

Legends: Supplemental Figures

Figure S1 – Time-course of metabolic parameters. Plots are mean \pm SE (\pm SD for the time scale).

Figure S2 – Probability of exceeding a HbA_{1c} value of 7% (**a**) or a value of β -cell glucose sensitivity (β GS) dropping by more than 10% from baseline (**b**) throughout follow up by fasting C-peptide level.

Figure S3 – Reciprocal relation of exogenous insulin dose with MMTT insulin output (*top*) and β -cell glucose sensitivity (*bottom*) throughout the observation period (1,427 records). Shaded areas are 95% confidence intervals for the log-normal fit.