GEPHE SUMMARY

Gephebase Gene
Melanophilin (MLPH) (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Gene Gephebase=^Melanophilin (MLPH)^#gephebase-summary-title)

GepheID
GP00000642

Entry Status
Published

Main curator
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PHENOTYPIC CHANGE

Trait Category
Morphology (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Trait Category=^Morphology^#gephebase-summary-title)

Trait
Coloration (coat) (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Trait=^Coloration (coat)^#gephebase-summary-title)

Trait State in Taxon A
Bos bovis

Trait State in Taxon B
Bos bovis - Belgian Blue

Ancestral State
Taxon A

Taxonomic Status
Domesticated (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Taxonomic Status=^Domesticated^#gephebase-summary-title)

Taxon A

Latin Name
Bos taurus (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Taxon and Synonyms=^Bos taurus^#gephebase-summary-title)

Common Name
cattle

Synonyms
Bos bovis; Bos primigenius taurus; cattle; bovine; cow; dairy cow; domestic cattle; domestic cow; Bos taurus Linnaeus, 1758; Bos Tauurus

Rank
species

Lineage
cellular organisms; Eukaryota; Opisthokonta; Metazoa; Eumetazoa; Bilateria; Deuterostomia; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Gnathostomata; Teleostomi; Euteleostomi; Sarcopterygii; Dipnotetrapodomorpha; Tetrapoda; Amniota; Mammalia; Theria; Eutheria; Boreoeutheria; Laurasiatheria; Artiodactyla; Ruminantia; Pecora; Bovidae; Bovinae; Bos

Parent
Bos (oxen, cattle) - (Rank: genus) (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Browser/wwwtax.cgi?id= 9903)

NCBI Taxonomy ID
9913 (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Browser/wwwtax.cgi?id= 9913)

is Taxon A an Infraspecies?
No

Taxon B

Latin Name
Bos taurus (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Taxon and Synonyms=^Bos taurus^#gephebase-summary-title)

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9913 (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/Taxonomy/Browser/wwwtax.cgi?id= 9913)

is Taxon B an Infraspecies?
Yes

Taxon B Description
Bos bovis - Belgian Blue

GENOTYPIC CHANGE

Generic Gene Name
Mlph

Synonyms
In; I1Rk3; Slac-2a; AW228792; D1Wsu84e; l(1)-3Rk; 2210418F23Rik; 5031433I09Rik; Ln; Slac2a

String
10090.ENSMUSP00000027528 (http://string-db.org/newstring_cgi/show_network_section.pl?identifier= 10090.ENSMUSP00000027528)

Sequence Similarities
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GO - Molecular Function
GO:0046872 : metal ion binding (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0046872)
GO:0017137 : Rab GTPase binding (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0017137)
GO:0003779 : actin binding (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0003779)

UniProtKB Mus musculus
Q91V27 (http://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/Q91V27)

GenebankID or UniProtKB
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GO:0030674 : protein binding, bridging
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0030674)
GO:0051010 : microtubule plus-end binding
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0051010)
GO:0017022 : myosin binding (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0017022)
GO:0031489 : myosin V binding (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0031489)

GO - Biological Process

GO:0043473 : pigmentation (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0043473)
GO:0030318 : melanocyte differentiation
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0030318)
GO:0032400 : melanosome localization
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0032400)
GO:0006605 : protein targeting (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0006605)

GO - Cellular Component

GO:0015629 : actin cytoskeleton (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0015629)
GO:0030425 : dendrite (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0030425)
GO:0048471 : perinuclear region of cytoplasm
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0048471)
GO:0005815 : microtubule organizing center
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0005815)
GO:0030864 : cortical actin cytoskeleton
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0030864)
GO:0042470 : melanosome (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0042470)
GO:0001725 : stress fiber (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0001725)
GO:0016461 : unconventional myosin complex
(https://www.ebi.ac.uk/QuickGO/term/GO:0016461)

Presumptive Null

Yes (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/and+Presumptive Null=^Yes^#gephebase-summary-title)

Molecular Type

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

Aberration Type

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

Deletion Size

10-99 bp

Molecular Details of the Mutation

10bp deletion in exon1 ; c.87_96del p.Glu32Aspfs*1

Experimental Evidence

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

Main Reference

Reverse genetic screen for loss-of-function mutations uncovers a frameshifting deletion in the melanophilin gene accountable for a distinctive coat color in Belgian Blue cattle. (2016)
(https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/26582259)

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Abstract

In the course of a reverse genetic screen in the Belgian Blue cattle breed, we uncovered a 10-bp deletion (c.87_96del) in the first coding exon of the melanophilin gene (MLPH), which introduces a premature stop codon (p.Glu32Aspfs*1) in the same exon, truncating 94% of the protein. Recessive damaging mutations in the MLPH gene are well known to cause skin, hair, coat or plumage color dilution phenotypes in numerous species, including human, mice, dog, cat, mink, rabbit, chicken and quail. Large-scale array genotyping undertaken to identify p.Glu32Aspfs*1 homozygous mutant animals revealed a mutation frequency of 5% in the breed and allowed for the identification of 10 homozygous mutants. As expression of a colored coat requires at least one wild-type allele at the co-dominant Roan locus encoded by the KIT ligand gene (KITLG), homozygous mutants for p.Ala227Asp corresponding with the missense mutation were excluded. The six remaining colored calves displayed a distinctive dilution phenotype as anticipated. This new coat color was named 'cool gray'. It is the first damaging mutation in the MLPH gene described in cattle and extends the already long list of species with diluted color due to recessive mutations in MLPH and broadens the color palette of gray in this breed.

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Additional References

RELATED GEPHE

Related Genes

11 (Agouti, coatomer protein complex subunit alpha (COPA), Kit (type III receptor protein-tyrosine kinase), Kit ligand, MC1R, Microphtalmia-associated transcription factor, PMEL17, SLC45A2=MATP, Twist2, tyrosinase (TYR), tyrosinase-related protein 1 (TYRP1)) (https://www.gephebase.org/search-criteria?/or+Taxon ID=^9913^/and+Trait=Coloration/and+groupHaplotypes=true#gephebase-summary-title)

Related Haplotypes

No matches found.

EXTERNAL LINKS

COMMENTS

https://omia.org/OMIA000031/9913/