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# Sustained Hyperglycemia and Its Relationship With the Outcome of Hospitalized Patients With Severe COVID-19: Potential Role of ACE2 Upregulation

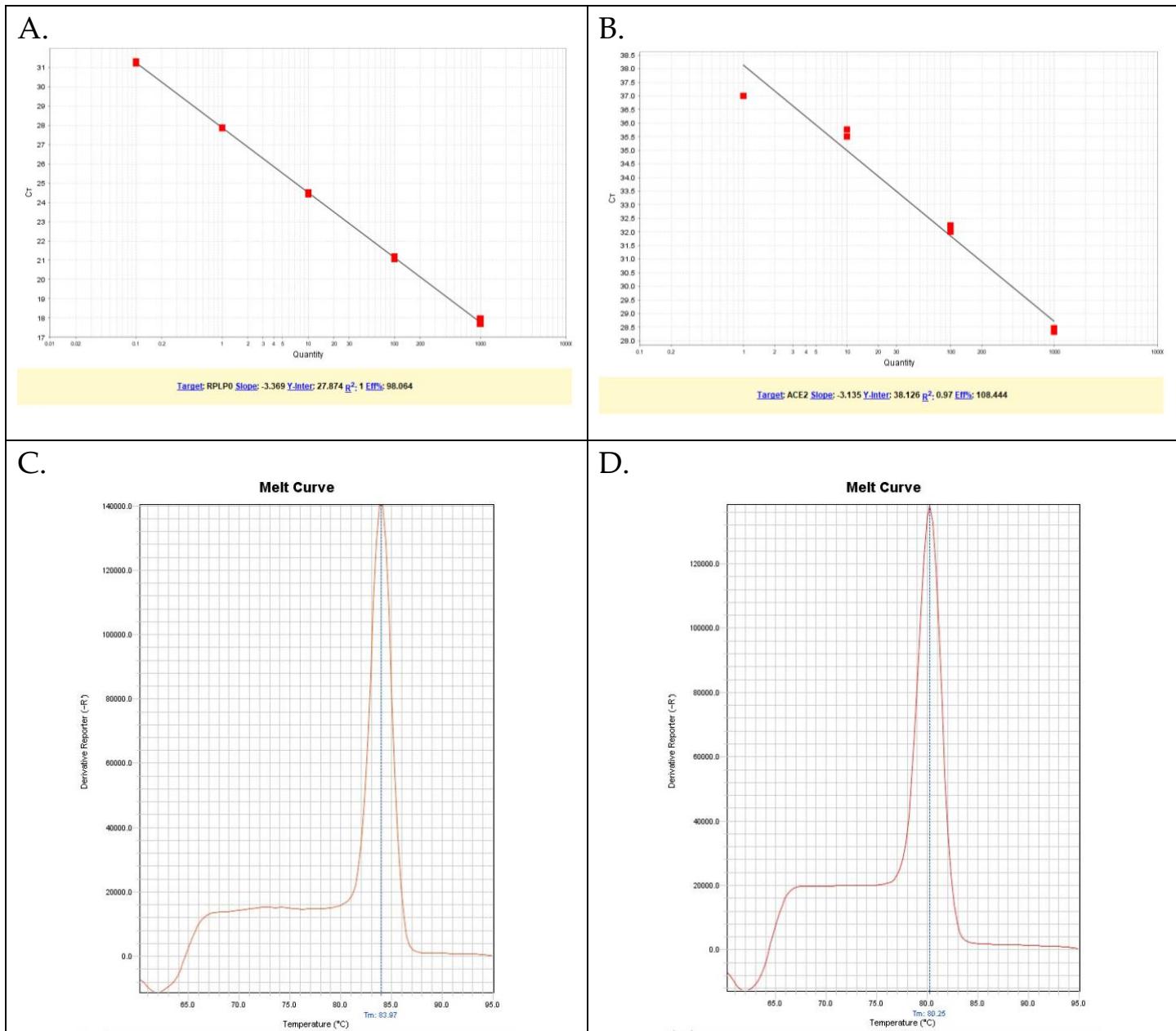
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**Figure S1**



**Figure S1.** Standard and melt curves for *ACE2* and *RLP0*. Standard and melt curves were constructed both for *RLP0* (A-C) and *ACE2*. Standard curves were constructed using logarithmic cDNA concentrations in a range of 1000 ng to 0.01 ng. The efficiency and R<sup>2</sup> calculated values for *RLP0* were 98.06% and 1; whereas that for *ACE2* these values were 108.4% and 0.97, respectively. The temperatures for the melt curves were 83.97 for *RLP0* (C) and 80.25 for *ACE2* (D).