

Figure S1. Main oxysterols derived from cholesterol autoxidation present in the diet.

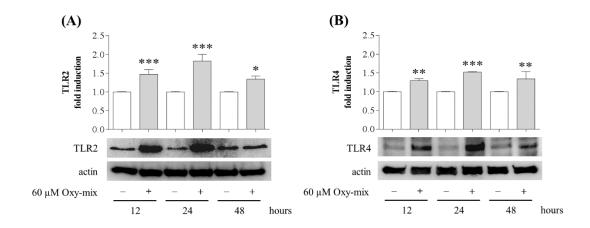


Figure S2. Oxy-mix induces TLR2 and TLR4 protein levels. TLR2 (panel **A**) and TLR4 (panel **B**) proteins were evaluated through Western Blotting in differentiated CaCo-2 cells treated with 60 μ M Oxy-mix for 12, 24 or 48 hours. Data are reported as means \pm SD of three experiments. One-way analysis of variance (ANOVA) associated with Bonferroni's multiple comparison post-test was adopted: significantly different vs. control (untreated cells): *p < 0.05; **p < 0.01; ***p < 0.001.

Table S1. Cytotoxic effects of Honduras CBS fractions with or w/o oxysterol cell treatments.

LDH Cell Release (%)			
		60 μM Oxy-Mix	
	7 ± 2.3	9.2 ± 4.3	
10 μg/mL HF1	6.9 ± 1.9	9 ± 1.6	
25 μg/mL HF1	9.3 ± 1.6	20 ± 3.9 #	
50 μg/mL HF1	$28.9 \pm 9.5 ***$	$25 \pm 8.5 ***;##$	
10 μg/mL HF2	11.2 ± 2.8	18.8 ± 2.8	
25 μg/mL HF2	16.2 ± 8.4	19.1 ± 6.1	
50 μg/mL HF2	15.3 ± 11.1	16.8 ± 2.5	

10 μg/mL HF3	6.1 ± 1.3	6.5 ± 1.6
25 μg/mL HF3	7 ± 1.7	7.5 ± 0.6
50 μg/mL HF3	17.1 ± 2.1	10.3 ± 6.1
10 μg/mL HF4	12.6 ± 3.6	11.3 ± 2.5
25 μg/mL HF4	16.6 ± 3.7	16.7 ± 2.1
50 μg/mL HF4	18.1 ± 2.4	17.8 ± 1.4

Cytotoxicity was evaluated as percentage of lactate dehydrogenase (LDH) total release into cell medium. Differentiated CaCo-2 cells were pretreated with 10, 25 or 50 μ g/ml Honduras fractions (HF) for 1 hour and treated with 60 μ M Oxy-mix for 24 hours. Data are reported as means \pm SD of three experiments performed in quadruplicate. One-way analysis of variance (ANOVA) associated with Bonferroni's multiple comparison post-test was adopted: significantly different vs. control (untreated cells): ***p < 0.001; significantly different vs. Oxy-mix: #p < 0.05, ##p < 0.01.