

# STAT1 deficiency

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Description:

The clinical syndrome is rare and is due to impaired immunity against mycobacteria. Parental consanguinity and familial forms are frequent and the syndrome is often described as Mendelian susceptibility to mycobacterial infection. STAT1 deficiency is associated with susceptibility to mycobacterial but not viral immunodeficiency. This mutation causes a loss of GAF and ISGF3 activation but is dominant for one cellular phenotype and recessive for the other. It impairs the nuclear accumulation of GAF but not of ISGF3 in heterozygous cells stimulated by IFNs.

### Alternative names:

- Stat1 deficiency, complete, included

### Classification:

- Defects of innate immune system, receptors and signaling components

### Inheritance:

Autosomal recessive/Autosomal dominant

### OMIM:

- +600555 Signal transducer and activator of transcription 1; STAT1
- #209950 Atypical mycobacteriosis, familial

### Cross references:

#### Phenotype related immunodeficiencies:

- IDR factfile for IFN $\gamma$ 1-receptor deficiency
- IDR factfile for IFN $\gamma$ 2-receptor deficiency
- IDR factfile for Interleukin-12 p40 deficiency
- IDR factfile for Interleukin-12 receptor beta 1 deficiency

#### Incidence:

Incidence is not known.

## CLINICAL INFORMATION

### Description:

The clinical phenotype of patients with STAT1 deficiency is similar to that of patients with partial IFN $\gamma$ R deficiency. The opportunistic infections constitute the hallmark of inherited IFN $\gamma$ R1 deficiency. Other features of immune dysregulation are asthma, atopy, glomerulonephritis, vasculitis and positive rheumatoid factor. The clinical phenotype of patients with partial IFN $\gamma$ R deficiency is generally mild like that in IL-12R deficiency. One patient with partial recessive IFN $\gamma$ R1 deficiency presented with clinical BCG and Salmonella enteridis infections and the other patient, not vaccinated, had symptomatic tuberculosis. A pathological feature characteristic for IFN $\gamma$ R1 deficiency is the failure to form mature granulomas in response to Mycobacterium.

### Diagnosis:

### Diagnostic laboratories:

#### Clinical:

- ORPHANET

## Therapeutic options:

- ORPHANET
- Antibiotic therapy based on the susceptibilities of the mycobacterial species. Antimycobacterial therapy may have to be continued for extended periods and supplementary measures like drainage of the pus, attention to nutrition and growth can also be required. For those who not respond well to antibiotic treatment , additional IFN $\gamma$  therapy is effective.

## Research programs, clinical trials:

- European Initiative for Primary Immunodeficiencies
- Molecular and Clinical Studies of Primary Immunodeficiency diseases, ClinicalTrials.gov

## GENE INFORMATION

### Names:

**HUGO name:** STAT1

**Alias(es):** STAT91, signal transducer and activator of transcription 1, 91kD, signal transducer and activator of transcription 1, 91kDa, Signal transducer and activator of transcription 1-alpha/beta , Transcription factor ISGF-3 components p91/p84

### Localization:

#### Reference sequences:

**DNA:** STAT1\_DNA (IDRefSeq) , **cDNA:** M97935 (EMBL) , **Protein:** P42224 (SWISSPROT) Other Sequences

#### Chromosomal Location:

2q32.2-q32.3

#### Maps:

STAT1 (Map View)

## Variations / Mutations:

- STAT1base; Mutation registry for STAT1 deficiency

## Other gene-based resources:

Ensembl: ENSG00000115415, GENATLAS: STAT1, GeneCard: STAT1, UniGene: 470943, Entrez Gene: 6772, euGenes: 6772, GDB: 682055

## PROTEIN INFORMATION

### Description:

#### Protein function:

Transcription factor that binds to the IFN-stimulated response element (ISRE) and to the GAS element. This multiprotein transcription factor is termed ISGF3.

#### Subunit:

In response to IFN alpha/beta, three subunits (STAT1-alpha, STAT1-beta, STAT2) of ISGF3, become phosphorylated on tyrosine, migrate into the nucleus, and assemble into a complex together with ISGF3 gamma (p48), a DNA-binding protein that specifically binds to the IFN-stimulated response element. In response to IFN gamma, STAT1 forms homodimers, that also translocate into the nucleus to activate IFN gamma-responsive genes. Interacts with NMI.

#### Subcellular location:

Nuclear; translocated into the nucleus in response to phosphorylation.

#### Post-translational modification:

Tyrosine phosphorylated in response to IFN-gamma, IFN-alpha, pdgf, and egf. Serine phosphorylation is also required for maximal transcriptional activity (lacking in beta form).

**Structures (PDB):**

1BF5 Stat-1 DNA Complex

**Domains:****Sh2 domain: 573-670****Other features:****Other related resources:**

InterPro: IPR000980; SH2, InterPro: IPR001217; STAT, Pfam: PF00017; SH2, Pfam: PF01017; STAT, Pfam: PF02864; STAT\_bind, Pfam: PF02865; STAT\_prot

**Expression pattern for human:**

Tissue	Exp. (%)	Clones
melanotic melanoma, high	8.74	21:7325
MDR		
mammary gland	4.44	2:1374
hypernephroma	4.24	9:6468
poorly-differentiated endometrial adenocarcinoma, 2 pooled tumors	3.26	9:8405
normal endometrium, mid-secretory phase, cycle day 23	2.96	1:1028
glioblastoma with probably TP53 mutation and without EGFR amplification	2.95	1:1033
serous papillary carcinoma, high grade, 2 pooled tumors	2.92	15:15638
thyroid gland	2.71	1:1123
kidney	2.68	1:1137
olfactory epithelium	2.42	1:1261

**Animal models:****Mouse:**

MGD: ; Stat1

**OTHER RESOURCES****Societies:****General:**

- International Patient Organization for Primary Immunodeficiencies
- Immune Deficiency Foundation
- March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation
- NIH/National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases
- European Society for Immunodeficiencies