

GEPHE SUMMARY

	Gephebase Gene	GepheID
beta-tubulin (#gephebase-summary-title)	GP00001820	
	Entry Status	Main curator
Published	Courtier	

PHENOTYPIC CHANGE

	Trait Category		
	Trait		
Physiology (#gephebase-summary-title)			
Xenobiotic resistance (benzimidazole) (#gephebase-summary-title)	Trait State in Taxon A		
sensitive	Trait State in Taxon B		
resistant	Ancestral State		
Taxon A	Taxonomic Status		
Intraspecific (#gephebase-summary-title)			
Taxon A	Latin Name		Latin Name
Haemonchus contortus (#gephebase-summary-title)			
barber pole worm	Common Name		Common Name
barber pole worm; red stomach worm; Haemonchus contortus (Rudolphi, 1803)	Synonyms		Synonyms
species	Rank		Rank
cellular organisms; Eukaryota; Opisthokonta; Metazoa; Eumetazoa; Bilateria; Protostomia; Ecdysozoa; Nematoda; Chromadorea; Strongylida; Trichostrongyloidea; Haemonchidae; Haemonchus	Lineage		Lineage
Haemonchus () - (Rank: genus) (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Browser/wwwtax.cgi?id= 6288)	Parent		Parent
6289 (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Browser/wwwtax.cgi?id= 6289)	NCBI Taxonomy ID		NCBI Taxonomy ID
No	is Taxon A an Infraspecies?		is Taxon B an Infraspecies?
Taxon B	Latin Name		
Haemonchus contortus (#gephebase-summary-title)			
barber pole worm	Common Name		Common Name
barber pole worm; red stomach worm; Haemonchus contortus (Rudolphi, 1803)	Synonyms		Synonyms
species	Rank		Rank
cellular organisms; Eukaryota; Opisthokonta; Metazoa; Eumetazoa; Bilateria; Protostomia; Ecdysozoa; Nematoda; Chromadorea; Strongylida; Trichostrongyloidea; Haemonchidae; Haemonchus	Lineage		Lineage
Haemonchus () - (Rank: genus) (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Browser/wwwtax.cgi?id= 6288)	Parent		Parent
6289 (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Browser/wwwtax.cgi?id= 6289)	NCBI Taxonomy ID		NCBI Taxonomy ID
No			

GENOTYPIC CHANGE

	Generic Gene Name		
	Synonyms		
TUB2			UniProtKB Saccharomyces cerevisiae (strain ATCC 204508 / S288c) P02557 (http://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/P02557)
ARM10; SHE8; YFL037W	String		GenebankID or UniProtKB
4932.YFL037W (http://string-db.org/newstring_cgi/show_network_section.pl?identifier= 4932.YFL037W)	Sequence Similarities	0	
Belongs to the tubulin family.			
	GO - Molecular Function		
GO:0005525 : GTP binding (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005525)			
GO:0003924 : GTPase activity (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0003924)			
GO:0005200 : structural constituent of cytoskeleton (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005200)			
	GO - Biological Process		
GO:0007010 : cytoskeleton organization (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0007010)			
GO:0000278 : mitotic cell cycle (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0000278)			
GO:0000070 : mitotic sister chromatid segregation			

(<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0000070>)
 GO:0007017 : microtubule-based process
 (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0007017>)
 GO:0046677 : response to antibiotic (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0046677>)
 GO:0000226 : microtubule cytoskeleton organization
 (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0000226>)
 GO:0045143 : homologous chromosome segregation
 (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0045143>)
 GO:0030473 : nuclear migration along microtubule
 (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0030473>)
 GO:0090316 : positive regulation of intracellular protein transport
 (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0090316>)

GO - Cellular Component

GO:0005737 : cytoplasm (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005737>)
 GO:0005874 : microtubule (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005874>)
 GO:0005816 : spindle pole body (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005816>)
 GO:0005881 : cytoplasmic microtubule
 (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005881>)
 GO:0005828 : kinetochore microtubule
 (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005828>)
 GO:0005880 : nuclear microtubule (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005880>)
 GO:0045298 : tubulin complex (<https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0045298>)

Presumptive Null

No ([#gephebase-summary-title](https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Presumptive+Null=^No))

Molecular Type

Coding ([#gephebase-summary-title](https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Molecular+Type=^Coding))

Aberration Type

SNP ([#gephebase-summary-title](https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Aberration+Type=^SNP))

SNP Coding Change

Nonsynonymous

Molecular Details of the Mutation

Glu198Ala

Experimental Evidence

Candidate Gene ([#gephebase-summary-title](https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Experimental+Evidence=^Candidate+Gene))

	Taxon A	Taxon B	Position
Codon	-	-	-
Amino-acid	Glu	Ala	198

Main Reference

Phenotyping and genotyping of *Haemonchus contortus* isolates reveals a new putative candidate mutation for benzimidazole resistance in nematodes. (2007)
 (<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/17101226>)

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Abstract

In order to monitor and eventually control the spread of drug-resistant *Haemonchus contortus*, knowledge of the molecular mechanisms underlying resistance is essential. Here we phenotypically and genotypically characterize three multidrug-resistant *H. contortus* field isolates from Australia and South Africa. All were significantly less susceptible to thiabendazole than a sensitive reference strain in an *in vitro* egg-hatch assay. The sensitivity was further reduced in a surviving population after treatment of infected sheep with albendazole. The beta-tubulin genes were amplified from genomic DNA of the *H. contortus* isolates, cloned, and sequenced. There was a high degree of sequence variation. The known mutation phenylalanine-200 to tyrosine (F200Y) occurred in 60% of the sequences from resistant isolates, but not in the sensitive reference. Interestingly, 90% of the beta-tubulin sequences from resistant isolates lacking tyrosine-200 carried another mutation nearby, glutamate-198 to alanine (E198A). This mutation was not found in the sensitive isolate, nor in sequences from resistant isolates carrying the mutation F200Y. However, the mutation E198A is known from benomyl-resistant isolates of phytopathogenic fungi such as *Monilinia fructicola*. The finding that alanine-198 correlates with thiabendazole resistance in *H. contortus* isolates from South Africa and Australia suggests that also in nematodes, the mutation E198A plays a role in benzimidazole resistance. Alanine-198 alleles of beta-tubulin can be detected by PCR-RFLP and we suggest to include this test in future surveys of *H. contortus* field populations.

Additional References

RELATED GEPHE

Related Genes

No matches found.

Related Haplotypes

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