

# ME-forskerens ABC

Her er en alfabetisk liste over vigtige gener / proteiner, som er påvirkede i ME sygdomsmekanismen.

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A, Coenzym A	(4)	ETFB	(6)
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Mit navn er A, co-enzym A (CoA)

# Coenzyme A

**Coenzyme A** (CoA, CoASH, or HSCoA) is a coenzyme, notable for its role in the synthesis and oxidation of fatty acids, and the oxidation of pyruvate in the citric acid cycle. All genomes sequenced to date encode enzymes that use coenzyme A as a substrate, and around 4% of cellular enzymes use it (or a thioester, such as acetyl-CoA) as a substrate. In humans, CoA biosynthesis requires cysteine, pantothenate, and adenosine triphosphate (ATP).<sup>[1]</sup>

*De understregede processer er alle påvirkede i ME.*

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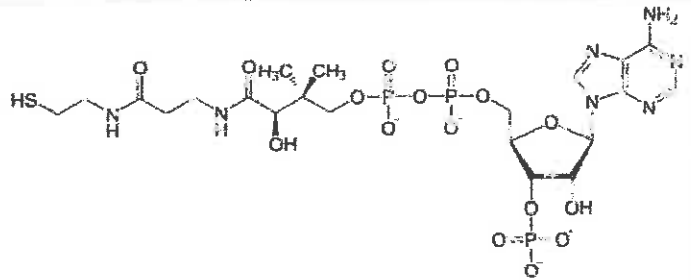
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## Discovery of structure

The structure of coenzyme A was identified in the early 1950s at the Lister Institute, London, together by Fritz Lipmann and other workers at Harvard Medical School and Massachusetts General Hospital.<sup>[2]</sup> Lipmann initially intended to study acetyl transfer in animals, and from these experiments he noticed a unique factor that was not present in enzyme extracts but was evident in all organs of the animals. He was able to isolate and purify the factor from pig liver and discovered that its function was related to a coenzyme that was active in choline acetylation.<sup>[3]</sup> The coenzyme was named coenzyme A to stand for "activation of acetate." In 1953, Fritz Lipmann won the Nobel Prize in "Physiology or Medicine" for his discovery of co-enzyme A and its importance for intermediary metabolism".<sup>[3][4]</sup>

## Coenzyme A



### Identifiers

CAS Number	85-61-0 ( <a href="http://www.commonchemistry.org/ChemicalDetail.aspx?ref=85-61-0">http://www.commonchemistry.org/ChemicalDetail.aspx?ref=85-61-0</a> ) <sup>✓</sup>
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ChEBI	CHEBI:15346 ( <a href="https://www.ebi.ac.uk/chebi/searchId.do?chebiId=15346">https://www.ebi.ac.uk/chebi/searchId.do?chebiId=15346</a> ) <sup>✓</sup>
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ChemSpider	6557 ( <a href="http://www.chemspider.com/Chemical-Structure.6557.html">http://www.chemspider.com/Chemical-Structure.6557.html</a> ) <sup>✓</sup>
DrugBank	DB01992 ( <a href="https://www.drugbank">https://www.drugbank</a> )

mixed disulfides, such as CoA-S-S-glutathione, are commonly noted contaminants in commercial preparations of CoA.<sup>[18]</sup> Free CoA can be regenerated from CoA disulfide and mixed CoA disulfides with reducing agents such as DTT or BME.

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## Non-exhaustive list of Coenzyme A-activated Acyl Groups

vigtige Coenzym A forbindelser

- Acetyl-CoA
- fatty acyl-CoA (activated form of all fatty acids; only the CoA esters are substrates for important reactions such as mono-, di-, and triacylglycerol synthesis, carnitine palmitoyl transferase, and cholesterol esterification)
  - Propionyl-CoA
  - Butyryl-CoA
  - Myristoyl-CoA
  - Crotonyl-CoA
- Acetoacetyl-CoA
- Coumaroyl-CoA (used in flavonoid and stilbenoid biosynthesis)
- Benzoyl-CoA
- Phenylacetyl-CoA
- Acyl derived from dicarboxylic acids
  - Malonyl-CoA (important in chain elongation in fatty acid biosynthesis and polyketide biosynthesis)
  - Succinyl-CoA (used in heme biosynthesis)
  - Hydroxymethylglutaryl-CoA (used in isoprenoid biosynthesis)
  - Pimelyl-CoA (used in biotin biosynthesis)

Klik på Malonyl-CoA og læs: Malonyl CoA inhibits fatty acids from associating with carnitine by regulating the enzyme carnitine acyltransferase, thereby preventing them from entering the mitochondria, where fatty acid oxidation and degradation occur.

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Research Article

# Protein CoAlation: a redox-regulated protein modification by coenzyme A in mammalian cells

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Coenzyme A (CoA) is an obligatory cofactor in all branches of life. CoA and its derivatives are involved in major metabolic pathways, allosteric interactions and the regulation of gene expression. Abnormal biosynthesis and homeostasis of CoA and its derivatives have been associated with various human pathologies, including cancer, diabetes and neurodegeneration. Using an anti-CoA monoclonal antibody and mass spectrometry, we identified a wide range of cellular proteins which are modified by covalent attachment of CoA to cysteine thiols (CoAlation). We show that protein CoAlation is a reversible post-translational modification that is induced in mammalian cells and tissues by oxidising agents and metabolic stress. Many key cellular enzymes were found to be CoAlated *in vitro* and *in vivo* in ways that modified their activities. Our study reveals that protein CoAlation is a widespread post-translational modification which may play an important role in redox regulation under physiological and pathophysiological conditions.

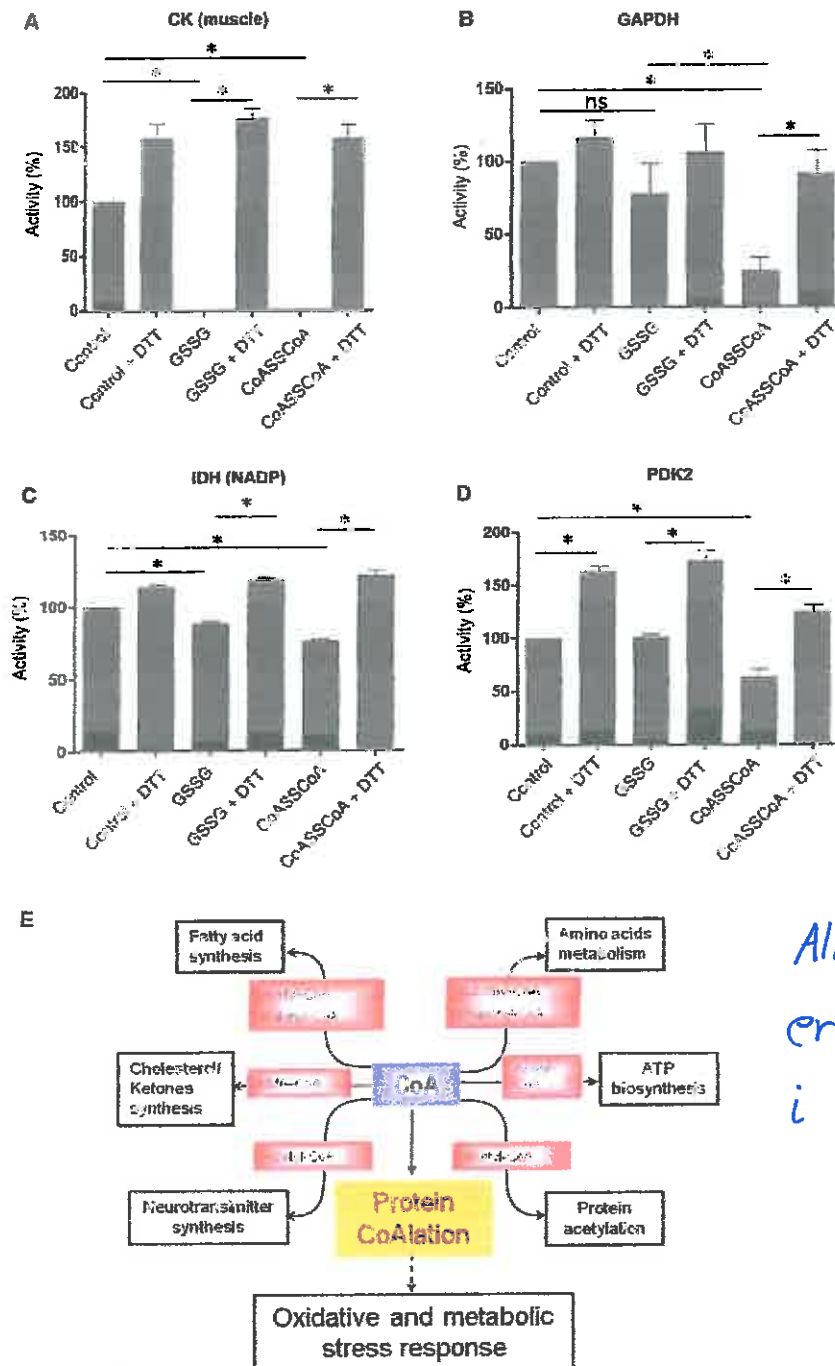
## Introduction

Coenzyme A (CoA) is a ubiquitous and essential cellular cofactor synthesised from cysteine, pantothenate (Vitamin B5) and ATP in a pathway conserved in all cells. CoA functions as a master acyl group carrier and a carbonyl-activating group, resulting in numerous metabolically active thioester derivatives, including acetyl CoA, malonyl CoA, succinyl CoA and 3-hydroxy-3-methylglutaryl CoA, among many others. CoA and its derivatives play important roles in a diverse range of cellular processes, including the Krebs cycle, the synthesis and oxidation of fatty acids, ketogenesis, biosynthesis of cholesterol and acetylcholine, regulation of gene expression and cellular metabolism via protein acetylation and others [1–4]. The size of the CoA pool (CoA and all its derivatives) varies widely among mammalian cells and tissues, being largest in the liver, heart and kidney. The subcellular distribution of the CoA pool reflects its diverse roles and varies from 20–140  $\mu\text{M}$  in the cytosol to 2.2–5 mM in the mitochondria [1]. The level of CoA and the ratio between CoA and its thioesters (acyl CoA) in mammalian cells and tissues are tightly regulated by extracellular stimuli, nutrients, intracellular metabolites and stresses. Insulin, glucose, fatty acids and pyruvate all decrease CoA biosynthesis, whereas fasting, glucagon, glucocorticoids and hypolipidaemic drugs have the opposite effect [5–9]. Changes in the size of the CoA pool have also been reported in pathological conditions, such as diabetes and cancer [10,11]. Mutations in pantothenate kinase 2 (PANK2) and CoA synthase (CoASY), which are rate-limiting enzymes in the CoA biosynthetic pathway, are associated with a severe

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**Figure 6. Catalytic activities of CK, GAPDH, IDH and PDK2 are modulated by CoAlation.**

(A–D) CK, GAPDH purified from skeletal muscle and NADP-dependent IDH purified from heart were incubated with CoASSCoA or GSH dimer (GSSG) and their enzymatic activities assayed spectrophotometrically. The activity of recombinant PDK2 purified from HEK293 cells was assayed radiometrically using PDH as the substrate. Data shown are mean ± SEM of 3 (A, C and D) or 5 (B) independent measurements. Differences between groups were evaluated by a two-way repeated measures ANOVA matching both factors followed by a Tukey *post hoc* test to correct for multiple comparisons when assessing simple effects or Sidak test when assessing the ‘reducing agent’ effect. \**P* < 0.05. ns, not significant. (E) Cellular functions of CoA. In addition to its well-established role as an essential metabolic cofactor, CoA may also function as an antioxidant in cellular response to oxidative or metabolic stress via protein CoAlation.

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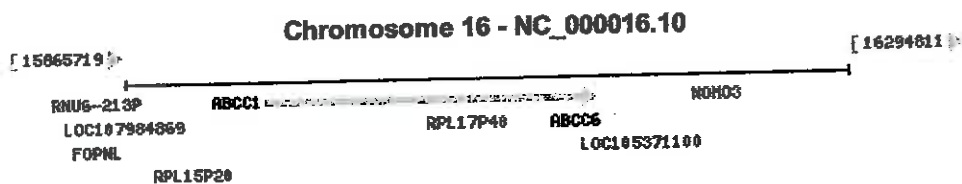
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**ABCC1 ATP binding cassette subfamily C member 1 [Homo sapiens (human)]**

Gene ID: 4363, updated on 5-Feb-2017

*Genet. er hypermetylet i Vega 2014 og Vega 2017 - studierne.***Summary****Official Symbol** ABCC1 provided by HGNC**Official Full Name** ATP binding cassette subfamily C member 1 provided by HGNC**Primary source** HGNC:HGNC:51**See related** [Ensembl:ENSGUC000103222](#) [MIM:158343](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG0000048267](#)**Gene type** protein coding**RefSeq status** REVIEWED**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo**Also known as** MRP; ABCC; GS-X; MRP1; ABC29**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the superfamily of ATP-binding cassette (ABC) transporters. ABC proteins transport various molecules across extra- and intra-cellular membranes. ABC genes are divided into seven distinct subfamilies (ABC1, MDR/TAP, MRP, ALD, OABP, GCN20, White). This full transporter is a member of the MRP subfamily which is involved in multi-drug resistance. This protein functions as a multispecific organic anion transporter, with oxidized glutathione, cysteinyl leukotrienes, and activated aflatoxin B1 as substrates. This protein also transports glucuronides and sulfate conjugates of steroid hormones and bile salts. Alternatively spliced variants of this gene have been described but their full-length nature is unknown. [provided by RefSeq, Apr 2012]**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [ali](#)**Genomic context***Galdesyre niveauerna er p avirke hos ME-patienter.*See ABCC1 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)**Location:** 16p13.11*Glutathione er ogs a p avirket.***Exon count:** 34

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# ACACA acetyl-CoA carboxylase alpha [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 31, updated on 19-Jan-2017

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↑ Vega 2014 + 2017*

## Summary

- Official Symbol** ACACA provided by [HGNC](#)
- Official Full Name** acetyl-CoA carboxylase alpha provided by [HGNC](#)
- Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:31](#)
- See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000278540](#) [MIM:200350](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000189463](#)
- Gene type** protein coding
- RefSeq status** REVIEWED
- Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)
- Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo
- Also known as** ACC; ACAC; ACC1; ACCA; ACACAD
- Summary** Acetyl-CoA carboxylase (ACC) is a complex multifunctional enzyme system. ACC is a biotin-containing enzyme which catalyzes the carboxylation of acetyl-CoA to malonyl-CoA, the rate-limiting step in fatty acid synthesis. There are two ACC forms, alpha and beta, encoded by two different genes. ACC-alpha is highly enriched in lipogenic tissues. The enzyme is under long term control at the transcriptional and translational levels and under short term regulation by the phosphorylation/dephosphorylation of targeted serine residues and by allosteric transformation by citrate or palmitoyl-CoA. Multiple alternatively spliced transcript variants divergent in the 5' sequence and encoding distinct isoforms have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]
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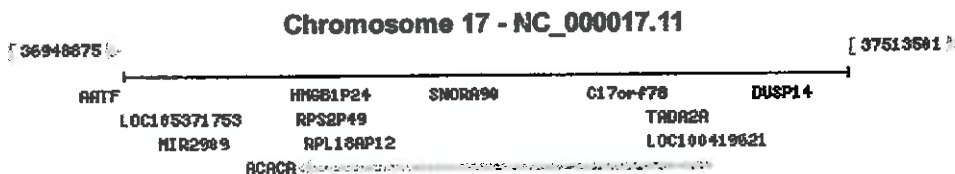
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## A conserved mammalian mitochondrial isoform of acetyl-CoA carboxylase ACC1 provides the malonyl-CoA essential for mitochondrial biogenesis in tandem with ACSF3.

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### Abstract

Mitochondrial fatty acid synthesis (mtFAS) is a highly conserved pathway essential for mitochondrial biogenesis. The mtFAS process is required for mitochondrial respiratory chain assembly and function, synthesis of the lipoic acid cofactor indispensable for the function of several mitochondrial enzyme complexes and essential for embryonic development in mice. Mutations in human mtFAS have been reported to lead to neurodegenerative disease. The source of malonyl-CoA for mtFAS in mammals has remained unclear. We report the identification of a conserved vertebrate mitochondrial isoform of ACC1 expressed from an ACACA transcript splicing variant. A specific knockdown (KD) of the corresponding transcript in mouse cells, or CRISPR/Cas9-mediated inactivation of the putative mitochondrial targeting sequence in human cells, leads to decreased lipoylation and mitochondrial fragmentation. Simultaneous KD of ACSF3, encoding a mitochondrial malonyl-CoA synthetase previously implicated in the mtFAS process, resulted in almost complete ablation of protein lipoylation, indicating that these enzymes have a redundant function in mtFAS. The discovery of a mitochondrial isoform of ACC1 required for lipoic acid synthesis has intriguing consequences for our understanding of mitochondrial disorders, metabolic regulation of mitochondrial biogenesis and cancer.

**KEYWORDS:** ACC1; ACSF3; acetyl-CoA carboxylase; malonyl-CoA; mitochondrial biogenesis; mitochondrial fatty acid synthesis

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# ACAD8 acyl-CoA dehydrogenase family member 8 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

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## Summary

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**Official Full Name** acyl-CoA dehydrogenase family member 8 provided by [HGNC](#)  
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**Also known as** ARC42; ACAD-8  
**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the acyl-CoA dehydrogenase family of enzymes that catalyze the dehydrogenation of acyl-CoA derivatives in the metabolism of fatty acids or branch chained amino acids. The encoded protein is a mitochondrial enzyme that functions in catabolism of the branched-chain amino acid valine. Defects in this gene are the cause of isobutyryl-CoA dehydrogenase deficiency.[provided by RefSeq, Nov 2009]  
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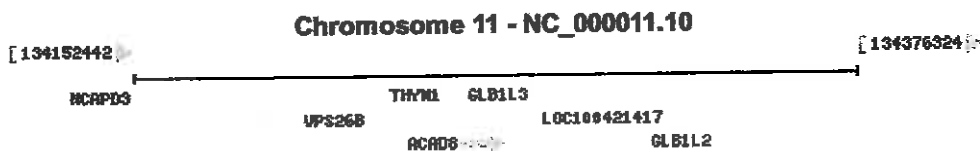
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## Isolated 2-Methylbutyrylglycinuria Caused by Short/Branched-Chain Acyl-CoA Dehydrogenase Deficiency: Identification of a New Enzyme Defect, Resolution of Its Molecular Basis, and Evidence for Distinct Acyl-CoA Dehydrogenases in Isoleucine And Valine Metabolism

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Acyl-CoA dehydrogenase (ACAD) defects in isoleucine and valine catabolism have been proposed in clinically diverse patients with an abnormal pattern of metabolites in their urine, but they have not been proved enzymatically or genetically, and it is unknown whether one or two ACADs are involved. We investigated a patient with isolated 2-methylbutyrylglycinuria, suggestive of a defect in isoleucine catabolism. Enzyme assay of the patient's fibroblasts, using 2-methylbutyryl-CoA as substrate, confirmed the defect. Sequence analysis of candidate ACADs revealed heterozygosity for the common short-chain ACAD A625 variant allele and no mutations in ACAD-8 but a 100-bp deletion in short/branched-chain ACAD (SBCAD) cDNA from the patient. Our identification of the SBCAD gene structure (11 exons; >20 kb) enabled analysis of genomic DNA. This showed that the deletion was caused by skipping of exon 10, because of homozygosity for a 1228G→A mutation in the patient. This mutation was not present in 118 control chromosomes. In vitro transcription/translation experiments and overexpression in COS cells confirmed the disease-causing nature of the mutant SBCAD protein and showed that ACAD-8 is an isobutyryl-CoA dehydrogenase and that both wild-type proteins are imported into mitochondria and form tetramers. In conclusion, we report the first mutation in the SBCAD gene, show that it results in an isolated defect in isoleucine catabolism, and indicate that ACAD-8 is a mitochondrial enzyme that functions in valine catabolism.

### Introduction

The individual role of the different acyl-CoA dehydrogenases (ACADs) in isoleucine and valine catabolism is at present unclear, and the underlying enzymatic defects causing accumulation of metabolites derived from isobutyryl-CoA and 2-methylbutyryl-CoA are poorly understood. In 1994, a cDNA encoding a human homologue of rat 2-methyl-branched-chain ACAD was cloned and characterized (Rozen et al. 1994). The enzyme was named "short/branched-chain ACAD" (SBCAD), because it differed from its rat homologue in that it exhibited highest activity with butyryl-CoA and 2-methylbutyryl-CoA and low or no activity (Rozen et al. 1994; Binzak et al. 1999) with isobutyryl-CoA, sug-

gesting a primary role in isoleucine catabolism and, perhaps, also in the catabolism of (short-chain) fatty acids, but not in valine catabolism. So far, none of the ACADs have been demonstrated to have significant enzyme activity with isobutyryl-CoA as substrate. However, the recently identified ACAD-8 (Telford et al. 1999), with unknown substrate specificity, exhibits the highest degree of sequence similarity to SBCAD and to short-chain ACAD (SCAD). Therefore, it is a candidate enzyme for branched-chain amino acid catabolism.

In the present study, we characterize the human SBCAD gene structure and describe the identification and characterization of the first mutation in the human SBCAD gene from a patient with 2-methylbutyrylglycinuria. Moreover, we investigate the mitochondrial import, processing, and enzyme activities of overexpressed human SBCAD and ACAD-8.

### Patient and Methods

#### Case History

This 3-year-old boy is the second of three children of a marriage between first cousins from Pakistan. Preg-

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# ACOT7 acyl-CoA thioesterase 7 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

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## Summary

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**Official Symbol** ACOT7 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** acyl-CoA thioesterase 7 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:24157](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000097021](#) [MIM:602587](#); [Vega:CTTHUM00000001295](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** ACT; ACH1; BACH; LACH; LACH1; hBACH; CTE-II

**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the acyl coenzyme family. The encoded protein hydrolyzes the CoA thioester of palmitoyl-CoA and other long-chain fatty acids. Decreased expression of this gene may be associated with mesial temporal lobe epilepsy. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding distinct isoforms with different subcellular locations have been characterized. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Broad expression in brain (RPKM 26.5), kidney (RPKM 21.3) and 22 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

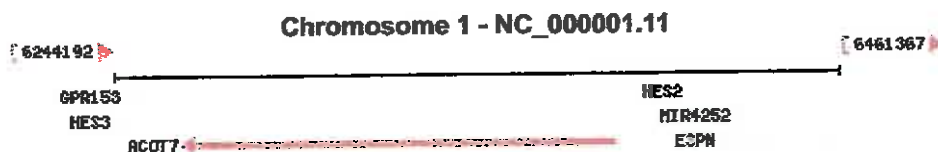
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Location: 1p36.31

Exon count: 12

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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	1	NC_000001.10 (6324332..6453826, complement)



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# ACOT11 acyl-CoA thioesterase 11 [Homo sapiens (human)] = *BFIT* =

Gene ID: 26027, updated on 11-Mar-2018

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## Summary

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**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** BFIT; THEA; THEM1; STAR D14

**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the acyl-CoA thioesterase family which catalyse the conversion of activated fatty acids to the corresponding non-esterified fatty acid and coenzyme A. Expression of a mouse homolog in brown adipose tissue is induced by low temperatures and repressed by warm temperatures. Higher levels of expression of the mouse homolog has been found in obesity-resistant mice compared with obesity-prone mice, suggesting a role of acyl-CoA thioesterase 11 in obesity. Alternative splicing results in transcript variants. [provided by RefSeq, Nov 2010]

**Expression** Biased expression in kidney (RPKM 35.3), small intestine (RPKM 20.0) and 9 other tissues

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**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

**Genomic context**

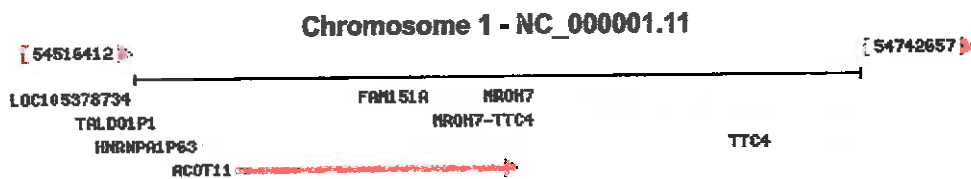
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**Exon count:** 18

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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	1	NC_000001.10 (55007930..55100417)



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## BFIT, a unique acyl-CoA thioesterase induced in thermogenic brown adipose tissue: cloning, organization of the human gene and assessment of a potential link to obesity

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We hypothesized that certain proteins encoded by temperature-responsive genes in brown adipose tissue (BAT) contribute to the remarkable metabolic shifts observed in this tissue, thus prompting a differential mRNA expression analysis to identify candidates involved in this process in mouse BAT. An mRNA species corresponding to a novel partial-length gene was found to be induced 2–3-fold above the control following cold exposure (4 °C), and repressed  $\approx 70\%$  by warm acclimation (33 °C, 3 weeks) compared with controls (22 °C). The gene displayed robust BAT expression (i.e.  $\approx 7$ –100-fold higher than other tissues in controls). The full-length murine gene encodes a 594 amino acid ( $\approx 67$  kDa) open reading frame with significant homology to the human hypothetical acyl-CoA thioesterase KIAA0707. Based on cold-inducibility of the gene and the presence of two acyl-CoA thioesterase domains, we termed the protein brown-fat-inducible thioesterase (BFIT). Subsequent

analyses and cloning efforts revealed the presence of a novel splice variant in humans (termed hBFIT2), encoding the orthologue to the murine BAT gene. BFIT was mapped to syntenic regions of chromosomes 1 (human) and 4 (mouse) associated with body fatness and diet-induced obesity, potentially linking a deficit of BFIT activity with exacerbation of these traits. Consistent with this notion, BFIT mRNA was significantly higher ( $\approx 1.6$ –2-fold) in the BAT of obesity-resistant compared with obesity-prone mice fed a high-fat diet, and was 2.5-fold higher in controls compared with *ob/ob* mice. Its strong, cold-inducible BAT expression in mice suggests that BFIT supports the transition of this tissue towards increased metabolic activity, probably through alteration of intracellular fatty acyl-CoA concentration.

Key words: fatty acids, hydrolase, metabolic rate.

### INTRODUCTION

Remarkable shifts in the energetic profile of brown adipose tissue (BAT) occur upon exposure of rodents to certain environmental challenges (reviewed in [1,2]). Notably, non-shivering thermogenesis and a concomitant increase in fuel uptake and combustion are triggered in BAT upon exposure to a cold environment, thus providing a source of metabolic heat in defence of body temperature. A major catalyst of these events is uncoupling protein 1 (UCP1), which increases mitochondrial membrane proton permeability and thus accelerates flux of fuel-derived reducing equivalents in the electron transport chain. Sympathetic outflow to BAT increases in the cold, eliciting rapid biochemical changes supporting thermogenesis (i.e. stimulation of lipolysis). Such rapid changes are augmented by genetic regulation critical for the full manifestation of non-shivering thermogenesis in BAT. For example, expression of BAT UCP1 is rapidly and dramatically up-regulated following cold exposure in rodents [3], and its loss in UCP1 knockouts renders mice cold-intolerant [4]. Cold-induced proliferation and differentiation of BAT are more chronic events which, by definition, require changes at the level of gene regulation. Generally similar patterns of rodent BAT thermogenic activation may also occur in response to palatable high-fat diets [5,6], probably as a means to combat excessive weight gain under these conditions.

A more complete understanding of the molecular pathways underlying metabolic regulation will ultimately lead to optimal

therapeutic regimens to treat obesity, diabetes and other disorders. Due to its metabolic malleability in response to thermoregulatory and nutritional cues, BAT is an attractive venue for studying the molecular basis of energy expenditure and fuel partitioning. BAT genes induced by cold exposure, but repressed in response to a warm environment, are likely to encode proteins involved in the transition of this tissue towards a more thermogenic state. Indeed, cold-induction of the recently described peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor- $\gamma$  (PPAR $\gamma$ ) co-activator-1 (PGC-1) fits this pattern, and this BAT-abundant transcription regulator probably plays a central role in sparking changes important to the regulation of metabolism in a variety of tissues [7,8].

The experiment described herein was based on the premise that metabolically relevant proteins will be discovered through analysis of genes expressed differentially in BAT derived from mice exposed to a variety of environmental temperatures. In particular, proteins encoded by genes upregulated at least 2-fold after cold exposure (4 °C, 48 h) were evaluated as potential candidates for their involvement in thermogenesis or intermediary metabolic regulation, based on their domain structures, homologies to known metabolic proteins and tissue-expression patterns. A gene encoding a BAT-abundant, novel murine acyl-CoA thioesterase termed brown-fat-inducible thioesterase (BFIT) was discovered, and found to be induced or repressed by cold and warm exposure, respectively. Murine BFIT (mBFIT) is homologous to a marginally characterized putative human

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Abbreviations used: BAT, brown adipose tissue; UCP1, uncoupling protein 1; BFIT, brown-fat-inducible thioesterase; mBFIT, murine BFIT; hBFIT, human BFIT; WAT, white adipose tissue; RT-PCR, reverse transcriptase PCR; QEA, Quantitative Expression Analysis; ORF, open reading frame; NEFA, non-esterified fatty acid.

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## Human Brown Fat Inducible Thioesterase Variant 2 (BFIT2) Cellular Localization and Catalytic Function#

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### Abstract

The mammalian brown fat inducible thioesterase variant 2 (BFIT2), also known as ACOT11, is a multi-modular protein containing two consecutive hotdog-fold domains and a C-terminal steroidogenic acute regulatory protein related lipid transfer (START) domain (StarD14). In this study, we demonstrate that the N-terminal region of human BFIT2 (hBFIT2) constitutes a mitochondrial location signal sequence, which undergoes mitochondria-dependent posttranslational cleavage. The mature hBFIT2 is shown to be located in the mitochondrial matrix whereas the paralog “cytoplasmic acetyl-CoA hydrolase” (CACH, also known as ACOT12) was found in the cytoplasm. *In-vitro* activity analysis of full-length hBFIT2 isolated from stably transfected HEK293 cells demonstrates selective thioesterase activity directed towards long chain fatty acyl-CoA thioesters, thus distinguishing BFIT2 catalytic function from that of CACH. The results from a protein-lipid overlay test indicate that the hBFIT2 StarD14 domain binds phosphatidylinositol 4-phosphate.

StarD14

### Keywords

thioesterase; mitochondria; START domain; hotdog-fold; thioester hydrolysis; lipid metabolism; ACOT11; ACOT12; BFIT; CACH; StarD14; StarD15; fatty acid

Body heat production triggered by low temperature or a high fat diet is known as adaptive thermogenesis (1-4). In brown fat adipose tissue (BAT),<sup>1</sup> thermogenesis is associated with the decoupling of energy metabolism and ATP synthesis *via* the action of the mitochondrial transmembrane protein UCP1 (5-9). UCP1 allows the protons that have been pumped into

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phosphatidyl inositol-4-phosphate must be first carried out to measure the binding curve and thereby determine the actual binding constant.

## Conclusions

The assignment of the biological functions of the human thioesterases presents a challenge that must be met in order to better understand the regulation of lipid metabolism and its role in lipid-related diseases. The majority of the human thioesterases belong to the hotdog-fold family. Our earlier focus on the structure-function relationships among bacterial hotdog-fold thioesterases has provided us with a platform for tackling the complexities associated with human thioesterase function assignment. Based on our own work, and the work of numerous other investigators, it has become clear that the hotdog-fold thioesterases are limited to CoA or *holo*-acyl carrier proteins (ACP) thioester substrates because of the topology of the substrate binding site that is set by the conserved fold. Briefly, this fold accommodates the nucleotide or ACP unit on the protein surface at the entrance of a long, narrow tunnel that ultimately leads to the catalytic site. The pantetheine arm threads through the tunnel wherein a combination of desolvation and electrostatic interactions provide a significant fraction of the substrate binding energy. Consequently, some thioesterases are able to hydrolyze both CoA and *holo*ACP thioesters. The pantetheine binding tunnel opens to the catalytic site, which can be enclosed for specific substrate targeting (55) or open to allow substrates with varying sized acyl or aroyl groups to bind (21, 30). In the present study, we showed that hBFIT2 catalyzes the *in-vitro* hydrolysis of fatty acyl-CoA thioesters with a preference for long chains (C14-C16) over shorter chains.

The demonstration of hBFIT2 fatty acyl-CoA thioesterase activity and its localization to the mitochondrial matrix is only the first step in assigning biological function. Notably, hBFIT2 is not the only thioesterase present in the matrix (56-57). The presence of the StarD14 domain in hBFIT suggests that the thioesterase activity is subject to a unique form of regulation, or alternatively that hBFIT performs a biochemical function that extends beyond that of a thioesterase.

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# Comparative Structural Analysis of Lipid Binding START Domains

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## Abstract

**Background:** Steroidogenic acute regulatory (StAR) protein related lipid transfer (START) domains are small globular modules that form a cavity where lipids and lipid hormones bind. These domains can transport ligands to facilitate lipid exchange between biological membranes, and they have been postulated to modulate the activity of other domains of the protein in response to ligand binding. More than a dozen human genes encode START domains, and several of them are implicated in a disease.

**Principal Findings:** We report crystal structures of the human STARD1, STARD5, STARD13 and STARD14 lipid transfer domains. These represent four of the six functional classes of START domains.

**Significance:** Sequence alignments based on these and previously reported crystal structures define the structural determinants of human START domains, both those related to structural framework and those involved in ligand specificity.

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## Introduction

The START domain is a ubiquitous conserved module for binding and transporting lipids [1]. Although the functions of most START domain containing proteins remain unknown, some regulate steroidogenesis and some are known to transfer lipids between membranes. There are approximately 40 proteins containing domains with START homology encoded in the human genome. The most well-characterized START domain containing proteins have been divided into 6 groups based on their phylogenetic relationships [2,3], but additional members can be assigned to most of these groups. Group 1 contains the name-giving family member, steroidogenic acute regulatory protein (StAR/STARD1), and STARD3. Both are cholesterol carriers, and mutations in STARD1 cause congenital lipid adrenal hyperplasia. Group 2 consist of proteins containing only a START domain; group 3 proteins are capable of binding different ligands, such as phosphatidyl choline (STARD2/PCTP) and ceramide (STARD11); group 4 proteins (DLC, or deleted in cancerous liver

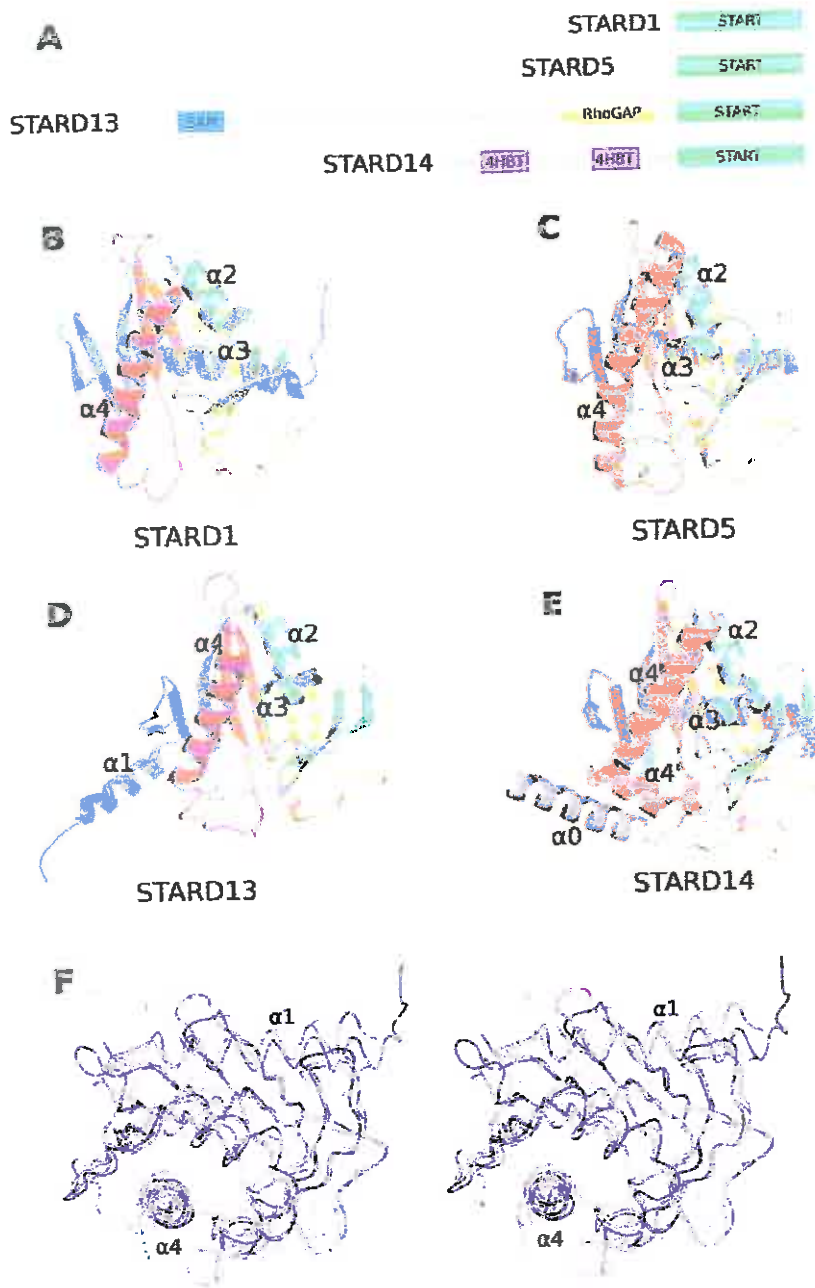
cells) are frequently de-regulated in cancer and contain Rho-GTPase activating domains; group 5 proteins contain two thioesterase domains; and group 6 consists of only STARD9, a 4614-residue protein with unknown function, that contains a kinesin motor domain at its N-terminus. Mitochondria contain at least the group 2 phosphatidylcholine transfer protein STARD7, and also the Coenzyme Q binding protein Coq10, which was recently identified to contain a divergent START domain [4].

Structural analyses of START domains from groups 1–3 have provided detailed insights into how these proteins sequester specific lipids [5–9] (summarized in Table 1). The ~210 residue globular START module is a curved  $\beta$ -sheet gripped by two  $\alpha$ -helices. The concave face of the  $\beta$ -sheet and the C-terminal  $\alpha$ -helix enclose a hydrophobic cavity that can accommodate lipid molecules. Here we present crystal structures of four human START domains, those of STARD1, STARD5, STARD13 and STARD14/ACOT11. These structures extend our knowledge onto group 4 and 5 START domains, and enable a family-wide comparison of their lipid binding cavities. This structural

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Crystal Structures of Human START Domains



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**Figure 2. Overview of the crystal structures reported in this study.** (A) Cartoon of the START domains studied here in context of the respective full-length proteins (drawn approximately to scale). (B–E) Side-by-side comparison of human STARD1, -5, -13, and -14 in a similar orientation. All START domain structures are colored from the N-terminus (blue) to the C-terminus (red) and the linker to the N-terminal thioesterase domain of STARD14 (panel E) is shown in grey. (F) Stereo view of a superposition of the backbone traces of the four crystal structures shown in panels B through E (blue, STARD1; red, STARD5; cyan, STARD13; yellow, STARD14). The view is that of panels B–E with an approximately 90° rotation downward toward the viewer. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0019521.g002

around this residue has been proposed to stabilize the C-terminal helix in a closed conformation [14]. Conservation of this structural feature across the domain family indicates that a lipid binding mechanism via local unfolding or a significant conformational change in the C-terminal helix could be a family wide phenomenon. Mutation in the adjacent, highly conserved residue

Asn148 has been observed in congenital lipid adrenal hyperplasia (lipoid CAH) [15], which add further evidence to the functional importance of this region (Fig. 4B).

Lipoid CAH is linked also to other mutations in the STARD1 encoding gene. Some of these mutations lead to premature stop codons, while others change the protein activities and lipid binding

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 gene associated with quality of life in ME

# Molecular basis for sterol transport by StART-like lipid transfer domains (Vega 2017)

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## Abstract

Lipid transport proteins at membrane contact sites, where two organelles are closely apposed, play key roles in trafficking lipids between cellular compartments while distinct membrane compositions for each organelle are maintained. Understanding the mechanisms underlying non-vesicular lipid trafficking requires characterization of the lipid transporters residing at contact sites. Here, we show that the mammalian proteins in the lipid transfer proteins anchored at a membrane contact site (LAM) family, called GRAMD1a-c, transfer sterols with similar efficiency as the yeast orthologues, which have known roles in sterol transport. Moreover, we have determined the structure of a lipid transfer domain of the yeast LAM protein Ysp2p, both in its apo-bound and sterol-bound forms, at 2.0 Å resolution. It folds into a truncated version of the steroidogenic acute regulatory protein-related lipid transfer (StART) domain, resembling a lidded cup in overall shape. Ergosterol binds within the cup, with its 3-hydroxy group interacting with protein indirectly via a water network at the cup bottom. This ligand binding mode likely is conserved for the other LAM proteins and for StART domains transferring sterols.

**Keywords** cholesterol; endoplasmic reticulum; lipid transport protein; membrane contact sites; StART domain

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## Introduction

Lipids, which are synthesized primarily in the endoplasmic reticulum (ER), become redistributed to other compartments asymmetrically. As a result, organelles differ in the composition of their lipid bilayers, imparting different biochemical and biophysical characteristics and helping to define organelle identity (Bigay & Antonny, 2012). Membrane contact sites, where two organelles are closely apposed, and the lipid transfer proteins enriched at such sites play critical roles in lipid redistribution (Lahiri *et al.*, 2015; Drin *et al.*, 2016; Kentala *et al.*, 2016; Reinisch & De Camilli, 2016; Saheki *et al.*,

2016). By definition, lipid transport proteins include lipid binding modules which function by solubilizing lipids during transit across the cytosol between two organelle membranes. Some transport proteins additionally serve as tethers, helping to maintain the architecture of contact sites. Identification and characterization of lipid transporters at membrane contact sites are an area of ongoing research critical in unraveling the mechanisms that underlie lipid homeostasis (Schauder *et al.*, 2014; Lahiri *et al.*, 2015; Drin *et al.*, 2016; Kentala *et al.*, 2016; Reinisch & De Camilli, 2016; Saheki *et al.*, 2016; Lees *et al.*, 2017).

The lipid transfer proteins anchored at a membrane contact site (LAM) or lipid transfer at contact site (Ltc) family of lipid transporters was discovered on the basis of distant sequence homology and structural alignment with proteins containing a steroidogenic acute regulatory protein-related lipid transfer (StART) domain (Gatta *et al.*, 2015; Murley *et al.*, 2015). A number of StART proteins transfer sterol, whereas others are involved in the transport of other lipids such as ceramide, phosphatidylcholine, or bile acids (Clark, 2012; Alpy & Tomasetto, 2014; Letourneau *et al.*, 2015). Proteins in the LAM/Ltc family all feature an unstructured N-terminus, followed by a pleckstrin homology-like domain known as a GRAM domain, one or two StART-like domains, a transmembrane segment anchored to the ER, and a short ER-luminal stretch (Gatta *et al.*, 2015; Murley *et al.*, 2015; Fig 1A). Although there are no known StART domain proteins in *S. cerevisiae*, there are six LAM/Ltc proteins with StART-like domains, which localize to contacts between the ER and the plasma membrane (PM; Ysp2p/Lam2p/Ltc4p, Lam4p/Ltc3p, Ysp1p/Lam1p, Sip3p/Lam3p; Gatta *et al.*, 2015) or either ER-mitochondrial or ER-vacuolar contacts (Lam5p/Ltc2p, Lam6p/Ltc1p) (Elbaz-Alon *et al.*, 2015; Murley *et al.*, 2015). Characterized yeast LAM/Ltc proteins all bind and/or transport sterol (Gatta *et al.*, 2015; Murley *et al.*, 2015) and have been implicated in coordinating sterol homeostasis with cellular stress responses (Murley *et al.*, 2017). We show here that the three mammalian LAM/Ltc proteins, called Gramd1a-c, all efficiently transport sterols *in vitro* and so are also likely to function in sterol transport, perhaps with similar roles in stress response as in fungi. How the LAM/Ltc proteins, or related proteins in the StART family, interact with sterol has so far been unknown.

To address how StART and StART-like proteins bind sterol, we determined the crystal structure of a StART-like domain of

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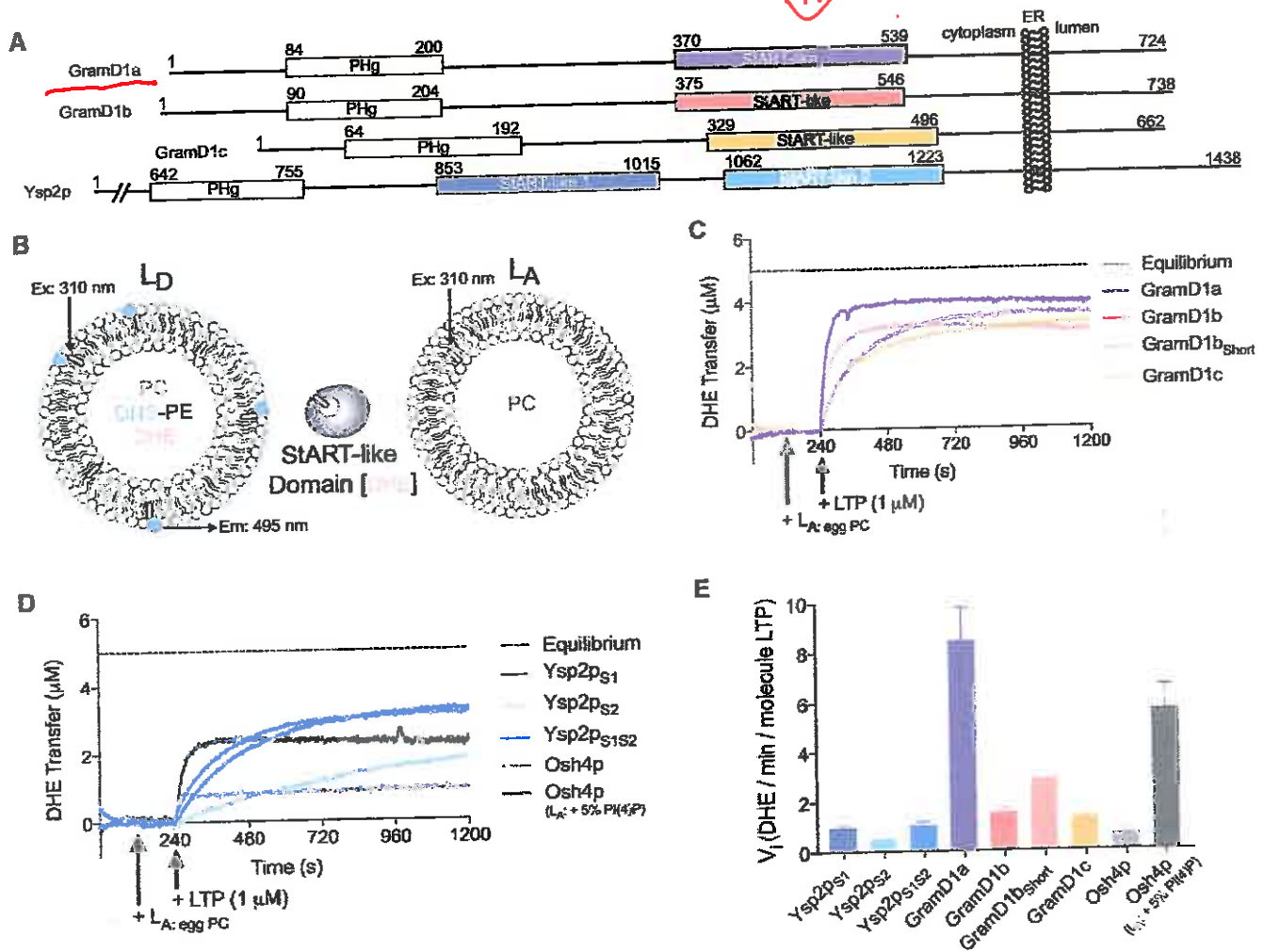


Figure 1. StART-like domains of Ysp2p and GramD1a-c transfer DHE between membranes.

- A** Domain architecture of Ysp2p and GramD1a-c.
- B** Schematic of the DHE transport assay. Donor liposomes  $L_D$  (92.5/5/2.5 mol% egg PC/DHE/DNS-PE, 200  $\mu$ M total lipid) were incubated with acceptor liposomes  $L_A$  (egg PC, 200  $\mu$ M total lipid). Transfer of DHE by lipid transfer proteins between  $L_D$  and  $L_A$  liposomes results in the loss of FRET between DHE and DNS-PE. For reference, the signal of a sample with DHE in equilibrium between  $L_D$  (92.5/5/2.5 mol% egg PC/DHE/DNS-PE, 200  $\mu$ M total lipid) and  $L_A$  (97.5/2.5 mol% egg PC/DHE, 200  $\mu$ M total lipid) was measured. After subtraction of the buffer reaction, the signal was normalized to the amount of DHE present in  $L_A$  based on the signal of the equilibrium sample.
- C** DHE transfer by 1  $\mu$ M of the StART-like domain of GramD1a (residues 363–565, purple), GramD1b (residues 372–572, red), GramD1b<sub>short</sub> (residues 372–550, salmon), and GramD1c (residues 323–521, orange). Mean of three independent experiments. For mean  $\pm$  SD, see Fig EV1A. The dashed black line represents DHE equilibrium between  $L_D$  and  $L_A$ .
- D** DHE transfer by 1  $\mu$ M of the first (residues 851–1,017, blue), second (residues 1,027–1,244, light blue), or a construct comprising both (residues 851–1,244, steel blue) StART-like domains of Ysp2p or Osh4p (light gray). Addition of 5 mol% PI(4)P to the acceptor liposomes increases Osh4p sterol transfer activity (Osh4p  $L_A$  5% PI(4)P, dark gray). Mean of three independent experiments. For mean  $\pm$  SD, see Fig EV1B. The dashed black line represents DHE equilibrium between  $L_D$  and  $L_A$ .
- E** Initial DHE transfer rates ( $V_i$ , mean  $\pm$  SD, n = 3).

25–40 $\times$  (~40 DHE/min/molecule LTP) over those initially measured for sterol transfer by Ysp2p<sub>S1</sub> and GramD1b with liposomes composed of egg PC (Fig 1E).

To assess whether the StART-like domains preferentially transport sterol, we examined their ability to transfer other lipids, namely phosphatidylethanolamine (PE) and PS. We monitored the transfer of radiolabeled PE (14C) (and cholesterol (3H) as a positive control) between “heavy” and “light” liposomes, containing 0.75 M or no

sucrose, respectively, by scintillation counting after separating the liposomes by centrifugation. We used another established FRET-based assay to follow PS transfer (Moser von Filseck *et al*, 2015a; Fig 3A). The transfer reaction was carried out in the presence of NBD-labeled PS sensor (NBD-C2<sub>Lact</sub>), with donor liposomes containing 5 mol% brain PS and 2 mol% 1,2-dioleoyl-*sn*-glycero-3-phosphoethanolamine-N-(lissamine rhodamine B sulfonyl) (Rhod-PE). The fluorescence of NBD-C2<sub>Lact</sub> is quenched by Rhod-PE in the

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# ACSF3 acyl-CoA synthetase family member 3 [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 197322, updated on 3-Apr-2018

*hypermethyleret (beta-diff: 0,0755), Body  
p = 3,45E-05, FDR=0,008164, Vega 2017, label S1*

## Summary

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**Official Symbol** ACSF3 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** acyl-CoA synthetase family member 3 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:27288](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000176715](#) [MIM:614245](#); [Vega:CTTHUMG00000138044](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the acyl-CoA synthetase family of enzymes that activate fatty acids by catalyzing the formation of a thioester linkage between fatty acids and coenzyme A. The encoded protein is localized to mitochondria, has high specificity for malonate and methylmalonate and possesses malonyl-CoA synthetase activity. Mutations in this gene are a cause of combined malonic and methylmalonic aciduria. Alternatively spliced transcript variants have been observed for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Sep 2013]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in duodenum (RPKM 1.5), lymph node (RPKM 1.5) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) all *Domene: MCS og Calc (involveret i lipid transport)*

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*Også kaldet malonyl-CoA synthetase (MCS)*

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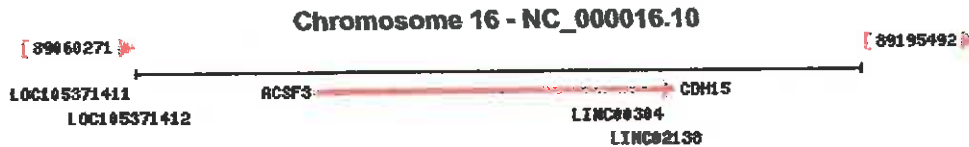
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## Exome sequencing identifies ACSF3 as the cause of Combined Malonic and Methylmalonic Aciduria

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**The identification of (E)-2-methylglutaconic acid, a new isoleucine metabolite, in the urine of patients with beta-ketothiolase deficiency, propionic acidaemia and methylmalonic acidaemia.**

Duran M, Bruinvis L, Ketting D, Kamerling JP, Wadman SK, Schutgens RB.

**Abstract**

The identification of (E)-2-methylglutaconic acid, a 'new' metabolite of isoleucine, is described. The substance was detected in urine samples from patients with propionic acidaemia, methylmalonic acidaemia and so-called beta-ketothiolase deficiency; in the majority of cases together with N-tiglylglycine. (E)-2-Methylglutaconic acid is thought to be the end product of the 3-methylcrotonyl-CoA carboxylase-catalysed carboxylation of tiglyl-CoA. Prerequisites for the quantitative gas chromatographic analysis of the unstable 2- (and 3-) methyl-glutaconic acid ditrimethylsilyl ester are given.

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## The Mammalian Malonyl-CoA Synthetase ACSF3 Is Required for Mitochondrial Protein Malonylation and Metabolic Efficiency.

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#### Abstract

Malonyl-coenzyme A (malonyl-CoA) is a central metabolite in mammalian fatty acid biochemistry generated and utilized in the cytoplasm; however, little is known about noncanonical organelle-specific malonyl-CoA metabolism. Intramitochondrial malonyl-CoA is generated by a malonyl-CoA synthetase, ACSF3, which produces malonyl-CoA from malonate, an endogenous competitive inhibitor of succinate dehydrogenase. To determine the metabolic requirement for mitochondrial malonyl-CoA, ACSF3 knockout (KO) cells were generated by CRISPR/Cas-mediated genome editing. ACSF3 KO cells exhibited elevated malonate and impaired mitochondrial metabolism. Unbiased and targeted metabolomics analysis of KO and control cells in the presence or absence of exogenous malonate revealed metabolic changes dependent on either malonate or malonyl-CoA. While ACSF3 was required for the metabolism and therefore detoxification of malonate, ACSF3-derived malonyl-CoA was specifically required for lysine malonylation of mitochondrial proteins. Together, these data describe an essential role for ACSF3 in dictating the metabolic fate of mitochondrial malonate and malonyl-CoA in mammalian metabolism.

**KEYWORDS:** ACSF3; CRISPR/Cas; SIRT5; acetyl-CoA; malonate; malonyl-CoA synthetase; malonylation; metabolomics; mitochondrial metabolism; succinylation

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# Epigenome-wide association study of rheumatoid arthritis identifies differentially methylated loci in B cells.

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### Abstract

Epigenetic regulation of immune cell types could be critical for the development and maintenance of autoimmune diseases like rheumatoid arthritis (RA). B cells are highly relevant in RA, since patients express autoantibodies and depleting this cell type is a successful therapeutic approach. Epigenetic variation, such as DNA methylation, may mediate the pathogenic activity of B cells. In this study, we performed an epigenome-wide association study (EWAS) for RA with three different replication cohorts, to identify disease-specific alterations in DNA methylation in B cells. CpG methylation in isolated B lymphocytes was assayed on the Illumina HumanMethylation450 BeadChip in a discovery cohort of RA patients (N = 50) and controls (N = 75). Differential methylation was observed in 64 CpG sites ( $q < 0.05$ ). Six biological pathways were also differentially methylated in RA B cells. Analysis in an independent cohort of patients (N = 15) and controls (N = 15) validated the association of 10 CpG sites located on 8 genes CD1C, TNFSF10, PARVG, NID1, DHRS12, ITPK1, ACSF3 and TNFRSF13C, and 2 intergenic regions. Differential methylation at the CBL signaling pathway was replicated. Using an additional case-control cohort (N = 24), the association between RA risk and CpGs cg18972751 at CD1C ( $P = 2.26 \times 10^{-9}$ ) and cg03055671 at TNFSF10 ( $P = 1.67 \times 10^{-8}$ ) genes was further validated. Differential methylation at genes CD1C, TNFSF10, PARVG, NID1, DHRS12, ITPK1, ACSF3, TNFRSF13C and intergenic region chr10p12.31 was replicated in a cohort of systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE) patients (N = 47) and controls (N = 56). Our results highlight genes that may drive the pathogenic activity of B cells in RA and suggest shared methylation patterns with SLE.

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## The *CBFA2T3/ACSF3* Locus Is Recurrently Involved in *IGH* Chromosomal Translocation $t(14;16)(q32;q24)$ in Pediatric B-Cell Lymphoma with Germinal Center Phenotype

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Translocations involving immunoglobulin (*IG*) loci are the hallmarks of several subtypes of B-cell lymphoma. Common to these translocations is that cellular proto-oncogenes come under the influence of *IG* regulatory elements leading to deregulated expression. In case of a breakpoint in the *IGH* switch region, oncogene activation can take place on both derivative chromosomes, which means that in principle one translocation can result in concurrent activation of two genes. By fluorescence in situ hybridization (FISH), we identified a case of leukemic B-cell lymphoma in a child with an *IGH* break and unknown partner. Subsequent long-distance inverse PCR revealed fusion of *IGH* S $\mu$  in 14q32 and the 5' region of *CBFA2T3* in 16q24.3, suggesting presence of the  $t(14;16)(q32;q24.3)$ . Candidate oncogenes targeted through this translocation are *CBFA2T3* and *ACSF3*, which could be activated on der(16) and der(14), respectively. FISH screening of a population-based cohort of B-cell lymphomas from a prospective trial for the treatment of lymphoma in childhood (BFM-NHL) identified additionally a follicular lymphoma Grade 3/diffuse large B-cell lymphoma with *IGH-CBFA2T3/ACSF3* juxtaposition. Both lymphomas shared expression of CD10 and CD20 in the absence of TdT, suggesting a germinal center (GC) B-cell origin. Our data indicate that the *CBFA2T3/ACSF3* locus is a novel recurrent oncogenic target of *IGH* translocations, which might contribute to the pathogenesis of pediatric GC-derived B-cell lymphoma. © 2011 Wiley Periodicals, Inc.

### INTRODUCTION

Chromosomal translocation to the immunoglobulin heavy (*IGH*) or light (*IGL* or *IGK*) chain loci is a well-known mechanism of oncogene activation in B-cell neoplasms. Such *IG* translocations are the hallmarks of several subtypes of B-cell lymphoma such as the  $t(8;14)(q24;q32)$  in Burkitt lymphoma (BL) or  $t(11;14)(q13;q32)$  in mantle cell lymphoma (Willis and Dyer, 2000; Siebert et al., 2001). Thus, detection of *IG* translocations, which are assumed to be primary transforming events in many B-cell malignancies, aids to the classification of B-cell lymphomas. The oncogene activation in *IGH* translocations due to erroneous *VDJ* recombination usually takes place on the der(14), whereas in case of switch-associated translocations—such as in  $t(4;14)$  in multiple myeloma—oncogene activation can take place on both derivative chromosomes due to translocation of one of the enhancers to the derivative partner chromosome (Chesi et al., 1998; Willis and Dyer, 2000).

The two most common lymphoma subtypes in Western countries are diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL) and follicular lymphoma (FL), which account for up to 36 and 32% of all lymphomas, respectively (Anderson et al., 1998). Both subtypes are thought to originate from germinal center (GC)-derived B-cells. Roughly, 85% of FL carry the chromosomal translocation  $t(14;18)(q32;q21)$  as primary oncogenic event.

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# ACSL1 acyl-CoA synthetase long chain family member 1 [Homo sapiens (human)]

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**Also known as** ACS1; LACS; FACL1; FACL2; LACS1; LACS2

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene is an isozyme of the long-chain fatty-acid-coenzyme A ligase family. Although differing in substrate specificity, subcellular localization, and tissue distribution, all isozymes of this family convert free long-chain fatty acids into fatty acyl-CoA esters, and thereby play a key role in lipid biosynthesis and fatty acid degradation. Several transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Nov 2013]

**Expression** Biased expression in fat (RPKM 357.3), liver (RPKM 217.4) and 10 other tissues [See more](#)

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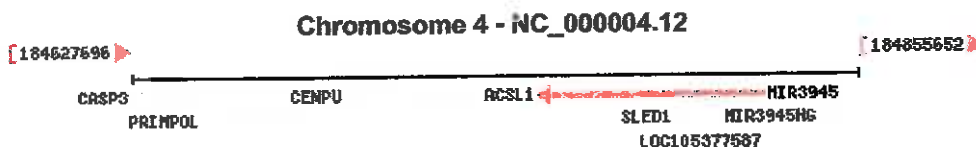
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 Hydroxylysine and Phosphoethanolamine Metabolism

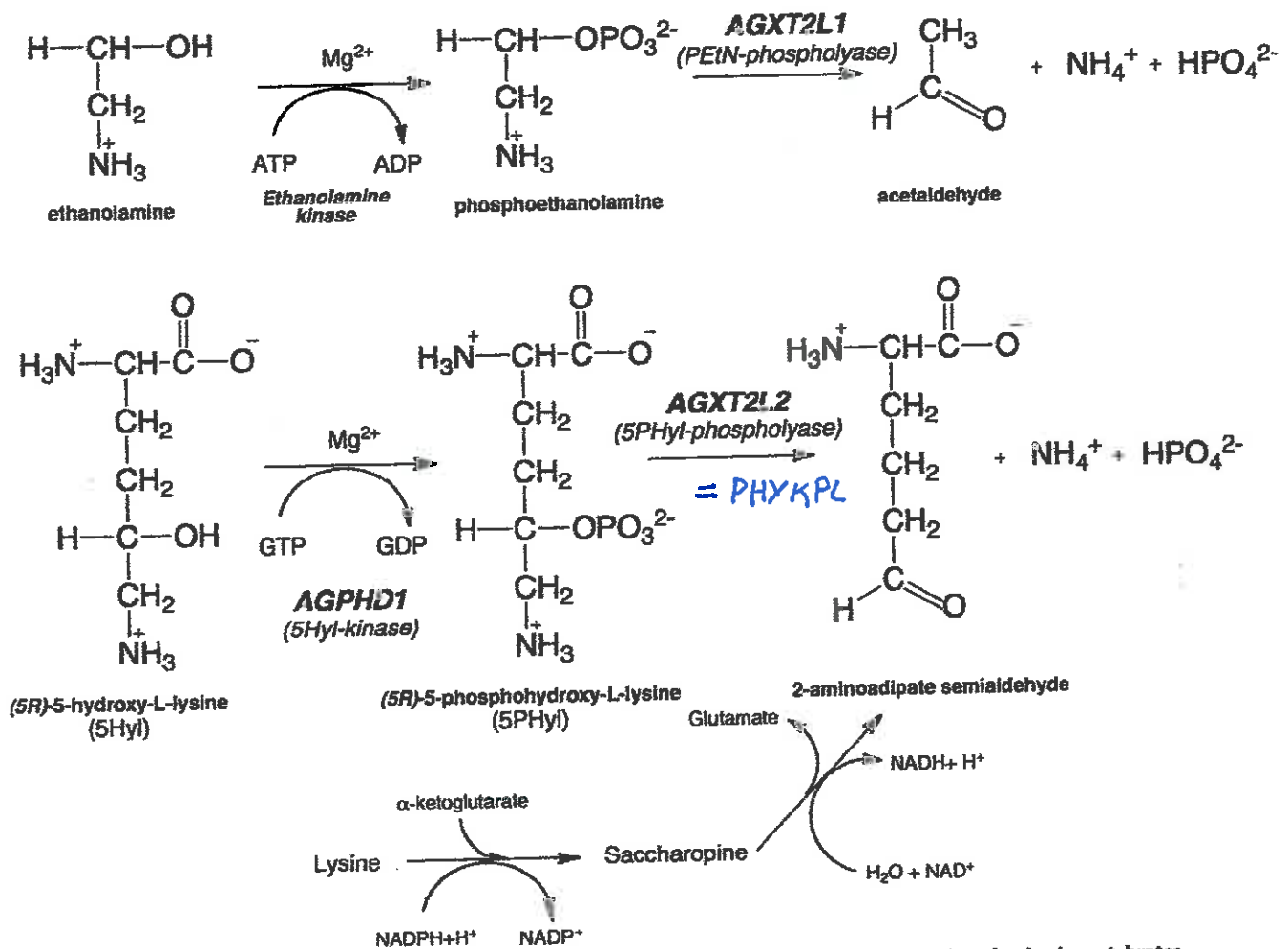


FIGURE 5. Contribution of AGPHD1, AGXT2L2, and AGXT2L1 to the metabolism of 5PHyl and ethanolamine in vertebrates.

(40). This enzyme is bound to the cell membrane and cleaves extracellular substrates such as PLP, inorganic pyrophosphate, and PEtN. Thus, AGXT2L1 deficiency is likely to lead to ethanolaminuria rather than phosphoethanolaminuria. Ethanolaminuria is likely to be caused also by ethanolamine kinase deficiency. There are few reports of ethanolaminuria (41–44), and its significance is not known. The variability in the associated symptoms (often including neurological symptoms) and in the amount of ethanolamine excreted in urine suggests that different genetic defects may be involved.

In addition to this, several studies suggest that AGXT2L1 may be involved in psychiatric disorders. AGXT2L1 was reported to be among the most up-regulated brain-specific genes in bipolar disorder and schizophrenia (45). AGXT2L1 was down-regulated in suicide completers (46) and in 72% of major depressive disorder: suicide cases compared with age-matched controls (47). A genome-wide association analysis indicated the association of schizophrenia with SNPs in the region of the COL25A1 gene, near the AGXT2L1 gene, on chromosome 4q25 (48). AGXT2L1 was the most up-regulated gene in a genome-wide expression study following 2 weeks of lithium administration to mice (49). With the identification of AGXT2L1 as the PEtN catabolic enzyme (and not as a transam-

inase participating in glutamate catabolism [50]), these findings suggest that the pathophysiology of schizophrenia and bipolar disorder may involve a perturbation in PEtN metabolism. Although it is difficult to formulate a coherent hypothesis at this stage, this conclusion is consistent with the finding that the PEtN and glycerophosphorylethanolamine levels, as determined by <sup>31</sup>P magnetic resonance spectroscopy, are increased in the brain of chronic, medicated schizophrenic compared with matched controls (39).

**Function of Bacterial Homologues of Vertebrate AGPHD1 and AGXT2L1/2**—The role of the bacterial homologues of AGXT2L1/2 and AGPHD1 is unclear at this stage. *E. carotovora* (*P. atrosepticum* in Fig. 2) has two different loci comprising each an AGXT2L1/2 homologue and an AGPHD1 homologue. It is likely that one or both of these pairs of enzymes are involved in the conversion of ethanolamine to acetaldehyde that has been reported previously (12). However, the fact that ethanolamine metabolism did not proceed further than its conversion to acetaldehyde because of the lack of acetaldehyde dehydrogenase suggests that the physiological function of these enzymes in this bacterium must be in the metabolism of a compound different from ethanolamine. The absence of an amino-adipate semialdehyde dehydrogenase orthologue from the *E.*



# AMACR alpha-methylacyl-CoA racemase [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 23600, updated on 4-Mar-2018

*Thypervega2017* ↓ hypo i CD4+ T-celler P=0,015920 (Brenu 2014)  
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### Official Symbol

AMACR provided by [HGNC](#)

### Official Full Name

alpha-methylacyl-CoA racemase provided by [HGNC](#)

### Primary source

[HGNC:HGNC:451](#)

### See related

[Ensembl:ENSG00000242110](#); [MIM:604408](#); [Vega:CTTHUM00000009734](#)

### Gene type

protein coding

### RefSeq status

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### Organism

[Homo sapiens](#)

### Lineage

Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

### Also known as

RM; RACE; CBAS4; P504S; AMACRD

### Summary

This gene encodes a racemase. The encoded enzyme interconverts pristanoyl-CoA and C27-bile acylCoAs between their (R)- and (S)-stereoisomers. The conversion to the (S)-stereoisomers is necessary for degradation of these substrates by peroxisomal beta-oxidation. Encoded proteins from this locus localize to both mitochondria and peroxisomes. Mutations in this gene may be associated with adult-onset sensorimotor neuropathy, pigmentary retinopathy, and adrenomyeloneuropathy due to defects in bile acid synthesis. Alternatively spliced transcript variants have been described. Read-through transcription also exists between this gene and the upstream neighboring C1QTNF3 (C1q and tumor necrosis factor related protein 3) gene. [provided by RefSeq, Mar 2011]

### Expression

Broad expression in kidney (RPKM 38.3), liver (RPKM 31.1) and 22 other tissues [See more](#)

### Orthologs

[mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context

*Proces: beta-oxidation of pristanoyl-CoA  
Bile acid metabolism*

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Location: 5p13.2

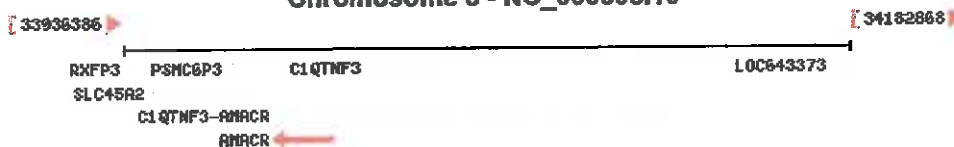
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### Dietary Influences on Tissue Concentrations of Phytanic Acid and AMACR Expression in the Benign Human Prostate

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#### Abstract

**BACKGROUND**—Alpha-methylacyl-CoA racemase (AMACR) is an enzyme involved in fatty acid metabolism that is markedly over-expressed in virtually all prostate cancers (PCa), relative to benign tissue. One of AMACR's primary substrates, phytanic acid, is derived predominately from red meat and dairy product consumption. Epidemiological evidence suggests links between dairy/red meat intake, as well as phytanic acid levels, and elevated PCa risk. This study investigates the relationships among dietary intake, serum and tissue concentrations of phytanic acid, and AMACR expression (mRNA and protein) in the histologically benign human prostate.

**METHODS**—Men undergoing radical prostatectomy for the treatment of localized disease provided a food frequency questionnaire (n = 68), fasting blood (n = 35), benign fresh frozen prostate tissue (n = 26), and formalin-fixed paraffin-embedded (FFPE) sections (n = 67). Serum and tissue phytanic acid concentrations were obtained by gas chromatography–mass spectrometry. We extracted RNA from epithelial cells using laser capture microdissection and quantified mRNA expression of AMACR and other genes involved in the peroxisomal phytanic acid metabolism pathway via qRT-PCR. Immunohistochemistry for AMACR was performed on FFPE sections and subsequently quantified via digital image analysis. Associations between diet, serum, and tissue phytanic acid levels, as well as AMACR and other gene expression levels were assessed by partial Spearman correlation coefficients.

**RESULTS**—High-fat dairy intake was the strongest predictor of circulating phytanic acid concentrations ( $r = 0.35$ ,  $P = 0.04$ ). Tissue phytanic acid concentrations were not associated with any dietary sources and were only weakly correlated with serum levels ( $r = 0.29$ ,  $P = 0.15$ ). AMACR gene expression was not associated with serum phytanic acid ( $r = 0.13$ ,  $P = 0.47$ ), prostatic phytanic acid concentrations ( $r = 0.03$ ,  $P = 0.88$ ), or AMACR protein expression ( $r = -0.16$ ,  $P = 0.20$ ).

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The present study, which to our knowledge is the first to measure phytanic acid concentrations in prostate tissue, benefited from LCM to collect a homogeneous histologically normal epithelial cell population for gene expression analysis. Additionally, quantitative image analysis is an accurate and reproducible way to evaluate IHC in these RP specimens. However, certain limitations of this study are acknowledged, including a relatively small sample size that limits power and the ability to control for potential confounders. Additionally, the FFQs utilized did not allow us to discriminate between fatty and non-fatty fish while only the former is a source of phytanic acid [14]. Of further concern is the high CV (18%) for tissue phytanic acid concentration, which suggests poor reproducibility. However, this could be attributed to the heterogeneity of the prostate tissue, because repeat samples were not taken from precisely the same tissue location and hence were not strictly identical.

Although the reason for AMACR overexpression in prostate cancer, and its potential link to the etiology of this disease, remains unresolved, we believe there are promising avenues for future research. It is conceivable that AMACR participates in a broad program altering fatty acid metabolism in prostate cancer, a program designed to meet increased demands for energy production and biosynthesis. Most cancer cells rely on glycolysis as a primary source of energy for proliferation and growth, however, prostate cancer utilizes fatty acid oxidation as its predominant source of bioenergy [35]. Due to AMACR upregulation, branched chain fatty acids such as phytanic acid—and possibly other yet unidentified dietary substrates as well—are oxidized to acetyl-CoA, which then can be used either to produce ATP via the Krebs cycle, or as building blocks for lipid synthesis [36]. Indeed, our data showed that RNA expression in benign tissue for AMACR and fatty acid synthase (FASN) were moderately to strongly correlated ( $r = 0.59$ ,  $P < 0.01$ ), suggesting that they are coordinately regulated in high-risk tissue. AMACR is known to be pleotropic with respect to its substrates; for example, it also plays an important role in the metabolism of bile acids and nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs, such as ibuprofen [37]. Enhanced peroxisomal  $\beta$ -oxidation, as reflected by AMACR upregulation, might confer a growth advantage on prostate cancer cells, not only from catabolism of branched chain fatty acid substrates, but also from its involvement in initial oxidation of very long chain fatty acids and fatty acid derivatives that cannot be metabolized in mitochondria [38]. Therefore, manipulation of AMACR expression in cultured benign and malignant prostate cells could reveal important new substrates that are linked to cell growth and also clarify AMACR's role in metabolic adaptation during carcinogenesis.

## CONCLUSION

In conclusion, we found that there is no simple chain of association linking dairy intake to phytanic acid concentrations in the prostate and to AMACR expression in benign tissue, despite evidence that dairy intake and serum levels are linked and in vitro data indicating upregulation of AMACR expression when phytanic acid is added to cultured PCa cells [15]. These results do not support a direct relationship between local prostatic phytanic acid concentration and AMACR expression. Studies that examine temporality and distribution of phytanic acid concentration in the prostate are warranted, as are studies examining the effects of manipulating AMACR expression in both benign and malignant cultured cells.

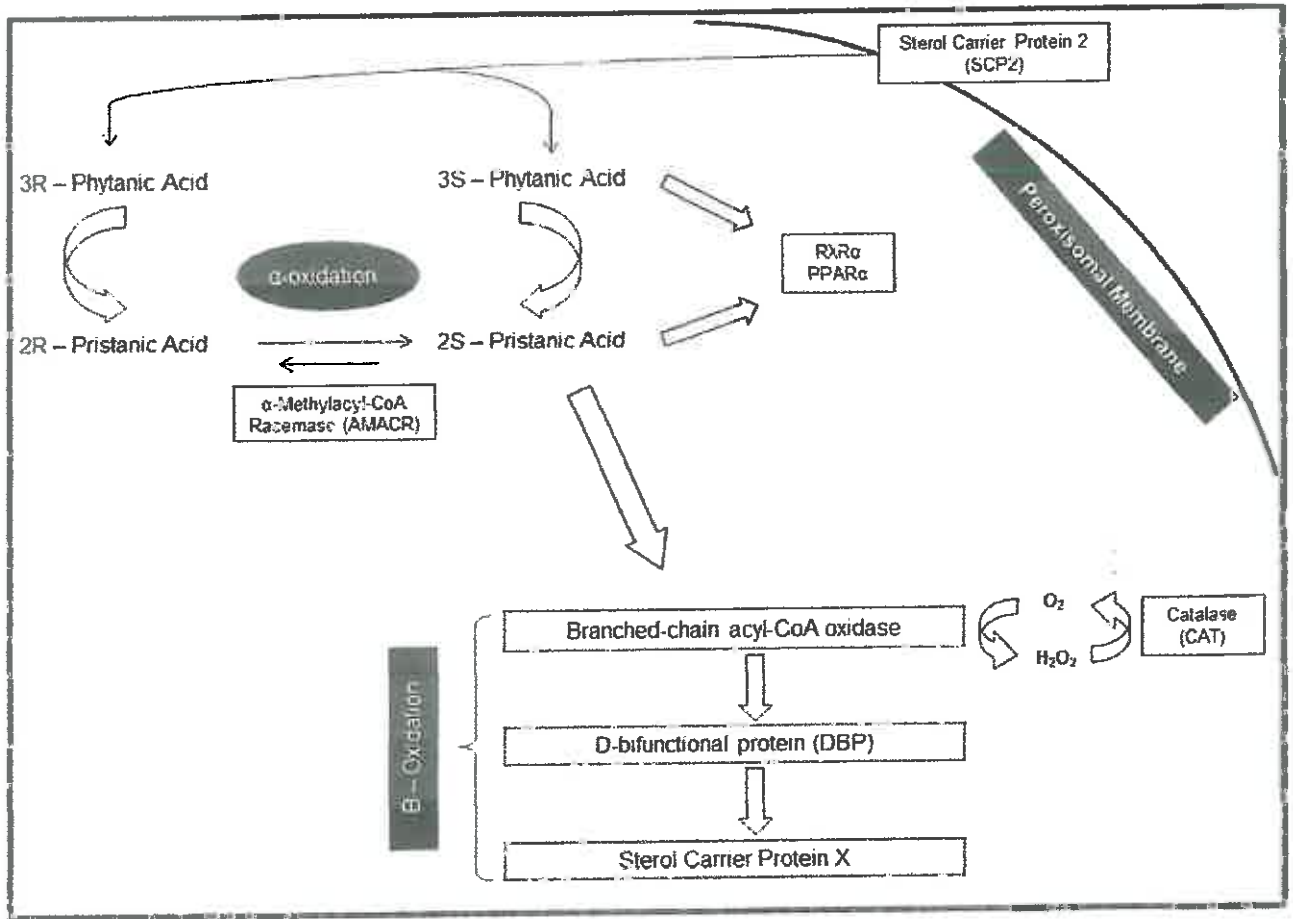


Fig. 1. Role of AMACR in the metabolism of phytanic acid.

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# Humoral Immunity Profiling of Subjects with Myalgic Encephalomyelitis Using a Random Peptide Microarray Differentiates Cases from Controls with High Specificity and Sensitivity

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**Abstract** Myalgic encephalomyelitis (ME) is a complex, heterogeneous illness of unknown etiology. The search for biomarkers that can delineate cases from controls is one of the most active areas of ME research; however, little progress has been made in achieving this goal. In contrast to identifying biomarkers that are directly involved in the pathological process, an immunosignature identifies antibodies raised to proteins expressed during, and potentially involved in, the pathological process. Although these proteins might be unknown, it is possible to detect antibodies that react to these proteins using random peptide arrays. In the present study, we probe a custom 125,000 random 12-mer peptide microarray with sera from 21 ME cases and 21 controls from the USA and Europe and used these data to develop a diagnostic signature. We further used these peptide sequences to potentially uncover the naturally occurring candidate antigens to which these antibodies may specifically react with *in vivo*. Our analysis

revealed a subset of 25 peptides that distinguished cases and controls with high specificity and sensitivity. Additionally, Basic Local Alignment Search Tool (BLAST) searches suggest that these peptides primarily represent human self-antigens and endogenous retroviral sequences and, to a minor extent, viral and bacterial pathogens.

**Keywords** Antibody · Chronic fatigue syndrome · Immunosignature · Myalgic encephalomyelitis · Peptide array

## Introduction

Myalgic encephalomyelitis (ME), also commonly referred to as chronic fatigue syndrome or ME/CFS, is a heterogeneous illness characterized by a number of physical symptoms and comorbid conditions including neurocognitive dysfunction,

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**Table 2** Number of peptides homologous to a respective human protein sequences

Peptides	Accession	Symbol	Description	Length	Adj.
4	Q8NAP1	GATS	Stromal antigen 3 opposite strand	163	40.8
13	NP_033173	SEC23A	Sec23 homolog A	765	58.8
10	AKI70819	ETFDH	Electron transfer flavoprotein Dehydrogenase	617	61.7
9	NP_073150	EBF2	Early B-cell factor 2	575	63.9
5	AAH27322	SLC25A40	Solute carrier family 25 Member 40	338	67.6
5	EAX02872	ARMCX4	Armadillo repeat containing, X-linked 4	360	72
4	EAW58763	CD274	CD274 molecule	290	72.5
7	NP_056530	PLA2G3	Phospholipase A2 group III	509	72.7
7	Q6PJ69	TRIM65	Tripartite motif containing 65	517	73.9
4	NP_001103408	C6orf136	Chromosome 6 open reading frame 136	315	78.75
4	CAG46638	HMOX2	Heme oxygenase 2	316	79
7	NP_004877	APBA3	Amyloid beta precursor Protein binding family A member 3	575	82.1
9	P19835	CEL	Carboxyl ester lipase	753	83.7
7	NP_001171517	MX1	MX dynamin-like GTPase 1	662	94.6
4	ABQ59031	AMACR	Alpha-methylacyl-CoA racemase	382	95.5
4	NP_003140	STAC	SH3 and cysteine-rich domain	402	100.5
6	NP_001307526	DDX5	DEAD-box helicase 5	614	102.3
4	NP_060708	AGK	Acylglycerol kinase	422	105.5
5	NP_001086	ASIC1	Acid sensing ion Channel subunit 1	528	105.6
7	NP_758441	CTAGE1	Cutaneous T-cell Lymphoma-associated antigen 1	745	106.4
5	CAG33352	CCT2	Chaperonin containing TCP1 subunit 2	535	107
4	CAG33687	LGMN	Legumain	433	108.3
10	NP_006217	PLCL1	Phospholipase C-like 1	1095	109.5
5	NP_000449	HNF1B	HNF1 homeobox B	557	111.4
4	NP_068712	GABRB3	Gamma-aminobutyric acid type A receptor Beta3 subunit	473	118.25
6	P20592	MX2	MX dynamin-like GTPase 2	715	119.7
7	NP_060868	CACNA2D3	Calcium voltage-gated channel auxiliary subunit alpha2delta 3	1091	121.2
5	P30825	SLC7A1	Solute carrier family 7 member 1	629	125.8
4	NP_004557	PFKFB3	6-Phosphofructo-2-kinase/fructose-2,6-biphosphatase 3	520	130
4	XP_011509718	ACOXL	Acyl-CoA oxidase-like	547	136.8

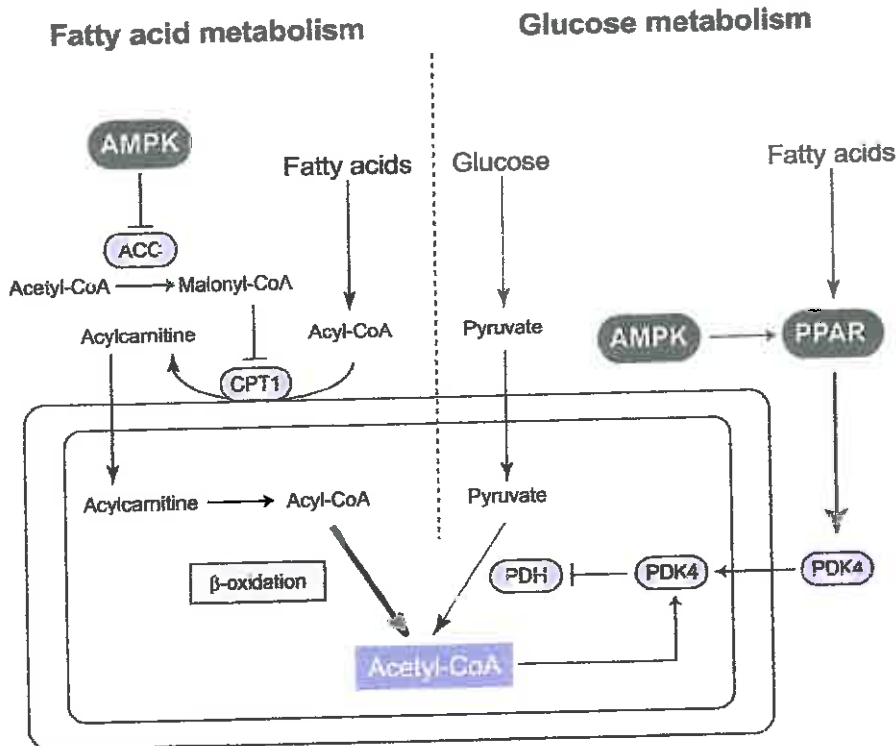
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Numerous other human pathogens were identified that contained homologous sequences to our random peptides but were excluded because of our adjusting metric (data not shown).

**Table 3** Number of peptides homologous to respective human endogenous retroviral sequences

Peptides	Accession	Symbol	Description	Length	Adj.
7	NP_001138567	HHLA1	HERV-H LTR-associating protein 1 precursor	531	75.8
3	P61566	ERVK-24	Endogenous retrovirus group K member 24	588	196
3	AAAY87455	ERVK-6	Env type 1, partial	603	201
4	AAM81188	HRV-5	Pol protein, partial	863	215.7
3	P61570	ERVK-25	Endogenous retrovirus group K member 25	661	220.3
3	P61565	ERVK-21	Endogenous retrovirus group K member 21	698	232.6
2	P60507	ERVFC1	Endogenous retrovirus group FC1 env polyprotein	584	292
2	Q14264	ERV3-1	Endogenous retrovirus Group 3 member 1	604	302
2	ABB52637	ERV PABL-1	Endogenous retrovirus group PABL member 1	665	332.5

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**Figure 6.** A scheme depicting major metabolic effects of AMPK activation and fatty acids. AMPK activation relieves repression of CPT1 by malonyl-CoA by phosphorylation and inactivation of ACC. At the same time, fatty acids and AMPK decrease glucose oxidation by a synergistic effect on the expression levels of PDK4.

effects of AICAR. AICAR is able to inhibit glucose phosphorylation and oxidative phosphorylation in hepatocytes [27, 28]. Our data, however, strongly suggest that fatty acids synergize with AMPK to decrease glucose oxidation.

## Discussion

AMPK activation has a wide impact on cellular metabolism. One of the best-characterized effects is the decrease in the activity of cellular biosynthetic pathways. Principal targets for phosphorylation by AMPK are 3-hydroxy-3-methylglutaryl-CoA reductase and ACC, which leads to a decrease in the biosynthesis of sterols and fatty acids, respectively. More importantly, the decreased activity of ACC also leads to a decrease in cellular malonyl-CoA levels. Malonyl-CoA is an inhibitor of CPT1, the first enzyme in the carnitine shuttle that is necessary for the import of acyl-CoAs into mitochondria (Fig. 6). CPT1 catalyzes the rate-limiting step in the FAO pathway [29]. Therefore, the lower malonyl-CoA levels resulting from activated AMPK signaling promote increased FAO aimed to restore cellular energy status.

PPARs are other important mediators in tissue fuel selection. PPARs include PPAR $\alpha$  (NR1C1), PPAR $\beta/\delta$  (NR1C2) and PPAR $\gamma$  (NR1C3) and belong to the nuclear receptor family of transcription factors.

PPARs function as ligand-activated transcription factors, which are activated by (dietary) fatty acids such as oleate. PPAR $\alpha$  controls the expression of many enzymes of the FAO pathway and mediates the response to fasting [30, 31]. Many studies have shown that PDK4 is also a PPAR target gene. For example, PDK4 expression is upregulated by natural (fatty acids [9, 32]) and synthetic PPAR ligands (PPAR $\alpha$ , Wy-14643 [9] and PPAR $\beta/\delta$ , GW501516 [33]). Importantly, the Wy-14643- and fasting-induced increase in PDK4 expression was absent in PPAR $\alpha$ <sup>-/-</sup> mice [34] and the GW501516-mediated increase was absent in PPAR $\beta$ <sup>-/-</sup> primary muscle cells [35]. More recently, a potential PPARE in the PDK4 promoter was characterized [36]. PDK4 is able to phosphorylate and inactivate PDH and therefore decrease glucose oxidation, which allows increased FAO. We now provide evidence that PDK4 expression is synergistically induced by AMPK and fatty acids (Fig. 6). AMPK activation by hypoxia or AICAR has no effect on PDK4 expression by itself, but increases the ligand-dependent activation of PDK4 by fatty acids (oleate but also octanoate, Fig. 1E).

We used a PPAR luciferase reporter assay to provide further evidence for a role for PPAR and AMPK. In this system, AICAR increased the ligand-dependent activation by the natural PPAR ligand oleate and by the synthetic PPAR agonists bezafibrate and Wy-14643. GW501516, a synthetic PPAR $\beta$  agonist did not

# ATP5A1 ATP synthase, H<sup>+</sup> transporting, mitochondrial F1 complex, alpha subunit 1, cardiac muscle [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 498, updated on 12-Mar-2017

## Summary

*ATP5A1 hypermetyleret i Vega 2014*

*(har ikke slået den op; Vega 51, 2017)  
måske er den der?*

<b>Official Symbol</b>	ATP5A1 provided by <a href="#">HGNC</a>
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<b>RefSeq status</b>	REVIEWED
<b>Organism</b>	<a href="#">Homo sapiens</a>
<b>Lineage</b>	Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo
<b>Also known as</b>	OMR; ORM; ATPM; MOM2; ATP5A; hATP1; MC5DN4; ATP5AL2; COXPD22; HEL-S-123m
<b>Summary</b>	This gene encodes a subunit of mitochondrial ATP synthase. Mitochondrial ATP synthase catalyzes ATP synthesis, using an electrochemical gradient of protons across the inner membrane during oxidative phosphorylation. ATP synthase is composed of two linked multi-subunit complexes: the soluble catalytic core, F1, and the membrane-spanning component, Fo, comprising the proton channel. The catalytic portion of mitochondrial ATP synthase consists of 5 different subunits (alpha, beta, gamma, delta, and epsilon) assembled with a stoichiometry of 3 alpha, 3 beta, and a single representative of the other 3. The proton channel consists of three main subunits (a, b, c). This gene encodes the alpha subunit of the catalytic core. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding the different isoforms have been identified. Pseudogenes of this gene are located on chromosomes 9, 2, and 16. [provided by RefSeq, Mar 2012]
<b>Orthologs</b>	<a href="#">mouse</a> <a href="#">all</a>

## Genomic context

*ATP5A1 precursor kunne ikke påvises i spinalvæske  
fra ME patienter.*

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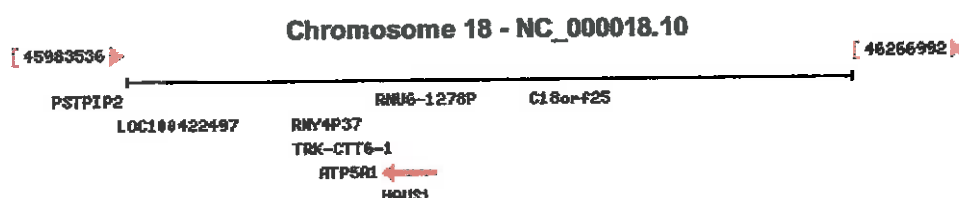
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# ATP10A ATPase phospholipid transporting 10A (putative) [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 57194 updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypermethylated TSS1500, Body Vega 2017.57*

## Ensembl Browsers

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**Official Symbol** ATP10A provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** ATPase phospholipid transporting 10A (putative) provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:13542](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000206190](#) [MIM:605855](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000171703](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** ATPVA; ATPVC; ATP10C

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene belongs to the family of P-type cation transport ATPases, and to the subfamily of aminophospholipid-transporting ATPases. The aminophospholipid translocases transport phosphatidylserine and phosphatidylethanolamine from one side of a bilayer to another. This gene is maternally expressed. It maps within the most common interval of deletion responsible for Angelman syndrome, also known as 'happy puppet syndrome'. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in adrenal (RPKM 2.8), lung (RPKM 2.6) and 23 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context:

*ATP10A involved in Plasma*

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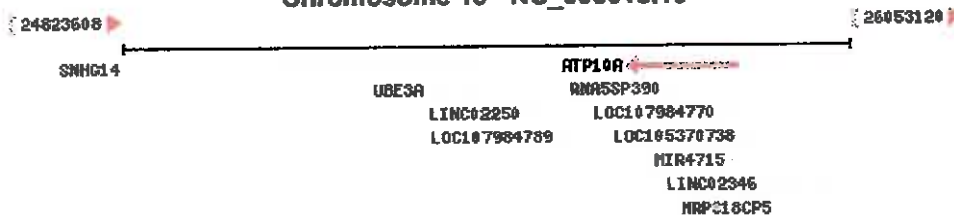
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# BCKDK branched chain ketoacid dehydrogenase kinase [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 10295, updated on 1-Apr-2018

*hypomethylated TSSs*

*TSS1500, Vega2017, SJ*

## Summary

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**Official Symbol** BCKDK provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** branched chain ketoacid dehydrogenase kinase provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:16902](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000103507](#) [MIM:614901](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000047356](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** BDK; BCKDKD

**Summary** The branched-chain alpha-ketoacid dehydrogenase complex (BCKD) is an important regulator of the valine, leucine, and isoleucine catabolic pathways. The protein encoded by this gene is found in the mitochondrion, where it phosphorylates and inactivates BCKD. Several transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Dec 2012]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in kidney (RPKM 12.8), heart (RPKM 12.4) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context

*component:  
mitochondrial alpha-ketoglutarate  
dehydrogenase complex  
also known as:*

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**Location:** 16p11.2

**Exon count:** 12

*3-methyl-2-oxobutanooate dehydrogenase  
[lipoamide] kinase*

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">109</a>	current	GRCh38.p12 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.38</a> )	16	NC_000016.10 (31108294..31117651)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	16	NC_000016.9 (31119615..31124112)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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**Genomic Sequence:** NC\_000016.10 Chromosome 16 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▼

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NC_000016.10	Find:	Tools
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<a href="#">31,110 K</a>	<a href="#">31,111 K</a>	<a href="#">31,112 K</a>
<a href="#">31,113 K</a>	<a href="#">31,114 K</a>	<a href="#">31,115 K</a>
<a href="#">31,116 K</a>		

STK17A hypo Vega 2014

# BLVRA biliverdin reductase A [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 644, updated on 21-Dec-2017

hyper Vega 2017

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**Summary**

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**Official Symbol** BLVRA provided by HGNC

**Official Full Name** biliverdin reductase A provided by HGNC

**Primary source(s)** HGNC:HGNC:1062

**See related** Ensembl:ENSG00000106605 MIM:109750; Vega:OTTHUMG00000128953

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** Homo sapiens

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** BVR; BLVR; BVRA

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene belongs to the biliverdin reductase family, members of which catalyze the conversion of biliverdin to bilirubin in the presence of NADPH or NADH. Mutations in this gene are associated with hyperbiliverdinemia. Alternatively spliced transcript variants have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Dec 2011]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in spleen (RPKM 33.2), lung (RPKM 23.1) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context

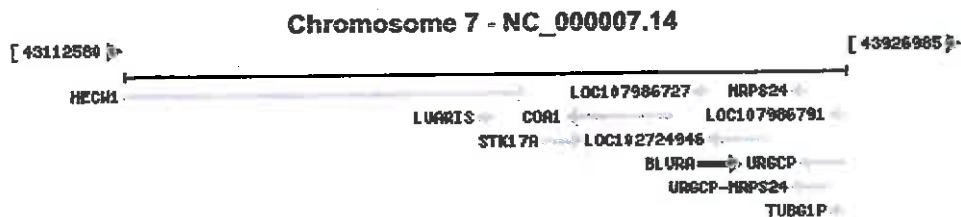
Kolesterol, galdehyrer og bilirubin omsætning er påvirket i ME

See BLVRA in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 7p13

Exon count: 11

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 (GCF_000001405.33)	7	NC_000007.14 (43758153..43807342)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 (GCF_000001405.25)	7	NC_000007.13 (43798272..43846941)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: [NC\\_000007.14 Chromosome 7 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly](#)

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NC_000007.14	Find:								
.750 K	143.755 K	143.760 K	143.765 K	143.770 K	143.775 K	143.780 K	143.785 K	143.790 K	k

# CAB39L calcium binding protein 39 like [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 81617, updated on 3-Apr-2018

*hypermethylated 5'UTR, 1st Exon Vega 2017,57*

## Summary

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<b>Official Symbol</b>	CAB39L provided by <a href="#">HGNC</a>
<b>Official Full Name</b>	calcium binding protein 39 like provided by <a href="#">HGNC</a>
<b>Primary source</b>	<a href="#">HGNC:HGNC:20290</a>
<b>See related</b>	<a href="#">Ensembl:ENSG00000102547</a> <a href="#">MIM:612175</a> ; <a href="#">Vega:OTTHUMG00000016914</a>
<b>Gene type</b>	protein coding
<b>RefSeq status</b>	VALIDATED
<b>Organism</b>	<a href="#">Homo sapiens</a>
<b>Lineage</b>	Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo
<b>Also known as</b>	MO2L; MO25-BETA; bA103J18.3
<b>Expression</b>	Broad expression in prostate (RPKM 17.8), adrenal (RPKM 15.4) and 23 other tissues <a href="#">See more</a>
<b>Orthologs</b>	<a href="#">mouse</a> <a href="#">all</a>

## Genomic context

*Intergenic med: ACO7, BCKDK, CAB39L, DCXR, MLH1, STK11, STRADA*

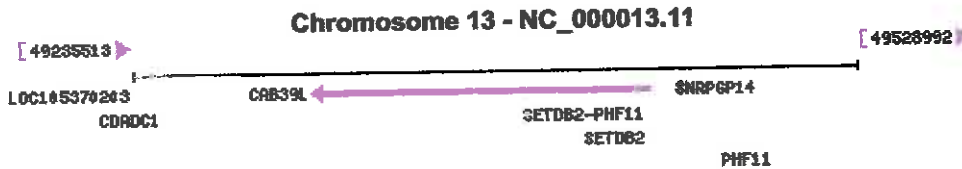
Location: 13q14.2

See CAB39L in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Exon count: 16

*pathway: LKB1 → AMPK → TOR*

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">109</a>	current	GRCh38.p12 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.38</a> )	13	NC_000013.11 (49308650..49444851, complement)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	13	NC_000013.10 (49882786..50018221, complement)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000013.11 Chromosome 13 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▾

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NC_000013.11	Find:
K	49,460 K   49,450 K   49,440 K   49,430 K   49,420 K   49,410 K   49,400 K   49,390 K   49,380 K

Genes, NCBI Homo sapiens Annotation Release 109, 2018-03-27



# CBFA2T2 CBFA2/RUNX1 translocation partner 2 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 9139, updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypermethylated Vega 2014*  
*cerebrospinal fluid (normal-CFS-post Lyme):*  
*no value - 2 - no value*  
*Schutzner 2011*

## Summary

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**Official Symbol** CBFA2T2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** CBFA2/RUNX1 translocation partner 2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:1536](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000078699](#) [MIM:603672](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG000000032261](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** EHT; p85; MTGR1; ZMYND3

**Summary** In acute myeloid leukemia, especially in the M2 subtype, the t(8;21)(q22;q22) translocation is one of the most frequent karyotypic abnormalities. The translocation produces a chimeric gene made up of the 5'-region of the RUNX1 (AML1) gene fused to the 3'-region of the CBFA2T1 (MTG8) gene. The chimeric protein is thought to associate with the nuclear corepressor/histone deacetylase complex to block hematopoietic differentiation. The protein encoded by this gene binds to the AML1-MTG8 complex and may be important in promoting leukemogenesis. Several transcript variants are thought to exist for this gene, but the full-length natures of only three have been described. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in prostate (RPKM 6.7), testis (RPKM 4.3) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

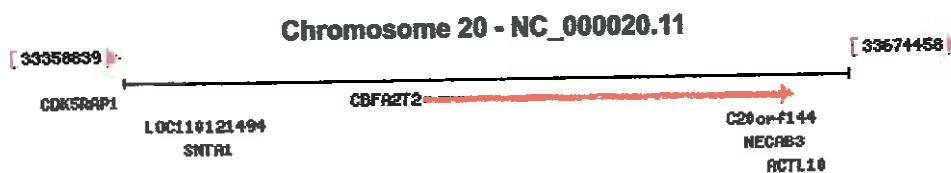
## Genomic context

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**Location:** 20q11.21-q11.22

**Exon count:** 18

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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 <a href="#">(GCF_000001405.25)</a>	20	NC_000020.10 (32077928..32237837)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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**Genomic Sequence:** NC\_000020.11 Chromosome 20 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▾

# CBFA2T3 CBFA2/RUNX1 translocation partner 3 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 863, updated on 3-Apr-2018

*hypermethyleret TSS200, 5'UTR Vega 2017, S7*

## Summary

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**Official Symbol** CBFA2T3 provided by [HGNC](#)  
**Official Full Name** CBFA2/RUNX1 translocation partner 3 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:1537](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000129993](#) [MIM:603870](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000137864](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** ETO2; MTG16; MTGR2; ZMYND4; RUNX1T3

**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the myeloid translocation gene family which interact with DNA-bound transcription factors and recruit a range of corepressors to facilitate transcriptional repression. The t(16;21)(q24;q22) translocation is one of the less common karyotypic abnormalities in acute myeloid leukemia. The translocation produces a chimeric gene made up of the 5'-region of the runt-related transcription factor 1 gene fused to the 3'-region of this gene. This gene is also a putative breast tumor suppressor. Alternative splicing results in transcript variants. [provided by RefSeq, Nov 2010]

**Expression** Broad expression in spleen (RPKM 6.2), lymph node (RPKM 3.7) and 24 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#) *RUNX2 ↑ Vega 2017, S7*  
*RUNX3 ↓ Vega 2017, S7 + Vega 2014*

## Genomic context

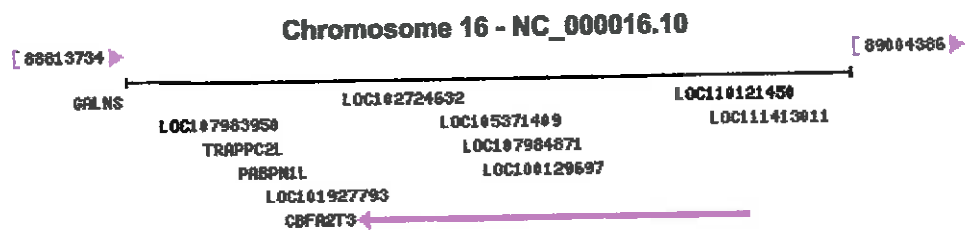
See CBFA2T3 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

**Location:** 16q24.3

**Exon count:** 15

*Interagerer med følgende hypermethylerede gener: LDB1, TAL1, TCPS*

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">109</a>	current	GRCh38.p12 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.38</a> )	16	NC_000016.10 (88874855..88977149, complement)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	16	NC_000016.9 (88941263..89043568, complement)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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**Genomic Sequence:** NC\_000016.10 Chromosome 16 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▼

# CLYBL = citrate lyase beta Like

Table 2 (continued)

Chromosome	SNP ID	Gene/expressed sequence tag Genome Build 36.3EST	Genotype	Frequency, n		p value	
				controls	CFS subjects	genotype	allele
13	rs7994531	BG220650	TT	0 (0.0)	6 (17.1)	0.0004	0.0001
			TC	6 (17.1)	16 (45.7)		
			CC	29 (82.9)	13 (37.1)		
	rs1931035	unknown	AA	0 (0.0)	6 (15.8)	0.0025	0.0001
			AG	4 (10.0)	9 (23.7)		
			GG	36 (90.0)	23 (60.5)		
	rs1359536	unknown	TT	38 (95.0)	27 (69.2)	0.0045	0.0005
			TC	2 (5.0)	7 (18.0)		
			CC	0 (0.0)	5 (12.8)		
	rs547571	HS6ST3	AA	0 (0.0)	1 (2.50)	0.0003	0.0002
			AG	3 (7.50)	16 (40.0)		
			GG	37 (61.7)	23 (57.5)		
rs1555589	<u>CLYBL</u>	AA	24 (77.4)	18 (45.0)	0.0123	0.0004	
		AG	6 (19.4)	13 (32.5)			
		GG	1 (3.23)	9 (22.5)			
rs7325773	CA425896	CC	31 (79.5)	18 (45.0)	0.0012	0.0006	
		CG	8 (20.5)	17 (42.5)			
		GG	0 (0.0)	5 (12.5)			
rs10507556	unknown	AA	2 (5.3)	0 (0.0)	0.0051	0.001	
		AG	8 (21.1)	1 (2.6)			
		GG	28 (73.7)	38 (97.4)			
14	rs2372200	unknown	GG	0 (0.0)	5 (13.5)	0.0026	0.0004
			GA	7 (20.0)	16 (43.2)		
			AA	28 (80.0)	16 (43.2)		
rs3759688	SIX6	GG	28 (77.8)	39 (100.0)	0.0015	0.0008	
		GT	7 (19.4)	0 (0.0)			
		TT	1 (2.8)	0 (0.0)			
17	rs6503623	KRTHA3A	AA	27 (69.2)	38 (97.4)	0.0017	0.0004
			AG	9 (23.1)	1 (2.56)		
			GG	3 (7.69)	0 (0.0)		
19	rs400322	LILRB4	AA	0 (0.0)	6 (16.2)	0.0032	0.0001
			AG	5 (13.9)	11 (29.7)		
			GG	31 (86.1)	20 (54.1)		
	rs10500321	NLRP11	CC	0 (0.0)	2 (5.1)	0.0021	0.0008
			CT	4 (10.0)	14 (35.9)		
			TT	36 (90.0)	23 (59.0)		
	rs2059152	NLRP11	AA	0 (0.0)	2 (5.1)	0.0028	0.001
			AG	4 (10.0)	14 (35.9)		
			GG	36 (90.0)	23 (59.0)		
	rs382958	NLRP13	CC	3 (7.89)	13 (37.1)	0.0051	0.0002
CT			11 (29.0)	10 (28.6)			
TT			24 (63.2)	12 (34.3)			
21	rs1399592	KCNJ6	GG	6 (16.2)	15 (40.5)	0.0038	0.0004
			GT	15 (40.5)	18 (48.7)		
			TT	16 (43.2)	4 (10.8)		

Mapping of SNPs to respective chromosomes, genes or expressed sequence tags was accomplished with NCBI Genome Build 36.3. Values in parentheses represent percentages.

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CLYBL er hypermethyleret, body, kromosom 13  
FDR = 0,008, Vega 2017, tabel S1.

hypermethyleret  
Vega 2017

*Human Molecular Genetics*, 2014, Vol. 23, No. 9 2313–2323  
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# CLYBL is a polymorphic human enzyme with malate synthase and $\beta$ -methylmalate synthase activity

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CLYBL is a human mitochondrial enzyme of unknown function that is found in multiple eukaryotic taxa and conserved to bacteria. The protein is expressed in the mitochondria of all mammalian organs, with highest expression in brown fat and kidney. Approximately 5% of all humans harbor a premature stop polymorphism in CLYBL that has been associated with reduced levels of circulating vitamin B12. Using comparative genomics, we now show that CLYBL is strongly co-expressed with and co-evolved specifically with other components of the mitochondrial B12 pathway. We confirm that the premature stop polymorphism in CLYBL leads to a loss of protein expression. To elucidate the molecular function of CLYBL, we used comparative operon analysis, structural modeling and enzyme kinetics. We report that CLYBL encodes a malate/ $\beta$ -methylmalate synthase, converting glyoxylate and acetyl-CoA to malate, or glyoxylate and propionyl-CoA to  $\beta$ -methylmalate. Malate synthases are best known for their established role in the glyoxylate shunt of plants and lower organisms and are traditionally described as not occurring in humans. The broader role of a malate/ $\beta$ -methylmalate synthase in human physiology and its mechanistic link to vitamin B12 metabolism remain unknown.

## INTRODUCTION

Vitamin B12, or cobalamin, is an essential cofactor required for the activity of two human enzymes: mitochondrial methylmalonyl-CoA mutase (MUT) and cytoplasmic methionine synthase (MTR). Humans obtain cobalamin from diet or supplements, and once absorbed, the vitamin is further processed to its active forms—adenosylcobalamin for MUT and methylcobalamin for MTR. Vitamin B12 metabolism and utilization have been extensively studied, and with the exception of the mitochondrial transporter, the molecular identities of all proteins necessary for B12 maturation have been identified (1,2).

Two recent human genetic association studies have begun to define the genetic loci that control B12 levels (3,4). Of the 12 non-intergenic loci collectively identified by these two studies, 11 lie near genes with established or purported roles in vitamin B12 biology, including B12 absorption (*MS4A3*, *FUT2*, *FUT6*, *TCN1*, *TCN2*, *CUBN*, *CD320*), B12 maturation (*ABCD4*, *MMAA*, *MMACHC*) and B12-dependent catalysis (*MUT*). The

12<sup>th</sup> locus corresponds to a stop polymorphism within CLYBL, an uncharacterized protein. The B12-associated polymorphism (rs41281112) changes Arg259 to a stop codon, predicted to produce a truncated CLYBL protein. Notably, this polymorphism had the largest effect on B12 levels of all the SNPs reported: Chinese men homozygous for the premature stop had 3-fold reduced concentrations of circulating B12, with heterozygotes exhibiting an intermediate phenotype (3).

Although CLYBL appears to be a metabolic enzyme, its activity remains entirely unknown. CLYBL is annotated as 'citrate lyase beta like' because it shows sequence similarity to citE, a component of an enzymatic complex (citE/citD/citF) found in bacteria that cleaves citrate to oxaloacetate and acetyl-CoA (ACoA) (5,6). All three subunits are necessary for complete lyase activity and often co-occur in the same operon (6,7). Humans, as well as other eukaryotes and certain bacteria and archaea, possess homologs of citE but not of citD or citF, hinting at an alternate function for this gene (7). Moreover, citrate cleavage in humans is mediated by the cytosolic, ATP-dependent ATP

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CLYBL side2



# CLYBL og methyl malonyl-CoA

With the structural model in hand, we sought to further confirm that CLYBL had malate synthase and  $\beta$ -methylmalate synthase activities by mutating specific residues predicted to be critical for various aspects of catalysis. Based on homology modeling and evolutionary conservation, we mutated residues Glu75 and Glu171, predicted to be important for coordinating a magnesium-binding water molecule and directly binding magnesium, respectively, to Gly and found that these mutants had no malate synthase or  $\beta$ -methylmalate synthase activity in our DTNB-linked assay (data not shown). We also mutated Asp250 to Gly to evaluate the effect of a charge mutation at a residue that is conserved but distal to the active site, and found that this mutation reduced but did not eliminate these activities (data not shown). We also attempted to express and purify the Arg259Stop LOF variant (Fig. 1A,C-E) identified from the 1000 Genomes data and associated with low circulating B12 levels, but the expressed protein was insoluble, suggesting that the human mutant may be improperly folded if it is expressed at all, consistent with what we observed in cell lines from individuals with the premature stop polymorphism (Fig. 1E).

## DISCUSSION

Our computational, enzymatic and structural homology analyses demonstrate that purified recombinant CLYBL possesses malate synthase and  $\beta$ -methylmalate synthase activities, which, to our knowledge, is the first time that such activities have been ascribed to a human protein. Malate synthase is traditionally described as operating in alternative carbon assimilation pathways such as the glyoxylate shunt. At present, the link between CLYBL and circulating B12 levels remains unclear, but it is notable that the newly identified substrates and products of CLYBL, as well as gene products strongly co-expressed with and co-evolving with CLYBL (Fig. 2), lie in close proximity to the mitochondrial B12 pathway (Fig. 6).

It is important to consider the kinetic parameters of CLYBL in the context of previously reported malate synthases. Previously studied malate synthase enzymes vary widely in their affinity for glyoxylate, ranging from a  $K_m$  of 2 mM in *Ricinus communis* (32) to 21  $\mu$ M in *E. coli* (24). The 3.6 mM  $K_m$  reported here is at the high end of this spectrum, but it is similar to the 3.1 mM  $K_m$  reported for Mcl1 in *R. sphaeroides* (Table 1; Supplementary

Material, Table S1) (21). Mcl1 is not a complete malate synthase, but rather condenses glyoxylate and ACoA to malyl-CoA before malyl-CoA is cleaved by the paralogous Mcl2. It is also notable that Mcl1 can catalyze condensation of both ACoA and PCoA with glyoxylate with similar kinetics to those observed for CLYBL (21). It is important to note that in our assays CLYBL is relatively inefficient, with low specific activity, but it could be the case that CLYBL requires an additional protein partner or post-translational modification *in vivo* to enhance its activity. When we screened possible substrate pairs, we noted that CLYBL had low activity with pyruvate and ACoA too, suggesting that it has low citramalate synthase activity. It is possible that CLYBL has additional enzymatic activities with greater catalytic efficiency that have not been tested here.

We note in our structural modeling that CLYBL is missing a large C-terminal domain present in malate synthase enzymes. Critically, CLYBL is missing a conserved aspartate (Asp633 in *M. tuberculosis* malate synthase G) predicted to work as a catalytic base that abstracts a proton from ACoA to initiate the malate synthase reaction (25,26). An Asp residue in a structurally equivalent position is absolutely conserved in all G form (~730 amino acids) malate synthases as well as in their shorter analogs: the A form (~530 amino acids), e.g. the *E. coli* and *B. anthracis* malate synthases (31) and the H form (~430 amino acids), e.g. *H. volcanii* (26). Substitution of this critical Asp with Asn in the *E. coli* G malate synthase was shown to render the protein inactive (24). Thus, a question arises which, if any, part of CLYBL could substitute for the missing catalytic Asp. A comparison of our model of CLYBL with the template *H. volcanii* malate synthase indicates that the C-terminal 50 amino acid segment of the polypeptide chain, which we were unable to model due to the low sequence similarity, is too short to fold into a stable structure required for positioning the critical Asp close to the bound substrate within the same monomer. We hypothesize that this critical contribution must be provided by intermolecular interactions within an oligomeric structure. Strong support for this prediction comes from the structure of the putative citrate lyase beta subunit from *B. xenovorans* (PDB 3r4i). The 339 amino acid polypeptide chain of this protein folds into a TIM barrel structure like CLYBL, but also contains a small flexible C-terminal domain, which extends into the catalytic domain of the neighboring

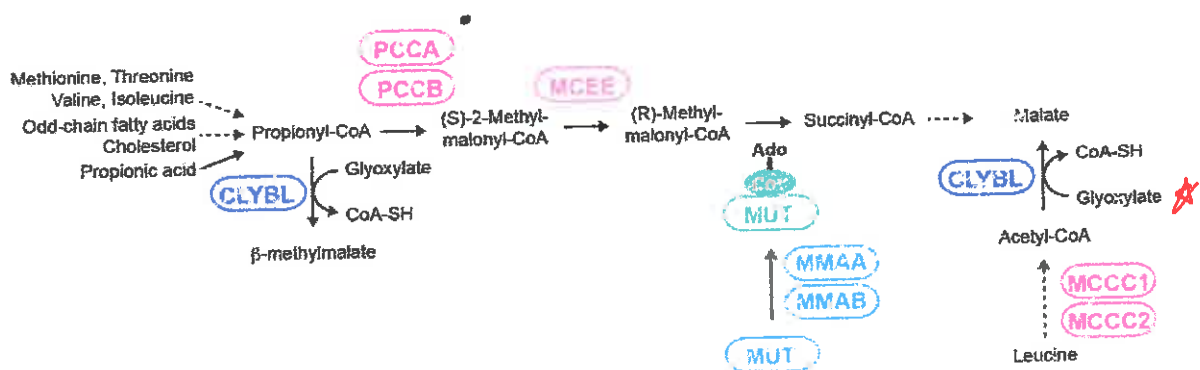


Figure 6. Newly identified enzymatic activities of CLYBL in the context of mitochondrial B12 metabolism. Genes in light blue encode enzymes in the mitochondrial B12 pathway. Genes in magenta encode transcripts and proteins that are highly co-expressed with CLYBL. Solid lines indicate one-step reactions and dashed lines represent multiple enzymatic steps.

- PCCA = propionyl Coenzyme A carboxylase, alpha polypeptide  
Genet er hypermetylet i både Vega 2014 og 2017, tabel 57.
- \* Lavere plasmaniveau af metabolitten glyoxylate i Germain et al (2017) metabolomic studie. (også lavere niveau af succinylcarnitine)

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# COX10 COX10, heme A:farnesyltransferase cytochrome c oxidase assembly factor [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 1352 updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypermethylated Vega 2014+2017*

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**Official Symbol** COX10 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** COX10, heme A:farnesyltransferase cytochrome c oxidase assembly factor provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:2260](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000006695](#) [MIM:602125](#); [Vega:CTTHUMG00000058814](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Summary** Cytochrome c oxidase (COX), the terminal component of the mitochondrial respiratory chain, catalyzes the electron transfer from reduced cytochrome c to oxygen. This component is a heteromeric complex consisting of 3 catalytic subunits encoded by mitochondrial genes and multiple structural subunits encoded by nuclear genes. The mitochondrially-encoded subunits function in electron transfer, and the nuclear-encoded subunits may function in the regulation and assembly of the complex. This nuclear gene encodes heme A:farnesyltransferase, which is not a structural subunit but required for the expression of functional COX and functions in the maturation of the heme A prosthetic group of COX. This protein is predicted to contain 7-9 transmembrane domains localized in the mitochondrial inner membrane. A gene mutation, which results in the substitution of a lysine for an asparagine (N204K), is identified to be responsible for cytochrome c oxidase deficiency. In addition, this gene is disrupted in patients with CMT1A (Charcot-Marie-Tooth type 1A) duplication and with HNPP (hereditary neuropathy with liability to pressure palsies) deletion. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Broad expression in testis (RPKM 12.8), heart (RPKM 8.8) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

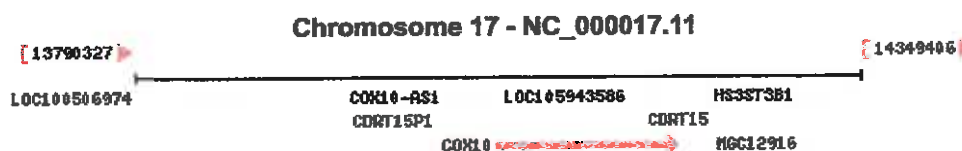
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**Location:** 17p12

**Exon count:** 7

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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 <a href="#">(GCF_000001405.25)</a>	17	NC_000017.10 (13972719..14111996)



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# CYB5R2 cytochrome b5 reductase 2 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 51700, updated on 6-Dec-2016

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## Summary

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**Official Symbol** CYB5R2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** cytochrome b5 reductase 2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:24376](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000166394](#) [MIM:608342](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000165665](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** B5R.2

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene belongs to the flavoprotein pyridine nucleotide cytochrome reductase family of proteins. Cytochrome b-type NAD(P)H oxidoreductases are implicated in many processes including cholesterol biosynthesis, fatty acid desaturation and elongation, and respiratory burst in neutrophils and macrophages. Cytochrome b5 reductases have soluble and membrane-bound forms that are the product of alternative splicing. In animal cells, the membrane-bound form binds to the endoplasmic reticulum, where it is a member of a fatty acid desaturation complex. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants. [provided by RefSeq, Nov 2014]

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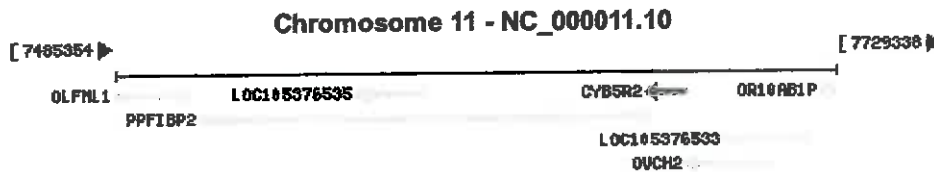
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Location: 11p15.4

Exon count: 13

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# CYB5R3 cytochrome b5 reductase 3 [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 1727, updated on 11-Mar-2018

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**Official Symbol** CYB5R3 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** cytochrome b5 reductase 3 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:2873](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000100243](#) [MIM:613213](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000150745](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** B5R; DIA1

**Summary** This gene encodes cytochrome b5 reductase, which includes a membrane-bound form in somatic cells (anchored in the endoplasmic reticulum, mitochondrial and other membranes) and a soluble form in erythrocytes. The membrane-bound form exists mainly on the cytoplasmic side of the endoplasmic reticulum and functions in desaturation and elongation of fatty acids, in cholesterol biosynthesis, and in drug metabolism. The erythrocyte form is located in a soluble fraction of circulating erythrocytes and is involved in methemoglobin reduction. The membrane-bound form has both membrane-binding and catalytic domains, while the soluble form has only the catalytic domain. Alternate splicing results in multiple transcript variants. Mutations in this gene cause methemoglobinemias. [provided by RefSeq, Jan 2010]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in fat (RPKM 110.9), testis (RPKM 52.5) and 24 other tissues [See more](#)

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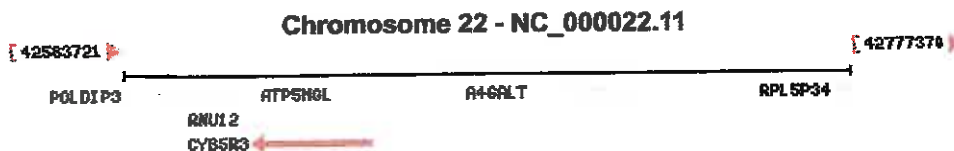
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Location: 22q13.2

Exon count: 12

*Process: L-ascorbic acid metabolic process, cholesterol synthesis*  
*Interactome: HOXB5, MOV10, ESR1 ↑*  
*xenobiotics*

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# D2HGDH D-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 728294, updated on 5-Nov-2017

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**Summary**  
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**Official Symbol** D2HGDH provided by [HGNC](#)  
**Official Full Name** D-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase provided by [HGNC](#)  
**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:28358](#)  
**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000180902](#) [MIM:609186](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000151474](#)  
**Gene type** protein coding  
**RefSeq status** VALIDATED  
**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)  
**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo  
**Also known as** D2HGD  
**Summary** This gene encodes D-2hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase, a mitochondrial enzyme belonging to the FAD-binding oxidoreductase/transferase type 4 family. This enzyme, which is most active in liver and kidney but also active in heart and brain, converts D-2-hydroxyglutarate to 2-ketoglutarate. Mutations in this gene are present in D-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria, a rare recessive neurometabolic disorder causing developmental delay, epilepsy, hypotonia, and dysmorphic features. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]  
**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in skin (RPKM 9.9), kidney (RPKM 7.5) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)  
**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

**Genomic context**

$\alpha$ -ketoglutarate = 2 oxoglutarate

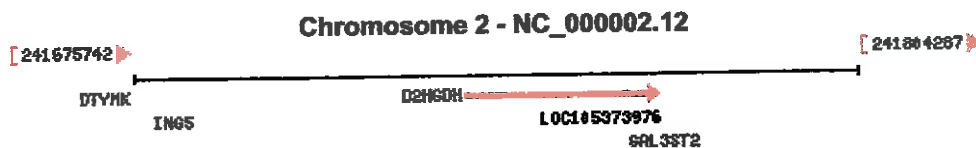
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Location: 2q37.3

Exon count: 20

interaktion CD79D, YDEY, STK11, RAB30

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.33</a> )	2	NC_000002.12 (241734579..241768816)
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## D2HGDH, PHYKPL and ME

The gene D2HGDH is hypomethylated in ME patients, and this is associated with quality of life (1). Hypomethylation can result in upregulation of gene transcription. In agreement with this, gene expression of D2HGDH was upregulated in whole blood from adolescent ME/CFS patients (2).

D2HGDH encodes D-2-hydroxy-glutarate dehydrogenase, which converts D-2-hydroxyglutarate to alpha-ketoglutarate (alpha - KG). Mutations in D2HGDH are present in D-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria, a rare neurometabolic disorder.

It is possible that 2-hydroxy glutarate is generated in relation to lysine breakdown. PHYKPL, 5-phosphohydroxy-L-lysine phospholyase, gene expression is upregulated in ME/CFS patients (2).

D2HGDH regulates alpha-KG levels and alpha-KG dependent dioxygenase function by modulating isocitrate dehydrogenase 2 (IDH2) (3).

Some of the enzymes that regulate histone and DNA methylation belong to the family of alpha-KG dependent dioxygenases.

Fx, D2HGDH induces demethylation of histone H3K4me3, so it becomes H3K4. This change is relevant to B cell differentiation (3,4)

D2HGDH is one of the genes that when mutant may promote epigenetic changes in B-cell cancer (3).

Furthermore, alpha-KG metabolism and IDH2 expression are part of the metabolic reprogramming-response in pyruvate dehydrogenase deficient cells (5).

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## KDM2B, PHYH, P3H2, PLOD3 and ME

Alpha-ketoglutarate dependent dioxygenases are also called 2-oxoglutarate oxygenases. They are a large family of enzymes with most diverse functions (1).

The following examples are relevant for ME research.

### KDM2B

KDM2B (lysine demethylase 2B) is one of the 2OG-oxygenases described in ref 1. The gene KDM2B is hypermethylated in ME patients (2). And KDM2B is hypomethylated in CD4<sup>+</sup> T cells from ME patients (3). KDM2B is able to regulate histone 3 methylation. KDM2B expression is also known to regulate ribosome biogenesis, and is a positive regulator of glycolysis. KDM2B is an important mediator of hematopoietic cell development.

### PHYH

PHYH (phytanoyl-CoA 2-hydroxylase) is a peroxisomal protein that is involved in the alpha-oxidation of 3-methyl branched fatty acids. The gene is hypermethylated in ME patients (2).

### P3H2

P3H2 (prolyl 3-hydroxylase 2, also known as LEPREL1) play a critical role in collagen chain assembly, stability and cross-linking by catalyzing post-translational 3-hydroxylation of proline residues. This is important to basement membranes. Interestingly, P3H2 has a FIS1 (mitochondrial fission protein1) domain. P3H2 is hypomethylated in ME patients (2).

### PLOD3

PLOD3 (procollagen-lysine, 2-oxoglutarate 5-dioxygenase 3) catalyzes the hydroxylation of lysyl residues in collagen-like peptides. PLOD3 is found in the basement membrane. Reduced levels are associated to disease. Spinal fluid PLOD3 levels in ME patients:9 and normal value:14 (4). Interestingly, PLOD3 is located on chromosome 7 besides FIS1 and CLDN15. CLDN15 is hypermethylated in ME patients and this is associated to quality of life (2).CLDN15 (claudin 15) is an integral membrane protein and component of tight junction strands. CLDN15 has been associated with irritable bowel syndrome.

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# Progress in understanding 2-hydroxyglutaric acidurias

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**Abstract** The organic acidurias D-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria (D-2-HGA), L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria (L-2-HGA), and combined D,L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria (D,L-2-HGA) cause neurological impairment at young age. Accumulation of D-2-hydroxyglutarate (D-2-HG) and/or L-2-hydroxyglutarate (L-2-HG) in body fluids are the biochemical hallmarks of these disorders. The current review describes the knowledge gathered on 2-hydroxyglutaric acidurias (2-HGA), since the description of the first patients in 1980. We report on the clinical, genetic, enzymatic and metabolic characterization of D-2-HGA type I, D-2-HGA type II, L-2-HGA and D,L-2-HGA, whereas for D-2-HGA type I and type II novel clinical information is presented which was derived from questionnaires.

### Abbreviations

2-HG	2-hydroxyglutaric acid (undifferentiated for chiral D- or L-form)
2-HGA	2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria
D-2-HG	D-2-hydroxyglutaric acid
D-2-HGA	D-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria
D-2-HGDH	D-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase enzyme

<i>D2HGDH</i>	gene encoding D-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase
L-2-HG	L-2-hydroxyglutaric acid
L-2-HGA	L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria
L-2-HGDH	L-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase enzyme
<i>L2HGDH</i>	gene encoding L-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase
D,L-2-HGA	combined D,L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria
<i>IDH2</i>	gene encoding isocitrate dehydrogenase 2
2-KG	2-ketoglutaric acid
HOT	hydroxyacid-oxoacid transhydrogenase enzyme
L-malDH	L-malate dehydrogenase enzyme
MIM	Mendelian Inheritance in Man
CSF	cerebrospinal fluid

### Introduction

Gregersen et al (1977) were the first to identify enantiomeric D- and L-2-hydroxyglutaric acids (D-2-HG and L-2-HG) as normal constituents of human urine. Three years later, two novel inborn errors of metabolism were simultaneously reported in the *Journal of Inherited Metabolic Disease*. Chalmers et al (1980) identified a patient with D-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria (D-2-HGA), while Duran et al (1980) described a case of L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria (L-2-HGA), landmark publications that identified the metabolic hallmarks (D- and L-2-HG) in these disorders. Muntau et al (2000) described a third biochemical variant of 2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria (2-HGA) when they reported three

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patients with elevated urinary D- and L-2-HG, denoted by these authors as “combined D,L-2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria” (D,L-2-HGA). Major milestones in research on these disorders came with gene discovery: *D2HGDH* encoding D-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase (D-2-HGDH) (Achouri et al 2004) and *L2HGDH* encoding L-2-hydroxyglutarate dehydrogenase (L-2-HGDH) (Rzem et al 2004; Topcu et al 2004). In many D-2-HGA, and the majority of L-2-HGA patients, genetic characterization revealed pathogenic mutations in these genes (Struys et al 2005c; Steenweg et al 2010). Nonetheless, in fully one-half of D-2-HGA patients no mutations in *D2HGDH* were detected (Kranendijk et al 2010a). Subsequently, we described gain-of-function mutations in *isocitrate dehydrogenase 2 (IDH2)* which proved causative for the D-2-HG accumulation in previously unclassified D-2-HGA patients (Kranendijk et al 2010b). In sum, the preceding decade has provided tremendous advances in our understanding of the inborn 2-hydroxyglutaric acidurias, which will undoubtedly provide a solid foundation from which to develop novel and effective treatment strategies.

This Review evaluates metabolic, enzymatic, genetic and clinical progress in our understanding of the rare inborn organic acidurias D-2-HGA, L-2-HGA and D,L-2-HGA. Future research and therapeutic perspectives are also briefly discussed.

Enantiomeric D,L-2-hydroxyglutaric acid and its origin

The five-carbon dicarboxylic acid 2-hydroxyglutaric acid (2-HG) possesses a hydroxyl group at the second carbon (Fig. 1) which yields a chiral center. Accordingly, two three-dimensional (3D) structures exist, including D-2-HG and L-2-HG, which represent “non-superimposable” mirror images (Fig. 2). Systemic names are (R)-2-hydroxypentanedioic acid and (S)-2-hydroxypentanedioic acid, respectively, for D- and L-2-HG. Whereas enantiomers share identical chemical and physical properties (melting point, mass, solubility and pKa), their differing 3D-structures result in considerable differences in enzymatic and molecular properties.

Pilot studies employing stable isotope labeled [<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>]glucose or [<sup>2</sup>H<sub>5</sub>]glutamic acid with D-2-HGA lymphoblast cell cultures revealed that mitochondrial 2-ketoglutarate (2-KG), a tricarboxylic acid (TCA) cycle intermediate, can be metabolized to D-2-HG (Struys et al 2004b). Subsequent studies documented the existence of hydroxyacid-oxoacid

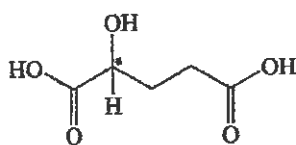


Fig. 1 2-hydroxyglutaric acid with a chiral center at the 2nd carbon (\*)

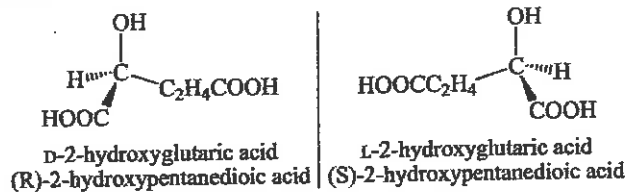


Fig. 2 Enantiomers D- and L-2-hydroxyglutaric acid (D-2-HG and L-2-HG, systemic IUPAC names included)

transhydrogenase (HOT) activity in human liver and fibroblasts, representing the first demonstration of a human enzyme whose catalytic function was production of D-2-HG (Struys et al 2005c). HOT catalyzes the conversion of  $\gamma$ -hydroxybutyrate (GHB) to succinic semialdehyde (SSA) with a stoichiometric production of D-2-HG from 2-KG (Fig. 3). Similarly, pilot studies of L-2-HGA lymphoblasts incubated with [<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>]glucose and [<sup>2</sup>H<sub>5</sub>]glutamic acid further delineated that mitochondrial 2-KG is the precursor of L-2-HG (Struys et al 2007). Currently, the only enzyme known to generate L-2-HG from 2-KG in human is L-malate dehydrogenase (L-malDH) (Fig. 3), whose primary catalytic function is the interconversion of L-malate to oxaloacetate (Rzem et al 2007).

The diagnosis of 2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria

The differential diagnosis of 2-hydroxyglutaric aciduria begins with the clinical evaluation of a patient with unexplained developmental delay and/or other neurological dysfunction of unknown etiology, raising suspicion for a metabolic disorder. Provisional diagnosis of the disorder is occasionally suggested by abnormal brain MRI findings. Urinary organic acid screening with gas chromatography-mass spectrometry (GC-MS), performed in multiple metabolic centers, can reveal increased 2-HG, but the chiral configuration remains to be determined. Although the clinical presentation often can suggest either D-2-HGA or

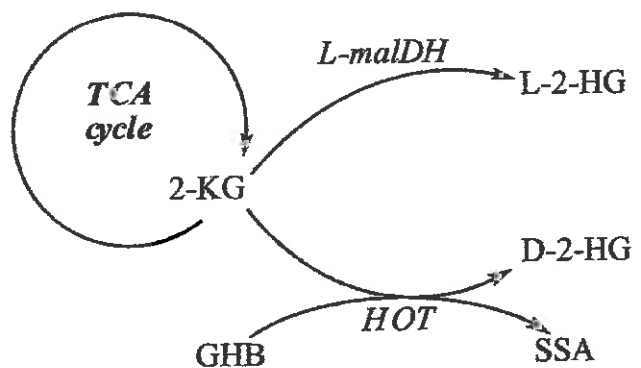


Fig. 3 Enzymes L-malDH and HOT are responsible for production of D-2-HG and L-2-HG from 2-KG

**DEC1 2,4-dienoyl-CoA reductase 1 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]**

Gene ID: 1666, updated on 3-Apr-2018

*gene expression upregulated  
Nguyen 2017, p = 0,059*

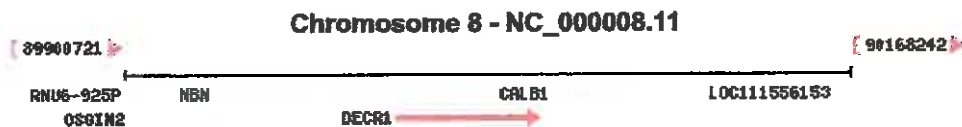
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<b>Organism</b>	<a href="#">Homo sapiens</a>
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<b>Also known as</b>	DEC1; NADPH; SDR18C1
<b>Summary</b>	This gene encodes an accessory enzyme which participates in the beta-oxidation and metabolism of unsaturated fatty enoyl-CoA esters. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]
<b>Expression</b>	Ubiquitous expression in liver (RPKM 86.6), fat (RPKM 60.8) and 25 other tissues <a href="#">See more</a>
<b>Orthologs</b>	<a href="#">mouse</a> <a href="#">all</a>

**Genomic context**See DEC1 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 8q21.3

Exon count: 13

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000008.11 Chromosome 8 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▼

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# ETFB electron transfer flavoprotein beta subunit [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 2109, updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypomethylated TSS200, Body, Vega2017, S7*

## Summary

### Genome Browsers

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#### Official Symbol

ETFB provided by [HGNC](#)

#### Official Full Name

electron transfer flavoprotein beta subunit provided by [HGNC](#)

#### Primary source

[HGNC:HGNC:3482](#)

#### See related

[Ensembl:ENSG00000105379](#) [MIM:130410](#); [Vega:CTTHUMG00000182903](#)

#### Gene type

protein coding

#### RefSeq status

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#### Organism

[Homo sapiens](#)

#### Lineage

Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

#### Also known as

MADD; FP585

#### Summary

This gene encodes electron-transfer-flavoprotein, beta polypeptide, which shuttles electrons between primary flavoprotein dehydrogenases involved in mitochondrial fatty acid and amino acid catabolism and the membrane-bound electron transfer flavoprotein ubiquinone oxidoreductase. The gene deficiencies have been implicated in type II glutaricaciduria. Alternatively spliced transcript variants have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

#### Expression

Ubiquitous expression in liver (RPKM 75.6), fat (RPKM 65.8) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

#### Orthologs

[mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context

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Location: 19q13.41

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## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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ETF  $\alpha$  og  $\beta$   
Subunit

# Role of Flavinylation in a Mild Variant of Multiple Acyl-CoA Dehydrogenation Deficiency

## A MOLECULAR RATIONALE FOR THE EFFECTS OF RIBOFLAVIN SUPPLEMENTATION\*<sup>‡</sup>

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Mutations in the genes encoding the  $\alpha$ -subunit and  $\beta$ -subunit of the mitochondrial electron transfer flavoprotein (ETF) and the electron transfer flavoprotein:ubiquinone oxidoreductase (ETF:QO) cause multiple acyl-CoA dehydrogenation deficiency (MADD), a disorder of fatty acid and amino acid metabolism. Point mutations in ETF, which may compromise folding, and/or activity, are associated with both mild and severe forms of MADD. Here we report the investigation on the conformational and stability properties of the disease-causing variant ETF $\beta$ -D128N, and our findings on the effect of flavinylation in modulating protein conformational stability and activity. A combination of biochemical and biophysical methods including circular dichroism, visible absorption, flavin, and tryptophan fluorescence emission allowed the analysis of structural changes and of the FAD moiety. The ETF $\beta$ -D128N variant retains the overall fold of the wild type, but under stress conditions its flavin becomes less tightly bound. Flavinylation is shown to improve the conformational stability and biological activity of a destabilized D128N variant protein. Moreover, the presence of flavin prevented proteolytic digestion by avoiding protein destabilization. A patient homozygous for the ETF $\beta$ -D128N mutation developed severe disease symptoms in association with a viral infection and fever. In agreement, our results suggest that heat inactivation of the mutant may be more relevant at temperatures above 37 °C. To mimic a situation of fever *in vitro*, the flavinylation status was tested at 39 °C. FAD exerts the effect of a pharmacological chaperone, improving ETF conformation, and yielding a more stable and active enzyme. Our results provide a structural and functional framework that could help to elucidate the role that an increased cellular FAD content obtained from riboflavin supplementation may play in the molecular pathogenesis of not only MADD, but genetic disorders of flavoproteins in general.

Multiple acyl-CoA dehydrogenation deficiency (MADD,<sup>2</sup> MIM 231680; also designated glutaric acidemia type II (GAI)) is caused by mutations in either of the genes encoding the two subunits of electron transfer flavoprotein (ETF) or the monomeric enzyme ETF:ubiquinone oxidoreductase (ETF:QO) (1, 2). The flavin adenine dinucleotide (FAD) in ETF receives electrons from at least 12 different mitochondrial FAD-containing dehydrogenases, which are involved in fatty acid  $\beta$ -oxidation and amino acid metabolism (3). ETF is subsequently oxidized by the membrane-bound ETF:QO. This last component, which harbors both a FAD and an [4Fe-4S] cluster, mediates the transfer of reducing equivalents to the respiratory ubiquinone pool, leading to subsequent ATP production (4, 5). As a result of deficient function of either ETF or ETF:QO, the acyl-CoA dehydrogenases are blocked because they cannot transfer the electrons gained in the dehydrogenation reactions, entailing accumulation of various acyl-esters in blood and urine, hence the term MADD (1). The clinical features of patients suffering from MADD are rather heterogeneous. It ranges from lethal cases with neonatal anomalies to mildly affected individuals, presenting in childhood or adulthood with hypoglycemic, encephalopathy, and/or myopathy (1, 6). There is evidence that the severity of the clinical phenotype, to some extent, depends on the location and nature of mutations in the genes encoding ETF or ETF:QO, with null mutations severely affecting mRNA expression, processing and/or stability being associated with lethal disease and missense mutations leaving some residual ETF/ETF:QO enzyme activity being associated with milder clinical forms (6–9). In patients with milder disease variants, symptoms are often intermittent and only become evident during periods of illness and catabolic stress, indicating that in this group of patients, in whom residual ETF/ETF:QO enzyme activity allows modulation of the enzymatic phenotype, the disease severity does not depend only on the nature of the gene defect but also on cellular factors that may modulate the enzymatic phenotype (6). This potential for *in vitro* modulation of the enzymatic phenotype has been established for a large number of disease-causing mutations affecting flavin-containing mitochondrial acyl-CoA dehydrogenases (10). In these cases, missense mutations have been shown to impair folding to the native structure and/or destabilize the native folded structure,

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<sup>2</sup> The abbreviations used are: MADD, multiple acyl-CoA dehydrogenation deficiency; WT, wild type; ETF, electron transfer flavoprotein; PDB, Protein Data Bank; CD, circular dichroism;  $C_m$ , denaturant midpoint transition concentration.

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## Mitochondrial protein interaction mapping identifies new regulators of respiratory chain function

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### SUMMARY

Mitochondria are essential for numerous cellular processes, yet hundreds of their proteins lack robust functional annotation. To reveal new functions for these proteins (termed MXP) we assessed condition-specific protein-protein interactions for 50 select MXPs using affinity enrichment mass spectrometry. Our data connect MXPs to diverse mitochondrial processes, including multiple aspects of respiratory chain function. Building upon these observations, we validated C17orf89 as a complex I (CI) assembly factor. Disruption of C17orf89 markedly reduced

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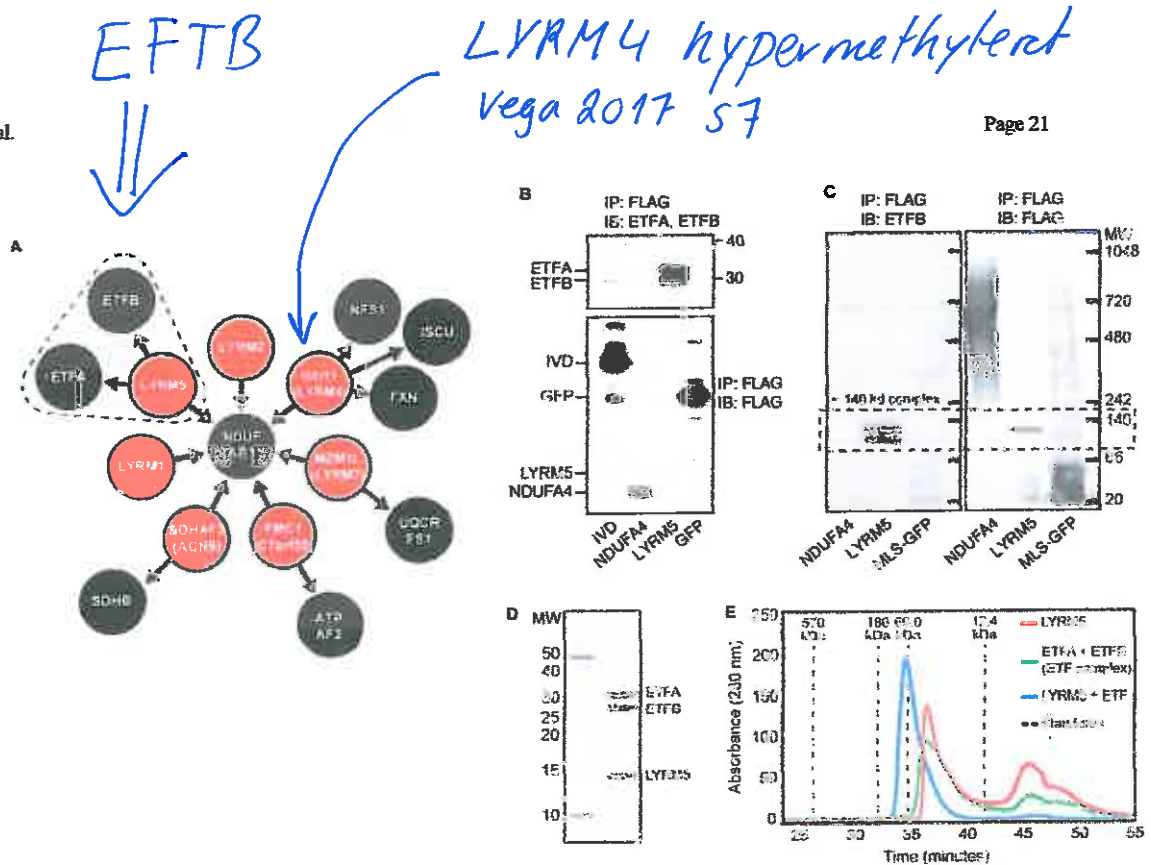
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**Figure 5. LYRM5 forms a complex with ETF**

**(A)** Schematic of top-scoring LYRM PPIs. LYRM5-ETF interactions are shaded.

**(B)** Validation of the interaction between LYRM5 and both ETFA and ETFB. C-terminally FLAG-tagged GFP, IVD, NDUF44, and LYRM5 were immunoprecipitated (IP) from HEK cells and immunoblotted (IB) with anti-ETFA and anti-ETFEB (upper) or anti-FLAG (lower). LYRM5 enriched for both ETF proteins more efficiently than IVD, a known ETF interactor.

**(C)** IP of LYRM5-FLAG or MLS-GFP-FLAG from HEK293 cells analyzed by Blue Native-PAGE analysis and IB. The same membrane was blotted for ETFB (left) and then FLAG (right) (see also Figure S5).

**(D)** Recombinant N-terminally His-tagged LYRM5 and untagged ETFA/B were co-expressed in *E. coli*. Purification of LYRM5 by metal affinity chromatography led to the co-purification of ETFA/B.

**(E)** LYRM5 and ETF form a stable complex. Size exclusion chromatography of LYRM5 alone (red), ETF alone (green), or the co-purified LYRM5-ETF complex (blue) noted in (D).

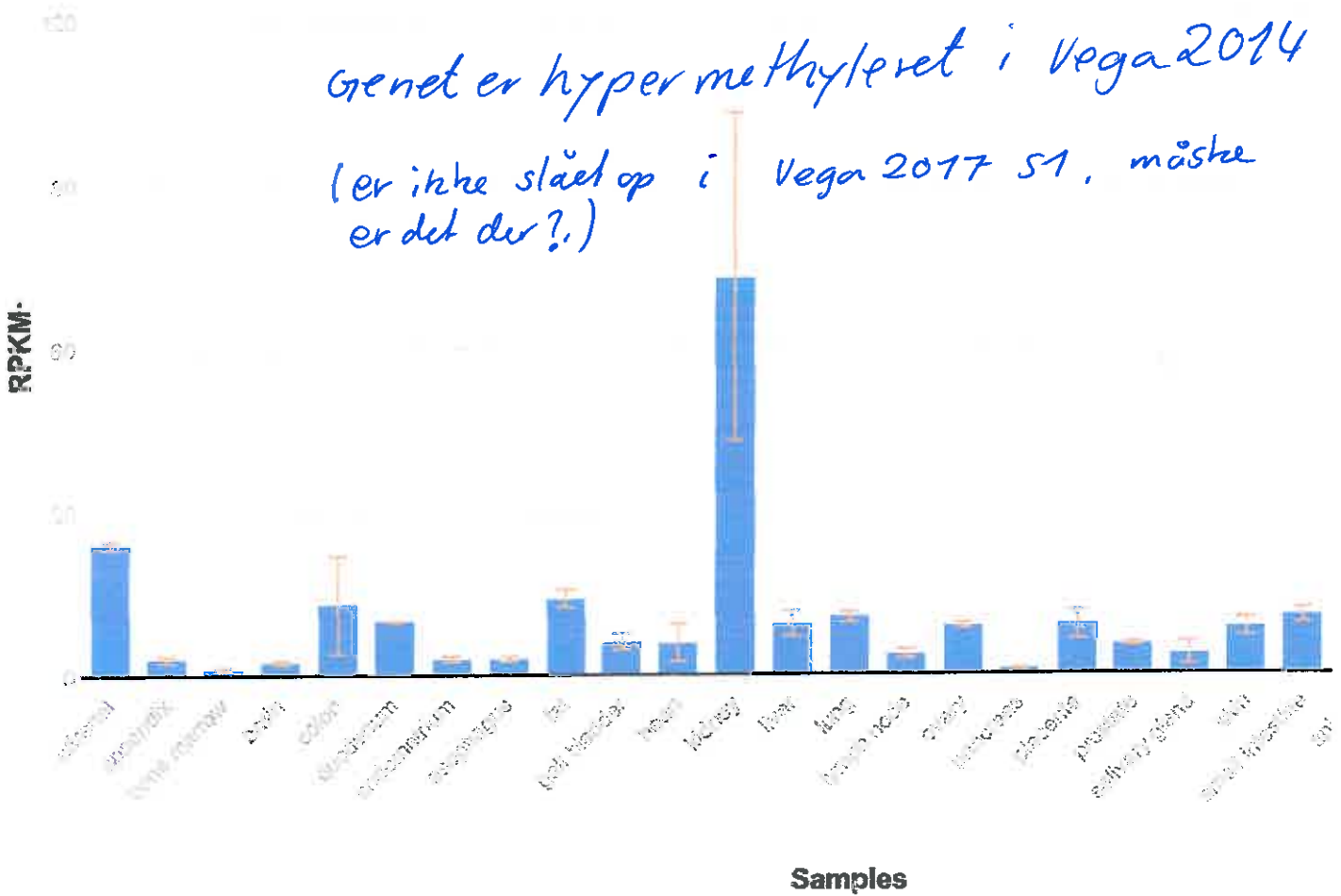
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## Patient with multiple acyl-CoA dehydrogenase deficiency disease and ETFDH mutations benefits from riboflavin therapy: a case report.

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### Abstract

**BACKGROUND:** Lipid storage myopathy (LSM) is a diverse group of lipid metabolic disorders with great variations in the clinical phenotype and age of onset. Classical multiple acyl-CoA dehydrogenase deficiency (MADD) is known to occur secondary to mutations in electron transfer flavoprotein dehydrogenase (ETFDH) gene. Whole exome sequencing (WES) with clinical correlations can be useful in identifying genomic alterations for targeted therapy.

**CASE PRESENTATION:** We report a patient presented with severe muscle weakness and exercise intolerance, suggestive of LSM. Diagnostic testing demonstrated lipid accumulation in muscle fibres and elevated plasma acyl carnitine levels. Exome sequencing of the proband and two of his unaffected siblings revealed compound heterozygous mutations, c.250G > A (p.Ala84Thr) and c.770A > G (p.Tyr257Cys) in the ETFDH gene as the probable causative mutations. In addition, a previously unreported variant c.1042C > T (p.Arg348Trp) in ACOT11 gene was found. This missense variant was predicted to be deleterious but its association with lipid storage in muscle is unclear. The diagnosis of MADD was established and the patient was treated with riboflavin which resulted in rapid clinical and biochemical improvement.

**CONCLUSIONS:** Our findings support the role of WES as an effective tool in the diagnosis of highly heterogeneous disease and this has important implications in the therapeutic strategy of LSM treatment.

**KEYWORDS:** ETFDH; Lipid storage myopathy; Multiple acyl-CoA dehydrogenase deficiency; Whole exome sequencing

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# FADS2 fatty acid desaturase 2 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 9415, updated on 4-Mar-2018

*hypermethylated Vega 2017, 57*  
*mir 1908 hypomethylated in CD4+T cells*  
*Brenn 2014*

**Summary**  
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**Official Symbol** FADS2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** fatty acid desaturase 2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:3575](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000134824](#) [MIM:606149](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000163794](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** D6D; DES6; TU13; FADSD6; LLCDL2; SLL0262

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the fatty acid desaturase (FADS) gene family. Desaturase enzymes regulate unsaturation of fatty acids through the introduction of double bonds between defined carbons of the fatty acyl chain. FADS family members are considered fusion products composed of an N-terminal cytochrome b5-like domain and a C-terminal multiple membrane-spanning desaturase portion, both of which are characterized by conserved histidine motifs. This gene is clustered with family members at 11q12-q13.1; this cluster is thought to have arisen evolutionarily from gene duplication based on its similar exon/intron organization. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants encoding different isoforms. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2013]

**Expression** Broad expression in adrenal (RPKM 104.8), brain (RPKM 64.0) and 16 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context

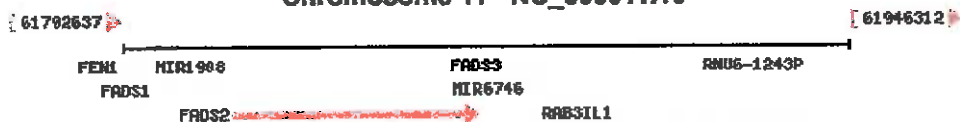
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**Genomic Sequence:** NC\_000011.10 Chromosome 11 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly ▾

# FAM13A family with sequence similarity 13 member A [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 10144, updated on 4-Mar-2018

*gene expression upregulated Nguyen 2017*  
*Gen hypermethylated Vega 2017, 57*

## Summary

### Genome Browsers

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**Official Symbol** FAM13A provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** family with sequence similarity 13 member A provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:19367](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000138640](#) [MIM:613299](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000161006](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** VALIDATED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** FAM13A1; ARHGAP48

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in fat (RPKM 21.4), thyroid (RPKM 14.6) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context

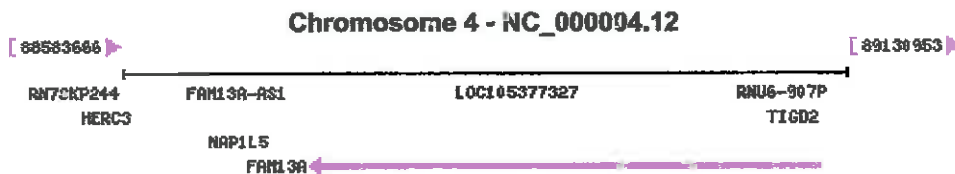
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Location: 4q22.1

Exon count: 31

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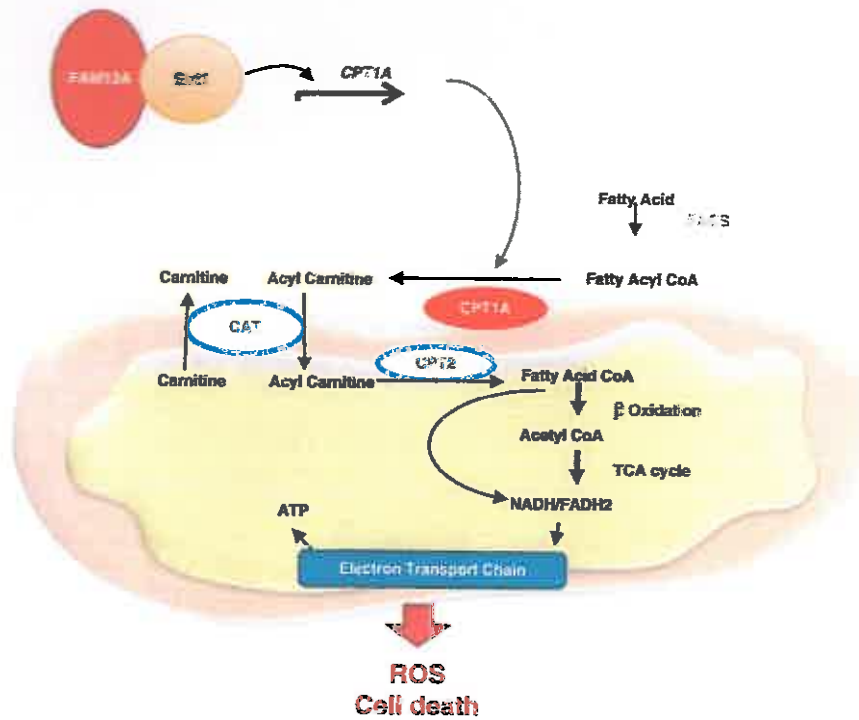
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# FAM13A, A Fatty Acid Oxidation Switch in Mitochondria

## Friend or Foe in Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Pathogenesis?



**Figure 1.** *FAM13A* regulates the CPT1A–FAO pathway in chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD). *FAM13* locus has been shown to be associated with increased expression of *FAM13A* and higher risk for COPD. *FAM13* in association with SIRT1 induces the expression of *CPT1A*, a key enzyme that regulates fatty acid oxidation (FAO) in the mitochondria. Up-regulation of *CPT1A* promotes FAO and high production of ROS, leading to lung epithelial cell death; this is an important pathogenic mechanism that might lead to COPD. CAT, carnitine translocase; CoA, coenzyme A; CPT1A, carnitine palmitoyltransferase 1; CPT2, carnitine palmitoyltransferase 2; FACS, fatty acyl-CoA synthase; FADH<sub>2</sub>, flavin adenin dinucleotide; *FAM13A*, family with sequence similarity 13 member A; NADH, nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide reduced; ROS, reactive oxygen species; SIRT1, sirtuin 1; TCA, tricarboxylic acid cycle.

in isolated type 2 epithelial cells from mice exposed to CS (8). In addition, cell and mouse models often fail to consider that COPD is frequently a disease of the elderly, and metabolic changes occur in the lung and other tissues with aging. Thus, studies in alveolar epithelial cells derived from patients with COPD might confer better understanding of the metabolic adaptations to chronic stress, as well as their consequences in cell survival.

The studies by Jiang and colleagues solidify the link between mitochondrial function and COPD that has been previously suggested. Cloonan and colleagues showed that another commonly replicated COPD risk gene, *IREB2*, also has links to mitochondrial function (13). As with *FAM13A*, *IREB2* expression is increased in the lungs of patients with COPD, and mice without an *IREB2* gene were protected from CS-induced COPD. Exposure to CS has also been linked to other alterations in mitochondrial function and homeostasis, including increased ROS production, reduced biogenesis, disrupted mitochondrial fusion, and altered mitophagy (14, 15).

*FAM13* has previously been shown to negatively regulate  $\beta$ -catenin activity, promoting its degradation (16). However, inhibition of  $\beta$ -catenin in airway epithelial cell lines did not alter FAO, suggesting *FAM13* promotes tissue destruction and impaired repair capacity by a different mechanism. The work by Jiang et al represents a step forward in the identification of pathogenic mechanisms in COPD and the correlation with genetic susceptibility to this disease. Future studies are required to fully clarify the cellular and metabolic responses of human lung cells to chronic stress and disease (Figure 1). ■

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# FKBP5 FK506 binding protein 5 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 2289, updated on 18-Mar-2018

↑ 5'UTR Vega 2017, S7

**Summary**

**enome Browsers**

[enome Data Viewer](#)

**Official Symbol** FKBP5 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** FK506 binding protein 5 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:3721](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000096060](#) [MIM:602623](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000014576](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** P54; AIG6; FKBP51; FKBP54; PPIase; Ptg-10

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the immunophilin protein family, which play a role in immunoregulation and basic cellular processes involving protein folding and trafficking. This encoded protein is a cis-trans prolyl isomerase that binds to the immunosuppressants FK506 and rapamycin. It is thought to mediate calcineurin inhibition. It also interacts functionally with mature hetero-oligomeric progesterone receptor complexes along with the 90 kDa heat shock protein and P23 protein. This gene has been found to have multiple polyadenylation sites. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants. [provided by RefSeq, Mar 2009]

**Expression** Broad expression in fat (RPKM 97.5), lymph node (RPKM 33.3) and 18 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

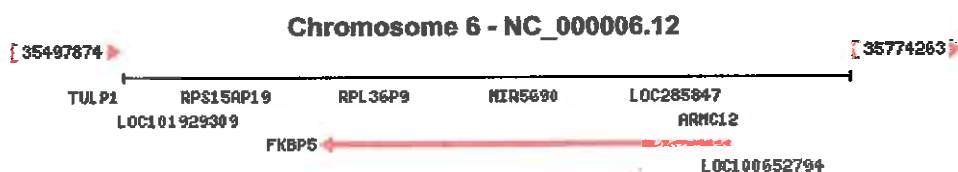
## Genomic context

See FKBP5 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 6p21.31

Exon count: 13

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.33</a> )	6	NC_000006.12 (35573585..35728583, complement)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	6	NC_000006.11 (35541362..35696360, complement)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

Go to [reference sequence details](#)

Genomic Sequence: NC\_000006.12 Chromosome 6 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly ▼

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3. [A FKBP5 mutation is associated with Paget's disease of bone and enhances osteoclastogenesis.](#)

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4. [Methylation matters: FK506 binding protein 51 \(FKBP5\) methylation moderates the associations of FKBP5 genotype and resistant attachment with stress regulation.](#)

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5. [FKBP5 genotype and early life stress exposure predict neurobehavioral outcomes for preterm infants.](#)

D'Agata AL, *et al.* *Dev Psychobiol*, 2017 Apr. PMID 28247564

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[See citations in PubMed for homologs of this gene provided by HomoloGene](#)

### GeneRIFs: Gene References Into Functions [What's a GeneRIF?](#)

1. [GxE interaction between child maltreatment and FKBP5 on dissociative symptoms in adolescence.](#)
2. [Children with high attachment insecurity and homozygous FKBP5 minor alleles manifest maladaptive emotion regulation and depressive symptoms.](#)
3. [This study demonstrated that FKBP5 Messenger RNA Increases After Adolescence in Human Dorsolateral Prefrontal Cortex.](#)
4. [A novel FKBP5 1V55L mutation is associated with Paget's disease in a Chinese family. Mutant FKBP51V55L promotes osteoclastogenesis.](#)
5. [A negative correlation between basal levels of FKBP5 methylation and serum cortisol was observed.](#)
6. [Study found an additive interaction effect between FKBP5's rs1360780 variant and the graph-theoretical metrics of hippocampal connectivity to influence depression risk. Data reveals alterations of the communication patterns between the hippocampus and the rest of the brain in depression, effects potentially driven by overall familial factors \(genes plus shared twin environment\) and modified by the FKBP5 gene.](#)
7. [This study demonstrated suggest that FKBP5 in the GR pathway may be a point of vulnerability to early-life adversity, as seen in this group of non-traumatized young adults.](#)
8. [Psychological stress impaired immediate recall in rs1360780, rs3800373 and rs9296158 allele carriers.](#)
9. [Association of FKBP5 haplotype with risk of suicide attempt.](#)
10. [This study provides initial evidence that the risk alleles of the FKBP5 polymorphism are associated with different resting-state activity in a frontotemporal-parietal network, and may point to mechanisms underpinning high-risk carriers' vulnerability to severe stress reactions.](#)

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### Phenotypes

[Find tests for this gene in the NIH Genetic Testing Registry \(GTR\)](#)

[Review eQTL and phenotype association data in this region using PheGenI](#)

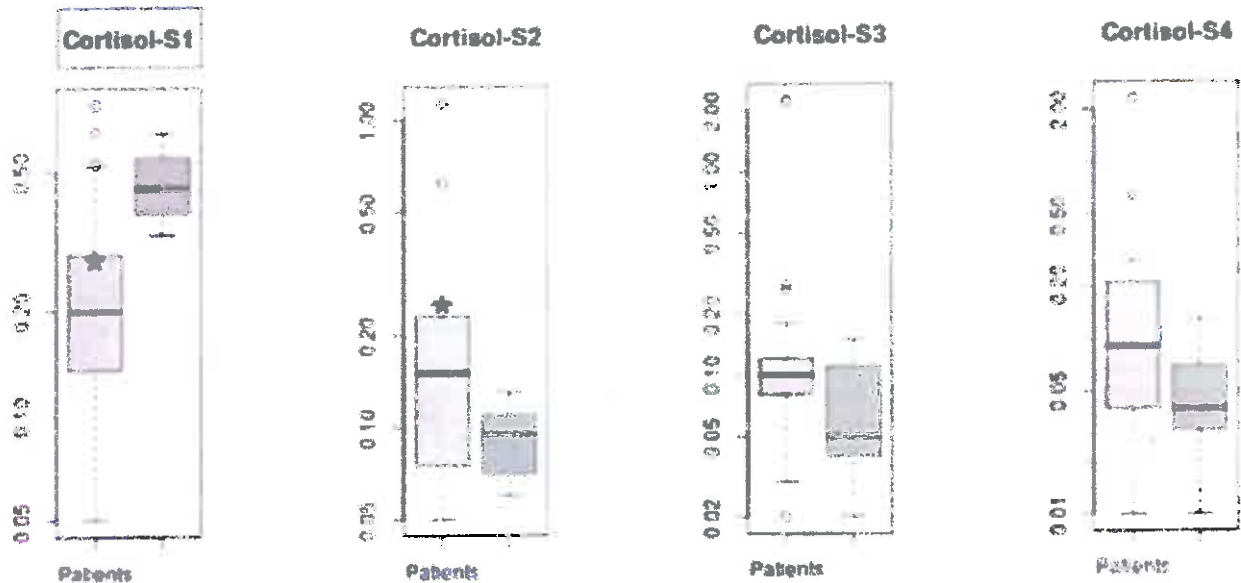
Associated conditions

Description	Tests
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MedGen: <a href="#">C1269683</a> , OMIM: <a href="#">608516</a> , GeneReviews: Not available	

Slide fra Ron Davis

(i relation til  
FKBPS)

## 27 Clinical Lab Tests (>200 Total) Significantly Different Between Patients and Controls



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Time of a Day



ME patienter har lavt cortisol-niveau om morgenen, senere på dagen øges det.

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# HADH hydroxyacyl-CoA dehydrogenase [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 3033, updated on 5-Nov-2017

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*3'UTR hypo Vega 2017 S6 s1*

## Summary

Genome Browsers

Official Symbol	HADH provided by HGNC
Official Full Name	hydroxyacyl-CoA dehydrogenase provided by HGNC
Primary source	HGNC:HGNC:4799
See related	Ensembl:ENSG00000138796 MIM:601609; Vega:OTTHUMG00000131810
Gene type	protein coding
RefSeq status	REVIEWED
Organism	<i>Homo sapiens</i>
Lineage	Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo
Also known as	HAD; HCDH; HHF4; HADH1; SCHAD; HADHSC; MSCHAD

**Summary** This gene is a member of the 3-hydroxyacyl-CoA dehydrogenase gene family. The encoded protein functions in the mitochondrial matrix to catalyze the oxidation of straight-chain 3-hydroxyacyl-CoAs as part of the beta-oxidation pathway. Its enzymatic activity is highest with medium-chain-length fatty acids. Mutations in this gene cause one form of familial hyperinsulinemic hypoglycemia. The human genome contains a related pseudogene of this gene on chromosome 15. [provided by RefSeq, May 2010]

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

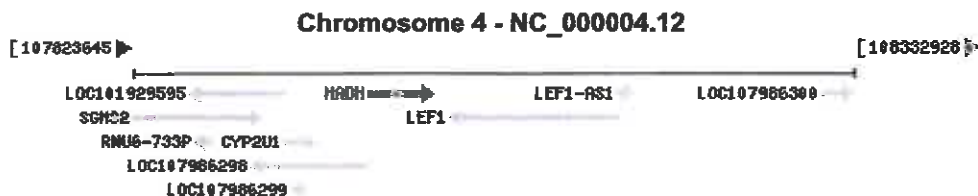
## Genomic context

See HADH in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 4q25

Exon count: 11

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 (GCF_000001405.33)	4	NC_000004.12 (107989714..108035175)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 (GCF_000001405.25)	4	NC_000004.11 (108910870..108956331)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: [NC\\_000004.12 Chromosome 4 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly](#)

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# HMGCL 3-hydroxymethyl-3-methylglutaryl-CoA lyase [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 3155, updated on 21-Dec-2016

## Summary

↑ hypermethylated Vega 2014

**Official Symbol** HMGCL provided by [HGNC](#)  
**Official Full Name** 3-hydroxymethyl-3-methylglutaryl-CoA lyase provided by [HGNC](#)  
**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:5005](#)  
**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000117305](#) [MIM:613898](#); [Vega:OTTUMG00000002963](#)  
**Gene type** protein coding  
**RefSeq status** REVIEWED  
**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)  
**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo  
**Also known as** HL  
**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene belongs to the HMG-CoA lyase family. It is a mitochondrial enzyme that catalyzes the final step of leucine degradation and plays a key role in ketone body formation. Mutations in this gene are associated with HMG-CoA lyase deficiency. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Oct 2009]  
**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

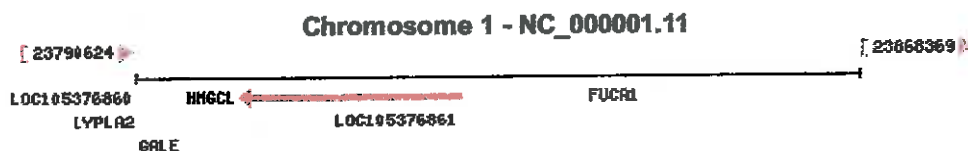
## Genomic context

See HMGCL in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 1p36.11

Exon count: 9

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.33</a> )	1	NC_000001.11 (23801877..23825459, complement)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	1	NC_000001.10 (24128367..24165110, complement)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000001.11 Chromosome 1 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly ▾

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Genes, NCBI Homo sapiens Annotation Release 108, 2016-06-07

# OSBPL6 oxysterol binding protein like 6 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 114880, updated on 4-Feb-2018

*5'UTR hypometyleret } Vega 2017  
TSS200 hypermethyleret } tabel 57  
relateret til ME  
patienters livs-  
kvalitet*

## Summary

### Genome Browsers

Genome Data Viewer

**Official Symbol** OSBPL6 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** oxysterol binding protein like 6 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:16388](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000079156](#) [MIM:606734](#); [Vega:CTTHUMG00000132579](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** ORP6

**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the oxysterol-binding protein (OSBP) family, a group of intracellular lipid receptors. Most members contain an N-terminal pleckstrin homology domain and a highly conserved C-terminal OSBP-like sterol-binding domain. Transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been identified. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Broad expression in brain (RPKM 4.0), skin (RPKM 2.6) and 21 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

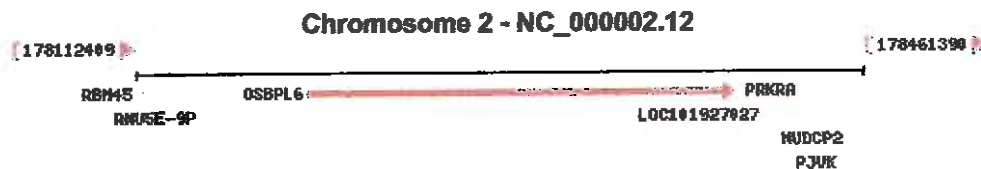
## Genomic context

See OSBPL6 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 2q31.2

Exon count: 30

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.33</a> )	2	NC_000002.12 (178194479..178399433)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	2	NC_000002.11 (179059208..179264160)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

Go to [reference sequence details](#)

**Genomic Sequence:** NC\_000002.12 Chromosome 2 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly ▼

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Genes, NCBI Homo sapiens Annotation Release 108, 2016-...

# OXNAD1 oxidoreductase NAD binding domain containing 1 [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 92106 updated on 11-Mar-2018

*OXNAD1 hypo Vega 2017 S7, RFTN1 ↑*

## Genome Browsers

Genome Data Viewer

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Variation Viewer (GRCh38)

Variation Viewer (GRCh38)

100 Genomes Browser (GRCh37.p13)

Ensembl

NCBI

### Official Symbol

OXNAD1 provided by HGNC

### Official Full Name

oxidoreductase NAD binding domain containing 1 provided by HGNC

### Primary source

HGNC:HGNC:25128

### See related

Ensembl:ENSG00000154814 Vega:OTTHUMG00000129867

### Gene type

protein/coding

### RefSeq status

VALIDATED

### Organism

Homo sapiens

### Lineage

Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

### Expression

Ubiquitous expression in lymph node (RPKM 2.7), appendix (RPKM 1.8) and 24 other tissues [See more](#)

### Orthologs

[mouse](#) [all](#)

*YBEY sidder ved siden af PCNT på chr 11  
D2HGDH + OXNAD1 interagerer med YBEY*

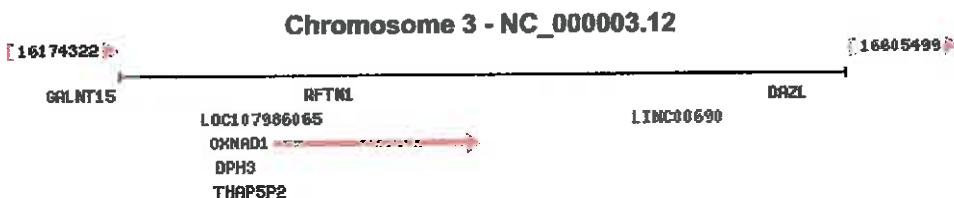
## Genomic context

See OXNAD1 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 3p25.1-p24.3

Exon count: 19

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.33</a> )	3	NC_000003.12 (16265160..16386979)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	3	NC_000003.11 (16306667..16379000)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000003.12 Chromosome 3 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly ▼

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Genes, NCBI Homo sapiens Annotation Release 108, 2016-...

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Conserved Domains (1) [summary](#)

[cd00322](#) FNR\_like; Ferredoxin reductase (FNR), an FAD and NAD(P) binding protein, was initially identified as a chloroplast reductase activity, catalyzing the electron transfer from reduced iron-sulfur protein ferredoxin to NADP+ as the final step in the electron transport ...  
 Location:48 → 282

8. [NM\\_001352983.1](#) → [NP\\_001339912.1](#) **oxidoreductase NAD-binding domain-containing protein 1 isoform 3**

**Status: VALIDATED**

Source sequence(s) [AC090948](#), [AC090953](#), [CR739022](#)

Conserved Domains (1) [summary](#)

[cd00322](#) FNR\_like; Ferredoxin reductase (FNR), an FAD and NAD(P) binding protein, was initially identified as a chloroplast reductase activity, catalyzing the electron transfer from reduced iron-sulfur protein ferredoxin to NADP+ as the final step in the electron transport ...  
 Location:48 → 282

9. [NM\\_138381.4](#) → [NP\\_612390.1](#) **oxidoreductase NAD-binding domain-containing protein 1 isoform 2 precursor**

[See identical proteins and their annotated locations for NP\\_612390.1](#)

**Status: VALIDATED**

Source sequence(s) [AC090953](#), [BC007285](#), [BC008322](#), [HY044078](#)

Consensus CDS [CCDS2630.1](#)

UniProtKB/Swiss-Prot [Q96HP4](#)

Related [ENSP00000285083.5](#), [OTTHUMP00000160306](#), [ENSTD00000285083.9](#)

Conserved Domains (1) [summary](#)

[cd00322](#) FNR\_like; Ferredoxin reductase (FNR), an FAD and NAD(P) binding protein, was initially identified as a chloroplast reductase activity, catalyzing the electron transfer from reduced iron-sulfur protein ferredoxin to NADP+ as the final step in the electron transport ...  
 Location:75 → 309

**RNA**

1. [NR\\_148217.1](#) RNA Sequence

**Status: VALIDATED**

Source sequence(s) [AC090948](#), [AC090953](#), [BQ180851](#)

2. [NR\\_148218.1](#) RNA Sequence

**Status: VALIDATED**

Source sequence(s) [AC090948](#), [AC090953](#), [BQ180851](#)

3. [NR\\_148219.1](#) RNA Sequence

**Status: VALIDATED**

Source sequence(s) [AC090948](#), [AC090953](#), [BQ180851](#)

4. [NR\\_148220.1](#) RNA Sequence

**Status: VALIDATED**

Source sequence(s) [AC090948](#), [AC090953](#), [CR739022](#)

# PFKFB3 6-phosphofructo-2-kinase/fructose-2,6-biphosphatase 3 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 5209, updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypermethylerat body, Vega 2017, 57*

## Ensembl Browsers

Summary  
Ensembl Data Viewer

Map Viewer

**Official Symbol** PFKFB3 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** 6-phosphofructo-2-kinase/fructose-2,6-biphosphatase 3 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:8874](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSC00000170525](#) [MIM:605319](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000017621](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** PFK2; IPFK2; iPFK-2

**Summary** The protein encoded by this gene belongs to a family of bifunctional proteins that are involved in both the synthesis and degradation of fructose-2,6-bisphosphate, a regulatory molecule that controls glycolysis in eukaryotes. The encoded protein has a 6-phosphofructo-2-kinase activity that catalyzes the synthesis of fructose-2,6-bisphosphate (F2,6BP), and a fructose-2,6-biphosphatase activity that catalyzes the degradation of F2,6BP. This protein is required for cell cycle progression and prevention of apoptosis. It functions as a regulator of cyclin-dependent kinase 1, linking glucose metabolism to cell proliferation and survival in tumor cells. Several alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Apr 2016]

**Expression** Biased expression in fat (RPKM 188.2), bone marrow (RPKM 67.0) and 9 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

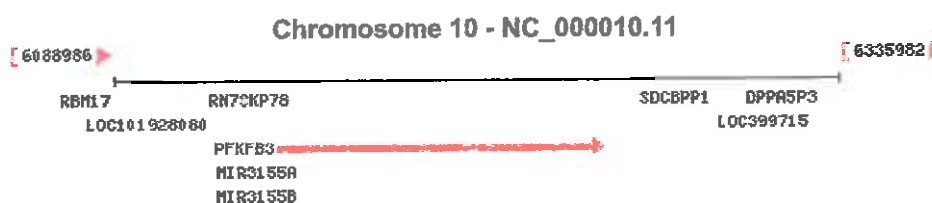
## Genomic context

See PFKFB3 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 10p15.1

Exon count: 20

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
109	current	GRCh38.p12 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.38</a> )	10	NC_000010.11 (6144878..6254648)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	10	NC_000010.10 (6186843..6277508)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products



# PHYH phytanoyl-CoA 2-hydroxylase [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 5264, updated on 5-Nov-2017

*= phytanoyl coA 2 oxoglutarate dioxy-  
hypermethyleret Vega2017 gene*

## Summary

Genome Browsers

Genome Data Viewer

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Variant Viewer (GRCh37.p13)

Variant Viewer (GRCh38)

100 Genomes Browser (GRCh37.p13)

Ensembl

NCSC

**Official Symbol** PHYH provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** phytanoyl-CoA 2-hydroxylase provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:8940](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000107537](#) [MIM:602026](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000017693](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** RD; LN1; PAHX; LNAP1; PHYH1

**Summary** This gene is a member of the PhyH family and encodes a peroxisomal protein that is involved in the alpha-oxidation of 3-methyl branched fatty acids. Specifically, this protein converts phytanoyl-CoA to 2-hydroxyphytanoyl-CoA. Mutations in this gene have been associated with Refsum disease (RD) and deficient protein activity has been associated with Zellweger syndrome and rhizomelic chondrodysplasia punctata. Alternate transcriptional splice variants, encoding different isoforms, have been characterized. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Broad expression in liver (RPKM 137.6), kidney (RPKM 65.7) and 17 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

## Genomic context

*Proves: L-ascorbic acid binding*

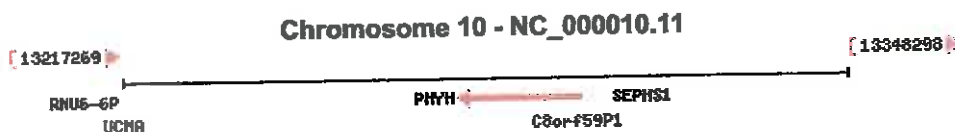
See PHYH in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 10p13

Exon count: 10

*Interaktion: FKBP4, PEX7, ELAVL1, TP53, WRAP73*

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">108</a>	current	GRCh38.p7 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.33</a> )	10	NC_000010.11 (13277796..13300130, complement)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	10	NC_000010.10 (13319796..13342133, complement)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000010.11 Chromosome 10 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly

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# POR cytochrome p450 oxidoreductase [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 5447, updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypermethylated Vega 2014+2017*

**Summary**

[Ensembl Browsers](#)

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[Variation Viewer \(GRCh37.p13\)](#)

[Variation Viewer \(GRCh38\)](#)

[100 Genomes Browser \(GRCh37.p13\)](#)

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**Official Symbol** POR provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** cytochrome p450 oxidoreductase provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:9208](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENS:G00000127948](#) [MIM:124015](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000130413](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** CPR; CYPOR; P450R

**Summary** This gene encodes an endoplasmic reticulum membrane oxidoreductase with an FAD-binding domain and a flavodoxin-like domain. The protein binds two cofactors, FAD and FMN, which allow it to donate electrons directly from NADPH to all microsomal P450 enzymes. Mutations in this gene have been associated with various diseases, including apparent combined P450C17 and P450C21 deficiency, amenorrhea and disordered steroidogenesis, congenital adrenal hyperplasia and Antley-Bixler syndrome. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in liver (RPKM 99.7), adrenal (RPKM 78.6) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

*Important!*

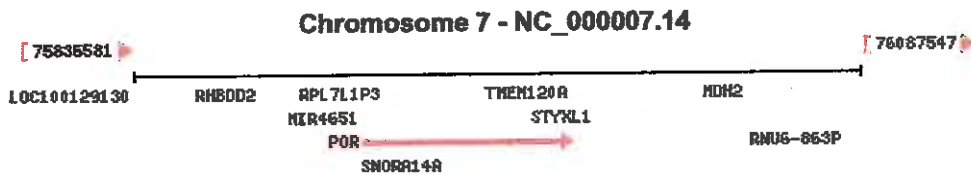
**Genomic context**

See POR in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

**Location:** 7q11.23

**Exon count:** 16

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
<a href="#">109</a>	current	GRCh38.p12 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.38</a> )	7	NC_000007.14 (75915102..75986855)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	7	NC_000007.13 (75544420..75616173)



**Genomic regions, transcripts, and products**

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**Genomic Sequence:** NC\_000007.14 Chromosome 7 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▼

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# PPCDC phosphopantothenoylcysteine decarboxylase [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

Gene ID: 60490, updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypermethylated body Vega 2017, 57*

## Summary

Ensembl Browsers

Ensembl Data Viewer

Map Viewer

Variation Viewer (GRCh37.p13)

Variation Viewer (GRCh38)

100 Genomes Browser (GRCh37.p13)

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**Official Symbol** PPCDC provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** phosphopantothenoylcysteine decarboxylase provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:28107](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000138621](#) [MIM:609854](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000142824](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** VALIDATED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** coaC; MDS018; PPC-DC

**Summary** Biosynthesis of coenzyme A (CoA) from pantothenic acid (vitamin B5) is an essential universal pathway in prokaryotes and eukaryotes. PPCDC (EC 4.1.1.36), one of the last enzymes in this pathway, converts phosphopantothenoylcysteine to 4-prime-phosphopantetheine (Daugherty et al., 2002 [PubMed 11923312]).[supplied by OMIM, Mar 2008]

**Expression** Ubiquitous expression in bone marrow (RPKM 1.6), appendix (RPKM 1.5) and 25 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

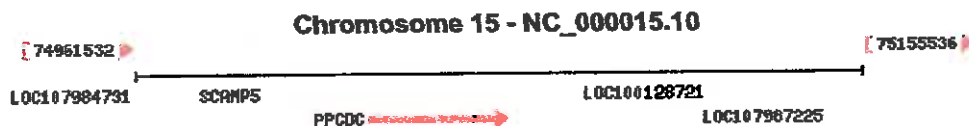
## Genomic context

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Location: 15q24.2

Exon count: 10

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<u>105</u>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	15	NC_000015.9 (75315927..75343067)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000015.10 Chromosome 15 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▾

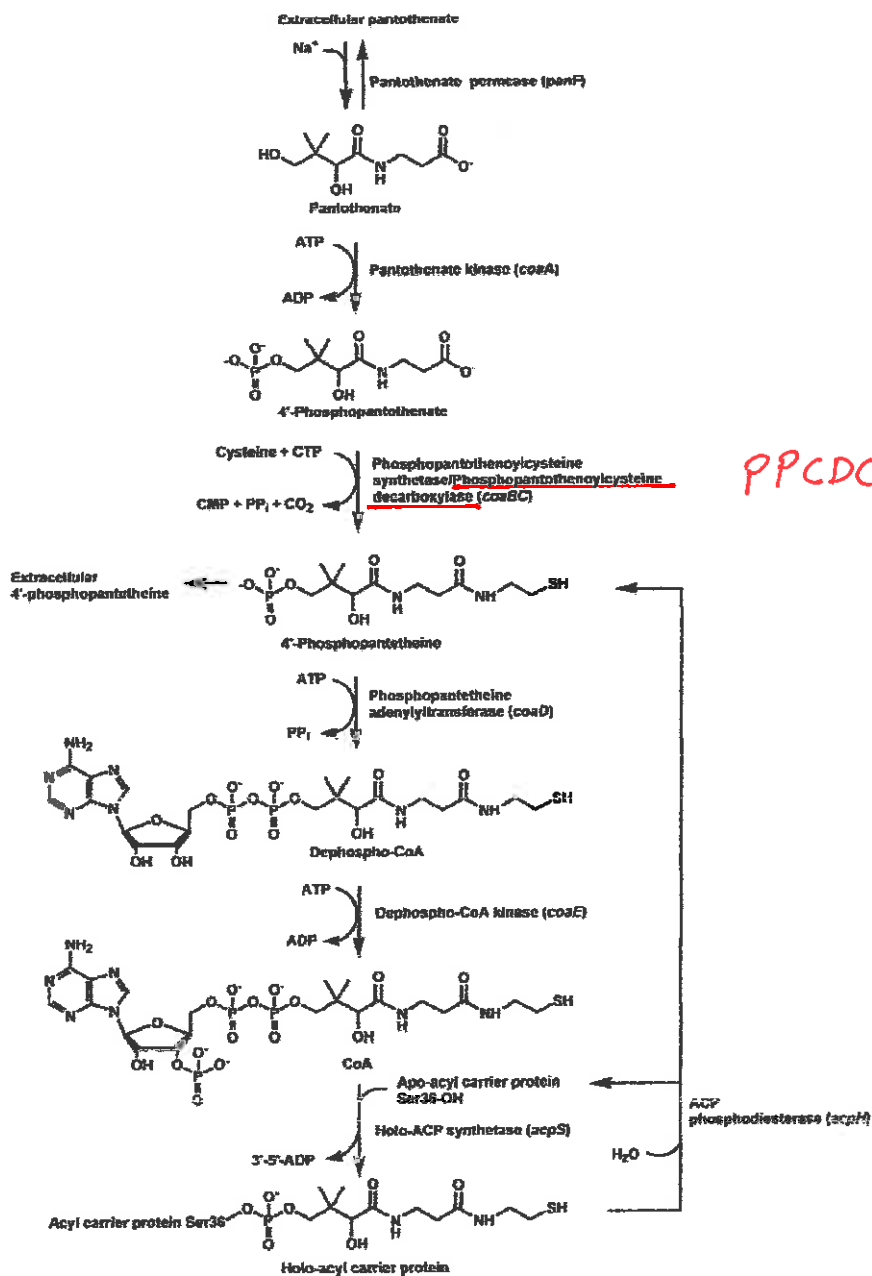
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NC\_000015.10 Find:

Tools

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*PPCDC side 1*



**Figure 2.** Pathway for CoA biosynthesis and the addition of the prosthetic group to ACP. Active uptake of pantothenate by a sodium-dependent permease (the *panF* gene product) is an alternate route to intracellular pantothenate, which is then either used for CoA biosynthesis or exported from the cells by a separate transport system. Pantothenate kinase (the *coaA* gene product) is the first, and most highly regulated, step in CoA biosynthesis and is regulated by feedback inhibition by CoA and its thioesters. Cysteine is then added to 4'-phosphopantothenate to generate 4'-phosphopantothenoylcysteine, which is then

# SORCS2 sortilin related VPS10 domain containing receptor 2 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]

*hypermethylated Vega 2014*

Gene ID: 57537 updated on 29-Mar-2018

## Genome Browsers

### Summary

Genome Data Viewer

Map Viewer

**Official Symbol** SORCS2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** sortilin related VPS10 domain containing receptor 2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:16698](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000184985](#) [MIM:606234](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000159981](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Summary** This gene encodes one family member of vacuolar protein sorting 10 (VPS10) domain-containing receptor proteins. The VPS10 domain name comes from the yeast carboxypeptidase Y sorting receptor Vps10 protein. Members of this gene family are large with many exons but the CDS lengths are usually less than 3700 nt. Very large introns typically separate the exons encoding the VPS10 domain; the remaining exons are separated by much smaller-sized introns. These genes are strongly expressed in the central nervous system. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Broad expression in brain (RPKM 4.7), kidney (RPKM 2.0) and 20 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

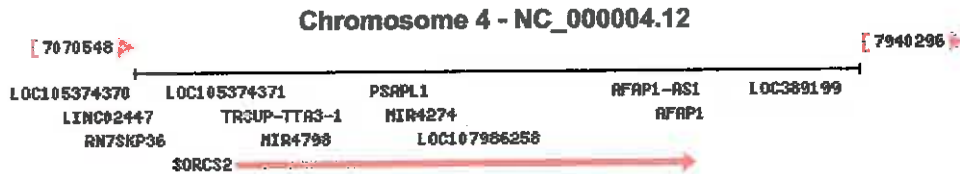
## Genomic context

See SORCS2 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 4p16.1

Exon count: 29

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 <a href="#">(GCF_000001405.25)</a>	4	NC_000004.11 (7194374..7744564)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000004.12 Chromosome 4 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▾

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# SORL1 sortilin related receptor 1 [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 6653, updated on 31-Oct-2016

## Summary

~~HUSK TRPM3 related~~ *golgi apparatus vesicle transport*

*Hypermethylent  
vega 2017*

- Official Symbol** SORL1 provided by [HGNC](#)
- Official Full Name** sortilin related receptor 1 provided by [HGNC](#)
- Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:11185](#)
- See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000137642](#) [HPRD:03595](#); [MIM:602005](#); [Vega:OTTHUMG00000166057](#)
- Gene type** protein coding
- RefSeq status** REVIEWED
- Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)
- Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo
- Also known as** LR11; LRP9; SORLA; gp250; SorLA-1; C11orf32

**Summary** This gene encodes a mosaic protein that belongs to at least two families: the vacuolar protein sorting 10 (VPS10) domain-containing receptor family, and the low density lipoprotein receptor (LDLR) family. The encoded protein also contains fibronectin type III repeats and an epidermal growth factor repeat. The encoded preproprotein is proteolytically processed to generate the mature receptor, which likely plays roles in endocytosis and sorting. Mutations in this gene may be associated with Alzheimer's disease. [provided by RefSeq, Feb 2016]

**Annotation information** Note: In some of the published literature, this gene has been incorrectly associated with the LRP9 alias, but the LRP9 alias more correctly refers to Gene ID 26020, LRP10. [05 May 2010]

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

*Proteom studiet spinalvaske normal-CFS - post-Lyme*  
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## Genomic context

*Fibronectin III domain*

See SORL1 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

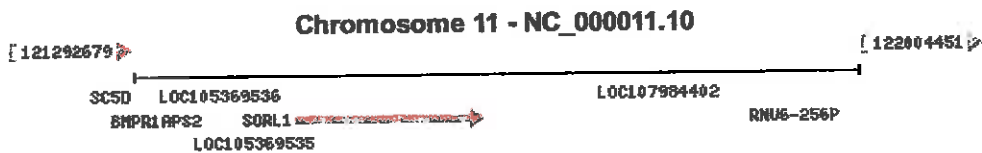
**Location:** 11q24.1

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**Exon count:** 53

*studiet Bioinformasjon 6 (3) 120-124 (2011)  
og Frampton et al: "44 genes"*

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	11	NC_000011.9 (121322912..121504471)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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**Genomic Sequence:** NC\_000011.10 Chromosome 11 Reference GRCh38.p7 Primary Assembly

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# SORT1 sortilin 1 [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 6272, updated on 29-Mar-2018

*hypermethylated TSS1500, Vega2017, 57*

## Summary

### Genome Browsers

[Genome Data Viewer](#)  
**Official Symbol** SORT1 provided by [HGNC](#)

[Map Viewer](#)  
**Official Full Name** sortilin 1 provided by [HGNC](#)

[Variation Viewer \(GRCh37.p13\)](#)  
**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:11186](#)

[Variation Viewer \(GRCh38\)](#)  
**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000134243](#) [MIM:602458](#), [Vega:CTTHUMG00000011999](#)

[100 Genomes Browser \(GRCh37.p13\)](#)  
**Gene type** protein coding

[RefSeq status](#) REVIEWED

[Organism](#) [Homo sapiens](#)

[Lineage](#) Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

[Also known as](#) NT3; Gp95; NTR3; LDLCQ6

**Summary** This gene encodes a member of the VPS10-related sortilin family of proteins. The encoded preprotein is proteolytically processed by furin to generate the mature receptor. This receptor plays a role in the trafficking of different proteins to either the cell surface, or subcellular compartments such as lysosomes and endosomes. Expression levels of this gene may influence the risk of myocardial infarction in human patients. Alternative splicing results in multiple transcript variants. [provided by RefSeq, Oct 2015]

**Expression** Broad expression in brain (RPKM 47.1), testis (RPKM 30.3) and 22 other tissues [See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

*proteomstudiet spinal normal - CFS - post Lyme*

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## Genomic context

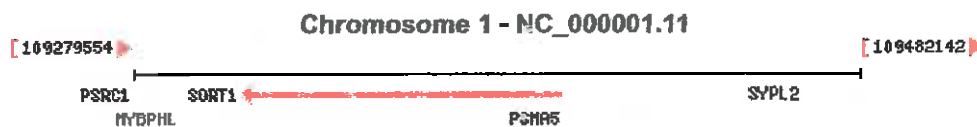
*intergenic mid BCL11*

See SORT1 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 1p13.3; 1p21.3-p13.1

Exon count: 23

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
109	current	GRCh38.p12 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.38</a> )	1	NC_000001.11 (109309565..109397945, complement)
<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	1	NC_000001.10 (109852187..109940563, complement)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Genomic Sequence: NC\_000001.11 Chromosome 1 Reference GRCh38.p12 Primary Assembly ▾

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# UCP2 uncoupling protein 2 [Homo sapiens (human)]

Gene ID: 7351, updated on 2-Apr-2018

*↓ hypomethylated Vega 2014  
→ seq after dem i Vega 2017*

## Summary

Genome Browsers

Genome Data Viewer

Map Viewer

Orientation Viewer (GRCh38)

Orientation Viewer (GRCh37)

100 Genomes Browser (GRCh37)

Ensembl

UCSC

**Official Symbol** UCP2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Official Full Name** uncoupling protein 2 provided by [HGNC](#)

**Primary source** [HGNC:HGNC:12518](#)

**See related** [Ensembl:ENSG00000175567](#) [MIM:601693](#) [Vega:CTTHUMG00000163095](#)

**Gene type** protein coding

**RefSeq status** REVIEWED

**Organism** [Homo sapiens](#)

**Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo

**Also known as** UCPH; BMIQ4; SLC25A8

**Summary** Mitochondrial uncoupling proteins (UCP) are members of the larger family of mitochondrial anion carrier proteins (MACP). UCPs separate oxidative phosphorylation from ATP synthesis with energy dissipated as heat, also referred to as the mitochondrial proton leak. UCPs facilitate the transfer of anions from the inner to the outer mitochondrial membrane and the return transfer of protons from the outer to the inner mitochondrial membrane. They also reduce the mitochondrial membrane potential in mammalian cells. Tissue specificity occurs for the different UCPs and the exact methods of how UCPs transfer H<sup>+</sup>/OH<sup>-</sup> are not known. UCPs contain the three homologous protein domains of MACPs. This gene is expressed in many tissues, with the greatest expression in skeletal muscle. It is thought to play a role in nonshivering thermogenesis, obesity and diabetes. Chromosomal order is 5'-UCP3-UCP2-3'. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008]

**Expression** Broad expression in lymph node (RPKM 136.6), spleen (RPKM 105.7) and 20 other tissues

[See more](#)

**Orthologs** [mouse](#) [all](#)

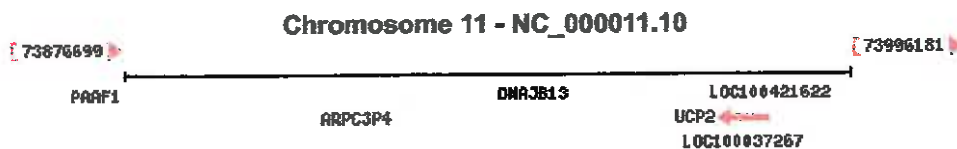
## Genomic context

See UCP2 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

**Location:** 11q13.4

**Exon count:** 7

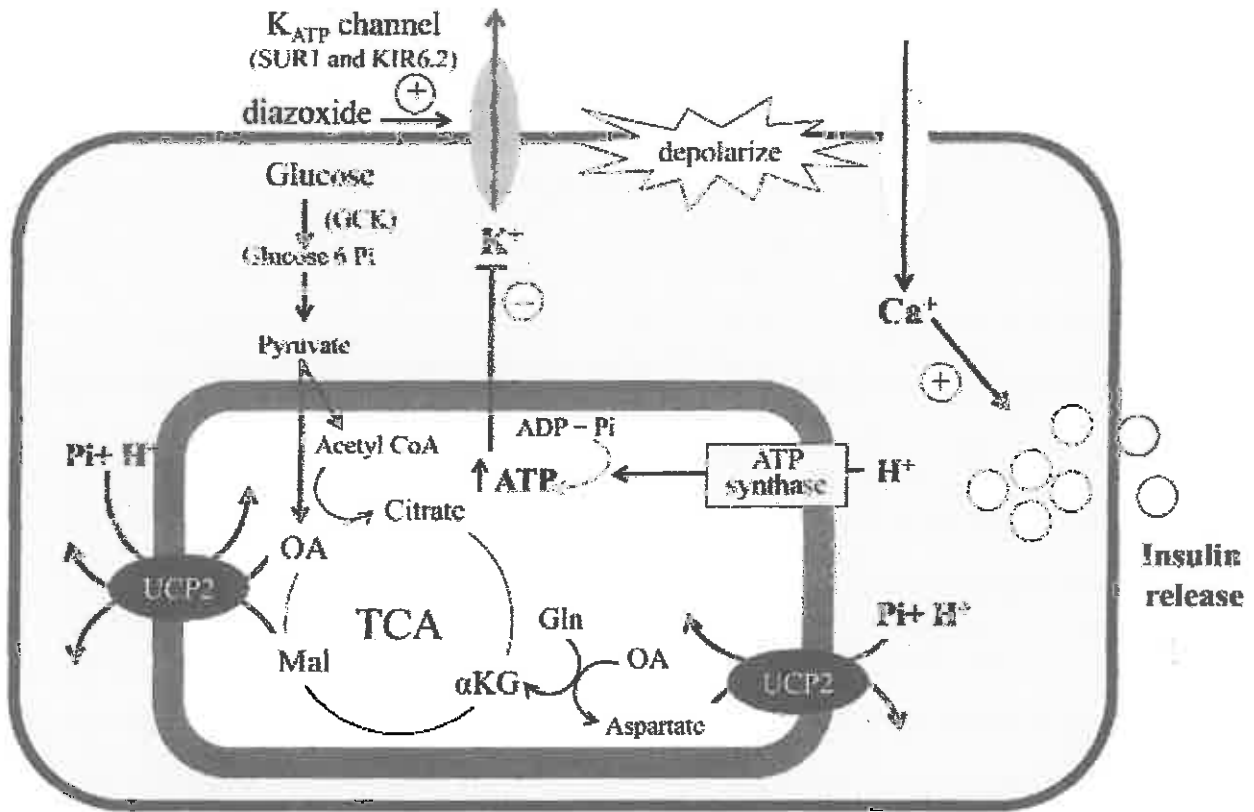
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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	11	NC_000011.9 (73685716..73693889, complement)



## Genomic regions, transcripts, and products

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Figure 1. Ferrar et al. J Clin Endocrinol Metab 2017



UCP2 modulates  $\beta$ -cell insulin secretion. UCP2 activity increases oxaloacetate to enhance glucose oxidation and restrain the oxidation of amino acids via glutamate metabolism to  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate.  $\alpha$ KG:  $\alpha$ ketoglutarate; acetyl CoA, acetyl coenzyme A; ADP, adenosine 5'-diphosphate; ATP, adenosine triphosphate; GCK, glucokinase; Gln, glutamine; KIR6.2/SUR1, adenosine triphosphate-dependent potassium channel; Mal, malate; OA, oxaloacetate; Pi, phosphate; TCA, tricarboxylic acid.

UCP side 2

**UCP3 uncoupling protein 3 [ *Homo sapiens* (human) ]**

Gene ID: 7352, updated on 29-Mar-2018

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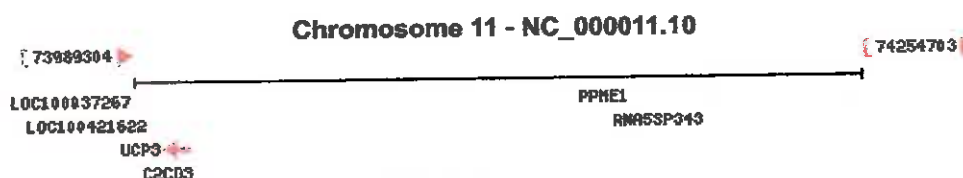
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	<b>RefSeq status</b> REVIEWED
	<b>Organism</b> <a href="#">Homo sapiens</a>
<a href="#">Ensembl</a>	<b>Lineage</b> Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Primates; Haplorrhini; Catarrhini; Hominidae; Homo
<a href="#">NCBI</a>	<b>Also known as</b> SLC25A9
	<b>Summary</b> Mitochondrial uncoupling proteins (UCP) are members of the larger family of mitochondrial anion carrier proteins (MACP). UCPs separate oxidative phosphorylation from ATP synthesis with energy dissipated as heat, also referred to as the mitochondrial proton leak. UCPs facilitate the transfer of anions from the inner to the outer mitochondrial membrane and the return transfer of protons from the outer to the inner mitochondrial membrane. They also reduce the mitochondrial membrane potential in mammalian cells. The different UCPs have tissue-specific expression; <u>this gene is primarily expressed in skeletal muscle. This gene's protein product is postulated to protect mitochondria against lipid-induced oxidative stress. Expression levels of this gene increase when fatty acid supplies to mitochondria exceed their oxidation capacity and the protein enables the export of fatty acids from mitochondria.</u> UCPs contain the three solcar protein domains typically found in MACPs. Two splice variants have been found for this gene.[provided by RefSeq, Nov 2008]
	<b>Expression</b> Low expression observed in reference dataset <a href="#">See more</a>
	<b>Orthologs</b> <a href="#">mouse</a> <a href="#">all</a>

**Genomic context**See UCP3 in [Genome Data Viewer](#) [Map Viewer](#)

Location: 11q13.4

Exon count: 7

Annotation release	Status	Assembly	Chr	Location
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<a href="#">105</a>	previous assembly	GRCh37.p13 ( <a href="#">GCF_000001405.25</a> )	11	NC_000011.9 (73711326..73720282, complement)

**Genomic regions, transcripts, and products**