

129S(Cg)-Tgfr2^{tm1.1Hcd}/J

Stock No: **024634**

 Congenic, Targeted Mutation

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GENETIC OVERVIEW

Genetic Background

Generation

Tgfr2^{tm1.1Hcd}

Alele Type

Gene Symbol

Gene Name

Targeted

Tgfr2

transforming growth factor, beta receptor II

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RESEARCH APPLICATIONS

Internal/Organ Research

Cardiovascular Research

Developmental Biology Research

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BASE PRICE

Starting at:

\$2,854.50 Domestic price Cryo Recovery

V I E W P R I C E L I S T

Details

Detailed Description

Loeys-Dietz Syndrome (LDS) is a connective tissue disorder that is characterized by a high risk for aneurysm and dissection throughout the arterial tree and phenotypically resembles Marfan Syndrome. LDS is caused by heterozygous missense mutations in either TGF receptor gene (*TGFBR1* or *TGFBR2*).

This targeted mutant strain carries an G357W missense mutation associated with LDS in the mouse *Tgfr2* (transforming growth factor, beta receptor II) gene. Mutant and wildtype alleles are expressed approximately equally in the aortic walls of heterozygotes. Heterozygous mice develop progressive aortic root aneurysm, as well as elongation and tortuosity of the aortic arch and coronary arteries. A subtle but significant deviation from the wildtype condition is detectable at 4 weeks of age, and becomes highly reproducible and dramatic at 24 weeks. At 24 weeks of age, elastic fiber fragmentation is detectable in the aortic roots of these knockin mice. The aortic wall also shows progressive thickening with excessive collagen deposition. Approximately 10-15% of heterozygotes may die by 180 days of age due to aortic dissection. Hemothorax or hemopericardium is observable in approximately 60% of deaths. These mice also develop skeletal manifestations associated with LDS, such as kyphosis, overgrowth of the ribs and craniosynostosis.

Development

Control Suggestions

Selected References

Genetics

Tgfr2^{tm1.1Hcd}

Disease/Phenotype

Disease Terms

Research Areas By Phenotype

Mammalian Phenotype Terms by Genotype

- Technical Support

C O N T A C T T E C H N I C A L S U P P O R T

Genotyping Protocols

Standard PCR: [Tgfb2](#)

Standard PCR: [Generic Neo](#)

Probe: [Generic Neo](#)

[Genotyping resources and troubleshooting](#)

Breeding Considerations

Heterozygotes are fertile, but show reduced viability. Approximately 10-15% of heterozygotes may die by 180 days of age due to aortic dissection. Homozygotes are not viable.

[Additional Breeding and Husbandry Support](#)

Citation

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Animal Health Reports

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SERVICE/PRODUCT	DESCRIPTION	PRICE
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129S(Cg)-Tgfr2<tm1.1Hcd>/J Frozen Embryo

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