinsulinemia, as well as the increase in mean plasma adiponectin, leptin, triglycerides and cholesterol levels. The high-fat diet disrupted normal 24-hr patterns of circulating adiponectin, insulin and cholesterol, the effects on insulin and cholesterol being counteracted by melatonin. Nocturnal plasma melatonin concentration in control and obese rats receiving melatonin for 11 wk attained values 21–24-fold greater than controls. The results indicate that melatonin counteracts some of the disrupting effects of diet-induced obesity in rats.

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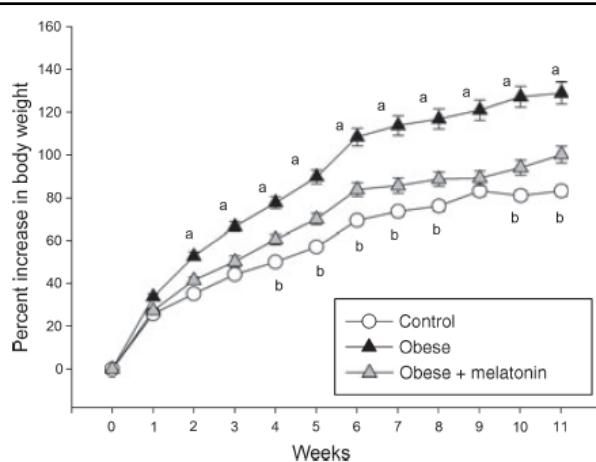
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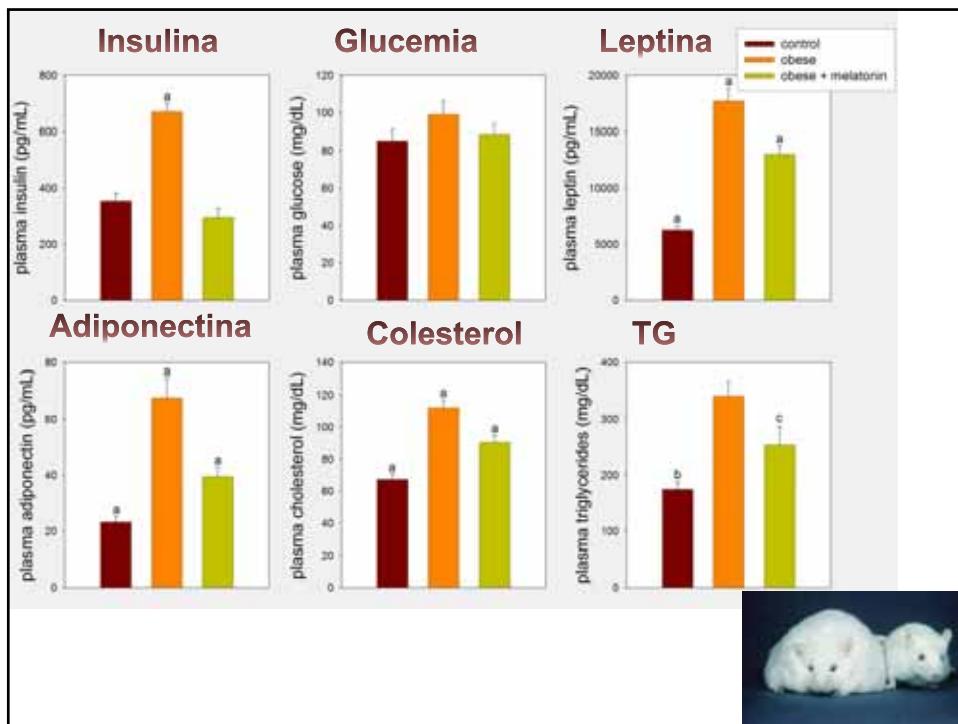
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**Fig. 3.** Percent increase in body weight of rats fed a normal diet (4% fat) or a high-fat diet (35% fat) and melatonin (25 µg/mL) or vehicle in drinking water for 11 wk. Shown are the mean  $\pm$  S.E.M. ( $n = 48/\text{group}$ ). Letters indicate the existence of significant differences after a one-way ANOVA followed by a Bonferroni's multiple comparisons test and a given week of treatment,  $^aP < 0.01$  versus the remaining groups.  $^bP < 0.01$  versus high fat-fed rats receiving melatonin.





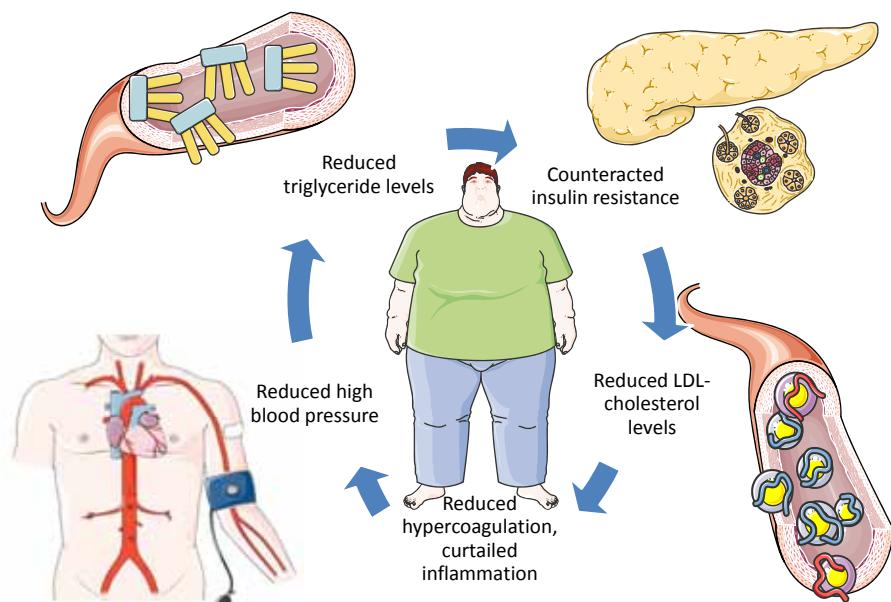
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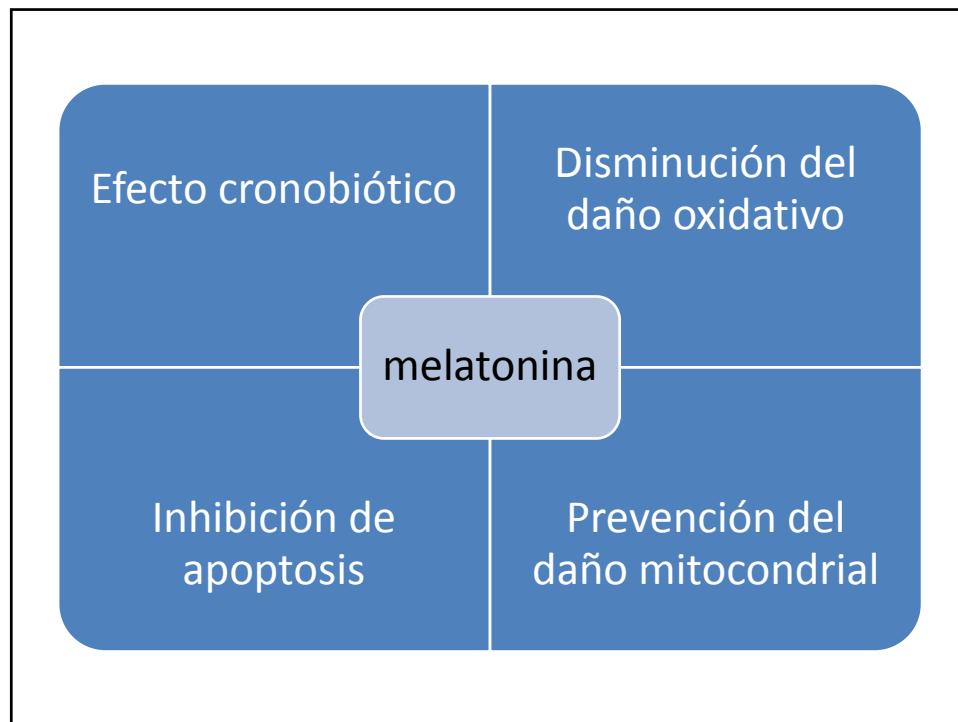
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## Melatonin and the Metabolic Syndrome





Necesidad de estudios  
con 50 – 100 mg  
melatonina por día

	Melatonina	Circadin (melatonina)	Ramelteon	Agomelatina	Tasimelteon	TIK-301
Afinidad	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 Ki = 0.007 nM MT <sub>2</sub> : Ki = 0.263 nM	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 Ki = 0.007 nM MT <sub>2</sub> : Ki = 0.17 nM	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 Ki = 0.4 nM MT <sub>2</sub> : Ki = 0.112 nM	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 Ki = 0.007 nM MT <sub>2</sub> : Ki = 0.268 nM	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 Ki = 0.3 nM MT <sub>2</sub> : Ki = 0.17 nM	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 Ki = 0.081 nM MT <sub>2</sub> : Ki = 0.042 nM
Biodisponibilidad	15%	15%	< 2%	< 5%	-	-
Vida media	4 h	4 h	1.25 h	1.7 h	-	-
Unión a proteínas	70%	70%	82%	95%	-	-
Volumen de distribución	-	-	73.6 L	35 L	-	-
Potencia relativa	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 MT <sub>2</sub> : 1	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 MT <sub>2</sub> : 1	MT <sub>1</sub> : 8 MT <sub>2</sub> : 3	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 MT <sub>2</sub> : 1	MT <sub>1</sub> : 0,25 MT <sub>2</sub> : 1 50 mg	MT <sub>1</sub> : 1 MT <sub>2</sub> : 5
Dosis	3 mg	2 mg	8 - 32 mg	25 – 50 mg	50 mg	
Compañía	Elisium SA	Neurim Pharmaceuticals	Takeda Pharmaceutical Company	Servier	Vanda Pharmaceuticals	Tikvah Pharmaceuticals

