

Table 1. Physical characteristics of offspring of non-diabetic (NDP), one diabetic (ODP) and both diabetic (BDP) parents. Data are expressed as means $\pm$ SEM

	NDP (n=50)	ODP (n=50)	BDP (n=30)
Body weight (kg)	62.1 $\pm$ 1.7	66.8 $\pm$ 2.7	74.3 $\pm$ 4.3 ^a
BMI (kg/m ²)	21.4 $\pm$ 0.5	24.7 $\pm$ 0.9 ^a	27.4 $\pm$ 1.7 ^a
Systolic BP (mmHg)	110.4 $\pm$ 1.2	107.4 $\pm$ 1.6	118.6 $\pm$ 3.8 ^{a,b}
Diastolic BP (mmHg)	71.8 $\pm$ 1.3	70.1 $\pm$ 1.3	73.5 $\pm$ 2.0
Acanthosis nigricans (%)	0	0	31

^{a,b} Statistically significant difference (P<0.05; Scheffe's multiple comparison test): ^a: Compared to NDP group, ^b: Compared to ODP group.