

GEPHE SUMMARY

Gephebase Gene
Drosomycin-like 5

Entry Status
Published

GepheID
GP00002111

Main curator
Courtier

PHENOTYPIC CHANGE

Trait Category
Physiology

Trait
Pathogen resistance (fungi)

Trait State in Taxon A
Drosophila melanogaster

Trait State in Taxon B
Drosophila melanogaster

Ancestral State
Taxon A

Taxonomic Status
Intraspecific

Taxon A

Latin Name
Drosophila melanogaster

Common Name
fruit fly

Synonyms
Sophophora melanogaster; fruit fly; Drosophila melanogaster Meigen, 1830; Sophophora melanogaster (Meigen, 1830); Drosophila melangaster

Rank
species

Lineage
cellular organisms; Eukaryota; Opisthokonta; Metazoa; Eumetazoa; Bilateria; Protostomia; Ecdysozoa; Panarthropoda; Arthropoda; Mandibulata; Pancrustacea; Hexapoda; Insecta; Dicondylia; Pterygota; Neoptera; Holometabola; Diptera; Brachycera; Muscomorpha; Eremoneura; Cyclorrhapha; Schizophora; Acalyptera; Ephydroidea; Drosophilidae; Drosophilinae; Drosophilini; Drosophila; Sophophora; melanogaster group; melanogaster subgroup

Parent
melanogaster subgroup () - (Rank: species subgroup)

NCBI Taxonomy ID
7227

is Taxon A an Intraspecies?
No

Taxon B

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is Taxon B an Intraspecies?
Yes

Taxon B Description
line A3 - Bloomington 3844

GENOTYPIC CHANGE

Generic Gene Name
Drs15

Synonyms
BcDNA:GH09576; CG10812; Dmel\CG10812; dmy5; Dro-G; dro5; Dro5; Drs-IG; Dmel_CG10812

String
7227.FBpp0072926

Sequence Similarities
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GO - Molecular Function
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GO - Biological Process
GO:0050832 : defense response to fungus

UniProtKB Drosophila melanogaster
Q9VZR2

GenebankID or UniProtKB

GO - Cellular Component
GO:0005576 : extracellular region

Presumptive Null
No

Molecular Type
Gene Amplification

Aberration Type
Insertion

Insertion Size
1-10 kb

Molecular Details of the Mutation

Duplication of the gene and insertion of a 4993-bp region (which comes from part of a neighboring gene). Associated with a >1000-fold expression increase of the gene.

Experimental Evidence

Candidate Gene

Main Reference

Structural variants exhibit widespread allelic heterogeneity and shape variation in complex traits. (2019)

Authors

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Abstract

It has been hypothesized that individually-rare hidden structural variants (SVs) could account for a significant fraction of variation in complex traits. Here we identified more than 20,000 euchromatic SVs from 14 *Drosophila melanogaster* genome assemblies, of which ~40% are invisible to high specificity short-read genotyping approaches. SVs are common, with 31.5% of diploid individuals harboring a SV in genes larger than 5kb, and 24% harboring multiple SVs in genes larger than 10kb. SV minor allele frequencies are rarer than amino acid polymorphisms, suggesting that SVs are more deleterious. We show that a number of functionally important genes harbor previously hidden structural variants likely to affect complex phenotypes. Furthermore, SVs are overrepresented in candidate genes associated with quantitative trait loci mapped using the *Drosophila* Synthetic Population Resource. We conclude that SVs are ubiquitous, frequently constitute a heterogeneous allelic series, and can act as rare alleles of large effect.

Additional References

RELATED GEPHE

Related Genes

14 (18-wheeler, CG8492, Dipteracin, Ge-1, GNBP1, GNBP2, Immune deficiency, pastrel, PGRP-LC, ref(2)P, SR-CII, Tehao, Ubiquitin conjugating enzyme E2H (Ubc-E2H), CHKov1)

Related Haplotypes

No matches found.

EXTERNAL LINKS

COMMENTS

No phenotypic effect described besides the increase of expression of the gene. Corresponding protein known to have antifungal activity. Insertion of a Tirant TE is also found in another *D. melanogaster* line at the *Dsl5* locus; but its effect on gene expression and other phenotypes has not been reported.