

## Supplementary Materials:

**Table S1.** Linear gradient elution program.

Time(min)	0	2	5	10	12	14	15	17	17.5	21
Mobile phase A (%)	95	90	60	30	20	20	0	0	95	95
Mobile phase B (%)	5	10	40	70	80	80	100	100	5	5

**Table S2.** Retention time, mass-to-charge ratio, standard curve, and R<sup>2</sup> of SCFAs standards.

SCFAs	RT (min)	mass-to-charge ratio ( <i>m/z</i> )	Regression equation	R <sup>2</sup>
Acetic acid	5.27	117	$y = 3.7000x + 838004.87$	1.0000
Propionic acid	7.19	131	$y = 1.3721x + 17843$	0.9976
Butyric acid	8.94	145	$y = 1.6716x + 15802$	0.9991
Valeric acid	11.07	159	$y = 1.6041x + 4472.6$	0.9956

**Table S3.** Contents of 26 compounds in CH (µg/100 g honey)

Compounds	Rt min	Concentration (µg/100 g)					Regression equation	R <sup>2</sup>
		M1	M2	M3	M4	M5		
4-Hydroxyquinoline	2.79	nd	9.84	7.30	8.16	11.25	$y = 7044.30x + 10426.00$	0.9975
Salicylic acid	3.26	15.59	14.27	11.92	12.99	13.99	$y = 148.13x - 527.70$	0.9987
Vanillic acid	3.66	2.79	2.19	1.89	nd	2.10	$y = 31.90x + 77.56$	0.9999
Rutin	4.09	81.66	73.32	72.78	62.88	75.39	$y = 2,074.22x - 4,781.76$	0.9999
Trans-4-hydroxycinnamic acid	4.28	nd	9.84	7.30	8.16	11.25	$y = 27.28x + 155.28$	0.9999
Ellagic acid	4.38	1.65	1.08	0.86	nd	1.09	$y = 33.06x + 114.51$	0.9998
Sinapinic acid	4.58	5.79	5.55	nd	2.47	1.80	$y = 35.75x + 787.18$	0.9948
Luteolin	4.60	5.76	8.41	7.08	5.98	9.29	$y = 21.97x + 285.40$	0.9990
Trans-ferulic acid	4.61	0.61	0.58	0.54	0.56	0.58	$y = 456.32x + 6585.80$	0.9970
Hesperidin	4.69	11.22	11.26	9.37	10.35	10.96	$y = 167.87x + 2436.60$	0.9998
Naringin	4.69	0.37	0.35	0.34	0.35	0.36	$y = 1726.70x + 26406.00$	0.9916
4-hydroxybenzoic acid	4.83	0.59	0.65	0.41	0.50	0.56	$y = 429.43x + 5119.90$	0.9958
3,4-Dimethoxycinnamic acid	5.27	111.27	106.48	89.60	94.54	106.49	$y = 76.91x + 1534.80$	0.9962
3,4-Dihydroxybenzoic acid	5.27	2.58	2.23	2.82	2.79	1.95	$y = 181.24x - 3752.40$	0.9949
Methyl syringate	5.33	4.53	4.17	3.13	4.08	4.68	$y = 218.77x + 695.69$	0.9991
Fisetin	5.48	0.48	nd	0.39	0.39	0.37	$y = 2141.10x - 4015.30$	0.9990
Absciscic acid	5.50	276.20	273.72	235.56	253.07	265.25	$y = 470.01x + 5429.20$	0.9907
Quercetin	5.58	1.78	1.72	1.66	1.78	1.45	$y = 766.94x - 3741.7$	0.9998
Trans-cinnamic acid	5.67	1.30	4.20	1.10	2.25	1.23	$y = 23.04x + 312.50$	0.9962
Naringenin	5.95	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.03	$y = 1954.90x + 357.64$	0.9997
Apigenin	6.03	0.58	nd	nd	2.47	2.47	$y = 2121.90x - 5531.50$	0.9993
Kaempferol	6.15	3.00	2.87	2.96	3.02	2.90	$y = 1896.40x - 12028.00$	0.9993
Hesperetin	6.17	3.10	2.79	1.78	2.34	3.02	$y = 2328.60x - 1106.10$	0.9999
Kaempferide	6.29	nd	nd	nd	nd	8.73	$y = 15.84x - 4.91$	0.9992
Daidzein	7.42	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.12	$y = 3512.10x - 8727.90$	0.9992

Compounds	Rt min	Concentration (µg/100 g)					Regression equation	R <sup>2</sup>
		M1	M2	M3	M4	M5		
Chrysin	7.70	7.51	7.56	7.54	7.56	7.51	y = 993.78x - 24138.00	0.996 6

nd means not detected

**Table S4** Histopathological Assessment Grading

Parameter	PF	AF	PC	LH	MH	HH	FG
Steatosis	0	4	1	1	2	2	4
Inflammation	0	2	1	1	2	1	2
Hepatic fibrosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	0	6	2	2	4	3	7

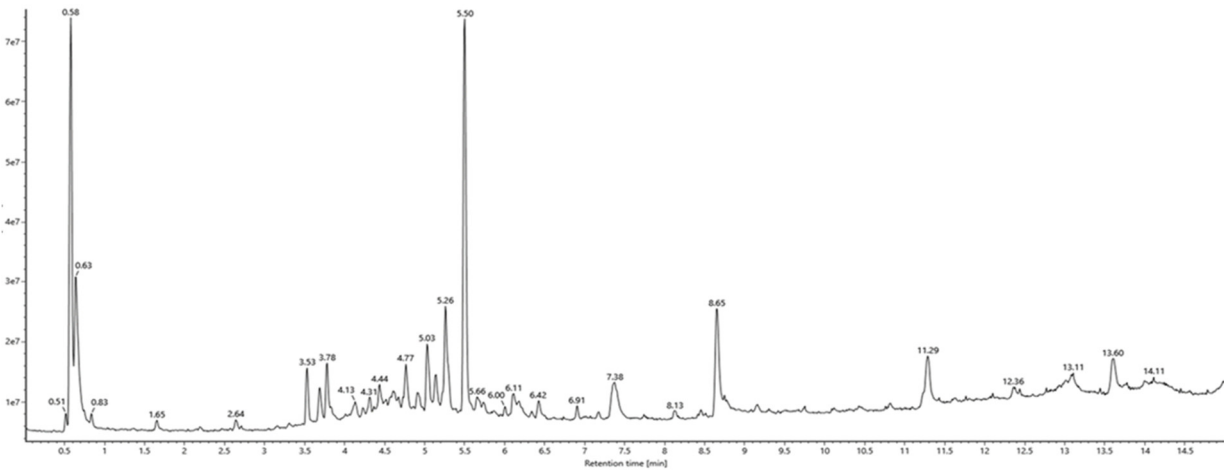
Hepatic disease		Scores
Steatosis	Nonsteatosis	0
	Range of steatosis<30%	1 +
	Range of steatosis>30%	2 +
	Range of steatosis>50%	3 +
	Range of steatosis>75%	4 +
Inflammation	No inflammation present	0
	Ballooning degeneration of liver cells<30%	1 +
	Ballooning degeneration of liver cells>30%	2 +
	Ballooning degeneration of liver cells>50%	3 +
	Ballooning degeneration of liver cells>75%	4 +
Hepatic fibrosis	Non-fibrosis	0
	Hepatic fibrosis<30%	1 +
	Hepatic fibrosis>30%	2 +
	Hepatic fibrosis>50%	3 +
	Hepatic fibrosis>75%	4 +

**Table S5.** The composition table of dominant species in each group of mouse intestinal flora

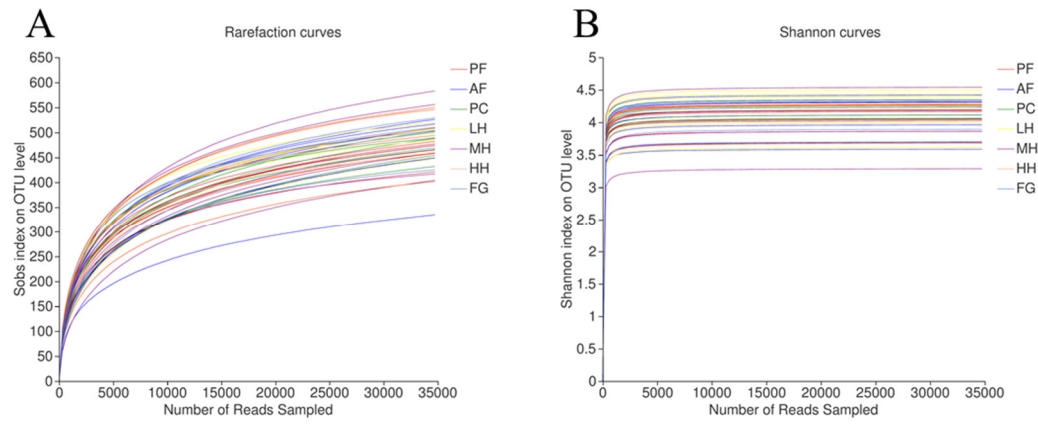
phylum levels.

Phylum	PF	AF	PC	LH	MH	HH	FG
Bacteroidota	0.69%	48.39%	64.56%	64.52%	53.89%	57.71%	48.60%
Firmicutes	23.50%	39.96%	26.24%	25.64%	36.27%	32.13%	35.85%
Campilobacterota	2.06%	1.97%	3.00%	3.65%	3.94%	3.64%	8.60%
Actinobacteriota	2.18%	4.19%	2.49%	0.44%	2.42%	2.62%	1.52%
Verrucomicrobiota	1.52%	2.90%	2.46%	1.16%	0.18%	1.79%	3.36%
Proteobacteria	0.33%	1.31%	0.30%	3.91%	2.70%	1.61%	0.63%
Desulfobacterota	0.71%	0.80%	0.74%	0.29%	0.31%	0.32%	1.12%
Firmicutes/Bacteroidetes ratio (F/B)	33.88%	82.57%	40.64%	39.74%	67.30%	55.67%	73.77%

**Figure S1.** The base peak intensity chromatogram (BPI) of CH by UPLC-Q-TOF-MS



**Figure S2.** (A) Rarefaction analysis and (B) Shannon index of gut microbiota from seven groups of mice.



**Figure S3.** Comparison of the differences of gut microbiota diversity index among seven groups of mice. Chao index (a), Ace index (b), Shannon index (c), and Simpson index(d).

