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(57) **ABSTRACT**

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The present invention relates to antibodies and antibody fragments thereof that bind to and activate an erythropoietin receptor. The present invention also relates to methods of modulating the endogenous activity of an erythropoietin receptor in a mammal using said antibodies as well as pharmaceutical compositions containing said antibodies.

801 MetLysHisLeuTrp
ATGAGCATCTGTG
TACTTCGTAGACAC

851 ·PhePheLeuLeuLeuValAlaAlaProArgTrpValLeuSerGlnValGln
GTCTTCCTTCTCCTAGTGGCAGCTCCCAGATGGGTCTGTCCCAGGTGC
CAAGAAGGAAGAGGATCACCGTCGAGGGTCTACCCAGGACAGGGTCCACG

901 ··LeuGlnGluSerGlyProGlyLeuValLysProSerGluThrLeuSer
AGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGAGACCCTGTCC
TCGACGTCCTCAGCCCGGGTCTGACCACCTTCGGAAGCCTCTGGGACAGG

951 LeuThrCysThrValSerGlyAlaSerIleSerSerTyrTyrTrpSerTrp
CTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGCCTCCATCAGTAGTTACTACTGGAGCTG
GAGTGGACGTGACAGAGACCACGGAGGTAGTCATCAATGATGACCTCGAC

1001 ·IleArgGlnProProGlyLysGlyLeuGluTrpIleGlyTyrIleTyrTyr
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CTAGGCCGTCGGGGGTCCCTTCCCTGACCTCACCTAACCCATATAGATAA

1051 ··SerGlySerThrAsnTyrAsnProSerLeuLysSerArgValThrIle
ACAGTGGGAGCACCAACTACAACCCCTCCCTCAAGAGTCGAGTCACCATA
TGTACCCCTCGTGGTGTATGTTGGGAGGGAGTCTCAGCTCAGTGGTAT

1101 SerValAspThrSerLysAsnGlnPheSerLeuLysLeuArgSerValThr
TCAGTAGACACGTCGAAGAACCAGTCTCCCTGAAGCTGAGGTCTGTGAC
AGTCATCTGTGCAAGTTCTTGGTCAAGAGGGACTTCGACTCCAGACACTG

1151 ·AlaAlaAspThrAlaValTyrTyrCysAlaArgGluArgLeuGlyIleGly
CGCTGCGGACACGGCCGTGATTACTGTGCGAGAGAGCGACTGGGGATCG
GCGACGCCCTGTGCCGGCACATAATGACACGCTCTCTCGCTGACCCCTAGC

1201 ··AspTyrTrpGlyGlnGlyThrLeuValThrValSerSerAlaSerThr
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CCCTGATGACCCCGGTTCCCTTGGGACCAGTGGCAGAGGAGTCCGGAGGTGG

1251 LysGlyProSerValPheProLeuAlaProCysSerArgSerThrSerGlu
AAGGGCCATCGGTCTTCCCTTGGCGCCCTGCTCTAGAAGCACCTCCGA
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1301 ·SerThrAlaAlaLeuGlyCysLeuValLysAspTyrPheProGluProVal
GAGCACAGCCGCCCTGGGCTGCCTGGTCAAGGACTACTTCCCGAACCGG
CTCGTGTGCGCGGGACCGGACCGAGTCTCCTGATGAAGGGGCTTGGCC

FIGURE 1

801 MetLysHisLeuTrp
ATGAAGCATCTGTG
TACTTCGTAGACAC

851 · PhePheLeuLeuLeuValAlaAlaProArgTrpValLeuSerGlnValGln
GTTCTTCTTCTCCTAGTGGCAGCTCCCAGATGGGTCTGTCCCAGGTGC
CAAGAAGGAAGAGGATCACCGTCGAGGGTCTACCCAGGACAGGGTCCACG

901 · · LeuGlnGluSerGlyProGlyLeuValLysProSerGluThrLeuSer
AGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGAGACCCTGTCC
TCGACGTCCTCAGCCGGGTCTGACCACTTCGGAAGCCTCTGGGACAGG

951 LeuThrCysThrValSerGlyAlaSerIleSerSerTyrTyrTrpSerTrp
CTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGCCTCCATCAGTAGTTACTACTGGAGCTG
GAGTGGACGTGACAGAGACCACGGAGGTAGTCATCAATGATGACCTCGAC

1001 · IleArgGlnProProGlyLysGlyLeuGluTrpIleGlyTyrIleTyrTyr
GATCCGGCAGCCCCAGGGAAGGGACTGGAGTGGATTGGGTATATCTATT
CTAGGCCGTCGGGGTCCCTTCCCTGACCTCACCTAACCATATAGATAA

1051 · · SerGlySerThrAsnTyrAsnProSerLeuLysSerArgValThrIle
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TGTCACCCTCGTGGTTGATGTTGGGGAGGGAGTTCTCAGCTCAGTGGTAT

1101 SerValAspThrSerLysAsnGlnPheSerLeuLysLeuArgSerValThr
TCAGTAGACACGTCCAAGAACCAGTTCTCCCTGAAGCTGAGGTCTGTGAC
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1151 · AlaAlaAspThrAlaValTyrTyrCysAlaArgGluArgLeuGlyIleGly
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GCGACGCCTGTGCCGGCACATAATGACACGCTCTCTCGCTGACCCCTAGC

1201 · · AspTyrTrpGlyGlnGlyThrLeuValThrValSerSerAlaSerThr
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CCCTGATGACCCCGGTTCCCTGGGACCAGTGGCAGAGGAGTCGGAGGTGG

1251 LysGlyProSerValPheProLeuAlaProCysSerArgSerThrSerGlu
AAGGGCCCATCGGTCTTCCCCCTGGCGCCCTGCTCTAGAAGCACCTCCGA
TTCCCGGGTAGCCAGAAGGGGGACCGCGGGACGAGATCTTCGTGGAGGCT

1301 · SerThrAlaAlaLeuGlyCysLeuValLysAspTyrPheProGluProVal
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CTCGTGTCGGCGGGACCCGACGGACCAGTTCCTGATGAAGGGGCTTGCC

1351 ··ThrValSerTrpAsnSerGlyAlaLeuThrSerGlyValHisThrPhe
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ACTGCCACAGCACCTTGAGTCCGCGAGACTGGTCCCGCACGTGTGGAAG

1401 ProAlaValLeuGlnSerSerGlyLeuTyrSerLeuSerSerValValThr
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GGTCGACAGGATGTCAGGAGTCTTGAGATGAGGGAGTCGTGCGACCACTG

1451 ·ValProSerSerAsnPheGlyThrGlnThrTyrThrCysAsnValAspHis
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GCACGGGAGGTCGTTGAAGCCGTGGGTCTGGATGTGGACGTTGCATCTAG

1501 ··LysProSerAsnThrLysValAspLysThrVal
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TGTTCCGGTTCGTTGTGGTTCCACCTGTTCTGTCAACCACTCTCCGGTCTGA

1551 CAGGGAGGGAGGGTGTCTGCTGGAAGCCAGGCTCAGCCCTCCTGCCTGGA
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1601 CGCACCCCGGCTGTGCAGCCCCAGCCAGGGCAGCAAGGCAGGCCCCATC
GCGTGGGGCCGACACGTCGGGGTCCGGTCCCGTCCGTCCGGGGTAG

1651 TGTCTCCTCACCCGGAGGCCTCTGCCCGCCCCACTCATGCTCAGGGAGAG
ACAGAGGAGTGGCCTCCGGAGACGGGCGGGGTGAGTACGAGTCCCTCTC

1701 GGTCTTCTGGCTTTTTCCACCAGGCTCCAGGCAGGCACAGGCTGGGTGCC
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1751 CCTACCCAGGCCCTTCACACACAGGGGCAGGTGCTTGGCTCAGACCTGC
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1851 GGCCAAACTGTCCACTCCCTCAGCTCGGACACCTTCTCTCCTCCAGATC
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1951 ·ProProCysPro
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2001 GGGACAGGTGCCCTAGAGTAGCCTGCATCCAGGGACAGGCCCCAGCTGGG
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ACGACTGTGCAGGTGGAGGTAGAGAAGGAGTCGTGGTGGACACCGTCTCTG

••SerValPheLeuPheProProLysProLysAspThrLeuMetIleSer
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••ThrLysProArgGluGluGlnPheAsnSerThrPheArgValValSer
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2301 GTCCTCACCGTTGTGCACCAGGACTGGCTGAACGGCAAGGAGTACAAGTG
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2351 CAAGGTCTCAACAAAGGCCTCCCAGCCCCATCGAGAAAACCATCTCCA
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••ThrLys
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2451 GCTCGGCCACCCTCTGCCCTGGGAGTGACCGCTGTGCCAACCTCTGTCC
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GlyGlnProArgGluProGlnValTyrThrLeuProProSerArg
2501 CTACAGGGCAGCCCCGAGAACCACAGGTGTACACCCTGCCCCATCCCGG
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CTCCTCTACTGGTTCTTGGTCCAGTCGGACTGGACGGACCAGTTTCCGAA

•TyrProSerAspIleAlaValGluTrpGluSerAsnGlyGlnProGluAsn
2601 CTACCCAGCGACATCGCCGTGGAGTGGGAGAGCAATGGGCAGCCGGAGA
GATGGGGTCGCTGTAGCGGCACCTCACCTCTCGTTACCCGTCGGCCTCT

2651 ··AsnTyrLysThrThrProProMetLeuAspSerAspGlySerPhePhe
ACA ACTACAAGACCACACCTCCCATGCTGGACTCCGACGGCTCCTTCTTC
TGTTGATGTTCTGGTGTGGAGGGTACGACCTGAGGCTGCCGAGGAAGAAG

2701 LeuTyrSerLysLeuThrValAspLysSerArgTrpGlnGlnGlyAsnVal
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GAGATGTCGTTTCGAGTGGCACCTGTTCTCGTCCACCGTCGTCCCCTTGCA

2751 ·PheSerCysSerValMetHisGluAlaLeuHisAsnHisTyrThrGlnLys
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GAAGAGTACGAGGCACTACGTACTCCGAGACGTGTTGGTGATGTGCGTCT

2801 ··SerLeuSerLeuSerProGlyLys
AGAGCCTCTCCCTGTCTCCGGGTAAA
TCTCGGAGAGGGACAGAGGCCCATTT

FIGURE 2

901 MetArgValProAlaGlnLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuLeuLeuTrp
 ATGAGGGTCCCCGCTCAGCTCCTGGGGCTCCTGCTGCTCT
 TACTCCAGGGGCGAGTCGAGGACCCCGAGGACGACGAGA

 951 · · PheProGlyAlaArgCysLysLeuAspIleGlnLeuThrGlnSerPro
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 CCAAGGGTCCAGGTCCACATTGCAACTGTAGGTGACTGGGTTAGAGGT

 1001 SerSerLeuSerAlaSerValGlyAspArgValThrIleThrCysArgAla
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 AGGAGGGACAGACGTAGACATCCTCTGTCTCAGTGGTAGTGAACGGCCCG

 1051 · SerGlnGlyIleArgAsnAspLeuGlyTrpTyrGlnGlnLysProGlyLys
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 TTCAGTCCCCTAATCTTTACTAAATCCGACCATAGTCGTCTTTGGTCCCT

 1101 · · AlaProLysArgLeuIleTyrAlaAlaSerSerLeuGlnSerGlyVal
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 1151 ProSerArgPheSerGlySerGlySerGlyThrGluPheThrLeuThrIle
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 GGTAGTTCCAAGTCGCCGTACCTAGACCCTGTCTTAAGTGAGAGTGTTA

 1201 · SerSerLeuGlnProGluAspPheAlaThrTyrTyrCysLeuGlnHisAsn
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 GTCGTGCGGACGTCGGACTTCTAAAACGTTGAATAATGACAGATGTGCTAT

 1251 · · ThrTyrProProThrPheGlyGlnGlyThrLysValGluIleLysArg
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 TATGAATGGGAGGCTGCAAGCCGTTCCCTGGTTCACCTTTAGTTTGCT

 1301 ThrValAlaAlaProSerValPheIlePheProProSerAspGluGlnLeu
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 TGACACCGACGTGGTAGACAGAAGTAGAAGGGCGGTAGACTACTCGTCAA

 1351 · LysSerGlyThrAlaSerValValCysLeuLeuAsnAsnPheTyrProArg
 GAAATCTGGAAGTCTAGCGTTGTGTGCCTGCTGAATAACTTCTATCCCA
 CTTTAGACCTTGACGATCGCAACACACGGACGACTTATTGAAGATAGGGT

 1401 · · GluAlaLysValGlnTrpLysValAspAsnAlaLeuGlnSerGlyAsn
 GAGAGGCCAAAGTACAGTGAAGGTGGATAACGCCCTCCAATCGGGTAAC
 CTCTCCGGTTTCATGTCACTTCCACCTATTGCGGGAGGTTAGCCCATTG

1451 SerGlnGluSer
TCCCAGGAGAGT
AGGGTCCTCTCA

FIGURE 3

801 MetGluLeuGlyLeu
ATGGAATTGGGGCT
TACCTTAACCCCGA

851 ·ArgTrpValPheLeuValAlaLeuLeuArgGlyValGlnCysGlnValGln
CCGCTGGGTTTTCTCGTTGCTCTTTTAAGAGGTGTCCAGTGTCCAGGTGC
GGCGACCCAAAAGGAGCAACGAGAAAATTCTCCACAGGTCACAGTCCACG

901 ··LeuValGluSerGlyGlyGlyValValGlnProGlyArgSerLeuArg
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TCGACCACCTCAGACCCCTCCGCACCAGGTCGGACCCTCCAGGGACTCT

951 LeuSerCysValAlaSerGlyPheThrPheSerSerTyrGlyMetHisTrp
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GAGAGGACACATCGGAGACCTAAGTGGAAATCATCGATACCGTACGTGAC

1001 ·ValArgGlnAlaProGlyLysGlyLeuGluTrpValAlaValIleSerTyr
GGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGCAGTTATATCAT
CCAGGCGGTCCGAGGTCCGTTCCTCCGACCTCACCCACCGTCAATATAGTA

1051 ··AspGlySerAsnLysTyrTyrAlaAspSerValLysGlyArgPheThr
ATGATGGAAGTAATAAATACTATGCAGACTCCGTGAAGGGCCGATTACCC
TACTACCTTCATTATTTATGATACGTCTGAGGCACTTCCCGCTAAGTGG

1101 IleSerArgAspAsnSerLysAsnThrLeuTyrLeuGlnMetAsnSerLeu
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1151 ·ArgValGluAspThrAlaValTyrTyrCysAlaArgAspHisGlyGlyArg
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1201 ··TyrValTyrAspTyrGlyMetAspValTrpGlyGlnGlyThrThrVal
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1251 ThrValSerSerAlaSerThrLysGlyProSerValPheProLeuAlaPro
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1301 ·CysSerArgSerThrSerGluSerThrAlaAlaLeuGlyCysLeuValLys
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1351 ··AspTyrPheProGluProValThrValSerTrpAsnSerGlyAlaLeu
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 TGGTCGCCGCACGTGTGGAAGGGTGCACAGGATGTCAGGAGTCCCTGAGAT

 1451 ·SerLeuSerSerValValThrValProSerSerAsnPheGlyThrGlnThr
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 GAGGGAGTCGTGCGACCACTGGCACGGGAGGTCGTTGAAGCCGTGGGTCT

 1501 ··TyrThrCysAsnValAspHisLysProSerAsnThrLysValAspLys
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 1651 GGCAGCAAGGCAGGCCCCATCTGTCTCCTCACCCGGAGGCCTCTGCCCGC
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 1951 ·ArgLysCysCysValGluCysProProCysPro
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2351 GAACGGCAAGGAGTACAAGTGCAAGGTCTCCAACAAAGGCCTCCAGCCC
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··IleGluLysThrIleSerLysThrLys
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2451 GGGCCACATGGACAGAGGCCGGCTCGGCCACCCTCTGCCCTGGGAGTGA
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GlyGlnProArgGluProGlnVal
2501 CCGCTGTGCCAACCTCTGTCCCTACAGGGCAGCCCCGAGAACCACAGGTG
GGCGACACGGTTGGAGACAGGGATGTCCCGTCGGGGCTCTGGTGTCCAC

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2551 TACACCCTGCCCCATCCCGGGAGGAGATGACCAAGAACCAGGTGAGCCT
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2601 ·ThrCysLeuValLysGlyPheTyrProSerAspIleAlaValGluTrpGlu
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2651 ··SerAsnGlyGlnProGluAsnAsnTyrLysThrThrProProMetLeu
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2701 AspSerAspGlySerPhePheLeuTyrSerLysLeuThrValAspLysSer
GACTCCGACGGCTCCTTCTCCTCTACAGCAAGCTCACCGTGGACAAGAG
CTGAGGCTGCCGAGGAAGAAGGAGATGTCGTTTCGAGTGGCACCTGTTCTC

2751 ·ArgTrpGlnGlnGlyAsnValPheSerCysSerValMetHisGluAlaLeu
CAGGTGGCAGCAGGGGAACGTCTTCTCATGCTCCGTGATGCATGAGGCTC
GTCCACCGTCGTCCCCTTGCAGAAGAGTACGAGGCACTACGTACTCCGAG

2801 ··HisAsnHisTyrThrGlnLysSerLeuSerLeuSerProGlyLys
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FIGURE 4

901 MetArgValProAlaGlnLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuLeuLeuTrpPhePro
ATGAGGGTCCCCGCTCAGCTCCTGGGGCTCCTGCTGCTCTGGTTCC
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951 ••GlySerArgCysAspIleGlnMetThrGlnSerProSerSerValSer
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1001 AlaSerIleGlyAspArgValSerIleThrCysArgAlaSerGlnGlyIle
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1051 •SerSerTrpLeuAlaTrpTyrGlnGlnLysProGlyLysAlaProThrLeu
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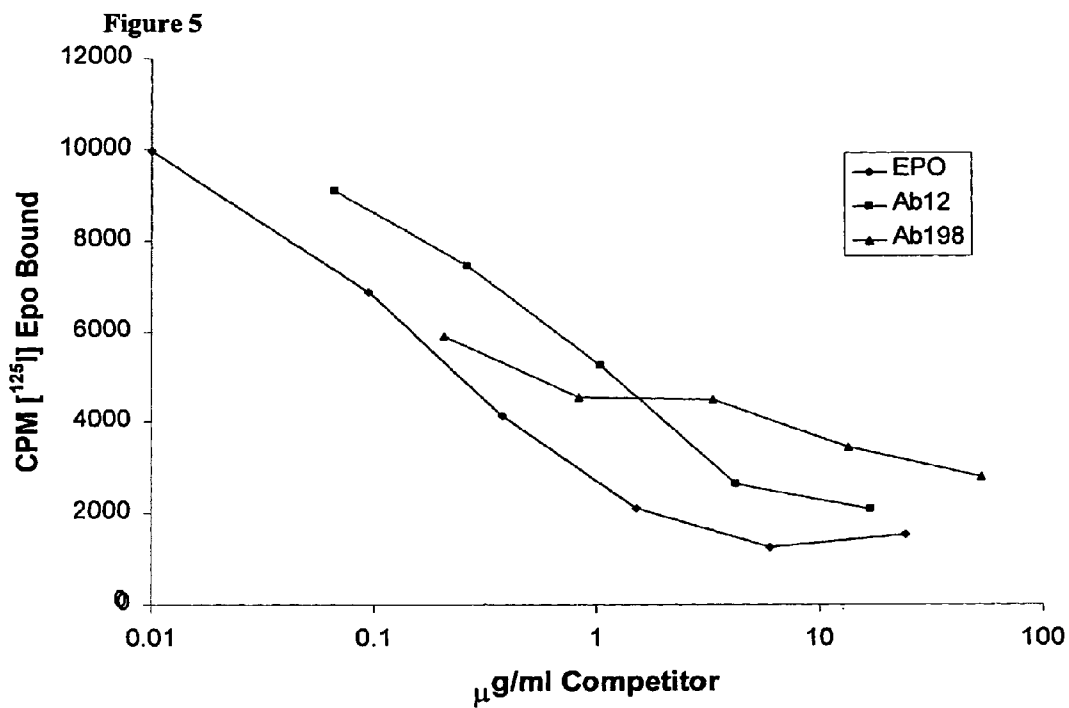
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• ThrLeuSerLysAlaAspTyrGluLysHisLysValTyrAlaCysGluVal
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•• ThrHisGlnGlyLeuSerSerProValThrLysSerPheAsnArgGly
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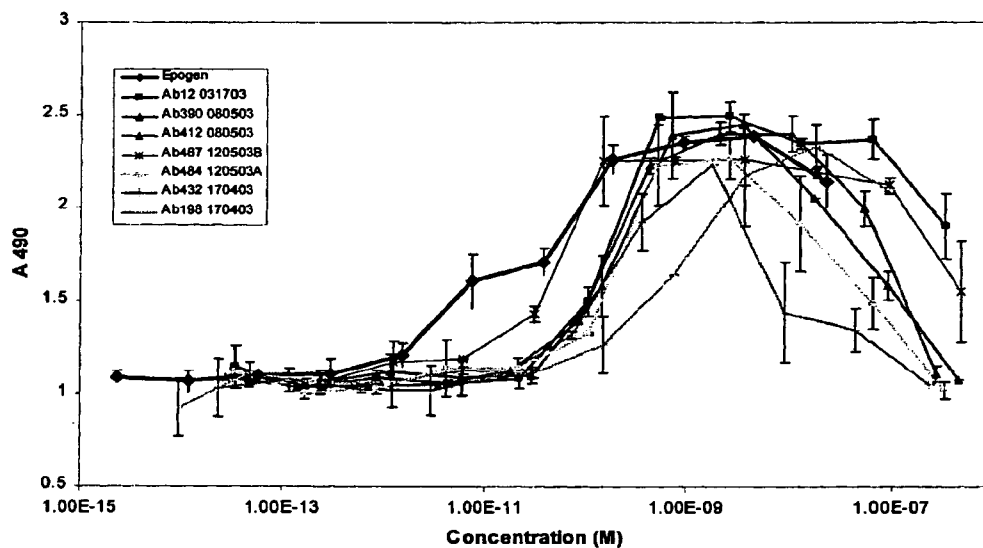


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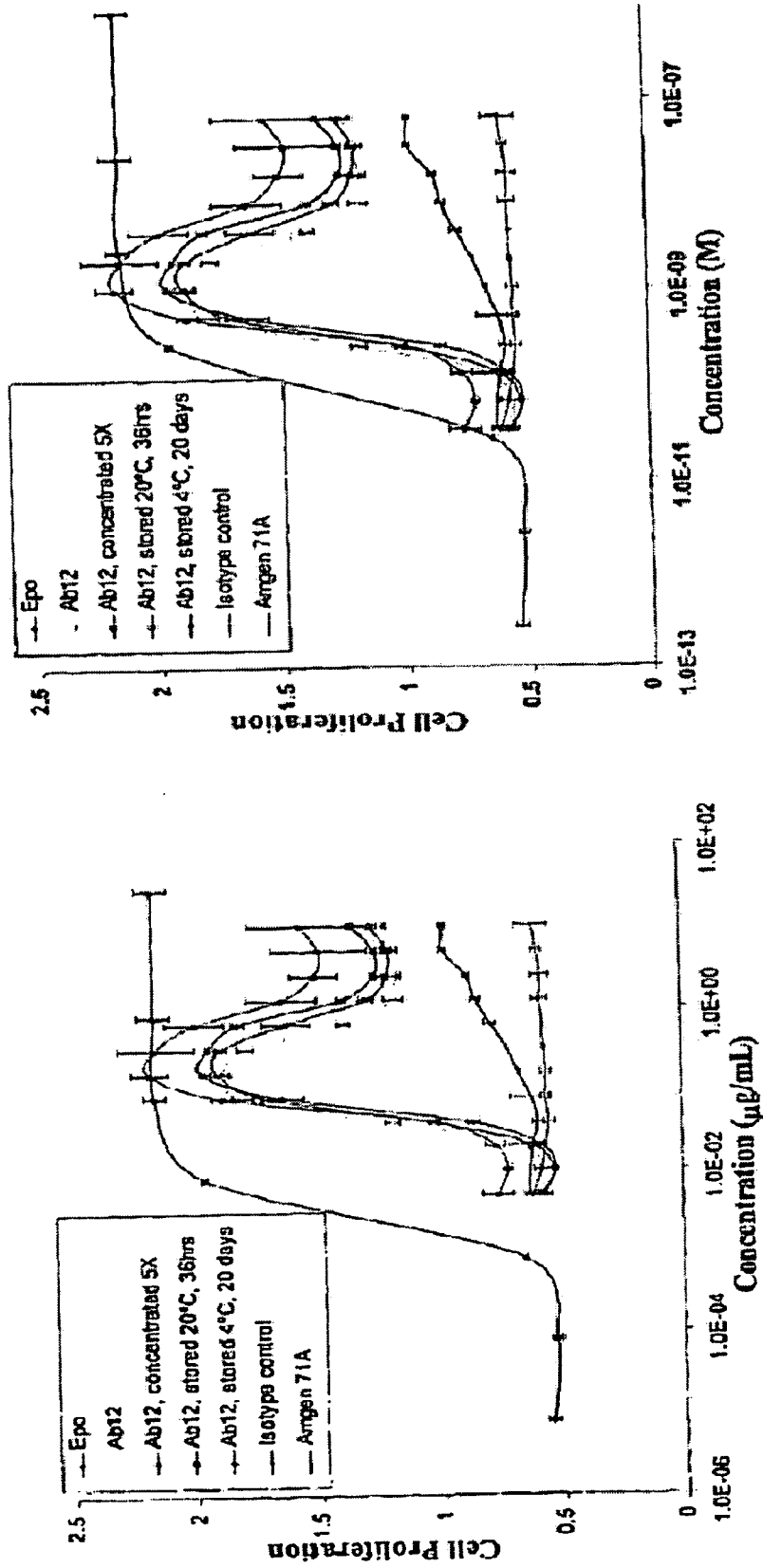


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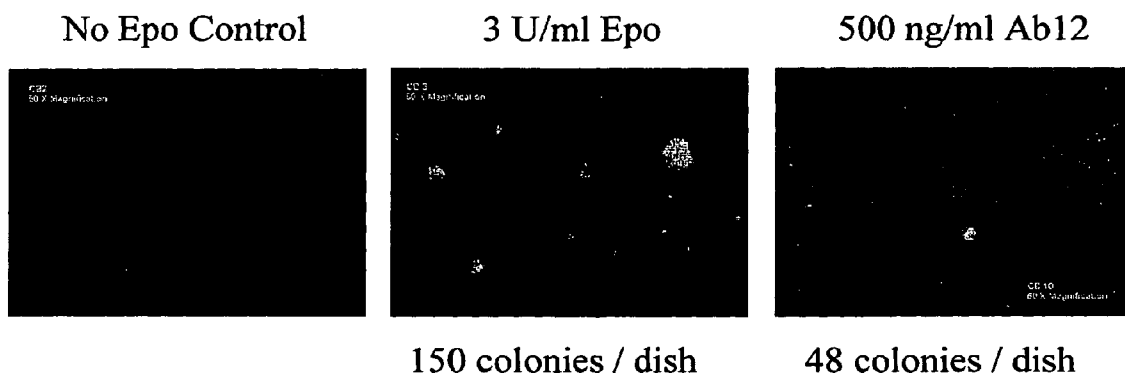


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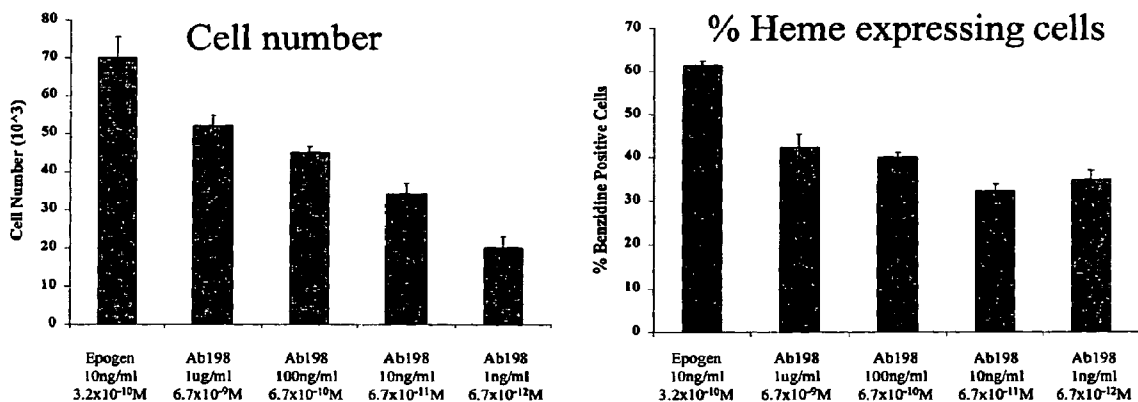


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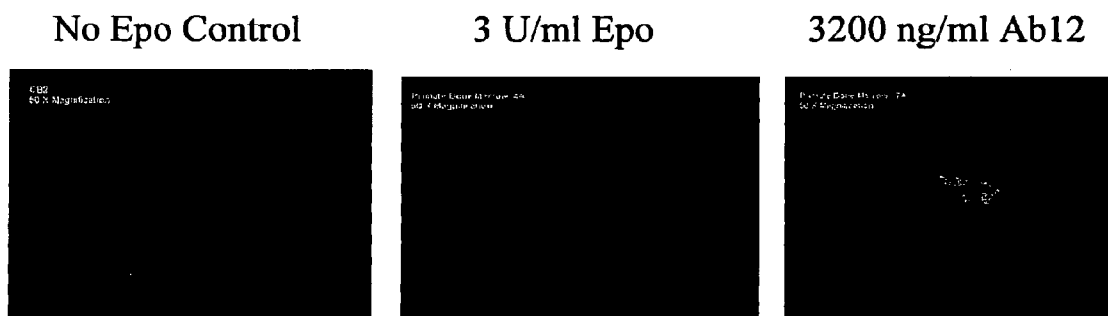


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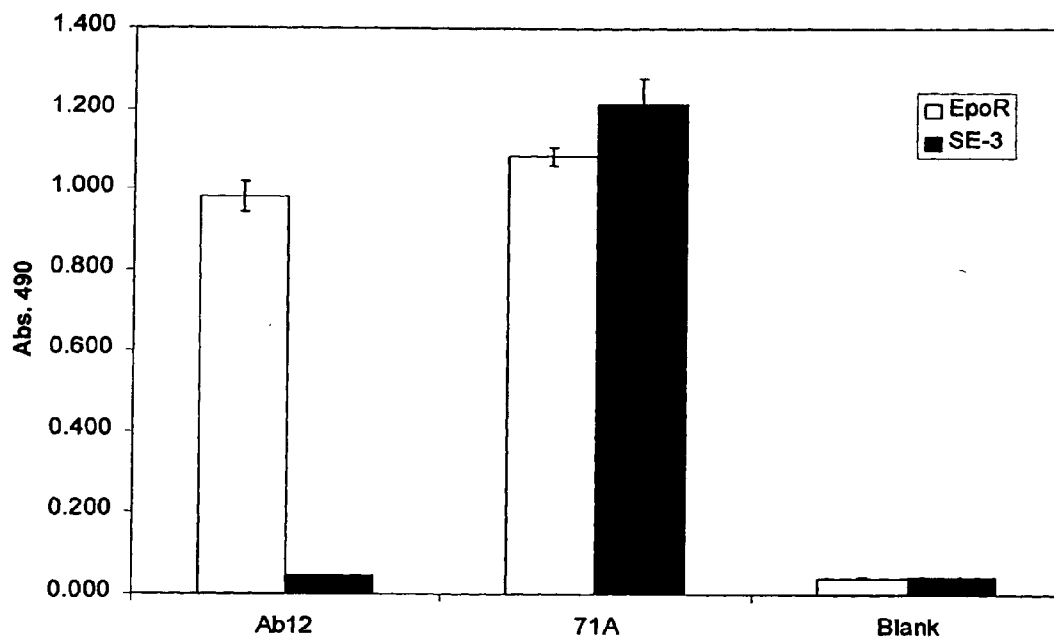
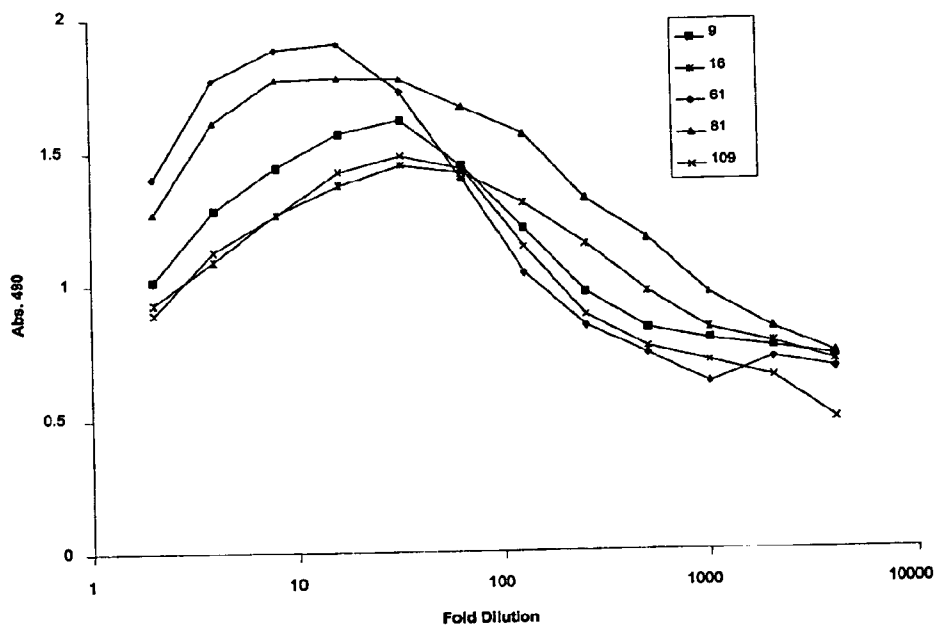


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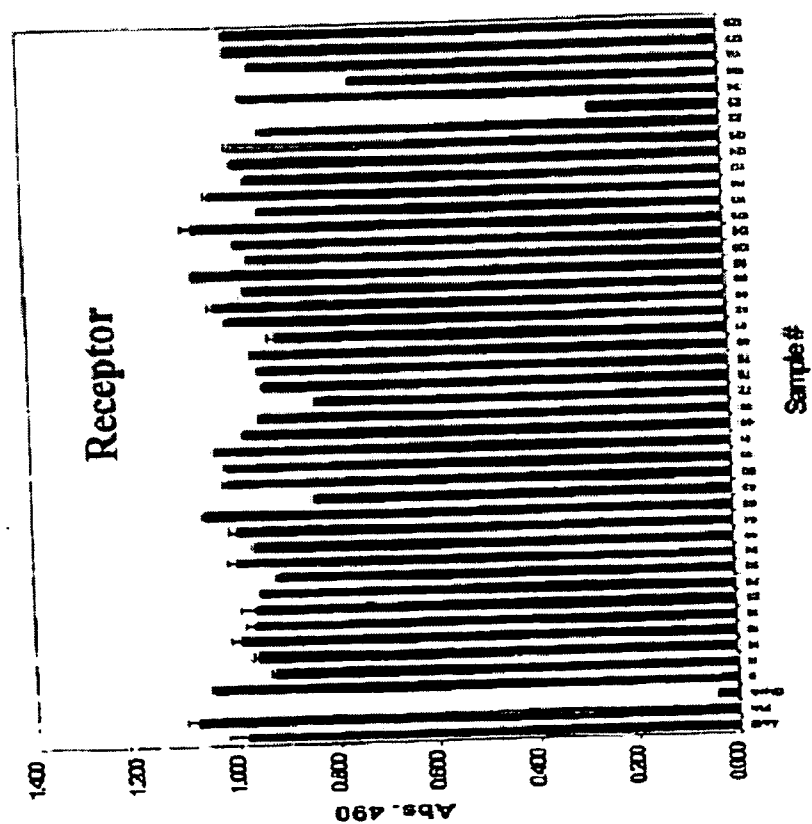
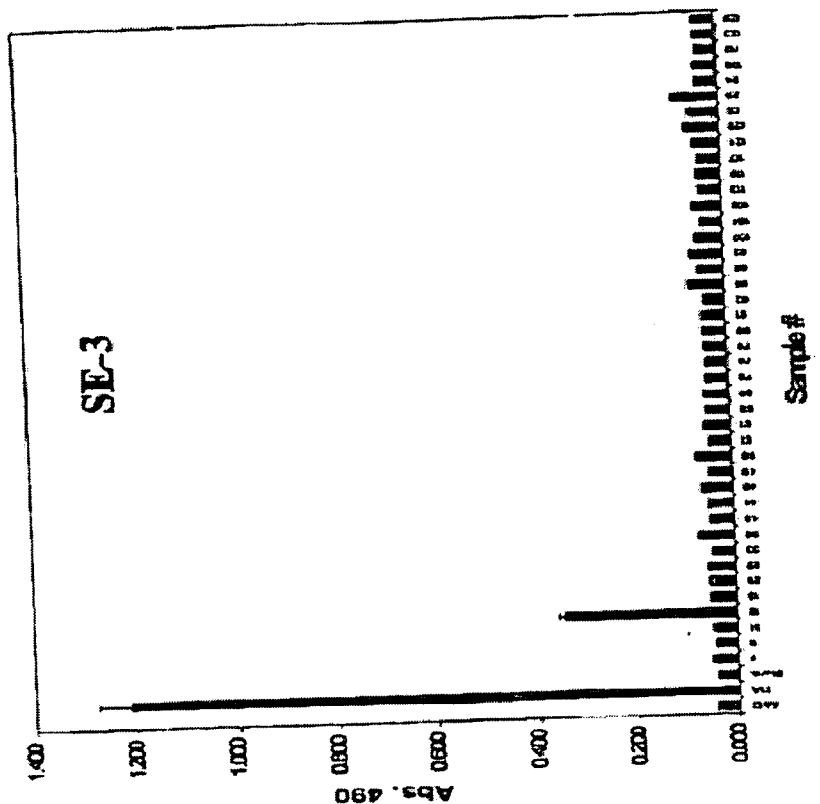


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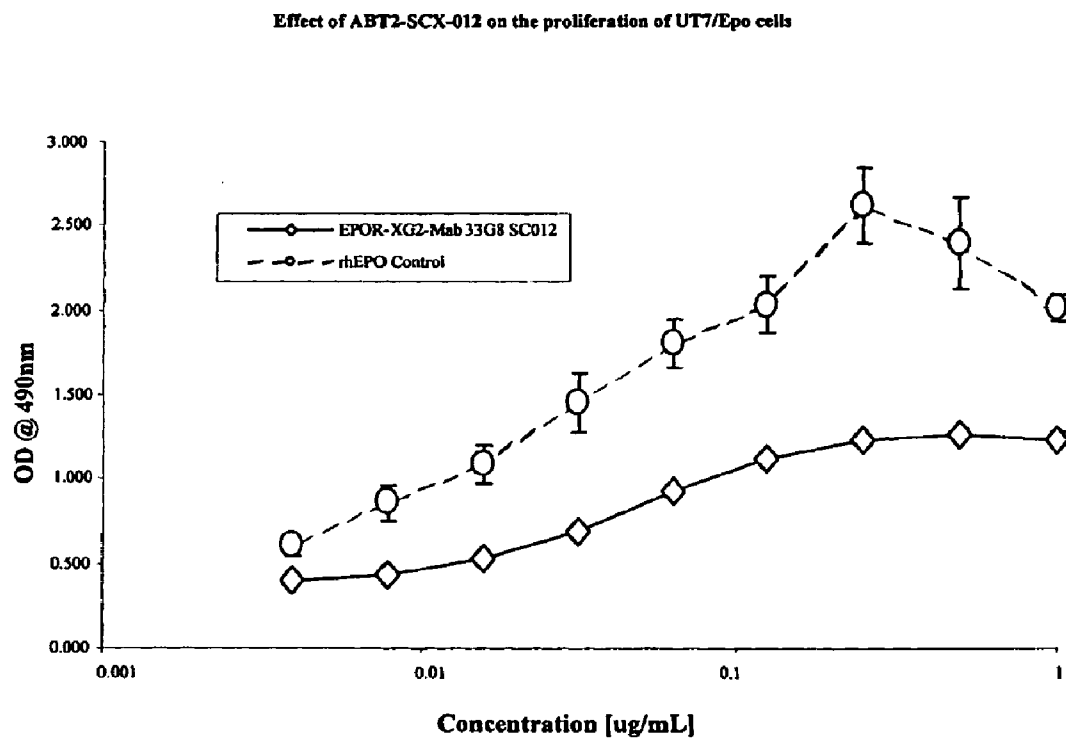


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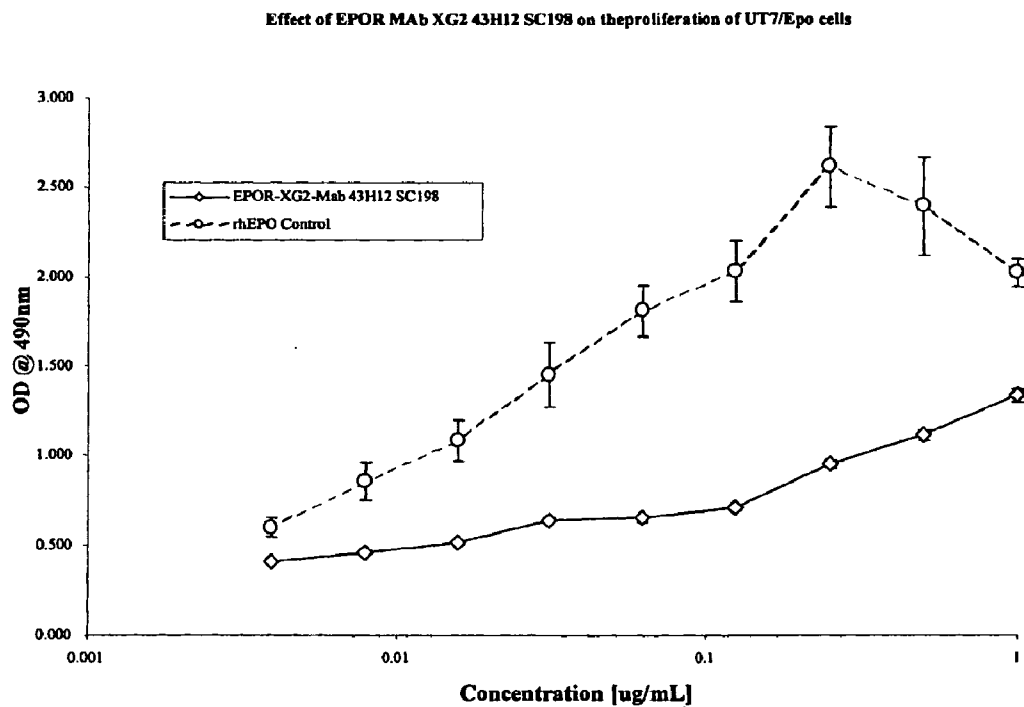


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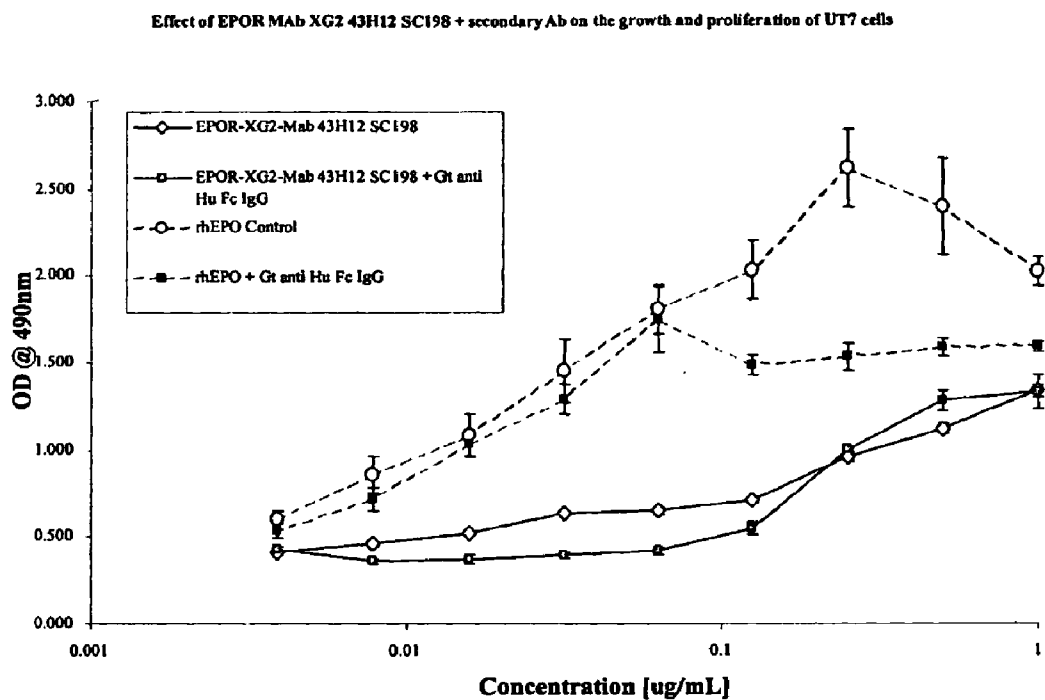


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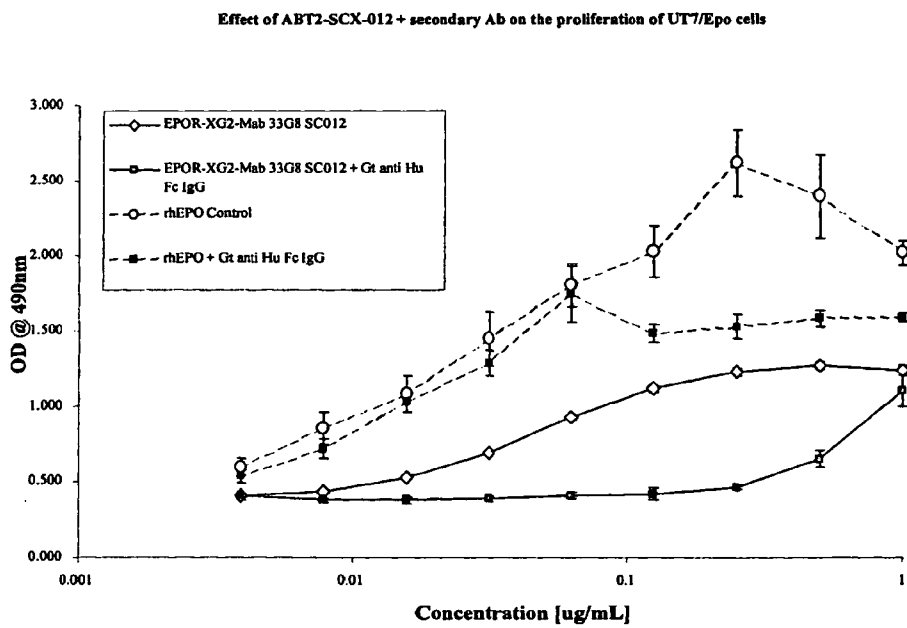


FIGURE 18

A-- ABT2-SCX-003 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
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CTGGGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGCAGTTATATCA
TATGATGGAAGTAATAAATACTATGCAGACTCCGTGAAGGGCCGATTACCA
TCTCCAGAGACAATCCAAGAACACGCTGTATCTGCAAATGAACAGCCTGAG
AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GTCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGTCTGGGGCCAAGGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG 3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-003 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDN SKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARDHGGRYVY
DYGMDVWGQGTTVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-003 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAATCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTCGGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTAGCAGCTGGTTAGTCTGG
TATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGAAAGCCCCTGCGCTCCTAATCTATGCTGCATCCA
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GTCAACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATTCACTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGAT
ATCAAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-003 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGD RVSITCRASQGISSWLVWYQQKPGKAPALLIYAASSLQ
RGVPSRFSGSGSGTDFLTITSSLPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDIK

FIGURE 19

A-- ABT2-SCX-012 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGAGACC
CTGTCCCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGCCTCCATCAGTAGTTACTACTGGAG
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TGGGACACGGCCGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGAGCGACTGGGGATCGGGGAC
TACTGGGGCCAAGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-012 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLQESGPGLVKPSSETLSLTCTVSGASISSYYWSWIRQPPGKLEWIGYIYYSGS
TNYNPSLKSRTISVDTSKNQFSLKLRVTAADTAVYYCARERLGIGDYWGQGT
LTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-012 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGCTGACCCAATCTCCATCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGCAAGTCAGGGCATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGAAAGCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCC
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AATTCATCTCACAAATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTAC
TGCTACAGCATAATACTTACCCTCCGACGTTTCGGCCAAGGGACCAAGGTGG
AAATCAAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-012 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQLTQSPSSLSASVGDRTITCRASQGIRNDLGWYQQKPGKAPKRLIYAASSLQS
GVPSRFSGSGSGTEFTLTISLQPEDFATYYCLQHNTYPPTFGQGTKVEIK

FIGURE 20

A-- ABT2-SCX-022 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCTGTGCAGCCTCTGGATTACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
CTGGGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGTAGTTATATCA
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TCTCCAGAGACAATTCCAAGAACACGCTGTATCTGCAAATGAACAGCCTGAG
AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GTCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGTCTGGGGCCAAGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-022 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVVVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDNKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARDHGGRYVY
DYGMDVWVWQGTITVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-022 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAATCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTTCGGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTAGCAGCTGGTTAGCCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGAAAGCCCCTACGCTCCTAATCTATGCTGCATCC
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ATTTCACTCTCACCATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTACTTT
TGTC AACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATTCACTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGA
TATCAAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-022 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGDVRSITCRASQGISSWLAWYQQKPGKAPTLIIYAASSLQ
RGVPSRFSGSGSDFTLTISLQPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDIK

FIGURE 21

A-- ABT2-SCX-054 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCGGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTC
CCTGAGACTCTCCTGTGCAGCGTCTGGATTACCTTCAGTAAATATGGCATGC
ACTGGGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGCAGTTTTATG
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B-- ABT2-SCX-054 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSKYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVLW
YDGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDNKNTLYLQMNSLRAEDTAVYYCARGPYFDY
WGQGLVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-054 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GAAATTGTGTTGACGCAGTCTCCAGGCACCCTGTCTTTGTCTCCAGGGGAAA
GAGCCACCCTCTCCTGCAGGGCCAGTCAGAGTGTTAGCAGCAGCTACTTAGC
CTGGTACCAGCAGAAACCTGGCCAGGCTCCAGGCTCCTCATCTATGGTGCA
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CAGACTTCACTGTCACCATCAGCAGACTGGAACCTGAAGATTTTGCAGTGTAT
TACTGTCAGCAGTATGGTAGTTACCGTGGACGTTCCGGCCAAGGGACCAAGG
TGAAATCAAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-054 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

EIVLTQSPGTLSPGERATLSCRASQSVSSSYLAWYQQKPGQAPRLLIYGASSRA
TGIPDRFSGSGSGTDFTVTISRLEPEDFAVYYCQYGGSPWTFGQGTKVEIK

FIGURE 22

A-- ABT2-SCX-060 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCCTGTGCAGCCTCTGGATTACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
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AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GTCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGTCTGGGGCCAAGGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-060 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDN SKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARDHGGRYVY
DYGMDVWVGQTTVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-060 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAATCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCCGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTCCGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTAGCAGCTGGTTAGCCTG
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ATTTCACTCTCACCATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTACTTT
TGTAACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATTCATTTCCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGGA
TATCAAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-060 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGRVSI TCRASQGISSWLAWYQQKPGKAPTLIYAASSLQ
RGVPSRFSGSGSDFTLTISLQPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDIK

FIGURE 23

A-- ABT2-SCX-102 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCCTGTGCAGCCTCTGGATTCACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
CTGGGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGCAGTTATATCA
TATGATGGAAGTAATAAATACTATGCAGACTCCGTGAAGGGCCGATTCACCA
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AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GTCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGCTGGGGCCAAGGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-102 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDNKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARDHGGRYVY
DYGMDVWGQGTITVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-102 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAATCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTCGGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTAGCAGCTGGTTAGCCTG
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AGTTTGCAACGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGGTTTCAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
ATTTCACTCTACCATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTACTTT
TGTC AACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATTCATTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGA
TATCAAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-102 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGD RVSITCRASQGISSWLAWYQQKPKAPKRLIYAASSLQ
RGVPSRFSGSGSGTDFLTISLQPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDIK

FIGURE 24

A-- ABT2-SCX-135 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCCTGTGCAGCCTCTGGATTACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
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AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GTCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGTCTGGGGCCAAGGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG 3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-135 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDN SKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARDHGGRYVY
DYGMDVWGQTTVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-135 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCTACATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTCTGGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTGGCAGCTGGTTAGCCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGCAAGCCCCTACGCTCCTAATCTATGCTGCATCC
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ATTCACTCTCACCATCAACAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTACTTT
TGTC AACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATCACTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGA
TGTC AAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-135 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSTSVGDRVSITCRASQGIGSWLAWYQQKPGQAPTLIIYAASSLQ
RGVPSRFSGSGSGTDFLTINSLQPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDVK

FIGURE 25

A-- ABT2-SCX-145 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCCTGTGCAGCCTCTGGATTCACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
CTGGGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGCAGTTATATCA
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AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GTCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGTCTGGGGCCAAGGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-145 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDN SKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARDHGGRYVY
DYGMDVWVGQTTVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-145 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTCTGGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTGGCAGCTGGTTAGCCTG
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ATTTCACTCTCACCATCAACAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGAACCTACTTT
TGTC AACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATTCACTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGA
TGTC AAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-145 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGRV SITCRASQGIGSWLAWYQQKPGQAP TLLIYAASSLQ
RGVPSRFSGSGSGTDFLTINSLQPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDVK

FIGURE 26

A-- ABT2-SCX-198 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCCTGTGTAGCCTCTGGATTCACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
CTGGGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGCAGTTATATCA
TATGATGGAAGTAATAAATACTATGCAGACTCCGTGAAGGGCCGATTCACCA
TCTCCAGAGACAATTCCAAGAACACGCTGTATCTGCAAATGAACAGCCTGAG
AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GTCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGTCTGGGGCCAAGGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-198 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCVASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDN SKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARDHGGRYVY
DYGMDVWGQGTITVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-198 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAATCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCTGCATCTATAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTCGGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTAGCAGCTGGTTAGCCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGAAAGCCCCTACGCTCCTTATCTATGCTGCATCC
ACTTTGCAACGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGGTTACGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
ATTTCACTCTCACCATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTACTTT
TGTC AACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATTCAC TTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGA
TATCAAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-198 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSASIGDRVSITCRASQGISSWLAWYQQKPGKAPTLIIYAASTLQR
GVPSRFSGSGSGTDFLTISSLQPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDIK

FIGURE 27

A-- ABT2-SCX-254 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCCTGTGCAGCGTCTGGATTCACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
CTGGGTCCGCCAGGCTCCAGGCAAGGGGCTGGAGTGGGTGGCAGTTATATGG
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TCTCCAGAGACAATTCCAAGAACACGCTGTATCTGCAAATGAACAGCCTGAG
AGTCGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGCGAGGCGGGAGCTACTGGGAC
TACTGGGGCCAGGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-254 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVIWF
DGNKIFYADSVKGRFTISRDN SKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVYYCARGGSYWDY
WGQGLVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-254 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GATATTGTGATGACCCAGACTCCACTCTTCTCATTGTCATGATTGGACAGC
CGGCCTCCATCTCCTGCAGGTCTAGGCAAAGCCTCGTACACAGTGATGGAAA
CACCTACTTGAATTGGCTTCAGCAGAGGCCAGGCCAGCCTCCAAGACTCCTA
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TGGGGCAGGGACAGATTTCACTGAAAATCAGCAGGGTGAAGCTGAGGA
TGTCGGGGTTTATTACTGTATGCAAGCTACACAATTCCTATCACGTTCGGCC
AAGGGACACGACTGGAGATTA3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-254 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIVMTQTPLFSFVMIGQPASISCRSRQSLVHSDGNTYLNWLQQRPGQPRLLIYKT
SNRFSGVPDRFSGSGAGTDFTLKISRVEAEDVGVYYCMQATQFPITFGQTRLEI
K

FIGURE 28

A-- ABT2-SCX-267 Nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5'CAGGTGCAGCTGGTGGAGTCTGGGGGAGGCGTGGTCCAGCCTGGGAGGTCC
CTGAGACTCTCCTGTGCAGCCTCTGGATTACCTTCAGTAGCTATGGCATGCA
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TCTCCAGAGACAATTCCAAGAACACGCTGTATCTGCAAATGAACAGCCTGAG
AGTTGAGGACACGGCTGTGTATTACTGTGCGAAAGATCACGGTGGGAGGTAC
GCTACGACTACGGTATGGACGTCTGGGGCCAAGGGACCACGGTCACCGTCT
CCTCAG3'

B-- ABT2-SCX-267 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAASGFTFSSYGMHWVRQAPGKGLEWVAVISY
DGSNKYYADSVKGRFTISRDN SKNTLYLQMNSLRVEDTAVVYCAKDHGGRYV
YDYGMDVWGQTTVTVSS

C-- ABT2-SCX-267 Nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5'GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCTTCCGTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCTCCATCACTTGTCGGGCGAGTCAGGGTATTGGCAGCTGGTTAGCCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGCAAGCCCCTACGCTCCTAATCTATGCTGCCTCC
AGTTTGCAACGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGATTCAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
ATTCACTCTCACCATCAACAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTACTIT
TGTC AACAGGCTAACAGTTTCCCATTCACTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAAGTGGA
TGTC AAAC3'

D-- ABT2-SCX-267 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGD RVSITCRASQGIGSWLAWYQKPGQAP TLLIYAASSLQ
RGVPSRFSGSGSGTDFLTINSLQPEDFATYFCQQANSFPFTFGPGTKVDVK

FIGURE 29

Single Cell	V Heavy/D/J	FR1	CDR1	FR2	CDR2
-	Germline	QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAAS	GFTFSSYGMH	WVRQAPFGKLEWVA	VISYDGSNKYYADSVKGG
3					
22					
60					
102	VH3-30 (V3-30)/D4-23/LH6b				
135					
145					
198					
-	Germline	QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAAS	GFTFSSYGMH	WVRQAPFGKLEWVA	VISYDGSNKYYADSVKGG
267	VH3-30.5 (DP-49)/D4-23/JH6b				
-	Germline	QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAAS	GFTFSSYGMH	WVRQAPFGKLEWVA	VISYDGSNKYYADSVKGG
54	VH3-33 (DP-50)/DIR3/JH4b				
254	VH3-33 (DP-50)/D21-10rc/JH4b				
-	Germline	QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCTIVS	GGSSISYIWS	WVRQAPFGKLEWIG	YIYSGSTWYVPSIAKS
12	VH4-59 (DP-71)/DIR4rc/JM4a				

Single Cell	V Heavy/D/J	FR3	CDR3	FR4
-	Germline	RFTISRDNKNTLYLQNNSLRAEDTAVYICAR	DHGRIYDYGMNV	WGQGTITVTVSS
3				
22				
60				
102	VH3-30 (V3-30)/D4-23/LH6b			
135				
145				
198				
-	Germline	RFTISRDNKNTLYLQNNSLRAEDTAVYICAK		WGQGTITVTVSS
267	VH3-30.5 (DP-49)/D4-23/JH6b			
-	Germline	RFTISRDNKNTLYLQNNSLRAEDTAVYICAR	GPYIFDY	WGQGTITVTVSS
54	VH3-33 (DP-50)/DIR3/JH4b			
254	VH3-33 (DP-50)/D21-10rc/JH4b			
-	Germline	RVTISRDNKNTLYLQNNSLRAEDTAVYICAR	GGSIWDY	
12	VH4-59 (DP-71)/DIR4rc/JM4a			

Figure 30

Single Cell	V Kappa/J	FR1	CDR1	FR2	CDR2
-	Germline	EIVLTQSPGTLISLSPGERATLSC	RASQSVSSSYLA	HYQOKFGQAFRLLIY	GASSRAT
54	VkIII (A27)/Jk1	-----	-----	-----	-----
-	Germline	DIOMTQSPSSVSASVGDRVTITC	RASQGISSWLA	HYQOKFGKAPKLLIY	AASSLOS
3	VkI (L5)/Jk3	-----S---	-----V	-----A---	-----R
22		-----S---	-----	-----T---	-----R
60		-----S---	-----	-----T---	-----R
102		-----S---	-----	-----R---	-----R
135		-----T---S---	-----G---	-----Q--T---	-----R
145		-----S---	-----G---	-----Q--T---	-----R
198		-----I---S---	-----	-----T---	---T--R
267		-----S---	-----G---	-----Q--T---	-----R
-	Germline	DIOMTQSPSSLSASVGDRVTITC	RASQIRNDLG	HYQOKFGKAPKRLIY	AASSLOS
12	VkI (A30)/Jk1	---L-----	-----	-----	-----
-	Germline	DIVMTQTPPLSSPVTIGQPASISC	RSSQSLVHSDGNTYLS	HLQORFGQPPRLLIY	KISNRFSS
254	VkII (A23)/Jk5	-----F-F-MI-----	--R-----N	-----	-T-----

Single Cell	V Kappa/J	FR3	CDR3	J
-	Germline	GI PDRFSGSGSGTDFTLTISRLEPEDFAVYYC	QQYGSSPWT	FGQGTKVEIK
54	VkIII (A27)/Jk1	-----V-----	-----	-----
-	Germline	GVPSRFSGSGSGTDFTLTISSLQPEDFATYYC	QQANSFPPT	FGPGTKVDIK
3	VkI (L5)/Jk3	-----F-	-----	-----
22		-----F-	-----	-----
60		-----F-	-----	-----
102		-----F-	-----	-----
135		-----N-----F-	-----	-----V-
145		-----N-----F-	-----	-----V-
198		-----F-	-----	-----
267		-----N-----F-	-----	-----V-
-	Germline	GVPSRFSGSGSGTEFTLTISSLQPEDFATYYC	LOHNSYPPT	FGQGTKVEIK
12	VkI (A30)/Jk1	-----	---T---	-----
-	Germline	GVPDRFSGSGAGTDFTLKISRVEAEDVGVYYC	MQATQFPIT	FGQGTKLEIK
254	VkII (A23)/Jk5	-----	-----	-----

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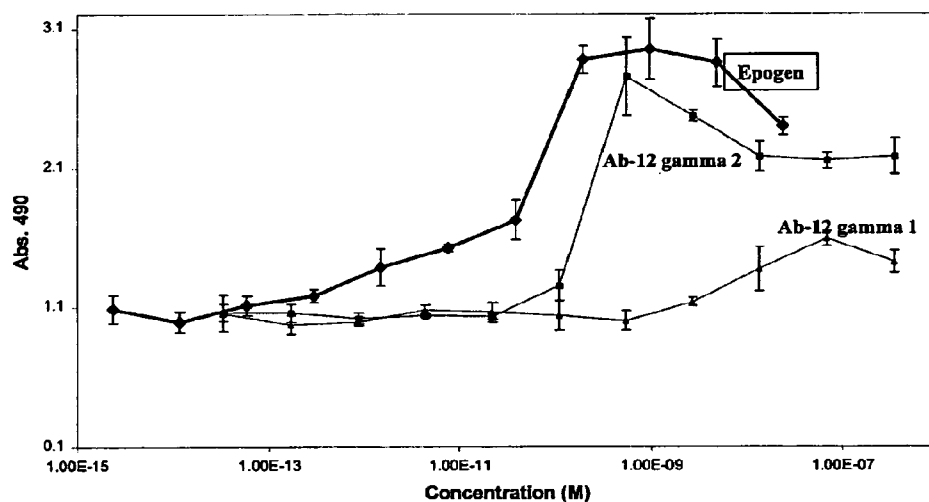
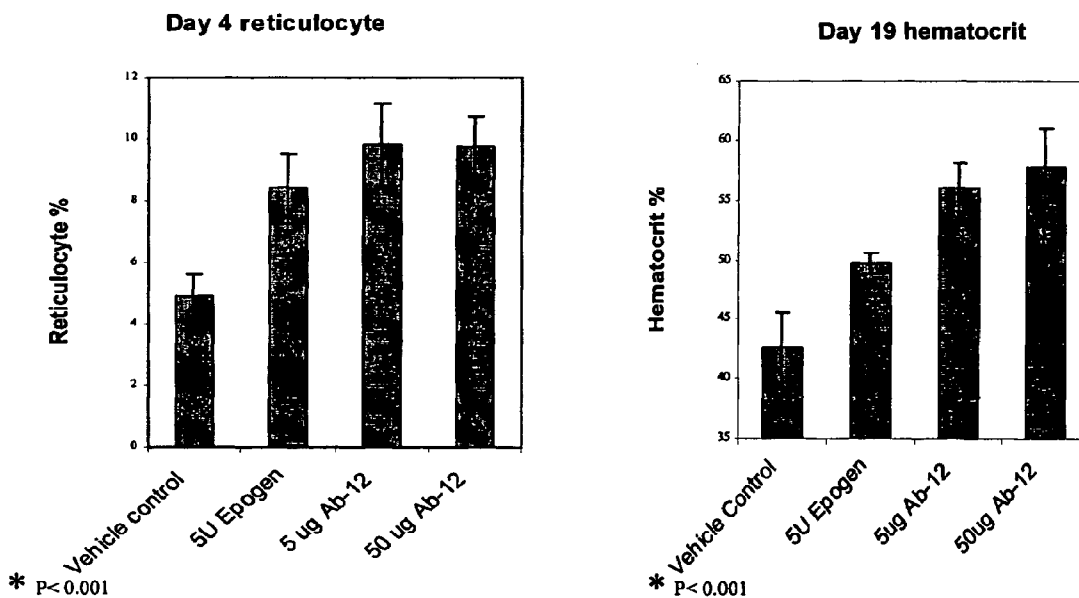


FIGURE 31

FIGURE 32

Ab-12 Increases Reticulocyte Count and Hematocrit in Transgenic Mice



Day 19 Hematocrit in Transgenic Mice Following Weekly Dosing with Ab-12 or Aranesp

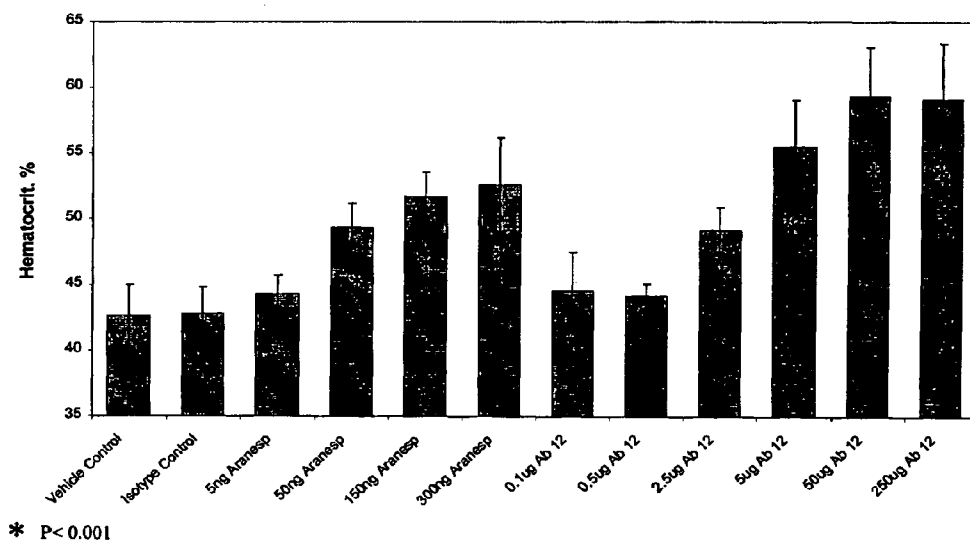


FIGURE 33

Day 19 Hematocrit in Transgenic Mice Comparing Single vs. Weekly Dosing with Ab-12 or Aranesp

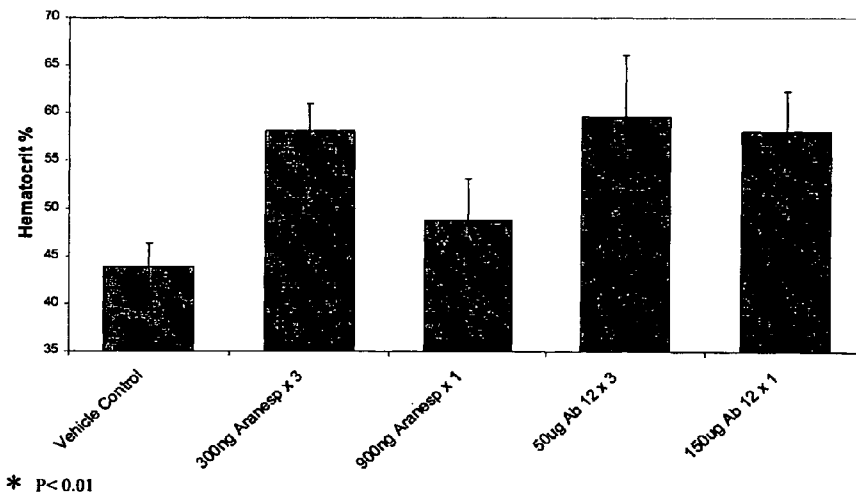


FIGURE 34

FIGURE 35

A. Ab390 nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5' CAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGAGACC
CTGTCCCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGCCTCCATCAGTAATTACTACTGG
AGCTGGATCCGGCAGCCCCAGGGAAGGGACTGGAGTGGATTGGGTATGTC
TCTTACAGTGGGAGTACGTACTACAACCCCTCCCTCAAGGGTCGAGTCACC
ATGTCAGTAGACACGTCCAAGAACCAGTTCTCCCTGAAGCTGAGCTCTGTG
ACCGCTGCGGACACGGCCGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGAAAACTGGGGATT
GGAGACTACTGGGGCCAGGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCA3'

B. Ab390 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLQESGPGLVKPSSETLSLTCTVSGASISNYYSWIRQPPGKLEWIGYVSYSGS
TYYNPSLKGKRVMTMSVDTSKNQFSLKLSVTAADTAVYYCAREKLGIGDYWGQGLV
TVSS

C. Ab390 nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5' GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGCAAGTCAGGGCATTAAAAATGATTTAGGCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGAAAGCCCCAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCC
AGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGGTTTCAAGCGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
AATTCACTCTCACAATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTA
CTGTCTACAGCATAATAGTTATCCGTGCAGTTTGGCCAGGGGACCAAGCTG
GAGATCAAAC3'

D. Ab390 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSLSASVGRVTITCRASQGIKNDLGWYQQKPKAPKRLIYAASSLQS
GVPSRFSGSGSGTEFTLTISLQPEDFATYYCLQHNSYPCSFQGQTKLEIK

FIGURE 36

A. Ab412 nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5' CAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCACAGACCC
TGTC CCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGCCTCCATCAGCAGTGGTGTACTA
CTGGAGTTGGATCCGCCAGCACCCAGGGAAGGGCCTGGAGTGGATTGGGTAC
ATCTATAAGAGTGAGACCTCCTACTACAACCCGTCCCTCAAGAGTCGACTTA
CCCTATCAGTAGACACGTCTAAGAACCAGTTCTCCCTGAACCTGATCTCTGT
GACTGCCCGCGGACACGGCCGTGTATTATTGTGCGAGAGATAAACTGGGGATC
GCGGACTACTGGGGCCAGGGAACCCTGGTCAACCGTCTCCTCA3'

B. Ab412 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLQESGPGLVKPSQTLSTCTVSGASISSGAYYWSWIRQHPGKGLEWIGY
IYKSETSYNPSLKSRLTSLVDTSKNQFSLNLI SVTAADTAVYYCARDKLG I
ADYWGQGLVTVSS

C. Ab412 nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5' GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGCAAGTCAGGACATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGAAGCCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCC
AATTTGCAAAGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGGTT CAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
AATTCACTCTCACAATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTA
CTGTCTACAGCATAATAGCTACCCTCCCCTTCGGCGGAGGGACCAAGGTG
GAAATCAAAC3'

D. Ab412 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSLSASVGRVTITCRASQDIRNDLGWYQQKPKAPKRLIYAAS
NLQSGVPSRFSGSGSGTEFTLTISLQPEDFATYYCLQHNSYPPTFGGGTKV
EIK

FIGURE 37

A. Ab432 nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5' CAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGAGACCC
TGTCCCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGTCTCCATCAGTAATTACTACTGGAG
CTGGATCCGGCAGTCCCCAGGGAAGGGACTGGAGTGGATTGGATATATCTAT
TACAGTGGGAGTCCCTATTACAACCCCTCCCTCAAGAGTCGAGTCACTATAT
CTGCAGACACGTCCAAGAACCAATTCTCCCTGAAGCTGAGCTCTGTGACCGC
TGGGACACGGCCATTTATTACTGTGCGAGAGAAAACCTGGGGATTGGAGAC
TACTGGGGCCAGGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAG3'

B. Ab432 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLQESGPGLVKPSSETLSLTCTVSGVSI SNYYWSWIRQSPGKGLEWIGYIY
YSGSPYYNPSLKS RVTI SADTSKNQFSLKLS SVTAADTAIYYCAREKLGIGD
YWGQGTLLVTVSS

C. Ab430 nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5' GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTTCGGAGACA
GAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGCAAGTCAGGGCATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGAAAGCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCC
AGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGGTT CAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
AATTCACCTCTCACAATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTA
CTGTCTACAGCATAATAGTTACCCTCCC ACTTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAGGTG
GATATCAAAC3'

D. Ab430 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSLSASVGD RVTITCRASQGIRNDLGWYQQKPKAPKRLIYAAS
SLQSGVPSRFSGSGSGTEFTLT ISSLQPEDFATYYCLQHNSYPPTFGPGTKV
DIK

FIGURE 38

A. Ab467 nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5' CAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGGAGACCC
TGTCCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGGCTCCATCAGTCGTTACTACTGGAG
CTGGATCCGGCAGCCCCAGGGAAGGGACTGGAGTGGATTGGGTATGTCTCT
TACAGTGGGAGCACCTACTACAACCCCTCCCTCAAGAGTCGAGTCACCATAT
CAGTAGACACGTCCAAGAACCAGTTCTCCCTGAAGCTGAGCTCTGTGACCGC
TGCGGACACGGCCGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATAAACTGGGGATTGGAGAC
TACTGGGGCCAGGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAG3'

B. Ab467 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLQESGPGLVKPSSETLSLTCTVSGGSI SRYYSWIRQPPGKLEWIGYVS
YSGSTYYNPSLKSRTI SVDT SKNQFLKLSVTAADTAVYYCARDKLGIGD
YWGQGLVTVSS

C. Ab467 nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5' GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGCAAGTCAGGGCATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCGGGGAAAGCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCC
AGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGGTT CAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
AATTCCTCTCACAATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTA
CTGTCTACAGCATAATAGTTACCCGTGCAGTTTTGGCCAGGGGACCAAGCTG
GAGATCAAAC3'

D. Ab467 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSLSASVGDRVTITCRASQGIRNDLGWYQQKPGKAPKRLIYAAS
SLQSGVPSRFRSGSGTEFTLTISLQPEDFATYYCLQHNSYPCSFQGQTKL
EIK

FIGURE 39

A. Ab484 nucleotide sequence of heavy chain variable region:

5' CAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCCAGGACTGGTGAAGCCTTTACAGACCC
TGTC CCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGGTGGCTCCATCAGCAGTGGTGT TACTA
CTGGAGCTGGATCCGCCAGCACCCAGGGAAGGGCCTGGAGTGGATTGGGTAC
ATCTATAACAGTAAGACCTCCTATTATAATCCGTCCCTCAAGAGTCGACTTA
CCCTATCAGTAGACACGTCTAAGAACCAGTTCTCCCTGAACCTGATCTCTGT
GACTGCCCGCGGACACGGCCGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATAAATTGGGGATC
GCGGACTACTGGGGCCAGGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAG3'

B. Ab484 Amino acid sequence of heavy chain variable region:

QVQLQESGPGLVKPLQTL SLTCTVSGGSISSGVYYWSWIRQHPGKGLEWIGY
IYNSKTSYINPSLKSRLTLSVDTSKNQFSLNLI SVTAADTAVYYCARDKLG I
ADYWGQGTLVTVSS

C. Ab484 nucleotide sequence of light chain variable region:

5' GACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCATCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACA
GAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGACAAGTCAGGGCATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTG
GTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGAAAGCCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCC
AGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTCCCATCAAGGTT CAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAG
AATTCACTCTCACAATCAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTA
CTGTCTACAGCATAATAGCTACCCTCCC ACTTTCGGCGGAGGGACCAAGGTG
GAGATCAAAC3'

D. Ab484 Amino acid sequence of light chain variable region:

DIQMTQSPSSLSASVGRVTITCRTSQGIRNDLGWYQQKPGKAPKRLIYAAS
SLQSGVPSRFSGSGSGTEFTLTISSLQPEDFATYYCLQHNSYPPTFGGGTKV
EIK

Single Cell	Chain ID	V Heavy/D/J	FRI	CIDRI	FR2
-	Germline	-			
198	14325.3	VH3-30/D4-23/JH6	QVQLVESGGGVVQPGRSLRLSCAAS -----V--	GFTFSSYGMH	WVVRQAPGKGLEWVA
-	Germline				
12	13308.1	VH4-59/DIR4RC/JH4	QVQLQESGPGLVKPSQTLTCTVS	GGSISSYYWS	WIRQPPGKGLEWIG
-	Germline			-A-----	
412	54995.1	V4-31/DIR4rc/JH4	QVQLQESGPFLLVKPSQTLTCTVS -----G-----	GGSISSGGYYWS	WIRQHPGKGLEWIG
-	Germline			-A-----A-----	
484	57130.1	V4-30.1/DIR4rc/JH4	QVQLQESGPGLVKPSQTLTCTVS -----L-----	GGSISSGGYYWS	WIRQHPGKGLEWIG
-	Germline			-----V-----	
467	56977.2	V4-59/D7-27/JH4	QVQLQESGPGLVKPSQTLTCTVS	GGSISSYYWS	WIRQPPGKGLEWIG
390	57141.2	VH4-59/D7-27/JH4b		-----R-----	
432	57354.11	VH4-59/D7-27/JH4b		-A--N-----	
				-V--N-----	-----S-----

CIDR2	FIR3	CIDR3	FIR4
VISYDGSNKYYADSVKGV	RFTISRDNKNTLYLQMNLSRAEDTAVYYCAK	DHGGRYVVDYGMVDV	WGQGTTLTVSS
-----	-----V-----R		
YIYSGSTNYPNPKLKS	RVTISVDTSKNQFSLKLSVTAADTAVYYCAR		WGQGTTLTVSS
-----	-----R-----	ERLIGIDY	
YIYSGSTNYPNPKLKS	RVTISVDTSKNQFSLKLSVTAADTAVYYCAR		WGQGTTLTVSS
---K-ETS-----	-L-L-----N-I-----	DKLGIADY	
YIYSGSTNYPNPKLKS	RVTISVDTSKNQFSLKLSVTAADTAVYYCAR		WGQGTTLTVSS
---N-KTS-----	-L-L-----N-I-----	DKLGIADY	
YIYSGSTNYPNPKLKS	RVTISVDTSKNQFSLKLSVTAADTAVYYCAR		WGQGTTLTVSS
-VS---Y-----	-----	DKLIGIDY	
-VS---Y---G-----	---M-----	EKLIGIDY	
---PY-----	---A-----I-----	EKLIGIDY	

Figure 40

Well	Single Cell	Chain ID	V-Kappa/J	FIR1	CDRI	FR2
-	-	Germline	-	DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGDRTTTC	RASQGISSWLA	WYQQKPGKAPKLLIY
43H12	198	14325.3	L5/Jk3	DIQMTQSPSSVSASVGDRTTTC	-----I-----S-----	-----T-----
-	-	Germline	-	DIQMTQSPSSLSASVGDRTTTC	RASQIRNDLG	WYQQKPGKAPKRLIY
33G8	12	13308.1	A30/Jk3	-----L-----	-----	-----
223H2	430	54494.1	A30/Jk3	-----	-----	-----
-	-	Germline	-	DIQMTQSPSSLASVGDRTTTC	RASQIRNDLG	WYQQKPGKAPKRLIY
230A4	412	54732.2	A30(Vk1)/Jk4	-----	-----D-----	-----
-	-	Germline	-	DIQMTQSPSSLASVGDRTTTC	RASQIRNDLG	WYQQKPGKAPKRLIY
208A12	484	57094.1	A30(Vk1)/Jk4	-----	-----T-----	-----
-	-	Germline	-	DIQMTQSPSSLASVGDRTTTC	RASQIRNDLG	WYQQKPGKAPKRLIY
259C12	467	56956.1	A30(Vk1)/Jk2	-----	-----	-----
236D12	390	56829.3	A30(Vk1)/Jk2	-----	-----K-----	-----

	CDR2	FIR3	CDR3	FIR4
	AASSLQS	GVPSRFSGSGTDFLTISLQPEDFATYYC	QQANSFPFT	FGPGTKVDIK
198	---T--R	-----F-----	-----	-----
	AASSLQS	GVPSRFSGSGTFTLTISLQPEDFATYYC	LQHNSYPFT	FGQGTKVEIK
12	-----	-----	---T--P-	-----
430	-----	-----	-----P-	--P--D--
	AASSLQS	GVPSRFSGSGTFTLTISLQPEDFATYYC	LQHNSYPLT	FGGGTKVEIK
412	---N---	-----	-----P-	-----
	AASSLQS	GVPSRFSGSGTFTLTISLQPEDFATYYC	LQHNSYPLT	FGGGTKVEIK
484	-----	-----	-----P-	-----
	AASSLQS	GVPSRFSGSGTFTLTISLQPEDFATYYC	LQHNSYPLT	FGQGTKLEIK
464	-----	-----	-----CS	-----
390	-----	-----	-----CS	-----

Figure 41

FIGURE 42

1 MetLysHisLeuTrpPhePheLeuLeuLeuValAla
 ATGAAGCATCTGTGGTTCTTCCTTCTCCTGGTGG
 TACTTCGTAGACACCAAGAAGGAAGAGGACCACC

51 ··AlaProArgTrpValLeuSerGlnValGlnLeuGlnGluSerGlyPro
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 GTCGAGGGTCTACCCAGGACAGGGTCCACGTCGACGTCCTCAGCCCGGGT

101 GlyLeuValLysProSerGluThrLeuSerLeuThrCysThrValSerGly
 GGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGAGACCTGTCCCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGG
 CCTGACCACTTCGGAAGCCTCTGGGACAGGGAGTGGACGTGACAGAGACC

151 ·AlaSerIleSerAsnTyrTyrTrpSerTrpIleArgGlnProProGlyLys
 TGCTCCATCAGTAATTACTACTGGAGCTGGATCCGGCAGCCCCCAGGGA
 ACGGAGGTAGTCATTAATGATGACCTCGACCTAGGCCGTCGGGGGTCCCT

201 ··GlyLeuGluTrpIleGlyTyrValSerTyrSerGlySerThrTyrTyr
 AGGGACTGGAGTGGATTGGGTATGTCTCTTACAGTGGGAGTACGTACTAC
 TCCCTGACCTCACCTAACCATAACAGAGAATGTCACCCTCATGCATGATG

251 AsnProSerLeuLysGlyArgValThrMetSerValAspThrSerLysAsn
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401 ThrLeuValThrValSerSerAlaSerThrLysGlyProSerValPhePro
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 GGACCGCGGGACGAGATCTTCGTGGAGGCTCTCGTGTGCGGCGGGACCCGA

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CCGCGAGACTGGTCGCCGCACGTGTGGAAGGGTCGACAGGATGTCAGGAG

601 •GlyLeuTyrSerLeuSerSerValValThrValProSerSerAsnPheGly
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TCCTGAGATGAGGGAGTCGTGCGACCACTGGCACGGGAGGTCGTTGAAGC

651 ••ThrGlnThrTyrThrCysAsnValAspHisLysProSerAsnThrLys
GCACCCAGACCTACACCTGCAACGTAGATCACAAGCCCAGCAACACCAAG
CGTGGGTCTGGATGTGGACGTTGCATCTAGTGTTCGGGTTCGTTGTGGTTC

701 ValAspLysThrVal
GTGGACAAGACAGTTGGTGAGAGGCCAGCTCAGGGAGGGAGGGTGTCTGC
CACCTGTTCTGTCAACCACTCTCCGGTCGAGTCCCTCCCTCCACAGACG

751 TGGAAGCCAGGCTCAGCCCTCCTGCCTGGACGCACCCCGGCTGTGCAGCC
ACCTTCGGTCCGAGTCGGGAGGACGGACCTGCGTGGGGCCGACACGTCGG

801 CCAGCCCAGGGCAGCAAGGCAGGCCCCATCTGTCTCCTCACCCGGAGGCC
GGTCGGGTCCCGTCGTTCCGTCCGGGGTAGACAGAGGAGTGGGCCTCCGG

851 TCTGCCCCCCCCACTCATGCTCAGGGAGAGGGTCTTCTGGCTTTTTCCAC
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GTCCGAGGTCCGTCCGTGTCCGACCCACGGGGATGGGGTCCGGGAAGTGT

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1151 CAGCCCAGGCCTCGCCCTCAGCTCAAGGCGGGACAGGTGCCCTAGAGTA
GTCGGGTCCGGAGCGGGAGGTCGAGTTCGCCCTGTCCACGGGATCTCAT

1201 GCCTGCATCCAGGGACAGGCCCCAGCTGGGTGCTGACACGTCCACCTCCA
CGGACGTAGGTCCCTGTCCGGGGTCGACCCACGACTGTGCAGGTGGAGGT

AlaProProValAlaGlyProSerValPheLeuPhePro
1251 TCTCTTCCTCAGCACCACTGTGGCAGGACCGTCAGTCTTCCTCTTCCCC
AGAGAAGGAGTCGTGGTGGACACCGTCCTGGCAGTCAGAAGGAGAAGGGG

ProLysProLysAspThrLeuMetIleSerArgThrProGluValThrCys·
1301 CCAAACCCAAGGACACCTCATGATCTCCCGACCCCTGAGGTCACGTG
GGTTTTGGGTTCTGTGGGAGTACTAGAGGGCCTGGGGACTCCAGTGCAC

·ValValValAspValSerHisGluAspProGluValGlnPheAsnTrpTyr·
1351 CGTGGTGGTGGACGTGAGCCACGAAGACCCCGAGGTCCAGTTCAACTGGT
GCACCACCACCTGCACTCGGTGCTTCTGGGGCTCCAGGTCAAGTTGACCA

··ValAspGlyValGluValHisAsnAlaLysThrLysProArgGluGlu
1401 ACGTGGACGGCGTGGAGGTGCATAATGCCAAGACAAAGCCACGGGAGGAG
TGCACCTGCCGCACCTCCACGTATTACGGTTCTGTTTCGGTGCCCTCCTC

GlnPheAsnSerThrPheArgValValSerValLeuThrValValHisGln·
1451 CAGTTCAACAGCACGTTCCGTGTGGTCAGCGTCCTCACCGTTGTGCACCA
GTCAAGTTGTCTGCAAGGCACACCAGTCGCAGGAGTGGCAACACGTGGT

·AspTrpLeuAsnGlyLysGluTyrLysCysLysValSerAsnLysGlyLeu·
1501 GGACTGGCTGAACGGCAAGGAGTACAAGTCAAGGTCTCCAACAAAGGCC
CCTGACCGACTTGCCGTTCTCATGTTACGTTCCAGAGGTTGTTTCCGG

··ProAlaProIleGluLysThrIleSerLysThrLys
1551 TCCCAGCCCCATCGAGAAAACCATCTCCAAAACCAAAGGTGGGACCCGC
AGGGTCGGGGGTAGCTCTTTTGGTAGAGGTTTGGTTTCCACCTGGGCG

1601 GGGGTATGAGGGCCACATGGACAGAGGCCGGCTCGGCCCACCCTCTGCCC
CCCCATACTCCCGGTGTACCTGTCTCCGGCCGAGCCGGGTGGGAGACGGG

GlyGlnProArgGlu
1651 TGGGAGTGACCGCTGTGCCAACCTCTGTCCCTACAGGGCAGCCCCGAGAA
ACCCTCACTGGCGACACGGTTGGAGACAGGGATGTCCCGTCGGGGCTCTT

ProGlnValTyrThrLeuProProSerArgGluGluMetThrLysAsnGln·
1701 CCACAGGTGTACACCCTGCCCCATCCCGGAGGAGATGACCAAGAACCA
GGTGTCCACATGTGGGACGGGGTAGGGCCCTCCTCTACTGGTTCTTGGT

·ValSerLeuThrCysLeuValLysGlyPheTyrProSerAspIleAlaVal·
1751 GGTCAGCCTGACCTGCCTGGTCAAAGGCTTCTACCCAGCGACATCGCCG
CCAGTCGGACTGGACGGACCAGTTTCCGAAGATGGGGTCGCTGTAGCGGC

··GluTrpGluSerAsnGlyGlnProGluAsnAsnTyrLysThrThrPro
1801 TGGAGTGGGAGAGCAATGGGCAGCCGGAGAACAACACTACAAGACCACACCT
ACCTCACCTCTCGTTACCCGTCGGCCTCTTGTGATGTTCTGGTGTGGA

1851 ProMetLeuAspSerAspGlySerPhePheLeuTyrSerLysLeuThrVal·
CCCATGCTGGACTCCGACGGCTCCTTCTTCTCTACAGCAAGCTCACCGT
GGGTACGACCTGAGGCTGCCGAGGAAGAAGGAGATGTCGTTGAGTGGCA

1901 ·AspLysSerArgTrpGlnGlnGlyAsnValPheSerCysSerValMetHis·
GGACAAGAGCAGGTGGCAGCAGGGGAACGTCTTCTCATGCTCCGTGATGC
CCTGTTCTCGTCCACCGTCGTCCCCTTGCAGAAGAGTACGAGGCACTACG

1951 ··GluAlaLeuHisAsnHisTyrThrGlnLysSerLeuSerLeuSerPro
ATGAGGCTCTGCACAACCACTACACGCAGAAGAGCCTCTCCCTGTCTCCG
TACTCCGAGACGTGTTGGTGTGTCGCTTCTCGGAGAGGGACAGAGGC

2001 GlyLys
GGTAAA
CCATTT

FIGURE 43

1 MetArgLeuProAlaGlnLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuLeu
ATGAGGCTCCCCGCTCAGCTCCTGGGGCTCCTGC
TACTCCGAGGGGCGAGTCGAGGACCCCGAGGACG

51 ··LeuTrpPheProGlyAlaArgCysAspIleGlnMetThrGlnSerPro
TGCTCTGGTTCCCAGGTGCCAGGTGTGACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCA
ACGAGACCAAGGGTCCACGGTCCACACTGTAGGTCTACTGGGTCAGAGGT

101 SerSerLeuSerAlaSerValGlyAspArgValThrIleThrCysArgAla
TCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACAGAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGC
AGGAGGGACAGACGTAGACATCCTCTGTCTCAGTGGTAGTGAACGGCCCCG

151 ·SerGlnGlyIleLysAsnAspLeuGlyTrpTyrGlnGlnLysProGlyLys
AAGTCAGGGCATTAAAAATGATTTAGGCTGGTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGA
TTCAGTCCCGTAATTTTTACTAAATCCGACCATAGTCGTCTTTGGTCCCT

201 ··AlaProLysArgLeuIleTyrAlaAlaSerSerLeuGlnSerGlyVal
AAGCCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCCAGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTC
TTCGGGGATTTCGCGGACTAGATACGACGTAGGTCAAACGTTTCACCCAG

251 ProSerArgPheSerGlySerGlySerGlyThrGluPheThrLeuThrIle
CCATCAAGGTTCAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAGAATTCCTCACAAT
GGTAGTCCAAGTCGCCGTCACCTAGACCCTGTCTTAAGTGAGAGTGTTA

301 ·SerSerLeuGlnProGluAspPheAlaThrTyrTyrCysLeuGlnHisAsn
CAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTACTGTCTACAGCATA
GTCGTCGGACGTCGGACTTCTAAAACGTTGAATAATGACAGATGTCGTAT

351 ··SerTyrProCysSerPheGlyGlnGlyThrLysLeuGluIleLysArg
ATAGTTATCCGTGCAGTTTTGGCCAGGGGACCAAGCTGGAGATCAAACGA
TATCAATAGGCACGTCAAACCGGTCCCCTGGTTCGACCTCTAGTTTGCT

401 ThrValAlaAlaProSerValPheIlePheProProSerAspGluGlnLeu
ACTGTGGCTGCACCATCTGTCTTCATCTTCCC GCCATCTGATGAGCAGTT
TGACACCGACGTGGTAGACAGAAGTAGAAGGGCGGTAGACTACTCGTCAA

451 ·LysSerGlyThrAlaSerValValCysLeuLeuAsnAsnPheTyrProArg
GAAATCTGGAAGTGCAGCGTTGTGTGCCTGCTGAATAACTTCTATCCCA
CTTTAGACCTTGACGATCGCAACACACGGACGACTTATTGAAGATAGGGT

501 ··GluAlaLysValGlnTrpLysValAspAsnAlaLeuGlnSerGlyAsn
GAGAGGCCAAAGTACAGTGGAAGGTGGATAACGCCCTCCAATCGGGTAAC
CTCTCCGGTTTTCATGTACACCTCCACCTATTGCGGGAGGTTAGCCCATTG

551 SerGlnGluSerValThrGluGlnAspSerLysAspSerThrTyrSerLeu
TCCCAGGAGAGTGTACAGAGCAGGACAGCAAGGACAGCACCTACAGCCT
AGGGTCCTCTCACAGTGTCTCGTCCTGTCGTTCTGTCGTGGATGTCGGA

601 ·SerSerThrLeuThrLeuSerLysAlaAspTyrGluLysHisLysValTyr
CAGCAGCACCTGACGCTGAGCAAAGCAGACTACGAGAAACACAAAGTCT
GTCGTCGTGGGACTGCGACTCGTTTCGTCTGATGCTCTTTGTGTTTCAGA

651 ··AlaCysGluValThrHisGlnGlyLeuSerSerProValThrLysSer
ACGCCTGCGAAGTCACCCATCAGGGCCTGAGCTCGCCCGTCACAAAGAGC
TGCGGACGCTTCAGTGGGTAGTCCCGGACTCGAGCGGGCAGTGTTTCTCG

701 PheAsnArgGlyGluCys
TTCAACAGGGGAGAGTGT
AAGTTGTCCCCTCTCACA

FIGURE 44

1 MetLysHisLeuTrpPhePheLeuLeuLeuValAla
ATGAAACATCTGTGGTTCTTCCTCCTGCTGGTGG
TACTTTGTAGACACCAAGAAGGAGGACGACCACC

51 ··AlaProArgTrpValLeuSerGlnValGlnLeuGlnGluSerGlyPro
CAGCTCCCAGATGGGTCTGTCCCAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCCA
GTCGAGGGTCTACCCAGGACAGGGTCCACGTCGACGTCTCAGCCCCGGT

101 GlyLeuValLysProSerGlnThrLeuSerLeuThrCysThrValSerGly
GGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCACAGACCCTGTCCCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGG
CCTGACCACTTCGGAAGTGTCTGGGACAGGGAGTGGACGTGACAGAGACC

151 ·AlaSerIleSerSerGlyAlaTyrTyrTrpSerTrpIleArgGlnHisPro
TGCTCCATCAGCAGTGGTGTACTACTGGAGTTGGATCCGCCAGCACC
ACGGAGGTAGTCGTCACCACGAATGATGACCTCAACCTAGGCGGTCTGTTG

201 ··GlyLysGlyLeuGluTrpIleGlyTyrIleTyrLysSerGluThrSer
CAGGGAAGGGCCTGGAGTGGATTGGGTACATCTATAAGAGTGAGACCTCC
GTCCCTTCCCGACCTCACCTAACCATGTAGATATTCTCACTCTGGAGG

251 TyrTyrAsnProSerLeuLysSerArgLeuThrLeuSerValAspThrSer
TACTACAACCCGTCCCTCAAGAGTCGACTTACCCTATCAGTAGACAGCTC
ATGATGTTGGGCAGGGAGTTCTCAGCTGAATGGGATAGTCATCTGTGCAG

301 ·LysAsnGlnPheSerLeuAsnLeuIleSerValThrAlaAlaAspThrAla
TAAGAACCAGTTCTCCCTGAACCTGATCTCTGTGACTGCCGCGGACACGG
ATTCTTGGTCAAGAGGGACTTGGACTAGAGACACTGACGGCGCCTGTGCC

351 ··ValTyrTyrCysAlaArgAspLysLeuGlyIleAlaAspTyrTrpGly
CCGTGTATTATTGTGCGAGAGATAAACTGGGGATCGCGGACTACTGGGGC
GGCACATAATAACACGCTCTCTATTTGACCCCTAGCGCCTGATGACCCCG

401 GlnGlyThrLeuValThrValSerSerAlaSerThrLysGlyProSerVal
CAGGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAGCCTCCACCAAGGGCCCATCGGT
GTCCCTTGGGACCAGTGGCAGAGGAGTCGGAGGTGGTTCGCGGGTAGCCA

451 ·PheProLeuAlaProCysSerArgSerThrSerGluSerThrAlaAlaLeu
CTTCCCCCTGGCGCCCTGCTCTAGAAGCACCTCCGAGAGCACAGCCGCC
GAAGGGGGACCGCGGGACGAGATCTTCGTGGAGGCTCTCGTGTGGCGGG

501 ··GlyCysLeuValLysAspTyrPheProGluProValThrValSerTrp
TGGGCTGCCTGGTCAAGGACTACTTCCCCGAACCGGTGACGGTGTCTGTTG
ACCCGACGGACCAGTTCCTGATGAAGGGGCTTGGCCACTGCCACAGCACC

551 AsnSerGlyAlaLeuThrSerGlyValHisThrPheProAlaValLeuGln
AACTCAGGCGCTCTGACCAGCGGCGTGCACACCTTCCCAGCTGTCCTACA
TTGAGTCCGCGAGACTGGTCCGCCACGTGTGGAAGGGTCGACAGGATGT

601 ·SerSerGlyLeuTyrSerLeuSerSerValValThrValProSerSerAsn
GTCCTCAGGACTCTACTCCCTCAGCAGCGTGGTGACCGTGCCCTCCAGCA
CAGGAGTCCCTGAGATGAGGGAGTCGTGCGACCACTGGCACGGGAGGTCGT

651 ··PheGlyThrGlnThrTyrThrCysAsnValAspHisLysProSerAsn
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TGAAGCCGTGGGTCTGGATGTGACGTTGCATCTAGTGTTCCGGTTCGTTG

701 ThrLysValAspLysThrVal
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TGGTTCACCTGTTCTGTCAACCACTCTCCGGTCGAGTCCCTCCCTCCCA

751 GTCTGCTGGAAGCCAGGCTCAGCCCTCCTGCCTGGACGCACCCCGGCTGT
CAGACGACCTTCGGTCCGAGTCGGGAGGACGGACCTGCGTGGGGCCGACA

801 GCAGCCCCAGCCCAGGGCAGCAAGGCAGGCCCCATCTGTCTCCTCACCCG
CGTCGGGGTCCGGTCCCGTCGTTCCGTCCGGGGTAGACAGAGGAGTGGGC

851 GAGGCCTCTGCCCGCCCCACTCATGCTCAGGGAGAGGGTCTTCTGGCTTT
CTCCGGAGACGGGCGGGGTGAGTACGAGTCCCTCTCCAGAAGACCGAAA

901 TTCCACCAGGCTCCAGGCAGGCACAGGCTGGGTGCCCTACCCCAGGCC
AAGGTGGTCCGAGGTCCGTCCGTGTCCGACCCACGGGGATGGGGTCCGGG

951 TTCACACACAGGGGCAGGTGCTTGGCTCAGACCTGCCAAAAGCCATATCC
AAGTGTGTGTCCCCGTCCACGAACCGAGTCTGGACGGTTTTCCGGTATAGG

1001 GGGAGGACCCTGCCCCTGACCTAAGCCGACCCCAAAGGCCAAACTGTCCA
CCCTCCTGGGACGGGGACTGGATTCCGGCTGGGGTTTTCCGGTTTGACAGGT

1051 CTCCCTCAGCTCGGACACCTTCTCTCCTCCAGATCCGAGTAACTCCCAA
GAGGGAGTCGAGCCTGTGGAAGAGAGAGGGTCTAGGCTCATTGAGGGTT

1101 GluArgLysCysCysValGluCysProProCysPro
TCTTCTCTCTGCAGAGCGCAAATGTTGTGTCGAGTGCCCACCGTGCCCAG
AGAAGAGAGACGTCTCGCGTTTACAACACAGCTCACGGGTGGCACGGGTC

1151 GTAAGCCAGCCCAGGCCTCGCCCTCCAGCTCAAGGCGGGACAGGTGCCCT
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1201 AGAGTAGCCTGCATCCAGGGACAGGCCCCAGCTGGGTGCTGACACGTCCA
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GGAGGTAGAGAAGGAGTCGTGGTGGACACCGTCCTGGCAGTCAGAAGGAG

PheProProLysProLysAspThrLeuMetIleSerArgThrProGluVal
1301 TTCCCCCAAACCCAAGGACACCCTCATGATCTCCCGACCCCTGAGGT
AAGGGGGGTTTTGGGTTCTGTGGGAGTACTAGAGGGCCTGGGGACTCCA

·ThrCysValValValAspValSerHisGluAspProGluValGlnPheAsn
1351 CACGTGCGTGGTGGTGGACGTGAGCCACGAAGACCCCGAGGTCCAGTTCA
GTGCACGCACCACCACCTGCACTCGGTGCTTCTGGGGCTCCAGGTCAAGT

··TrpTyrValAspGlyValGluValHisAsnAlaLysThrLysProArg
1401 ACTGGTACGTGGACGGCGTGGAGGTGCATAATGCCAAGACAAAGCCACGG
TGACCATGCACCTGCCGCACCTCCACGTATTACGGTCTGTTCGGTGGC

GluGluGlnPheAsnSerThrPheArgValValSerValLeuThrValVal
1451 GAGGAGCAGTTCAACAGCACGTTCCGTGTGGTCAGCGTCCTCACCGTTGT
CTCCTCGTCAAGTTGTCGTGCAAGGCACACCAGTCCGAGGAGTGGCAACA

·HisGlnAspTrpLeuAsnGlyLysGluTyrLysCysLysValSerAsnLys
1501 GCACCAGGACTGGCTGAACGGCAAGGAGTACAAGTCAAGGTCTCCAACA
CGTGGTCTTGACCGACTTGCCGTTCTCATGTTACGTTCCAGAGGTTGT

··GlyLeuProAlaProIleGluLysThrIleSerLysThrLys
1551 AAGGCCTCCCAGCCCCATCGAGAAAACCATCTCCAAAACCAAAGGTGGG
TTCCGGAGGGTCGGGGGTAGCTCTTTTGGTAGAGGTTTGGTTTCCACCC

1601 ACCCGCGGGGTATGAGGGCCACATGGACAGAGGCCGGCTCGGCCACCCT
TGGGCGCCCCATACTCCCGGTGTACCTGTCTCCGGCCGAGCCGGGTGGGA

GlyGlnPro
1651 CTGCCCTGGGAGTGACCGCTGTGCCAACCTCTGTCCCTACAGGGCAGCCC
GACGGGACCCTCACTGGCGACACGGTTGGAGACAGGGATGTCCCGTCGGG

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1701 CGAGAACCACAGGTGTACACCCTGCCCCCATCCCGGGAGGAGATGACCAA
GCTCTTGGTGTCCACATGTGGGACGGGGGTAGGGCCCTCCTCTACTGGTT

·AsnGlnValSerLeuThrCysLeuValLysGlyPheTyrProSerAspIle
1751 GAACCAGGTGACCTGACCTGCCTGGTCAAAGGCTTCTACCCAGCGACA
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··AlaValGluTrpGluSerAsnGlyGlnProGluAsnAsnTyrLysThr
1801 TCGCCGTGGAGTGGGAGAGCAATGGGCAGCCGGAGAACAACACTACAAGACC
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1851 ThrProProMetLeuAspSerAspGlySerPhePheLeuTyrSerLysLeu
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TGTGGAGGGTACGACCTGAGGCTGCCGAGGAAGAAGGAGATGTCGTTCGA

1901 ·ThrValAspLysSerArgTrpGlnGlnGlyAsnValPheSerCysSerVal
CACCGTGGACAAGAGCAGGTGGCAGCAGGGGAACGTCTTCTCATGCTCCG
GTGGCACCTGTTCTCGTCCACCGTCGTCCCCTTGCAGAAGAGTACGAGGC

1951 ··MetHisGluAlaLeuHisAsnHisTyrThrGlnLysSerLeuSerLeu
TGATGCATGAGGCTCTGCACAACCACTACACGCAGAAGAGCCTCTCCCTG
ACTACGTACTCCGAGACGTGTTGGTGATGTGCGTCTTCTCGGAGAGGGAC

2001 SerProGlyLys
TCTCCGGGTAAA
AGAGGCCCATTT

FIGURE 45

1 MetArgValProAlaGlnLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuLeu
ATGAGGGTCCCCGCTCAGCTCCTGGGGCTCCTGC
TACTCCCAGGGGCGAGTCGAGGACCCCGAGGACG

51 ••LeuTrpPheProGlyAlaArgCysAspIleGlnMetThrGlnSerPro
TGCTCTGGTTCCAGGGGCCAGGTGTGACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCA
ACGAGACCAAGGGTCCGCGGTCCACACTGTAGGTCTACTGGGTCAGAGGT

101 SerSerLeuSerAlaSerValGlyAspArgValThrIleThrCysArgAla
TCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACAGAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGC
AGGAGGGACAGACGTAGACATCCTCTGTCTCAGTGGTAGTGAACGGCCCG

151 •SerGlnAspIleArgAsnAspLeuGlyTrpTyrGlnGlnLysProGlyLys
AAGTCAGGACATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTGGTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGA
TTCAGTCTCTGTAATCTTTACTAAATCCGACCATAGTCGTCTTTGGTCCCT

201 ••AlaProLysArgLeuIleTyrAlaAlaSerAsnLeuGlnSerGlyVal
AAGCCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCCAATTTGCAAAGTGGGGTC
TTCGGGGATTTCGCGGACTAGATACGACGTAGGTTAAACGTTTCACCCAG

251 ProSerArgPheSerGlySerGlySerGlyThrGluPheThrLeuThrIle
CCATCAAGGTTTCAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAGAATTCACTCTCACAAT
GGTAGTTCCAAGTCGCCGTCACCTAGACCCTGTCTTAAGTGAGAGTGTTA

301 •SerSerLeuGlnProGluAspPheAlaThrTyrTyrCysLeuGlnHisAsn
CAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTACTGTCTACAGCATA
GTCGTCCGACGTCGGACTTCTAAAACGTTGAATAATGACAGATGTCGTAT

351 ••SerTyrProProThrPheGlyGlyGlyThrLysValGluIleLysArg
ATAGCTACCCTCCCACCTTCGGCGGAGGGACCAAGGTGGAAATCAAACGA
TATCGATGGGAGGGTGAAAGCCGCCTCCCTGGTTCCACCTTTAGTTTGCT

401 ThrValAlaAlaProSerValPheIlePheProProSerAspGluGlnLeu
ACTGTGGCTGCACCATCTGTCTTCATCTTCCCGCCATCTGATGAGCAGTT
TGACACCGACGTGGTAGACAGAAGTAGAAGGGCGGTAGACTACTCGTCAA

451 •LysSerGlyThrAlaSerValValCysLeuLeuAsnAsnPheTyrProArg
GAAATCTGGAACTGCTAGCGTTGTGTGCCTGCTGAATAACTTCTATCCCA
CTTTAGACCTTGACGATCGCAACACACGGACGACTTATTGAAGATAGGGT

501 ••GluAlaLysValGlnTrpLysValAspAsnAlaLeuGlnSerGlyAsn
GAGAGGCCAAAGTACAGTGGAAAGGTGGATAACGCCCTCCAATCGGGTAAC
CTCTCCGGTTTCATGTACCTTCCACCTATTGCGGGAGGTTAGCCCATTG

551 SerGlnGluSerValThrGluGlnAspSerLysAspSerThrTyrSerLeu
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AGGGTCCTCTCACAGTGTCTCGTCCTGTCGTTCTGTCGTGGATGTCGGA

601 ·SerSerThrLeuThrLeuSerLysAlaAspTyrGluLysHisLysValTyr
CAGCAGCACCCCTGACGCTGAGCAAAGCAGACTACGAGAAACACAAAGTCT
GTCGTCGTGGGACTGCGACTCGTTTCGTCTGATGCTCTTTGTGTTTCAGA

651 ··AlaCysGluValThrHisGlnGlyLeuSerSerProValThrLysSer
ACGCCTGCGAAGTCACCCATCAGGGCCTGAGCTCGCCCGTCACAAAGAGC
TGCGGACGCTTCAGTGGGTAGTCCCGACTCGAGCGGGCAGTGTTTCTCG

701 PheAsnArgGlyGluCys
TTCAACAGGGGAGAGTGT
AAGTTGTCCCCTCTCACA

FIGURE 46

1 MetLysHisLeuTrpPhePheLeuLeuLeuValAla
ATGAAACACCTGTGGTTCTTCCTTCTCCTGGTGG
TACTTTGTGGACACCAAGAAGGAAGAGGACCACC

51 ··AlaProArgTrpValLeuSerGlnValGlnLeuGlnGluSerGlyPro
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GTCGAGGGTCTACCCAGGACAGGGTCCACGTGACGTCTCAGCCCGGGT

101 GlyLeuValLysProSerGluThrLeuSerLeuThrCysThrValSerGly
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CCTGACCACTTCGGAAGCCTCTGGGACAGGGAGTGGACGTGACAGAGACC

151 ·ValSerIleSerAsnTyrTyrTrpSerTrpIleArgGlnSerProGlyLys
TGTCTCCATCAGTAATTACTACTGGAGCTGGATCCGGCAGTCCCCAGGGA
ACAGAGGTAGTCATTAATGATGACCTCGACCTAGGCCGTCAGGGGTCCCT

201 ··GlyLeuGluTrpIleGlyTyrIleTyrTyrSerGlySerProTyrTyr
AGGGACTGGAGTGGATTGGATATATCTATTACAGTGGGAGTCCCTATTAC
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251 AsnProSerLeuLysSerArgValThrIleSerAlaAspThrSerLysAsn
AACCCCTCCCTCAAGAGTCGAGTCACTATATCTGCAGACACGTCCAAGAA
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301 ·GlnPheSerLeuLysLeuSerSerValThrAlaAlaAspThrAlaIleTyr
CCAATTCTCCCTGAAGCTGAGCTCTGTGACCGCTGCGGACACGGCCATTT
GGTTAAGAGGGACTTCGACTCGAGACACTGGCGACGCCTGTGCCGGTAA

351 ··TyrCysAlaArgGluLysLeuGlyIleGlyAspTyrTrpGlyGlnGly
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401 ThrLeuValThrValSerSerAlaSerThrLysGlyProSerValPhePro
ACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAGCCTCCACCAAGGGCCATCGGTCTTCCC
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451 ·LeuAlaProCysSerArgSerThrSerGluSerThrAlaAlaLeuGlyCys
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GGACCGCGGGACGAGATCTTCGTGGAGGCTCTCGTGTGCGGCGGGACCCGA

501 ··LeuValLysAspTyrPheProGluProValThrValSerTrpAsnSer
GCCTGGTCAAGGACTACTTCCCCGAACCGGTGACGGTGTCTGGAACCTCA
CGGACCAGTTCCTGATGAAGGGGCTTGGCCACTGCCACAGCACCTTGAGT

551 GlyAlaLeuThrSerGlyValHisThrPheProAlaValLeuGlnSerSer
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CCGCGAGACTGGTCGCCGCACGTGTGGAAGGGTCGACAGGATGTCAGGAG

601 ·GlyLeuTyrSerLeuSerSerValValThrValProSerSerAsnPheGly
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TCCTGAGATGAGGGAGTCGTCGCACCACTGGCACGGGAGGTCGTTGAAGC

651 ··ThrGlnThrTyrThrCysAsnValAspHisLysProSerAsnThrLys
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CGTGGGTCTGGATGTGGACGTTGCATCTAGTGTTCGGGTCTGTTGTGGTTC

701 ValAspLysThrVal
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751 TGGAAGCCAGGCTCAGCCCTCCTGCCTGGACGCACCCCGGCTGTGCAGCC
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801 CCAGCCCAGGGCAGCAAGGCAGGCCCATCTGTCTCCTCACCCGGAGGCC
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851 TCTGCCCCCCCCACTCATGCTCAGGGAGAGGGTCTTCTGGCTTTTTCCAC
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901 CAGGCTCCAGGCAGGCACAGGCTGGGTGCCCTACCCAGGCCCTTCACA
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951 CACAGGGGCAGGTGCTTGGCTCAGACCTGCCAAAAGCCATATCCGGGAGG
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1001 ACCCTGCCCCTGACCTAAGCCGACCCCAAAGGCCAAACTGTCCACTCCCT
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1051 CAGCTCGGACACCTTCTCTCCTCCCAGATCCGAGTAACTCCCAATCTTCT
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1101 GluArgLysCysCysValGluCysProProCysPro
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GAGACGTCTCGGTTTTACAACACAGCTCACGGGTGGCACGGGTCCATTCG

1151 CAGCCCAGGCCTCGCCCTCCAGCTCAAGGCGGGACAGGTGCCCTAGAGTA
GTCGGGTCCGGAGCGGGAGGTCGAGTTCGCCCTGTCCACGGGATCTCAT

1201 GCCTGCATCCAGGGACAGGCCCCAGCTGGGTGCTGACACGTCCACCTCCA
CGGACGTAGGTCCCTGTCCGGGGTCGACCCACGACTGTGCAGGTGGAGGT

AlaProProValAlaGlyProSerValPheLeuPhePro
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•ValValValAspValSerHisGluAspProGluValGlnPheAsnTrpTyr
1351 CGTGGTGGTGGACGTGAGCCACGAAGACCCCGAGGTCCAGTTCAACTGGT
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••ValAspGlyValGluValHisAsnAlaLysThrLysProArgGluGlu
1401 ACGTGGACGGCGTGGAGGTGCATAATGCCAAGACAAAGCCACGGGAGGAG
TGCACCTGCCGCACCTCCACGTATTACGGTTCTGTTTCGGTGCCCTCCTC

GlnPheAsnSerThrPheArgValValSerValLeuThrValValHisGln
1451 CAGTTCAACAGCACGTTCCGTGTGGTCAGCGTCCTCACCGTTGTGCACCA
GTCAAGTTGTCGTGCAAGGCACACCAGTCGCAGGAGTGGCAACACGTGGT

•AspTrpLeuAsnGlyLysGluTyrLysCysLysValSerAsnLysGlyLeu
1501 GGACTGGCTGAACGGCAAGGAGTACAAGTGCAAGGTCTCCAACAAAGGCC
CCTGACCGACTTGCCGTTCTCATGTTACGTTCCAGAGGTTGTTTCCGG

••ProAlaProIleGluLysThrIleSerLysThrLys
1551 TCCCAGCCCCATCGAGAAAACCATCTCCAAAACCAAGGTGGGACCCGC
AGGGTCGGGGTAGCTCTTTTGGTAGAGGTTTTGGTTTTCCACCCTGGGGC

1601 GGGGTATGAGGGCCACATGGACAGAGGCCGGCTCGGCCACCCTCTGCC
CCCCATACTCCCGGTGTACCTGTCTCCGGCCGAGCCGGGTGGGAGACGGG

GlyGlnProArgGlu
1651 TGGGAGTGACCGCTGTGCCAACCTCTGTCCCTACAGGGCAGCCCCGAGAA
ACCCTCACTGGCGACACGGTTGGAGACAGGGATGTCCCGTCGGGGCTCTT

ProGlnValTyrThrLeuProProSerArgGluGluMetThrLysAsnGln
1701 CCACAGGTGTACACCCTGCCCCATCCCGGGAGGAGATGACCAAGAACCA
GGTGTCCACATGTGGGACGGGGTAGGGCCCTCCTCTACTGGTTCTTGGT

•ValSerLeuThrCysLeuValLysGlyPheTyrProSerAspIleAlaVal
1751 GGTCAACCTGACCTGCCTGGTCAAAGGCTTCTACCCAGCGACATCGCCG
CCAGTCGGACTGGACGGACCAGTTTTCCGAAGATGGGGTCGCTGTAGCGGC

••GluTrpGluSerAsnGlyGlnProGluAsnAsnTyrLysThrThrPro
1801 TGGAGTGGGAGAGCAATGGGCAGCCGGAGAACAACACTACAAGACCACACCT
ACCTCACCTCTCGTTACCCGTCGGCCTCTTGTGATGTTCTGGTGTGGA

1851 ProMetLeuAspSerAspGlySerPhePheLeuTyrSerLysLeuThrVal
CCCATGCTGGACTCCGACGGCTCCTTCTCCTCTACAGCAAGCTCACCGT
GGGTACGACCTGAGGCTGCCGAGGAAGAAGGAGATGTCGTTCGAGTGGCA

1901 ·AspLysSerArgTrpGlnGlnGlyAsnValPheSerCysSerValMetHis
GGACAAGAGCAGGTGGCAGCAGGGGAACGTCTTCTCATGCTCCGTGATGC
CCTGTTCTCGTCCACCGTCGTCCCCTTGCAGAAGAGTACGAGGCACTACG

1951 ··GluAlaLeuHisAsnHisTyrThrGlnLysSerLeuSerLeuSerPro
ATGAGGCTCTGCACAACCACTACACGCAGAAGAGCCTCTCCCTGTCTCCG
TACTCCGAGACGTGTTGGTGATGTGCGTCTTCTCGGAGAGGGACAGAGGC

2001 GlyLys
GGTAAA
CCATTT

FIGURE 47

1 MetArgValProAlaGlnLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuLeu
ATGAGGGTCCCCGCTCAGCTCCTGGGGCTCCTGC
TACTCCCAGGGGCGAGTCGAGGACCCCGAGGACG

51 · · LeuTrpPheProGlyAlaArgCysAspIleGlnMetThrGlnSerPro
TGCTCTGGTTCCCAGGTGCCAGGTGTGACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCA
ACGAGACCAAGGGTCCACGGTCCACACTGTAGGTCTACTGGGTGAGAGGT

101 SerSerLeuSerAlaSerValGlyAspArgValThrIleThrCysArgAla
TCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTCCGAGACAGAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGC
AGGAGGGACAGACGTAGACAGCCTCTGTCTCAGTGGTAGTGAACGGCCCG

151 · SerGlnGlyIleArgAsnAspLeuGlyTrpTyrGlnGlnLysProGlyLys
AAGTCAGGGCATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTGGTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGA
TTCAGTCCCATAATCTTTACTAAATCCGACCATAGTCGTCTTTGGTCCCT

201 · · AlaProLysArgLeuIleTyrAlaAlaSerSerLeuGlnSerGlyVal
AAGCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCCAGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTC
TTCGGGGATTCCGGGACTAGATACGACGTAGGTCAAACGTTTCACCCAG

251 ProSerArgPheSerGlySerGlySerGlyThrGluPheThrLeuThrIle
CCATCAAGGTTGAGCGGAGTGGATCTGGGACAGAATCACTCTACAAT
GGTAGTTCCAAGTCGCCGTACCTAGACCCTGTCTTAAGTGAGAGTGTTA

301 · SerSerLeuGlnProGluAspPheAlaThrTyrTyrCysLeuGlnHisAsn
CAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTGCAACTTATTACTGTCTACAGCATA
GTCGTCCGACGTCGGACTTCTAAAACGTTGAATAATGACAGATGTCGTAT

351 · · SerTyrProProThrPheGlyProGlyThrLysValAspIleLysArg
ATAGTTACCCTCCCACTTTCGGCCCTGGGACCAAGGTGGATATCAAACGA
TATCAATGGGAGGGTGAAAGCCGGGACCCTGGTTCCACCTATAGTTTGCT

401 ThrValAlaAlaProSerValPheIlePheProProSerAspGluGlnLeu
ACTGTGGCTGCACCATCTGTCTTCATCTTCCCGCCATCTGATGAGCAGTT
TGACACCGACGTGGTAGACAGAAGTAGAAGGGCGGTAGACTACTCGTCAA

451 · LysSerGlyThrAlaSerValValCysLeuLeuAsnAsnPheTyrProArg
GAAATCTGGAAGTCTAGCGTTGTGTGCCTGCTGAATAACTTCTATCCCA
CTTTAGACCTTGACGATCGCAACACACGGACGACTTATTGAAGATAGGGT

501 · · GluAlaLysValGlnTrpLysValAspAsnAlaLeuGlnSerGlyAsn
GAGAGGCCAAAGTACAGTGAAGGTGGATAACGCCCTCCAATCGGGTAAC
CTCTCCGGTTTCATGTCACCTTCCACCTATTGCGGGAGGTTAGCCCATTG

551 SerGlnGluSerValThrGluGlnAspSerLysAspSerThrTyrSerLeu
TCCCAGGAGAGTGTACAGAGCAGGACAGCAAGGACAGCACCTACAGCCT
AGGGTCCTCTCACAGTGTCTCGTCCTGTCGTTCTGTCGTGGATGTCGGA

601 ·SerSerThrLeuThrLeuSerLysAlaAspTyrGluLysHisLysValTyr
CAGCAGCACCCCTGACGCTGAGCAAAGCAGACTACGAGAAACACAAAGTCT
GTCGTCGTGGGACTGCGACTCGTTTCGTCTGATGCTCTTTGTGTTTCAGA

651 ··AlaCysGluValThrHisGlnGlyLeuSerSerProValThrLysSer
ACGCCTGCGAAGTCACCCATCAGGGCCTGAGCTCGCCCGTCACAAAGAGC
TGCGGACGCTTCAGTGGGTAGTCCCGGACTCGAGCGGGCAGTGTTCCTCG

701 PheAsnArgGlyGluCys
TTCAACAGGGGAGAGTGT
AAGTTGTCCCCTCTCACA

FIGURE 48

1 MetLysHisLeuTrpPhePheLeuLeuLeuValAla
ATGAAACATCTGTGGTCTTCCTTCTCCTGGTGG
TACTTTGTAGACACCAAGAAGGAAGAGGACCACC

51 ··AlaProArgTrpValLeuSerGlnValGlnLeuGlnGluSerGlyPro
CAGCTCCCAGATGGGTCTGTCCCAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCCA
GTCGAGGGTCTACCCAGGACAGGGTCCACGTGACGTCTCAGCCCCGGT

101 GlyLeuValLysProSerGluThrLeuSerLeuThrCysThrValSerGly
GGACTGGTGAAGCCTTCGGAGACCCTGTCCCTCACCTGCACTGTCTCTGG
CCTGACCACTTCGGAAGCCTCTGGGACAGGGAGTGGACGTGACAGAGACC

151 ·GlySerIleSerArgTyrTyrTrpSerTrpIleArgGlnProProGlyLys
TGGCTCCATCAGTCGTTACTACTGGAGCTGGATCCGGCAGCCCCAGGGA
ACCGAGGTAGTCAGCAATGATGACCTCGACCTAGGCCGTGCGGGGTCCCT

201 ··GlyLeuGluTrpIleGlyTyrValSerTyrSerGlySerThrTyrTyr
AGGGACTGGAGTGGATTGGGTATGTCTCTTACAGTGGGAGCACCTACTAC
TCCCTGACCTCACCTAACCATAACAGAGAATGTCACCCTCGTGGATGATG

251 AsnProSerLeuLysSerArgValThrIleSerValAspThrSerLysAsn
AACCCCTCCCTCAAGAGTCGAGTCACCATATCAGTAGACACGTCCAAGAA
TTGGGGAGGGAGTTCTCAGCTCAGTGGTATAGTCATCTGTGCAGGTTCTT

301 ·GlnPheSerLeuLysLeuSerSerValThrAlaAlaAspThrAlaValTyr
CCAGTTCTCCCTGAAGCTGAGCTCTGTGACCGCTGCGGACACGGCCGTGT
GGTCAAGAGGGACTTCGACTCGAGACACTGGCGACGCCTGTGCCGGCACA

351 ··TyrCysAlaArgAspLysLeuGlyIleGlyAspTyrTrpGlyGlnGly
ATTACTGTGCGAGAGATAAACTGGGGATTGGAGACTACTGGGGCCAGGGA
TAATGACACGCTCTCTATTTGACCCCTAACCTCTGATGACCCCGGTCCCT

401 ThrLeuValThrValSerSerAlaSerThrLysGlyProSerValPhePro
ACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAGCCTCCACCAAGGGCCCATCGGTCTTCCC
TGGGACCAGTGGCAGAGGAGTCGGAGGTGGTTCCCGGTTAGCCAGAAGGG

451 ·LeuAlaProCysSerArgSerThrSerGluSerThrAlaAlaLeuGlyCys
CCTGGCGCCCTGCTCTAGAAGCACCTCCGAGAGCACAGCCGCCCTGGGCT
GGACCGCGGGACGAGATCTTCGTGGAGGCTCTCGTGTGCGCGGGACCCGA

501 ··LeuValLysAspTyrPheProGluProValThrValSerTrpAsnSer
GCCTGGTCAAGGACTACTTCCCCGAACCGGTGACGGTGTCTGGAAGTCA
CGGACCAGTTCCCTGATGAAGGGGCTTGGCCACTGCCACAGCACCTTGAGT

551 GlyAlaLeuThrSerGlyValHisThrPheProAlaValLeuGlnSerSer
GGCGCTCTGACCAGCGGCGTGCACACCTTCCCAGCTGTCTTACAGTCCTC
CCGCGAGACTGGTCGCCGCACGTGTGGAAGGGTCGACAGGATGTCAGGAG

601 ·GlyLeuTyrSerLeuSerSerValValThrValProSerSerAsnPheGly
AGGACTCTACTCCCTCAGCAGCGTGGTGACCGTGCCCTCCAGCAACTTCG
TCCTGAGATGAGGGAGTCGTCGCACCACTGGCACGGGAGGTCGTTGAAGC

651 ··ThrGlnThrTyrThrCysAsnValAspHisLysProSerAsnThrLys
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CGTGGGTCTGGATGTGGACGTTGCATCTAGTGTTCGGGTTCGTTGTGGTTC

701 ValAspLysThrVal
GTGGACAAGACAGTTGGTGAGAGGCCAGCTCAGGGAGGGAGGGTGTCTGC
CACCTGTTCTGTCAACCACTCTCCGGTCGAGTCCCTCCCTCCCACAGACG

751 TGGAAGCCAGGCTCAGCCCTCCTGCCTGGACGCACCCCGGCTGTGCAGCC
ACCTTCGGTCCGAGTCGGGAGGACGGACCTGCGTGGGGCCGACACGTCGG

801 CCAGCCCAGGGCAGCAAGGCAGGCCCATCTGTCTCCTCACCCGGAGGCC
GGTCGGGTCCCGTCGTTCCGTCCGGGGTAGACAGAGGAGTGGGCCCTCCGG

851 TCTGCCCGCCCCACTCATGCTCAGGGAGAGGGTCTTCTGGCTTTTCCAC
AGACGGGCGGGGTGAGTACGAGTCCCTCTCCCAGAAGACCGAAAAGGTG

901 CAGGCTCCAGGCAGGCACAGGCTGGGTGCCCTACCCAGGCCCTTCACA
GTCCGAGGTCCGTCCGTGTCCGACCCACGGGGATGGGGTCCGGGAAGTGT

951 CACAGGGGCAGGTGCTTGGCTCAGACCTGCCAAAAGCCATATCCGGGAGG
GTGTCCCGTCCACGAACCGAGTCTGGACGGTTTTTCGGTATAGGCCCTCC

1001 ACCCTGCCCTGACCTAAGCCGACCCAAAGGCCAAACTGTCCACTCCCT
TGGGACGGGACTGGATTCCGGCTGGGGTTTTCCGGTTTGACAGGTGAGGGA

1051 CAGCTCGGACACCTTCTCTCCTCCAGATCCGAGTAACTCCCAATCTTCT
GTCGAGCCTGTGGAAGAGAGGAGGGTCTAGGCTCATTGAGGGTTAGAAGA

1101 GluArgLysCysCysValGluCysProProCysPro
CTCTGCAGAGCGCAAATGTTGTGTCGAGTGCCACCGTGCCAGGTAAGC
GAGACGTCTCGCGTTTACAACACAGCTCACGGGTGGCACGGGTCCATTCG

1151 CAGCCCAGGCCTCGCCCTCCAGCTCAAGGCGGGACAGGTGCCCTAGAGTA
GTCCGGTCCGGAGCGGGAGGTCGAGTTCGCCCTGTCCACGGGATCTCAT

1201 GCCTGCATCCAGGGACAGGCCCCAGCTGGGTGCTGACACGTCCACCTCCA
CGGACGTAGGTCCCTGTCCGGGGTCGACCCACGACTGTGCAGGTGGAGGT

AlaProProValAlaGlyProSerValPheLeuPhePro
1251 TCTCTTCCTCAGCACCCCTGTGGCAGGACCGTCAGTCTTCCTCTTCCCC
AGAGAAGGAGTCGTGGTGGACACCGTCTGGCAGTCAGAAGGAGAAGGGG

ProLysProLysAspThrLeuMetIleSerArgThrProGluValThrCys
1301 CCAAACCCAAGGACACCCTCATGATCTCCCGGACCCCTGAGGTCACGTG
GGTTTTGGTTTCCTGTGGGAGTACTAGAGGGCCTGGGGACTCCAGTGCAC

·ValValValAspValSerHisGluAspProGluValGlnPheAsnTrpTyr
1351 CGTGGTGGTGGACGTGAGCCACGAAGACCCCGAGGTCCAGTTCAACTGGT
GCACCACCACCTGCACTCGGTGCTTCTGGGGCTCCAGGTCAAGTTGACCA

··ValAspGlyValGluValHisAsnAlaLysThrLysProArgGluGlu
1401 ACGTGGACGGCGTGGAGGTGCATAATGCCAAGACAAAGCCACGGGAGGAG
TGCACCTGCCGCACCTCCACGTATTACGGTCTGTTTCGGTGCCTCCTC

GlnPheAsnSerThrPheArgValValSerValLeuThrValValHisGln
1451 CAGTTCAACAGCACGTTCCGTGTGGTCAGCGTCCTCACGTTGTGCACCA
GTCAAGTTGTCGTGCAAGGCACACCAGTCGCAGGAGTGGCAACACGTGGT

·AspTrpLeuAsnGlyLysGluTyrLysCysLysValSerAsnLysGlyLeu
1501 GGACTGGCTGAACGGCAAGGAGTACAAGTGCAAGGTCTCCAACAAAGGCC
CCTGACCGACTTGCCGTTCCCTCATGTTACGTTCCAGAGGTTGTTTCCGG

··ProAlaProIleGluLysThrIleSerLysThrLys
1551 TCCCAGCCCCATCGAGAAAACCATCTCCAAAACCAAAGGTGGGACCCGC
AGGGTCCGGGGTAGCTCTTTGGTAGAGGTTTGGTTTCCACCCTGGGCG

1601 GGGGTATGAGGGCCACATGGACAGAGGCCGGCTCGGCCACCCCTCTGCCC
CCCCATACTCCCGGTGTACCTGTCTCCGGCCGAGCCGGGTGGGAGACGGG

GlyGlnProArgGlu
1651 TGGGAGTGACCGCTGTGCCAACCTCTGTCCCTACAGGGCAGCCCCGAGAA
ACCCTCACTGGCGACACGGTTGGAGACAGGGATGTCCCGTCGGGGCTCTT

ProGlnValTyrThrLeuProProSerArgGluGluMetThrLysAsnGln
1701 CCACAGGTGTACACCCTGCCCCATCCCGGGAGGAGATGACCAAGAACCA
GGTGTCCACATGTGGGACGGGGGTAGGGCCCTCCTACTGGTCTTGGT

·ValSerLeuThrCysLeuValLysGlyPheTyrProSerAspIleAlaVal
1751 GGTGAGCCTGACCTGCCTGGTCAAAGGCTTCTACCCCAGCGACATCGCCG
CCAGTCGGACTGGACGGACCAGTTTCCGAAGATGGGGTTCGCTGTAGCGGC

··GluTrpGluSerAsnGlyGlnProGluAsnAsnTyrLysThrThrPro
1801 TGGAGTGGGAGAGCAATGGGCAGCCGGAGAACAACCTACAAGACCACACT
ACCTCACCCCTCTCGTTACCCGTCGGCCTCTTGTGATGTTCTGGTGTGGA

1851 ProMetLeuAspSerAspGlySerPhePheLeuTyrSerLysLeuThrVal
CCCATGCTGGACTCCGACGGCTCCTTCTTCCTCTACAGCAAGCTCACCGT
GGGTACGACCTGAGGCTGCCGAGGAAGAAGGAGATGTCGTTGAGTGGCA

1901 ·AspLysSerArgTrpGlnGlnGlyAsnValPheSerCysSerValMetHis
GGACAAGAGCAGGTGGCAGCAGGGGAACGTCTTCTCATGCTCCGTGATGC
CCTGTTCTCGTCCACCGTCGTCCCCTTGCAGAAGAGTACGAGGCACTACG

1951 ··GluAlaLeuHisAsnHisTyrThrGlnLysSerLeuSerLeuSerPro
ATGAGGCTCTGCACAACCACTACACGCAGAAGAGCCTCTCCCTGTCTCCG
TACTCCGAGACGTGTTGGTGATGTGCGTCTTCTCGGAGAGGGACAGAGGC

2001 GlyLys
GGTAAA
CCATTT

FIGURE 49

1 MetArgLeuProAlaGlnLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuLeu
ATGAGGCTCCCTGCTCAGCTCCTGGGGCTCCTGC
TACTCCGAGGGACGAGTCGAGGACCCCGAGGACG

51 · · LeuTrpPheProGlyAlaArgCysAspIleGlnMetThrGlnSerPro
TGCTCTGGTTCACAGGTGCCAGGTGTGACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCA
ACGAGACCAAGGGTCCACGGTCCACACTGTAGGTCTACTGGGTGAGAGT

101 SerSerLeuSerAlaSerValGlyAspArgValThrIleThrCysArgAla
TCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACAGAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGGC
AGGAGGGACAGACGTAGACATCCTCTGTCTCAGTGGTAGTGAACGGCCCC

151 · SerGlnGlyIleArgAsnAspLeuGlyTrpTyrGlnGlnLysProGlyLys
AAGTCAGGGCATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTGGTATCAGCAGAAACCGGGGA
TTCAGTCCCATAATCTTTACTAAATCCGACCATAGTCGTCTTTGGCCCT

201 · · AlaProLysArgLeuIleTyrAlaAlaSerSerLeuGlnSerGlyVal
AAGCCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCCAGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTC
TTCGGGGATTGCGGGACTAGATACGACGTAGGTCAAACGTTTCACCCAG

251 ProSerArgPheSerGlySerGlySerGlyThrGluPheThrLeuThrIle
CCATCAAGGTTGAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAGAATTCACCTCACAAAT
GGTAGTTCCAAGTCGCCGTCACCTAGACCCTGTCTTAAGTGAGAGTGTTA

301 · SerSerLeuGlnProGluAspPheAlaThrTyrTyrCysLeuGlnHisAsn
CAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTACTGTCTACAGCATA
GTCGTCCGACGTCGGACTTCTAAAACGTTGAATAATGACAGATGTCGTAT

351 · · SerTyrProCysSerPheGlyGlnGlyThrLysLeuGluIleLysArg
ATAGTTACCCGTGCAGTTTTGGCCAGGGGACCAAGCTGGAGATCAAACGA
TATCAATGGGCACGTCAAACCGGTCCCCTGGTTCGACCTCTAGTTTGCT

401 ThrValAlaAlaProSerValPheIlePheProProSerAspGluGlnLeu
ACTGTGGCTGCACCATCTGTCTTCATCTTCCCGCCATCTGATGAGCAGTT
TGACACCGACGTGGTAGACAGAAGTAGAAGGGCGGTAGACTACTCGTCAA

451 · LysSerGlyThrAlaSerValValCysLeuLeuAsnAsnPheTyrProArg
GAAATCTGGAAGTGCAGCGTTGTGTGCCTGCTGAATAACTTCTATCCCA
CTTTAGACCTTGACGATCGCAACACACGGACGACTTATTGAAGATAGGGT

501 · · GluAlaLysValGlnTrpLysValAspAsnAlaLeuGlnSerGlyAsn
GAGAGGCCAAAGTACAGTGAAGGTGGATAACGCCCTCCAATCGGGTAAC
CTCTCCGGTTTCATGTACCTTCCACCTATTGCGGGAGGTTAGCCCATTTG

551 SerGlnGluSerValThrGluGlnAspSerLysAspSerThrTyrSerLeu
TCCCAGGAGAGTGTACAGAGCAGGACAGCAAGGACAGCACCTACAGCCT
AGGGTCCTCTCACAGTGTCTCGTCCTGTCGTTCTGTCGTGGATGTCGGA

601 •SerSerThrLeuThrLeuSerLysAlaAspTyrGluLysHisLysValTyr
CAGCAGCACCCCTGACGCTGAGCAAAGCAGACTACGAGAAACACAAAGTCT
GTCGTCGTGGGACTGCGACTCGTTTCGTCTGATGCTCTTTGTGTTTCAGA

651 ••AlaCysGluValThrHisGlnGlyLeuSerSerProValThrLysSer
ACGCCTGCGAAGTCACCCATCAGGGCCTGAGCTCGCCCGTCACAAAGAGC
TGCGGACGCTTCAGTGGGTAGTCCCGGACTCGAGCGGGCAGTGTTCCTCG

701 PheAsnArgGlyGluCys
TTCAACAGGGGAGAGTGT
AAGTTGTCCCCTCTCACA

FIGURE 50

1 MetLysHisLeuTrpPhePheLeuLeuLeuValAla
ATGAAGCATCTGTGGTTCTTCCTCCTGCTGGTGG
TACTTCGTAGACACCAAGAAGGAGGACGACCACC

51 ··AlaProArgTrpValLeuSerGlnValGlnLeuGlnGluSerGlyPro
CAGCTCCCAGATGGGTCCCTGTCCCAGGTGCAGCTGCAGGAGTCGGGCCCA
GTGCAGGGTCTACCCAGGACAGGGTCCACGTCGACGTCCTCAGCCCGGT

101 GlyLeuValLysProLeuGlnThrLeuSerLeuThrCysThrValSerGly
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CCTGACCACTTCGGAATGTCTGGGACAGGGAGTGGACGTGACAGAGACC

151 ·GlySerIleSerSerGlyValTyrTyrTrpSerTrpIleArgGlnHisPro
TGGCTCCATCAGCAGTGGTGTACTACTGGAGCTGGATCCGCCAGCACC
ACCGAGGTAGTCGTACCACAAATGATGACCTCGACCTAGGCGGTCTGTGG

201 ··GlyLysGlyLeuGluTrpIleGlyTyrIleTyrAsnSerLysThrSer
CAGGGAAGGGCCTGGAGTGGATTGGGTACATCTATAACAGTAAGACCTCC
GTCCCTTCCCGACCTCACCTAACCCATGTAGATATTGTCATTCTGGAGG

251 TyrTyrAsnProSerLeuLysSerArgLeuThrLeuSerValAspThrSer
TATTATAATCCGTCCCTCAAGAGTCGACTTACCCTATCAGTAGACACGTC
ATAATATTAGGCAGGGAGTTCTCAGCTGAATGGGATAGTCATCTGTGCAG

301 ·LysAsnGlnPheSerLeuAsnLeuIleSerValThrAlaAlaAspThrAla
TAAGAACCAGTTCTCCCTGAACCTGATCTCTGTGACTGCCGCGGACACGG
ATTCTTGGTCAAGAGGGACTTGGACTAGAGACACTGACGGCGCCTGTGCC

351 ··ValTyrTyrCysAlaArgAspLysLeuGlyIleAlaAspTyrTrpGly
CCGTGTATTACTGTGCGAGAGATAAATTGGGGATCGCGGACTACTGGGGC
GGCACATAATGACACGCTCTCTATTTAACCCCTAGCGCCTGATGACCCCG

401 GlnGlyThrLeuValThrValSerSerAlaSerThrLysGlyProSerVal
CAGGGAACCCTGGTCACCGTCTCCTCAGCCTCCACCAAGGGCCCATCGGT
GTCCCTTGGGACCAGTGGCAGAGGAGTCGGAGGTGGTTCCCGGGTAGCCA

451 ·PheProLeuAlaProCysSerArgSerThrSerGluSerThrAlaAlaLeu
CTTCCCCCTGGCGCCCTGCTCTAGAAAGCACCTCCGAGAGCACAGCCGCCC
GAAGGGGGACCGCGGGACGAGATCTTCGTGGAGGCTCTCGTGTGCGCGGG

501 ··GlyCysLeuValLysAspTyrPheProGluProValThrValSerTrp
TGGGCTGCCTGGTCAAGGACTACTTCCCCGAACCGGTGACGGTGTCTGTGG
ACCCGACGGACCAGTTCCTGATGAAGGGGCTTGGCCACTGCCACAGCACC

551 AsnSerGlyAlaLeuThrSerGlyValHisThrPheProAlaValLeuGln
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TTGAGTCCGCGAGACTGGTCGCCGCACGTGTGGAAGGGTCGACAGGATGT

601 · SerSerGlyLeuTyrSerLeuSerSerValValThrValProSerSerAsn
GTCCTCAGGACTCTACTCCCTCAGCAGCGTGGTGACCGTGCCCTCCAGCA
CAGGAGTCTGAGATGAGGGAGTCGTGCGCACCCTGGCACGGGAGGTCGT

651 · · PheGlyThrGlnThrTyrThrCysAsnValAspHisLysProSerAsn
ACTTCGGCACCCAGACCTACACCTGCAACGTAGATCACAAGCCCAGCAAC
TGAAGCCGTGGGTCTGGATGTGGACGTTGCATCTAGTGTTCCGGTCTGTTG

701 ThrLysValAspLysThrVal
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751 GTCTGCTGGAAGCCAGGCTCAGCCCTCCTGCCTGGACGCACCCCGGCTGT
CAGACGACCTTCGGTCCGAGTCGGGAGGACGGACCTGCGTGGGGCCGACA

801 GCAGCCCCAGCCAGGGCAGCAAGGCAGGCCCATCTGTCTCCTCACCCG
CGTCGGGGTCCGGTCCCGTCGTCCGTCCGGGTAGACAGAGGAGTGGGC

851 GAGGCCTCTGCCC GCCCACTCATGCTCAGGGAGAGGGTCTTCTGGCTTT
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901 TTCCACCAGGCTCCAGGCAGGCACAGGCTGGGTGCCCTACCCAGGCC
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951 TTCACACACAGGGGCAGGTGCTTGGCTCAGACCTGCCAAAAGCCATATCC
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1001 GGGAGGACCCTGCCCTGACCTAAGCCGACCCCAAAGGCCAAACTGTCCA
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1051 CTCCCTCAGCTCGGACACCTTCTCTCCTCCCAGATCCGAGTAACTCCCAA
GAGGGAGTCGAGCCTGTGGAAGAGAGGAGGGTCTAGGCTCATTGAGGGTT

1101 GluArgLysCysCysValGluCysProProCysPro
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AGAAGAGAGACGTCTCGGTTTTACAACACAGCTCACGGGTGGCACGGGTC

1151 GTAAGCCAGCCAGGCCTCGCCCTCCAGCTCAAGGCGGGACAGGTGCCCT
CATTCCGGTCCGGTCCGGAGCGGGAGGTCGAGTTCGCCCTGTCCACGGGA

1201 AGAGTAGCCTGCATCCAGGGACAGGCCCCAGCTGGGTGCTGACACGTCCA
TCTCATCGGACGTAGGTCCCTGTCCGGGGTTCGACCCACGACTGTGCAGGT

AlaProProValAlaGlyProSerValPheLeu
1251 CCTCCATCTCTTCCTCAGCACCTGTGGCAGGACCGTCAGTCTTCCTC
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AAGGGGGGTTTTGGGTTCTGTGGGAGTACTAGAGGGCCTGGGGACTCCA

•ThrCysValValValAspValSerHisGluAspProGluValGlnPheAsn
1351 CACGTGCGTGGTGGTGGACGTGAGCCACGAAGACCCCGAGGTCCAGTTCA
GTGCACGCACCACCACCTGCACTCGGTGCTTCTGGGGCTCCAGGTCAAGT

••TrpTyrValAspGlyValGluValHisAsnAlaLysThrLysProArg
1401 ACTGGTACGTGGACGGCGTGGAGGTGCATAATGCCAAGACAAAGCCACGG
TGACCATGCACCTGCCGCACCTCCACGTATTACGGTTCTGTTTCGGTGCC

GluGluGlnPheAsnSerThrPheArgValValSerValLeuThrValVal
1451 GAGGAGCAGTTCAACAGCACGTTCCGTGTGGTCAGCGTCCTCACCGTTGT
CTCCTCGTCAAGTTGTCTGCAAGGCACACCAGTCGCAGGAGTGGCAACA

•HisGlnAspTrpLeuAsnGlyLysGluTyrLysCysLysValSerAsnLys
1501 GCACCAGGACTGGCTGAACGGCAAGGAGTACAAGTGCAAGGTCTCCAACA
CGTGGTCCCTGACCGACTTGCCGTTCTCATGTTACGTTCCAGAGGTTGT

••GlyLeuProAlaProIleGluLysThrIleSerLysThrLys
1551 AAGGCCTCCCAGCCCCATCGAGAAAACCATCTCCAAAACCAAAGGTGGG
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1601 ACCCGCGGGGTATGAGGGCCACATGGACAGAGGCCGGCTCGGCCACCCT
TGGGCGCCCCATACTCCCGGTGTACCTGTCTCCGGCCGAGCCGGGTGGGA

GlyGlnPro
1651 CTGCCCTGGGAGTGACCGCTGTGCCAACCTCTGTCCCTACAGGGCAGCCC
GACGGGACCCTCACTGGCGACACGGTTGGAGACAGGGATGTCCCGTCGGG

ArgGluProGlnValTyrThrLeuProProSerArgGluGluMetThrLys
1701 CGAGAACCACAGGTGTACACCCTGCCCCATCCCGGGAGGAGATGACCAA
GCTCTTGGTGTCCACATGTGGGACGGGGTAGGGCCCTCCTCTACTGTT

•AsnGlnValSerLeuThrCysLeuValLysGlyPheTyrProSerAspIle
1751 GAACCAGGTGACCTGACCTGCCTGGTCAAAGGCTTCTACCCCAGCGACA
CTTGGTCCAGTCGGACTGGACGGACAGTTTCCGAAGATGGGGTTCGCTGT

••AlaValGluTrpGluSerAsnGlyGlnProGluAsnAsnTyrLysThr
1801 TCGCCGTGGAGTGGGAGAGCAATGGGCAGCCGGAGAACAACAAGACC
AGCGGCACCTCACCTCTCGTTACCCGTCGGCCTCTTGTGATGTTCTGG

1851 ThrProProMetLeuAspSerAspGlySerPhePheLeuTyrSerLysLeu
ACACCTCCCATGCTGGACTCCGACGGCTCCTTCTTCCTCTACAGCAAGCT
TGTGGAGGGTACGACCTGAGGCTGCCGAGGAAGAAGGAGATGTCGTTCGA

•ThrValAspLysSerArgTrpGlnGlnGlyAsnValPheSerCysSerVal
1901 CACCGTGGACAAGAGCAGGTGGCAGCAGGGGAACGTCTTCTCATGCTCCG
GTGGCACCTGTTCTCGTCCACCGTCGTCCCCTTGCAGAAGAGTACGAGGC

••MetHisGluAlaLeuHisAsnHisTyrThrGlnLysSerLeuSerLeu
1951 TGATGCATGAGGCTCTGCACAACCACTACACGCAGAAGAGCCTCTCCCTG
ACTACGTACTCCGAGACGTGTTGGTGATGTGCGTCTTCTCGGAGAGGGAC

SerProGlyLys
2001 TCTCCGGGTAAA
AGAGGCCCATTT

FIGURE 51

1 MetArgValProAlaGlnLeuLeuGlyLeuLeuLeu
ATGAGGGTCCCTGCTCAGCTCCTGGGGCTCCTGC
TACTCCCAGGGACGAGTCGAGGACCCCGAGGACG

51 · ·LeuTrpPheProGlyAlaArgCysAspIleGlnMetThrGlnSerPro
TGCTCTGGTTCCCAGGTGCCAGGTGTGACATCCAGATGACCCAGTCTCCA
ACGAGACCAAGGGTCCACGGTCCACACTGTAGGTCTACTGGGTCAGAGGT

101 SerSerLeuSerAlaSerValGlyAspArgValThrIleThrCysArgThr
TCCTCCCTGTCTGCATCTGTAGGAGACAGAGTCACCATCACTTGCCGGAC
AGGAGGGACAGACGTAGACATCCTCTGTCTCAGTGGTAGTGAACGGCCTG

151 · SerGlnGlyIleArgAsnAspLeuGlyTrpTyrGlnGlnLysProGlyLys
AAGTCAGGGCATTAGAAATGATTTAGGCTGGTATCAGCAGAAACCAGGGA
TTCAGTCCCATAATCTTTACTAAATCCGACCATAGTCGTCTTTGGTCCCT

201 · ·AlaProLysArgLeuIleTyrAlaAlaSerSerLeuGlnSerGlyVal
AAGCCCCTAAGCGCCTGATCTATGCTGCATCCAGTTTGCAAAGTGGGGTC
TTCGGGGATTTCGCGGACTAGATACGACGTAGGTCAAACGTTTCACCCAG

251 ProSerArgPheSerGlySerGlySerGlyThrGluPheThrLeuThrIle
CCATCAAGGTTTCAGCGGCAGTGGATCTGGGACAGAATTCACTCTCACAAT
GGTAGTTCCAAGTCGCCGTCACCTAGACCCTGTCTTAAGTGAGAGTGTTA

301 · SerSerLeuGlnProGluAspPheAlaThrTyrTyrCysLeuGlnHisAsn
CAGCAGCCTGCAGCCTGAAGATTTTGCAACTTATTACTGTCTACAGCATA
GTCGTCCGACGTCGGACTTCTAAAACGTTGAATAATGACAGATGTCGTAT

351 · ·SerTyrProProThrPheGlyGlyGlyThrLysValGluIleLysArg
ATAGCTACCCTCCCCTTTTCGGCGGAGGGACCAAGGTGGAGATCAAACGA
TATCGATGGGAGGGTGAAAGCCGCCTCCCTGGTTCCACCTCTAGTTTGCT

401 ThrValAlaAlaProSerValPheIlePheProProSerAspGluGlnLeu
ACTGTGGCTGCACCATCTGTCTTCATCTTCCCGCCATCTGATGAGCAGTT
TGACACCGACGTGGTAGACAGAAGTAGAAGGGCGGTAGACTACTCGTCAA

451 · LysSerGlyThrAlaSerValValCysLeuLeuAsnAsnPheTyrProArg
GAAATCTGGAAGTCTAGCGTTGTGTGCCTGCTGAATAACTTCTATCCCA
CTTTAGACCTTGACGATCGCAACACACGGACGACTTATTGAAGATAGGGT

501 · ·GluAlaLysValGlnTrpLysValAspAsnAlaLeuGlnSerGlyAsn
GAGAGGCCAAAGTACAGTGAAGGTGGATAACGCCCTCCAATCGGGTAAAC
CTCTCCGGTTTCATGTCACCTTCCACCTATTGCGGGAGGTTAGCCCATTG

551 SerGlnGluSerValThrGluGlnAspSerLysAspSerThrTyrSerLeu
TCCCAGGAGAGTGTACACAGAGCAGGACAGCAAGGACAGCACCTACAGCCT
AGGGTCCTCTCACAGTGTCTCGTCCTGTCGTTCCCTGTCGTGGATGTCGGA

601 ·SerSerThrLeuThrLeuSerLysAlaAspTyrGluLysHisLysValTyr
CAGCAGCACCCCTGACGCTGAGCAAAGCAGACTACGAGAAACACAAAGTCT
GTCGTGCTGGGACTGCGACTCGTTTCGTCTGATGCTCTTTGTGTTTCAGA

651 ··AlaCysGluValThrHisGlnGlyLeuSerSerProValThrLysSer
ACGCCTGCGAAGTCACCCATCAGGGCCTGAGCTCGCCCGTCACAAAGAGC
TGCGGACGCTTCAGTGGGTAGTCCCGGACTCGAGCGGGCAGTGTTTCTCG

701 PheAsnArgGlyGluCys
TTCAACAGGGGAGAGTGT
AAGTTGTCCCCTCTCACA

ERYTHROPOIETIN RECEPTOR BINDING ANTIBODIES

APPLICATION HISTORY

[0001] This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/418,031, filed Oct. 14, 2002, hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.

TECHNICAL FIELD OF THE INVENTION

[0002] The present invention relates to antibodies that recognize, bind to and, preferably, activate the erythropoietin receptor.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

[0003] Erythropoietin ("EPO") is a glycoprotein that is the primary regulator of erythropoiesis. Specifically, EPO is responsible for promoting the growth, differentiation and survival of erythroid progenitors, which give rise to mature red blood cells. In response to changes in the level of oxygen in the blood and tissues, erythropoietin appears to stimulate both proliferation and differentiation of immature erythroblasts. It also functions as a growth factor, stimulating the mitotic activity of erythroid progenitor cells, such as erythrocyte burst forming and colony-forming units. It also acts as a differentiation factor, triggering transformation of an erythrocyte colony-forming-unit into a proerythroblast (See Erslev, A., *New Eng. J. Med.*, 316:101-103 (1987)).

[0004] EPO has a molecular weight of about 34,000 daltons and can occur in three forms—alpha, beta and asialo. During mid- to late gestation, EPO is synthesized in the fetal liver. Subsequently, EPO is synthesized in the kidney, circulates in the plasma and is excreted in the urine.

[0005] Human urinary EPO has been isolated and purified (See, Miyake et al., *J. Biol. Chem.*, 252:5558 (1977)). Moreover, methods for identifying, cloning and expressing genes encoding EPO (See U.S. Pat. No. 4,703,008) as well as purifying recombinant EPO from a cell medium (See U.S. Pat. No. 4,667,016) are known in the art.

[0006] The activity of EPO is mediated through the binding and activation of a cell surface receptor referred to as the erythropoietin receptor. The EPO receptor belongs to the cytokine receptor superfamily and is believed to contain at least two distinct polypeptides, a 55-72 kDa species and a 85-100 kDa species (See U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499, Mayeux et al., *J. Biol. Chem.*, 266:23380 (1991), McCaffery et al., *J. Biol. Chem.*, 264:10507 (1991)). Other studies have revealed other polypeptide complexes of EPO receptor having molecular weights such as 110, 130 and 145 kDa (See U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499).

[0007] Both the murine and human EPO receptors have been cloned and expressed (See D'Andrea et al., *Cell*, 57:277 (1989); Jones et al., *Blood*, 76:31 (1990); Winkelmann et al., *Blood*, 76:24 (1990); WO 90/08822/U.S. Pat. No. 5,278,065). The full length human EPO receptor is a 483 amino acid transmembrane protein with an approximately 25 amino acid signal peptide (See U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499). The human receptor demonstrates about a 82% amino acid sequence homology with the murine receptor. Id.

[0008] In the absence of ligand the EPO receptor exists in a preformed dimer. The binding of EPO to its receptor

causes a conformational change such that the cytoplasmic domains are placed in close proximity. While not completely understood, it is believed that this "dimerization" plays a role in the activation of the receptor. The activation of the EPO receptor results in a number of biological effects. Some of these activities include stimulation of proliferation, stimulation of differentiation and inhibition of apoptosis (See U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499, Liboi et al., *PNAS USA*, 90:11351 (1993), Koury, *Science*, 248:378 (1990)).

[0009] It is the relationship between the EPO receptor dimerization and activation that can be used to identify compounds (i.e. such as antibodies) other than EPO that are capable of: (1) dimerizing the EPO receptor; and (2) activating the receptor. These compounds would be useful in treating mammals suffering from anemia and in identifying mammals having a dysfunctional EPO receptor.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

[0010] In one embodiment, the invention relates to antibodies that bind to the human erythropoietin receptor. In one embodiment, the antibodies comprise a heavy chain variable region that is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 31, 35, 39, 43, 47, 51, 55 and fragments thereof. In another embodiment, the antibodies comprise a light chain variable region that is selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 49, 53, 57 and fragments thereof.

[0011] In another embodiment, the present invention relates to an isolated antibody that is capable of binding a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal. Such an antibody comprises a heavy chain variable region or a light chain variable region that comprises a continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3. The amino acid sequence of the heavy chain variable region comprising the continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3 is selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:58, SEQ ID NO:59, SEQ ID NO:60, SEQ ID NO:61 and fragments thereof. The amino acid sequence of the light chain variable region comprising the continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3 is selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:62, SEQ ID NO:63, SEQ ID NO:64, SEQ ID NO:65, SEQ ID NO:66, SEQ ID NO:67, SEQ ID NO:68 and fragments thereof.

[0012] In another embodiment, the present invention relates to an antibody that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal but does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1).

[0013] In another embodiment, the present invention relates to an antibody that is capable of activating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof exhibits a binding affinity within one hundred fold of the binding affinity of endogenous human erythropoietin to the erythropoietin receptor.

[0014] In yet another embodiment, the present invention relates to an antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal. The antibody or antibody fragment thereof comprises at least one human heavy chain variable

region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:3 or antibody fragment thereof, and/or at least one human light chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:5 or antibody fragment thereof, provided that said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1).

[0015] In yet another embodiment, the present invention relates to an antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal. The antibody or antibody fragment thereof comprises at least one heavy chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:7 or antibody fragment thereof, and/or at least one light chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:9 or antibody fragment thereof, provided that said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1).

[0016] This embodiment also includes other heavy chain variable regions selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO: 11, 15, 19, 31, 35, 39, 43, 47, 51, and 55 or an antibody fragment of any of these aforementioned SEQ ID NOS, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1. Other light chain variable regions included in this embodiment may be selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO: 13, 17, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 49, 53 and 57 or an antibody fragment of any of these aforementioned SEQ ID NOS, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

[0017] In yet another embodiment, the invention provides an antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, the antibody comprising the amino acid sequences of at least one heavy chain variable region and at least one light chain variable region selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:13, SEQ ID NO:15/SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:19/SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:27, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:31/SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:35/SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:39/SEQ ID NO:41, SEQ ID NO:43/SEQ ID NO:45, SEQ ID NO:47/SEQ ID NO:49, SEQ ID NO:51/SEQ ID NO:53 and SEQ ID NO:55/SEQ ID NO:57 or antibody fragment thereof, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

[0018] In yet another embodiment, the present invention relates to a method of activating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal. The method involves the step of administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective amount of an antibody or antibody fragment thereof to activate the EPO receptor. The antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1).

[0019] In yet a further embodiment, the present invention relates to a method of modulating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal. The method involves administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective

amount of an antibody or antibody fragment thereof to modulate the endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal but does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1).

[0020] In yet a further embodiment, the present invention relates to a method of treating a mammal suffering from pure red cell aplasia induced by neutralizing anti-erythropoietin antibodies. The method involves administering to a mammal in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of an antibody or antibody fragment thereof to activate said receptor, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1).

[0021] In yet a further embodiment, the present invention relates to pharmaceutical compositions. The pharmaceutical compositions of the present invention contain a therapeutically effective amount of an antibody or antibody fragment thereof and a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient. The antibody or antibody fragment contained in the pharmaceutical composition activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal but does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1).

[0022] In yet a further embodiment, the present invention relates to an IgG2 antibody or antibody fragment that binds to and activates the erythropoietin receptor. The IgG2 antibodies or antibody fragments of this embodiment bind to and interact with any epitope that is involved in activating the EPO receptor. Such antibodies may be polyclonal or monoclonal antibodies or any antibody fragment thereof. The IgG2 antibodies may be chimeric, humanized or human antibodies.

[0023] In yet a further embodiment, the present invention provides a method of activating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal comprising the step of administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective amount of an IgG2 antibody or antibody fragment of the invention to activate the receptor.

[0024] In yet a further embodiment, the present invention provides a method of modulating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal comprising the step of administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective amount of an IgG2 antibody or antibody fragment of the invention to modulate the receptor.

[0025] In yet another embodiment, the present invention provides a method of treating a mammal suffering aplasia, the method comprising the step of administering to a mammal in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of an IgG2 antibody or antibody fragment of the invention to activate the receptor.

[0026] In yet another embodiment, the present invention provides a method of treating a mammal suffering aplasia, the method comprising the step of administering to a mammal in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of an IgG2 antibody or antibody fragment of the invention to modulate the receptor.

[0027] In yet another embodiment, the present invention provides a pharmaceutical composition comprising a thera-

apeutically effective amount of an IgG2 antibody or antibody fragment of the invention and a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.

[0028] Finally, the present invention relates to isolated and purified polynucleotide and amino acid sequences. The isolated and purified polynucleotide sequences can be selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:2, SEQ ID NO:4, SEQ ID NO:6, SEQ ID NO:8, SEQ ID NO:10, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:22, SEQ ID NO:24, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:42, SEQ ID NO:44, SEQ ID NO:46, SEQ ID NO:48, SEQ ID NO:50, SEQ ID NO:52, SEQ ID NO:54, SEQ ID NO:56 and fragments, complements and degenerate codon equivalents thereof.

[0029] The present invention further relates to isolated and purified amino acid sequences selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:3, SEQ ID NO:5, SEQ ID NO:7, SEQ ID NO:9, SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:13, SEQ ID NO:15, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:19, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:39, SEQ ID NO:41, SEQ ID NO:43, SEQ ID NO:45, SEQ ID NO:47, SEQ ID NO:49, SEQ ID NO:51, SEQ ID NO:53, SEQ ID NO:55, SEQ ID NO:57, SEQ ID NO:58, SEQ ID NO:59, SEQ ID NO:60, SEQ ID NO:61, SEQ ID NO:62, SEQ ID NO:63, SEQ ID NO:64, SEQ ID NO:65, SEQ ID NO:66, SEQ ID NO:67, SEQ ID NO:68 and fragments and complements and thereof.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FIGURES

[0030] FIG. 1 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:69 and SEQ ID NO:70, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of human antibody Ab12. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:71 through 74. The sequence of the constant region alone is shown as SEQ ID NO:75. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 1283. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 1284-1289. The constant region is from nucleotides 1290-2826.

[0031] FIG. 2 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:76 and SEQ ID NO:77, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the light chain of human antibody Ab12. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:78. The sequence of the constant region alone is shown as SEQ ID NO: 79. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 1363. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 1364-1369. The constant region is from nucleotides 1370-1618.

[0032] FIG. 3 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:80 and SEQ ID NO:81, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of human antibody Ab198. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:82 and SEQ ID NOS 72 through 74. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 1304. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 1305-1310. The constant region is from nucleotides 1311-2847.

[0033] FIG. 4 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:83 and

SEQ ID NO:84, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the light chain of human antibody Ab198. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:78. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 1351. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 1352-1357. The constant region is from nucleotides 1358-1606.

[0034] FIG. 5 shows the competition of Ab12 with ¹²⁵I-labeled EPO for binding to Chinese Hamster Ovary cells expressing recombinant EPO receptor.

[0035] FIG. 6 shows the results of an EPO dependent human cell proliferation assay using Ab12 and Ab198.

[0036] FIG. 7 shows that Ab12 remains active in inducing the proliferation of F36E cells after storage at 4° C. for up to 20 days.

[0037] FIG. 8 shows that Ab 12 induces the formation of CFU-E (colony forming unit—erythroid) from human 36⁺ progenitor cells.

[0038] FIG. 9 shows the induction of proliferation of human erythroid producing cells with Ab198.

[0039] FIG. 10 shows that Ab198 induces the formation of CFU-E colonies from cynomologous bone marrow-derived erythroid progenitor cells.

[0040] FIG. 11 shows that Ab12 does not interact with the peptide SE-3. Ab71A interacts with the SE-3 peptide.

[0041] FIG. 12 shows that human Abs secreted by primary hybridomas induce the proliferation of F36E cells.

[0042] FIG. 13 shows that human Ab supernatants secreted by primary hybridomas interact with intact EPO receptor, but not with peptide SE-3.

[0043] FIG. 14 shows the activity of various concentrations of Ab 12 on the proliferation of UT7/EPO cells.

[0044] FIG. 15 shows the activity of various concentrations of Ab198 on the proliferation of UT7/EPO cells.

[0045] FIG. 16 shows the activity of various concentrations of Ab198 (with or without the addition of a secondary goat anti-human FC antibody) on the growth and proliferation of UT7/EPO cells.

[0046] FIG. 17 shows the activity of various concentrations of Ab12 (with or without the addition of a secondary goat anti-human FC antibody) on the growth and proliferation of UT7/EPO cells.

[0047] FIG. 18 is a series of representations of the heavy chain and light chain variable region nucleotide and amino acid sequences of the human anti-EPO-R antibody expressed by the cell line designated ABT2-SCX-003 of the invention, with FIG. 18A (SEQ ID NO:10) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the heavy chain, FIG. 18B (SEQ ID NO:11) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 18A, FIG. 18C (SEQ ID NO:12) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the light chain, and FIG. 18D (SEQ ID NO:13) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 18C.

[0048] FIG. 19 is a series of representations of the heavy chain and light chain variable region nucleotide and amino acid sequences of the human anti-EPO-R antibody

light chain, and FIG. 28D (SEQ ID NO:37) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 28C.

[0058] FIG. 29 is a table showing amino acid sequence alignments of heavy chain variable regions of anti-EPOr mAbs generated according to the invention with their associated germline variable region sequences and identifying framework regions and complementarity determining regions.

[0059] FIG. 30 is a table showing amino acid sequence alignments of light chain variable regions of anti-EPOr mAbs generated according to the invention with their associated germline variable region sequences and identifying framework regions and complementarity determining regions.

[0060] FIG. 31 is a graph comparing the erythropoietic activity, at various concentrations, of a gamma-1 Ab 12 monoclonal antibody (Mab) and a gamma-2 Ab 12 Mab on an F36e human erythroleukemic cell line.

[0061] FIG. 32 is a graph showing the increase in percent reticulocyte and percent hematocrit in transgenic mice subjected to a multiple dosing regimen of vehicle, Epogen (5U) or Ab 12 antibody (5 or 50 µg).

[0062] FIG. 33 is a graph showing the increase in percent hematocrit in transgenic mice subjected to a weekly dosing regimen (over 3 weeks) of various concentrations of Aranesp™ or Ab 12.

[0063] FIG. 34 is a graph showing the increase in percent hematocrit in transgenic mice subjected to single versus weekly dosing regimens of various concentrations of Aranesp™ or Ab 12.

[0064] FIG. 35 is a series of representations of the heavy chain and light chain variable region nucleotide and amino acid sequences of the human anti-EPO-R antibody expressed by the cell line designated ABT2-SCX-390 of the invention, with FIG. 35A (SEQ ID NO:38) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the heavy chain, FIG. 35B (SEQ ID NO:39) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 35A, FIG. 35C (SEQ ID NO:40) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the light chain, and FIG. 35D (SEQ ID NO:41) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 35C.

[0065] FIG. 36 is a series of representations of the heavy chain and light chain variable region nucleotide and amino acid sequences of the human anti-EPO-R antibody expressed by the cell line designated ABT2-SCX-412 of the invention, with FIG. 36A (SEQ ID NO:42) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the heavy chain, FIG. 36B (SEQ ID NO:43) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 36A, FIG. 36C (SEQ ID NO:44) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the light chain, and FIG. 36D (SEQ ID NO:45) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 36C.

[0066] FIG. 37 is a series of representations of the heavy chain and light chain variable region nucleotide and amino acid sequences of the human anti-EPO-R antibody

expressed by the cell line designated ABT2-SCX-430/432 of the invention, with FIG. 37A (SEQ ID NO:46) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the heavy chain, FIG. 37B (SEQ ID NO:47) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 37A, FIG. 37C (SEQ ID NO:48) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the light chain, and FIG. 37D (SEQ ID NO:49) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 37C.

[0067] FIG. 38 is a series of representations of the heavy chain and light chain variable region nucleotide and amino acid sequences of the human anti-EPO-R antibody expressed by the cell line designated ABT2-SCX-467 of the invention, with FIG. 38A (SEQ ID NO:50) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the heavy chain, FIG. 38B (SEQ ID NO:51) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 38A, FIG. 38C (SEQ ID NO:52) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the light chain, and FIG. 38D (SEQ ID NO:53) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 38C.

[0068] FIG. 39 is a series of representations of the heavy chain and light chain variable region nucleotide and amino acid sequences of the human anti-EPO-R antibody expressed by the cell line designated ABT2-SCX-484 of the invention, with FIG. 39A (SEQ ID NO:54) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the heavy chain, FIG. 39B (SEQ ID NO:55) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 39A, FIG. 39C (SEQ ID NO:56) representing the nucleotide sequence encoding the variable region of the light chain, and FIG. 39D (SEQ ID NO:57) representing the amino acid sequence encoded by the nucleotide sequence shown in FIG. 39C.

[0069] FIG. 40 is a table showing amino acid sequence alignments of heavy chain variable regions of anti-EPOr mAbs generated according to the invention with their associated germline variable region sequences and identifying framework regions and complementarity determining regions.

[0070] FIG. 41 is a table showing amino acid sequence alignments of light chain variable regions of anti-EPOr mAbs generated according to the invention with their associated germline variable region sequences and identifying framework regions and complementarity determining regions.

[0071] FIG. 42 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:86 and SEQ ID NO:87, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of human antibody Ab390. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:88 and SEQ ID NOS 72 through 74. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-2006.

[0072] FIG. 43 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:89 and SEQ ID NO:90, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the light chain of human antibody Ab390. The amino acid

sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:91. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-718.

[0073] FIG. 44 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:92 and SEQ ID NO:93, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of human antibody Ab412. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:94 and SEQ ID NOS 72 through 74. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 469. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 470-475. The constant region is from nucleotides 476-2012.

[0074] FIG. 45 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:95 and SEQ ID NO:96, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the light chain of human antibody Ab412. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:97. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-718.

[0075] FIG. 46 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:98 and SEQ ID NO:99, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of human antibody Ab432. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:100 and SEQ ID NOS 72 through 74. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-2006.

[0076] FIG. 47 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:101 and SEQ ID NO:102, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the light chain of human antibody Ab430. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:103. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-718.

[0077] FIG. 48 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:104 and SEQ ID NO:105, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of human antibody Ab467. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:106 and SEQ ID NOS 72 through 74. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-2006.

[0078] FIG. 49 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:107 and SEQ ID NO:108, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the light chain of human antibody Ab467. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:109. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-718.

[0079] FIG. 50 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:110 and SEQ ID NO:111, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of human antibody Ab484. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:112 and SEQ ID NOS 72 through 74. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 469. The

variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 470-475. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-2012.

[0080] FIG. 51 shows the isolated and purified polynucleotide (top strand and bottom strands, SEQ ID NO:113 and SEQ ID NO:114, respectively) and amino acid sequence of the light chain of human antibody Ab484. The amino acid sequence comprises SEQ ID NOS:115. The variable chain ends at nucleotide 463. The variable/constant joining region (underlined) is at nucleotides 464-469. The constant region is from nucleotides 470-718.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

Definitions

[0081] As used herein, the term “antibody” or “immunoglobulin” refers to single chain, two-chain, and multi-chain proteins and glycoproteins that belong to the classes of polyclonal, monoclonal, chimeric and human or humanized. The term “antibody” also includes synthetic and genetically engineered variants thereof.

[0082] As used herein, the term “antibody fragment” refers to Fab, Fab', F(ab')₂ and Fv fragments, as well as any portion of an antibody having specificity toward at least one desired epitope.

[0083] As used herein, the term “gamma-2”, “gamma-2 isotype” or “IgG2” refers to subclass 2 of immunoglobulin G (IgG), as well as any antibody fragment thereof. The four subclasses of IgG molecules are well characterized and well known to those of ordinary skill in the art. (See for example, Molecular Biology of the Cell, 2nd Edition by Bruce Alberts et al., 1989) Panels of monoclonal antibodies are available that recognize all human isotypes (IgA, IgG, IgD, IgE, and IgM) and subisotypes (IgA1, IgA2, IgG1, IgG2, IgG3, and IgG4) of human immunoglobulins.

[0084] As used herein, the term “humanized antibody” refers to an antibody that is derived from a non-human antibody (i.e murine) that retains or substantially retains the antigen-binding properties of the parent antibody but is less immunogenic in humans.

[0085] As used herein, the term “human antibody” refers to an antibody that possesses a sequence that is derived from a human germ-line immunoglobulin sequence, such as antibodies derived from transgenic mice having human immunoglobulin genes (e.g., XenoMouse® mice), human phage display libraries, or human B cells.

[0086] As used herein, the term “epitope” refers to any protein determinate capable of specifically binding to an antibody or T-cell receptors. Epitopic determinants usually consist of chemically active surface groupings of molecules such as amino acids or sugar side chains and usually have specific three dimensional structural characteristics, as well as specific charge characteristics.

[0087] As used herein, the term “endogenous” refers to a product or activity arising in the body or cell as opposed to a product or activity coming from outside.

[0088] As used herein the phrase, a polynucleotide “derived from” or “specific for a designated sequence refers to a polynucleotide sequence that comprises a contiguous

sequence of approximately at least 6 nucleotides, preferably at least about 8 nucleotides, more preferably at least about 10-12 nucleotides, and even more preferably at least about 15-20 nucleotides corresponding, i.e., identical or complementary to, a region of the designated nucleotide sequence. The sequence may be complementary or identical to a sequence that is unique to a particular polynucleotide sequence as determined by techniques known in the art. Regions from which sequences may be derived, include but are not limited to, regions encoding specific epitopes, as well as non-translated and/or non-transcribed regions.

[0089] The derived polynucleotide will not necessarily be derived physically from the nucleotide sequence of interest under study, but may be generated in any manner, including, but not limited to, chemical synthesis, replication, reverse transcription or transcription, that is based on the information provided by the sequence of bases in the region(s) from which the polynucleotide is derived. As such, it may represent either a sense or an antisense orientation of the original polynucleotide. In addition, combinations of regions corresponding to that of the designated sequence may be modified in ways known in the art to be consistent with the intended use.

[0090] As used herein, the phrase "encoded by" refers to a nucleic acid sequence that codes for a polypeptide sequence, wherein the polypeptide sequence or a portion thereof contains an amino acid sequence of at least 3 to 5 amino acids, more preferably at least 8 to 10 amino acids, and even more preferably at least 15 to 20 amino acids from a polypeptide encoded by the nucleic acid sequence. Also encompassed are polypeptide sequences that are immunologically identifiable with a polypeptide encoded by the sequence. Thus, a "polypeptide," "protein" or "amino acid" sequence has at least about 50%, 60%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 85%, 90%, 95% or more identity to the antibodies of the present invention. Further, the antibodies of the present invention may have at least about 60%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 85%, 90% or 95% similarity to a polypeptide or amino sequences of the antibodies of the present invention. The amino acid sequences of the antibodies of the present invention can be selected from the group consisting of SEQUENCE ID NOS: 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55 and 57. Preferred amino acid sequences of the antibodies of the present invention are selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NOS: 3, 5, 7, 9, 51 and 53.

[0091] As used herein, the phrase "recombinant polypeptide," "recombinant protein," or "a polypeptide produced by recombinant techniques", which terms may be used interchangeably herein, describes a polypeptide that by virtue of its origin or manipulation is not associated with all or a portion of the polypeptide with which it is associated in nature and/or is linked to a polypeptide other than that to which it is linked in nature. A recombinant or encoded polypeptide or protein is not necessarily translated from a designated nucleic acid sequence. It also may be generated in any manner, including chemical synthesis or expression of a recombinant expression system.

[0092] As used herein, the phrase "synthetic peptide" refers to a polymeric form of amino acids of any length, which may be chemically synthesized by methods well known in the art (See U.S. Pat. Nos. 4,816,513, 5,854,389, 5,891,993 and 6,184,344).

[0093] As used herein, the term "polynucleotide" refers to a polymeric form of nucleotides of any length, either ribonucleotides or deoxyribonucleotides. This term refers only to the primary structure of the molecule. Thus, the term includes double and single-stranded DNA as well as double and single-stranded RNA. It also includes modifications, such as methylation or capping and unmodified forms of the polynucleotide. The terms "polynucleotide", "oligomer," "oligonucleotide," and "oligo," are used interchangeably herein.

[0094] As used herein the phrase "purified polynucleotide" refers to a polynucleotide of interest or fragment thereof that is essentially free, e.g. contains less than about 50%, 60%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 85%, 90%, 95% of the protein with which the polynucleotide is naturally associated. Techniques for purifying polynucleotides of interest are well known in the art and include, for example, disruption of the cell containing the polynucleotide with a chaotropic agent and separation of the polynucleotide(s) and proteins by ion-exchange chromatography, affinity chromatography and sedimentation according to density.

[0095] As used herein, the phrase "purified polypeptide" or "purified protein" means a polypeptide of interest or fragment thereof which is essentially free of, e.g., contains less than about 50%, 60%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 85%, 90%, 95%, cellular components with which the polypeptide of interest is naturally associated. Methods for purifying polypeptides of interest are known in the art.

[0096] As used herein, the term "isolated" refers to material that is removed from its original environment (e.g., the natural environment if it is naturally occurring). For example, a naturally occurring polynucleotide or polypeptide present in a living animal is not isolated, but the same polynucleotide or DNA or polypeptide, separated from some or all of the coexisting materials in the natural system, is isolated. Such polynucleotide could be part of a vector and/or such polynucleotide or polypeptide could be part of a composition, and still be isolated in that the vector or composition is not part of its natural environment.

[0097] As used herein, the term "polypeptide" and "protein" are used interchangeably and refer to at least one molecular chain of amino acids linked through covalent and/or non-covalent bonds. The terms do not refer to a specific length of the product. Thus, peptides, oligopeptides and proteins are included within the definition of polypeptide. The terms include post-translational modifications of the polypeptide, including, but not limited to, glycosylations, acetylations, phosphorylations and the like. In addition, protein fragments, analogs, mutated or variant proteins, fusion proteins and the like are included within the meaning of polypeptide.

[0098] As used herein, the phrase "recombinant host cells," "host cells," "cells," "cell lines," "cell cultures," and other such terms denoting microorganisms or higher eukaryotic cell lines cultured as unicellular entities refer to cells that can be, or have been, used as recipients for recombinant vector or other transferred DNA, and include the original progeny of the original cell that has been transfected.

[0099] As used herein, the term "replicon" refers to any genetic element, such as a plasmid, a chromosome or a virus, that behaves as an autonomous unit of polynucleotide replication within a cell.

[0100] As used herein, the term “operably linked” refers to a situation wherein the components described are in a relationship permitting them to function in their intended manner. Thus, for example, a control sequence “operably linked” to a coding sequence is ligated in such a manner that expression of the coding sequence is achieved under conditions compatible with the control sequence.

[0101] As used herein, the term “vector” refers to a replicon in which another polynucleotide segment is attached, such as to bring about the replication and/or expression of the attached segment.

[0102] As used herein, the term “control sequence” refers to a polynucleotide sequence that is necessary to effect the expression of a coding sequence to which it is ligated. The nature of such control sequences differs depending upon the host organism. In prokaryotes, such control sequences generally include a promoter, a ribosomal binding site and terminators and, in some instances, enhancers. The term “control sequence” thus is intended to include at a minimum all components whose presence is necessary for expression, and also may include additional components whose presence is advantageous, for example, leader sequences.

[0103] The term “transfection” refers to the introduction of an exogenous polynucleotide into a prokaryotic or eucaryotic host cell, irrespective of the method used for the introduction. The term “transfection” refers to both stable and transient introduction of the polynucleotide, and encompasses direct uptake of polynucleotides, transformation, transduction and f-mating. Once introduced into the host cell, the exogenous polynucleotide may be maintained as a non-integrated replicon, for example, a plasmid, or alternatively, may be integrated into the host genome.

[0104] As used herein, the term “treatment” refers to prophylaxis and/or therapy.

[0105] As used herein, the term “purified product” refers to a preparation of the product which has been isolated from the cellular constituents with which the product is normally associated and from other types of cells that may be present in the sample of interest.

[0106] As used herein, the phrase “activation of an erythropoietin (EPO) receptor” refers to one or more molecular processes which an EPO receptor undergoes that result in the transduction of a signal to the interior of a receptor-bearing cell. Ultimately, this signal brings about one or more changes in cellular physiology. Activation of the EPO receptor typically results in the proliferation or differentiation of EPO receptor-bearing cells, such as, but not limited to, erythroid progenitor cells. A number of events are involved in the activation of the EPO receptor, such as, but not limited to, the dimerization of the receptor.

[0107] The structural unit of an antibody is a tetramer. Each tetramer is composed of two identical pairs of polypeptide chains, each pair having one “light” (25 kDa) and one “heavy” chain (about 50-70 kDa). The amino-terminal portion of each chain includes a variable region that is primarily responsible for antigen recognition. The carboxy-terminal portion of the chain defines a constant region that is responsible for the effector function of the antibody. Human light chains are classified as kappa and lambda light chains. Heavy chains are classified as mu, delta, gamma, alpha, or epsilon and define the antibody’s isotype as IgM, IgD, IgG,

IgA, and IgE. IgG immunoglobulins are classified further into four subclasses (IgG1, IgG2, IgG3 and IgG4) having gamma-1, gamma-2, gamma-3 and gamma-4 heavy chains, respectively. Most of the therapeutic human, chimeric or humanized antibodies available are of the IgG1 antibody type including Herceptin for breast cancer, Rituxan for Non-Hodgkins lymphoma and Humira and Remicade for rheumatoid arthritis (See Glennie, M. J. et al., *Drug Discovery Today*, 8:503 (2003)).

[0108] Within the light and heavy chains, the variable and constant regions are joined by a “J” region with the heavy chain also include a “D” region. The variable regions of each light/heavy chain pair form the antigen binding site. Thereupon, an intact antibody has two binding sites, which, except in bifunctional or bispecific antibodies, are the same. Bifunctional or bispecific antibodies are artificial hybrid antibodies that have two different heavy/light chain pairs and two different binding sites. Bifunctional or bispecific antibodies can be produced using routine techniques known in the art.

[0109] The structure of the chains of an antibody exhibit the same general structure of relatively conserved framework regions (FR) joined by three hyper variable regions, also called complementarity determining regions or CDRs. The CDRs from the two chains of each pair are aligned by the framework regions, enabling binding to a specific epitope. From N-terminal to C-terminal, both the light and heavy chains comprise the domains FR1, CDR1, FR2, CDR2, FR3, CDR3 and FR4.

[0110] U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499 describes antibodies that bind to and activate an erythropoietin receptor (EPO-R). The antibodies specifically identified in this patent are Mabs 71 and 73. Mab 71 binds to a peptide designated “SE-3” having the amino acid sequence of PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCR-LHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO:1) (See Example 3). SE-3 is located on the human EPO-R between amino acid residues 49-78. According to U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499, when this region of the EPO-R (i.e. amino acid residues 49-79) is bound with a cross linker such as Mab 71, this results in the activation of the EPO receptor. Example 6 in U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499 states that Mab 71 binds “significant amounts of peptide SE-3” compared to other peptides tested. This example further states that this “indicates that Mab 71 binds to a region of the human EPO-R containing or overlapping residues 49 to 78.” Mabs 71 and 73 are murine antibodies. Although rodent and human antibodies may both provide precision for target specificity, human antibodies interact far more effectively with the natural defenses of the body and do not elicit anti-antibody responses to the same extent as rodent antibodies (Winter, G. and Milstein, C. *Nature* 349: 293 (1991)). Additionally, the flexibility of human IgG subclasses differ (Roux, K. H. et al., *J. Immunol.* 159: 3372 (1997)) and this difference also extends to rodent IgG isotypes since rodent IgG isotypes differ from their human counterparts. Since protein flexibility may affect antibody-antigen recognition (Jimenez, R., et al. *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 100: 92 (2003)), human IgG2 isotypes may result in antigen recognition mechanisms distinct from those of murine antibodies. Murine IgG isotypes generally differ from those of humans.

[0111] In one embodiment, the present invention relates to an antibody or antibody fragment that binds to the erythro-

poietin receptor. The antibody or antibody fragment that binds to the erythropoietin receptor comprises at least one heavy chain having an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NOS: 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 31, 35, 39, 43, 47, 51, 55 and fragments thereof. In a second embodiment, the antibody or antibody fragment that binds to the erythropoietin receptor comprises at least one light chain having an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NOS: 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 33, 37, 41, 45, 49, 53, 57 and fragments thereof.

[0112] In a third embodiment, the present invention relates to an isolated antibody that is capable of binding a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal.

[0113] More specifically, the antibody comprises a heavy chain variable region or a light chain variable region which comprises a continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3. The amino acid sequence of the heavy chain variable region comprising the continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3 is selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:58, SEQ ID NO:59, SEQ ID NO:60 and SEQ ID NO:61, and fragments thereof. The amino acid sequence of the light chain variable region comprising the continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3 is selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:62, SEQ ID NO:63, SEQ ID NO:64, SEQ ID NO:65, SEQ ID NO:66, SEQ ID NO:67, and SEQ ID NO:68, and fragments thereof. In addition, the present invention relates to an isolated antibody which comprises a heavy chain variable region or a light chain variable region which comprises at least one CDR. More specifically, the antibody comprises a heavy chain variable region comprising at least one CDR selected from the group consisting of amino acid residues 99-112 of SEQ ID NO:1, 26-35 of SEQ ID NO:3, 50-65 of SEQ ID NO:3, 98-105 of SEQ ID NO:3, 26-35 of SEQ ID NO:19, 50-66 of SEQ ID NO:19, 99-105 of SEQ ID NO:19, 50-66 of SEQ ID NO:31, 99-105 of SEQ ID NO:31, 26-35 of SEQ ID NO:39, 50-65 of SEQ ID NO:39, 98-105 of SEQ ID NO:39, 26-37 of SEQ ID NO:43, 52-67 of SEQ ID NO:43, 100-107 of SEQ ID NO:43, 26-35 of SEQ ID NO:47, 50-65 of SEQ ID NO:47, 26-35 of SEQ ID NO:51, 50-65 of SEQ ID NO:51, 98-105 of SEQ ID NO:51, 26-37 of SEQ ID NO:55 and 52-67 of SEQ ID NO:55 or a light chain variable region comprising at least one CDR selected from the group consisting of amino acid residues 24-34 of SEQ ID NO:13, 50-56 of SEQ ID NO:13, 89-97 of SEQ ID NO:5, 24-34 of SEQ ID NO:27, 50-56 of SEQ ID NO:9, 24-39 of SEQ ID NO:33, 55-61 of SEQ ID NO:33, 24-34 of SEQ ID NO:41, 89-97 of SEQ ID NO:41, 24-34 of SEQ ID NO:45, 50-56 of SEQ ID NO:45, 89-97 of SEQ ID NO:45, 89-97 of SEQ ID NO:49 and 24-34 of SEQ ID NO:57.

[0114] In a fourth embodiment, the present invention relates to an antibody or antibody fragment that binds to and activates the erythropoietin receptor. The antibodies of the present invention bind to at least one epitope that is involved in activating the EPO receptor (Example 4). Unlike other antibodies or fragments known in the art that bind to and activate an erythropoietin receptor, such as the antibodies described in U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499, the antibodies of the present invention do not interact with the peptide designated SE-3. Surprisingly, the antibodies of the present invention are erythropoietic even though the antibodies do not bind to the SE-3 peptide. Therefore, the human antibodies of the

present invention interact with at least one different epitope on the human EPO receptor than the antibodies described in U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499.

[0115] In a fifth embodiment, the present invention relates to an IgG2 antibody or antibody fragment that binds to and activates the erythropoietin receptor. The IgG2 antibodies or antibody fragments of this embodiment bind to and interact with any epitope that is involved in activating the EPO receptor.

[0116] Additionally, as demonstrated by the BIAcore results shown in Example 1, the antibodies of the present invention exhibit a binding affinity to the erythropoietin receptor within one hundred fold of the binding affinity of endogenous human erythropoietin to the erythropoietin receptor. A high (~1 nM) and low (~1 μM) affinity of the EPO receptor for EPO has been reported resulting from two nonequivalent receptor binding sites on EPO (See Philo, J. S. et al., *Biochemistry*, 35:1681 (1996)).

[0117] The antibodies of the present invention can be polyclonal antibodies, monoclonal antibodies, chimeric antibodies (See U.S. Pat. No. 6,020,153) or human or humanized antibodies or antibody fragments thereof. Synthetic and genetically engineered variants (See U.S. Pat. No. 6,331,415) of any of the foregoing are also contemplated by the present invention. Preferably, however, the antibodies of the present invention are human or humanized antibodies. The advantage of human or humanized antibodies is that they potentially decrease or eliminate the immunogenicity of the antibody in a host recipient, thereby permitting an increase in the bioavailability and a reduction in the possibility of adverse immune reaction, thus potentially enabling multiple antibody administrations.

[0118] Humanized antibodies include chimeric or CDR-grafted antibodies. Also, human antibodies can be produced using genetically engineered strains of animals in which the antibody gene expression of the animal is suppressed and functionally replaced with human antibody gene expression.

[0119] Methods for making humanized and human antibodies are known in the art. One method for making human antibodies employs the use of transgenic animals, such as a transgenic mouse. These transgenic animals contain a substantial portion of the human antibody producing genome inserted into their own genome and the animal's own endogenous antibody production is rendered deficient in the production of antibodies. Methods for making such transgenic animals are known in the art. Such transgenic animals can be made using XenoMouse® technology or by using a "minilocus" approach. Methods for making Xenomice™ are described in U.S. Pat. Nos. 6,162,963, 6,150,584, 6,114,598 and 6,075,181. Methods for making transgenic animals using the "minilocus" approach are described in U.S. Pat. Nos. 5,545,807, 5,545,806 and 5,625,825. Also see International Publication No. WO93/12227.

[0120] Using the XenoMouse® technology, human antibodies can be obtained by immunizing a XenoMouse® mouse (Abgenix, Fremont, Calif.) with an antigen of interest. The lymphatic cells (such as B-cells) are recovered from the mice that express antibodies. These recovered cells can be fused with myeloid-type cell line to prepare immortal hybridoma cell lines. These hybridoma cell lines can be screened and selected to identify hybridoma cell lines that

produce antibodies specific to the antigen of interest. Alternatively, the antibodies can be expressed in cell lines other than hybridoma cell lines. More specifically, sequences encoding particular antibodies can be cloned from cells producing the antibodies and used for transformation of a suitable mammalian host cell.

[0121] Transformation can be by any known method for introducing polynucleotides into a host cell, including, for example, packaging the polynucleotide in a virus or into a viral vector and transducing a host cell with a virus or vector or by transfection procedures known in the art such as those described in U.S. Pat. Nos. 4,399,216, 4,912,040, 4,740,461 and 4,959,455. For example, one or more genes encoding the heavy chain can be expressed in a cell and one or more genes encoding the light chain can be expressed in a second cell. The resulting heavy and light chains can then be fused together to form the antibodies of the present invention using techniques known in the art. Alternatively, genes encoding for parts of the heavy and light chains can be ligated using restriction endonucleases to reconstruct the gene coding for each chain. Such a gene can then be expressed in a cell to produce the antibodies of the present invention.

[0122] The transformation procedure used will depend upon the host to be transformed. Methods for introducing heterologous polynucleotides into mammalian cells are well known in the art and include dextran-mediated transfection, calcium phosphate precipitation, polybrene mediated transfection, protoplast fusion, electroporation, encapsulation of the polynucleotide(s) into liposomes and direct microinjection of the DNA molecule.

[0123] Mammalian cell lines that can be used as hosts for expression are well known in the art and include, but are not limited to, Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells, HeLa cells, baby hamster kidney (BHK) cells, monkey kidney cells (COS), human hepatocellular carcinoma cells bacterial cells, such as *E. coli*, yeast cells, such as *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, etc.

[0124] Humanized antibodies can also be made using a CDR-grafted approach. Such humanized antibodies are well known in the art. Generally, humanized antibodies are produced by obtaining nucleic acid sequences that encode the variable heavy and variable light sequences of an antibody that binds to the EPO receptor, identifying the complementary determining region or "CDR" in the variable heavy and variable light sequences and grafting the CDR nucleic acid sequences on to human framework nucleic acid sequences. (See, for example, U.S. Pat. Nos. 4,816,567 and 5,225,539).

[0125] The human framework that is selected is one that is suitable for in vivo administration, meaning that it does not exhibit immunogenicity. For example, such a determination can be made by prior experience with in vivo usage of such antibodies and studies of amino acid similarities.

[0126] Methods for cloning nucleic acids are known in the art. These methods involve amplification of the antibody sequences to be cloned using appropriate primers by polymerase chain reaction (PCR). Primers that are suitable for amplifying antibody nucleic acid sequences and specifically murine variable heavy and variable light sequences are known in the art.

[0127] Once the CDRs and FRs of the cloned antibody sequences that are to be humanized are identified, the amino acid sequences encoding the CDRs are identified and the corresponding nucleic acid sequences grafted on to selected human FRs. This can be done using known primers and linkers, the selection of which are known in the art.

[0128] After the CDRs are grafted onto selected human FRs, the resulting "humanized" variable heavy and variable light sequences are expressed to produce a humanized Fv or humanized antibody that binds to the EPO receptor. Typically, the humanized variable heavy and light sequences are expressed as a fusion protein with human constant domain sequences so an intact antibody that binds to the EPO receptor is obtained. However, a humanized Fv antibody can be produced that does not contain the constant sequences. Fusion of the human constant sequence to the humanized variable region is preferred.

[0129] The EPO receptor that is bound by and preferably activated using the antibodies of the present invention is preferably a mammalian EPO receptor, most preferably a human EPO receptor. The present invention also contemplates the use of analogs of the EPO receptor, such as those described in U.S. Pat. No. 5,292,654. Human EPO receptor can be purchased from R & D Systems (Minneapolis, Minn.).

[0130] An example of two (2) antibodies that (1) bind to and activate the EPO receptor; (2) do not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of PGNYSF-SYQLEDEPWKLCRLHQAPTARGAV (SEQ ID NO: 1); and (3) exhibit a binding affinity within one hundred fold of the binding affinity of endogenous human EPO to the EPO receptor, are the human antibodies designated Ab12 and Ab198. Ab12 and Ab198 are human antibodies that were developed using the XenoMouse® XenoMax technology described herein (See Example 1).

[0131] In another embodiment, the present invention relates to polynucleotide and polypeptide sequences that encode for the antibodies described herein. Preferably, such polynucleotides encode for both the variable and constant regions of each of the heavy and light chains, although other combinations are also contemplated by the present invention.

[0132] The present invention also contemplates oligonucleotide fragments derived from the disclosed polynucleotides and nucleic acid sequences complementary to these polynucleotides. The polynucleotides can be in the form of RNA or DNA. Polynucleotides in the form of DNA, cDNA, genomic DNA, nucleic acid analogs and synthetic DNA are within the scope of the present invention. The DNA may be double-stranded or single-stranded, and if single stranded, may be the coding (sense) strand or non-coding (anti-sense) strand. The coding sequence that encodes the polypeptide may be identical to the coding sequence provided herein or may be a different coding sequence which coding sequence, as a result of the redundancy or degeneracy of the genetic code, encodes the same polypeptide as the DNA provided herein.

[0133] Preferably, the polynucleotides encode at least one heavy chain variable region and at least one light chain variable region of the present invention. Examples of such polynucleotides are shown in SEQ ID NOS: 2, 4, 6, 8, 10,

12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54 and 56 as well as fragments, complements and degenerate codon equivalents thereof. For example, SEQ ID NO: 2 encodes for the heavy chain of Ab12 (variable region) and SEQ ID NO:4 encodes for the light chain of Ab12 (variable region). SEQ ID NO:6 encodes for the heavy chain of Ab 198 (variable region) and SEQ ID NO: 8 encodes for the light chain of Ab198 (variable region).

[0134] The present invention also includes variant polynucleotides containing modifications such as polynucleotide deletions, substitutions or additions, and any polypeptide modification resulting from the variant polynucleotide sequence. A polynucleotide of the present invention may also have a coding sequence that is a naturally occurring variant of the coding sequence provided herein.

[0135] It is contemplated that polynucleotides will be considered to hybridize to the sequences provided herein if there is at least 50%, 60%, 70%, 75%, 80%, 85%, 90%, 95% identity between the polynucleotide and the sequence.

[0136] The present invention further relates to polypeptides that encode for the antibodies of the present invention as well as fragments, analogs and derivatives of such polypeptides. The polypeptides of the present invention may be recombinant polypeptides, naturally purified polypeptides or synthetic polypeptides. The fragment, derivative or analogs of the polypeptides of the present invention may be one in which one or more of the amino acid residues is substituted with a conserved or non-conserved amino acid residue (preferably a conserved amino acid residue) and such substituted amino acid residue may or may not be one encoded by the genetic code; or it may be one in which one or more of the amino acid residues includes a substituent group; or it may be one in which the polypeptide is fused with another compound, such as a compound to increase the half-life of the polypeptide (for example, polyethylene glycol); or it may be one in which the additional amino acids are fused to the polypeptide, such as a leader or secretory sequence or a sequence that is employed for purification of the polypeptide or a proprotein sequence. Such fragments, derivatives and analogs are within the scope of the present invention.

[0137] A polypeptide of the present invention may have an amino acid sequence that is identical to that of the antibodies described herein or that is different by minor variations due to one or more amino acid substitutions. The variation may be a "conservative change" typically in the range of about 1 to 5 amino acids, wherein the substituted amino acid has similar structural or chemical properties, e.g., replacement of leucine with isoleucine or threonine with serine. In contrast, variations may include nonconservative changes, e.g., replacement of a glycine with a tryptophan. Similar minor variations may also include amino acid deletions or insertions or both. Guidance in determining which and how many amino acid residues may be substituted, inserted, or deleted without changing biological or immunological activity may be found using computer programs well known in the art, for example DNASTAR software (DNASTAR, Inc., Madison, Wis.).

[0138] Preferably, the polypeptides encode at least one heavy chain variable region or at least one light chain variable region of the antibodies of the present invention.

More preferably, the polypeptides encode at least one heavy chain variable region and one light chain variable region of the antibodies of the present invention. Examples of such polypeptides are those having the amino acid sequences shown in SEQ ID NOS: 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 46, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, and fragments thereof. Specifically, the heavy chain of Ab 12 has the amino acid sequence shown in SEQ ID NO: 3 and the light chain has the amino acid sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:5. The amino acid sequence of the heavy chain of Ab198 is shown in SEQ ID NO:7 and the light chain has the amino acid sequence shown in SEQ ID NO:9.

[0139] The present invention also provides vectors that include the polynucleotides of the present invention, host cells which are genetically engineered with vectors of the present invention and the production of the antibodies of the present invention by recombinant techniques.

[0140] Host cells are genetically engineered (transfected, transduced or transformed) with vectors, such as, cloning vectors or expression vectors. The vector may be in the form of a plasmid, a viral particle, a phage, etc. The engineered host cells can be cultured in conventional nutrient media modified as appropriate for activating promoters, selecting transfected cells, etc. The culture conditions, such as temperature, pH and the like, are those previously used with the host cell selected for expression, and will be apparent to those of skilled in the art.

[0141] The polynucleotides of the present invention can be employed to produce the polypeptides and hence the antibodies of the present invention. The polynucleotide sequences of the present invention can be included in any one of a variety of expression vehicles, in particular, vectors or plasmids for expressing a polypeptide. Such vectors include chromosomal, nonchromosomal and synthetic DNA sequences, derivatives of SV40, bacterial plasmids, phage DNA, yeast plasmids, vectors derived from combinations of plasmids and phage DNA, viral DNA such as vaccinia, adenovirus, fowl pox virus and pseudorabies. However, any other plasmid or vector may be used so long as it is replicable and viable in the host.

[0142] The appropriate DNA sequence may be inserted into the vector by a variety of procedures. In general, the DNA sequence is inserted into appropriate restriction endonuclease sites by procedures known in the art. The polynucleotide sequence in the expression vector is operatively linked to an appropriate expression control sequence (i.e. promoter) to direct mRNA synthesis. Examples of such promoters include, but are not limited to, the LTR or the SV40 promoter, the *E. coli* lac or trp, the phage lambda P_L promoter and other promoters known to control expression of genes in prokaryotic or eukaryotic cells or their viruses. The expression vector also contains a ribosome binding site for translation initiation and a transcription terminator. The vector may also include appropriate sequences for amplifying expression. For example, the vector can contain enhancers, which are transcription-stimulating DNA sequences of viral origin, such as those derived from simian virus such as SV40, polyoma virus, bovine papilloma virus or Moloney sarcoma virus, or genomic, origin. The vector preferably also contains an origin of replication. The vector can be constructed to contain an exogenous origin of replication or,

such an origin of replication can be derived from SV40 or another viral source, or by the host cell chromosomal replication mechanism.

[0143] In addition, the vectors preferably contain a marker gene for selection of transfected host cells such as dihydrofolate reductase or antibiotics, such as G-418 (geneticin, a neomycin-derivative) or hygromycin, or genes which complement a genetic lesion of the host cells such as the absence of thymidine kinase, hypoxanthine phosphoribosyl transferase, dihydrofolate reductase, etc.

[0144] Suitable vectors for use in the present invention are known in the art. Any plasmid or vector can be used in the present invention as long as it is replicable and is viable in the host. Examples of vectors that can be used include those that are suitable for mammalian hosts and based on viral replication systems, such as simian virus 40 (SV40), Rous sarcoma virus (RSV), adenovirus 2, bovine papilloma virus (BPV), papovavirus BK mutant (BKV), or mouse and human cytomegalovirus (CVM).

[0145] In a further embodiment, the present invention relates to host cells containing the above-described constructs. The host cell can be a higher eukaryotic cell, such as a mammalian cell, or a lower eukaryotic cell, such as a yeast cell, or the host cell can be a prokaryotic cell, such as a bacterial cell. Preferably, the host cells provide a suitable environment for the production of active antibodies, since the biosynthesis of functional tetrameric antibody molecules requires correct nascent polypeptide chain folding, glycosylation, and assembly. Example of suitable host cells, include mammalian cells, such as COS-7 cells, Bowes melanoma cells, Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells, embryonic lung cells L-132, and mammalian cells of lymphoid origin, such as myeloma or lymphoma cells. The host cells can be transfected with a vector containing a polynucleotide sequence encoding the H-chain alone, with a second vector encoding the light chain alone (such as by using two different vectors as discussed previously). Preferably, the host cells are transfected with two different vectors.

[0146] Introduction of the vectors into the host cell can be effected by calcium phosphate transfection, DEAE-Dextran mediated transfection or electroporation (L. David et al., *Basic Methods in Molecular Biology* 2nd Edition, Appleton and Lang, Paramount Publishing, East Norwalk, Conn. (1994)).

[0147] In order to obtain the antibodies of the present invention, one or more polynucleotide sequences that encode for the light and heavy chain variable regions and light and heavy chain constant regions of the antibodies of the present invention should be incorporated into a vector. Polynucleotide sequences encoding the light and heavy chains of the antibodies of the present invention can be incorporated into one or multiple vectors and then incorporated into the host cells.

[0148] Cell lines expressing Ab12 and Ab467 antibodies were deposited with the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC), 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, Va. 20110, under the terms of the Budapest Treaty, on Sep. 30, 2003 and were accorded accession numbers PTA-5554 and PTA-5555. These deposits are provided for the convenience of those skilled in the art and are neither an admission that such

deposits are required to practice the invention nor that equivalent embodiments are not within the skill of the art in view of the present disclosure. The public availability of these deposits is not a grant of a license to make, use or sell the deposited materials under this or any other patents. The nucleic acid sequences of the deposited materials are incorporated in the present disclosure by reference and are controlling if in conflict with any sequence described herein.

[0149] The antibodies of the present invention have a number of uses. In general, the antibodies may be used to treat any condition treatable by erythropoietin or a biologically active variant or analog thereof. For example, antibodies of the invention are useful for treating disorders characterized by low red blood cell levels and/or decreased hemoglobin levels (e.g. anemia). In addition, the antibodies of the invention may be used for treating disorders characterized by decreased or subnormal levels of oxygen in the blood or tissue, such as, for example, hypoxemia or chronic tissue hypoxia and/or diseases characterized by inadequate blood circulation or reduced blood flow. Antibodies of the invention also may be useful in promoting wound healing or for protecting against neural cell and/or tissue damage, resulting from brain/spinal cord injury, stroke and the like. Non-limiting examples of conditions that may be treatable by the antibodies of the invention include anemia, such as chemotherapy-induced anemia, cancer associated anemia, anemia of chronic disease, HIV-associated anemia, bone marrow transplant-associated anemia and the like, heart failure, ischemic heart disease and renal failure. As such, the invention includes methods of treating any of the aforementioned diseases or conditions comprising the step of administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective amount of said antibody. Preferably, the mammal is a human.

[0150] The antibodies of the present invention also can be used to identify and diagnose mammals that have a dysfunctional EPO receptor. Mammals that have a dysfunctional EPO receptor are characterized by disorders such as anemia. Preferably, the mammal being identified and diagnosed is a human. Additionally, the antibodies of the present invention can be used in the treatment of anemia in mammals suffering from red blood cell aplasia. Red blood cell aplasia may result from the formation of neutralizing anti-erythropoietin antibodies in patients during treatment with recombinant erythropoietin (Casadevall, N. et al., *n. Eng. J. Med.* 346: 469 (2002)). The method involves the step of administering to a mammal suffering from said aplasia and in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of the antibodies of the present invention.

[0151] In another embodiment of the invention, the EPO receptor antibodies and antibody fragments of the invention also can be used to detect EPO receptor (e.g., in a biological sample, such as tissue specimens, intact cells, or extracts thereof), using a conventional immunoassay, such as an enzyme linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), a radioimmunoassay (RIA) or tissue immunohistochemistry. The invention provides a method for detecting EPO receptor in a biological sample comprising contacting a biological sample with an antibody or antibody fragment of the invention and detecting either the antibody (or antibody portion), to thereby detect EPO receptor in the biological sample. The antibody or antibody fragment is directly or indirectly labeled with a detectable substance to facilitate detection of the bound or unbound antibody or antibody fragment. A

variety of immunoassay formats may be practiced (such as competitive assays, direct or indirect sandwich immunoassays and the like) and are well known to those of ordinary skill in the art.

[0152] Suitable detectable substances include various enzymes, prosthetic groups, fluorescent materials, luminescent materials and radioactive materials. Examples of suitable enzymes include horseradish peroxidase, alkaline phosphatase, B-galactosidase, or acetylcholinesterase; examples of suitable prosthetic group complexes include streptavidin/biotin and avidin/biotin; examples of suitable fluorescent materials include umbelliferone, fluorescein, fluorescein isothiocyanate, rhodamine, dichlorotriazinylamine, dansyl chloride or phycoerythrin; and an example of a luminescent material includes luminol; and examples of suitable radioactive material include ^{125}I , ^{131}I , ^{35}S , or ^3H .

[0153] In yet another embodiment, the present invention relates to a pharmaceutical composition containing a therapeutically effective amount of the antibody of the present invention along with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient. As used herein, "pharmaceutically acceptable carrier" or "pharmaceutically acceptable excipient" includes any and all solvents, dispersion media, coating, antibacterial and antifungal agents, isotonic and absorption delaying agents, and the like that are physiologically compatible. Examples of pharmaceutically acceptable carriers or excipients include one or more of water, saline, phosphate buffered saline, dextrose, glycerol, ethanol and the like as well as combinations thereof. In many cases, it will be preferable to include isotonic agents, for example, sugars, polyalcohols such as mannitol, sorbitol, or sodium chloride in the composition. Pharmaceutically acceptable substances such as wetting or minor amounts of auxiliary substances such as wetting or emulsifying agents, preservatives or buffers, which enhance the shelf life or effectiveness of the of the antibody or antibody portion also may be included. Optionally, disintegrating agents can be included, such as cross-linked polyvinyl pyrrolidone, agar, alginic acid or a salt thereof, such as sodium alginate and the like. In addition to the excipients, the pharmaceutical composition can include one or more of the following, carrier proteins such as serum albumin, buffers, binding agents, sweeteners and other flavoring agents; coloring agents and polyethylene glycol.

[0154] The compositions of this invention may be in a variety of forms. They include, for example, liquid, semi-solid and solid dosage forms, such as liquid solutions (e.g. injectable and infusible solutions), dispersions or suspensions, tablets, pills, powders, liposomes and suppositories. The preferred form depends on the intended mode of administration and therapeutic application. Typical preferred compositions are in the form of injectable or infusible solutions, such as compositions similar to those used for passive immunization of humans with other antibodies. The preferred mode of administration is parenteral (e.g., intravenous, subcutaneous, intraperitoneal, intramuscular). In a preferred embodiment, the antibody is administered by intravenous infusion or injection. In another preferred embodiment, the antibody or antibody fragment is administered by intramuscular or subcutaneous injection.

[0155] Other suitable routes of administration for the pharmaceutical composition include, but are not limited to, rectal, transdermal, vaginal, transmucosal or intestinal administration.

[0156] Therapeutic compositions typically must be sterile and stable under the conditions of manufacture and storage. The composition can be formulated as a solution, micro-emulsion, dispersion, liposome, or other ordered structure suitable to high drug concentration. Sterile injectable solutions can be prepared by incorporating the active compound (i.e. antibody or antibody fragment) in the required amount in an appropriate solvent with one or a combination of ingredients enumerated above, as required, followed by filtered sterilization. Generally, dispersions are prepared by incorporating the active compound into a sterile vehicle that contains a basic dispersion medium and the required other ingredients from those enumerated above. In the case of sterile powders for the preparation of sterile injectable solutions, the preferred methods of preparation are vacuum drying and freeze-drying that yields a powder of the active ingredient plus any additional desired ingredient from a previously sterile-filtered solution thereof. The proper fluidity of a solution can be maintained, for example, by the use of a coating such as lecithin, by the maintenance of the required particle size in the case of dispersion and by the use of surfactants. Prolonged absorption of injectable compositions can be brought about by including in the composition an agent that delays absorption, for example, monostearate salts and gelatin.

[0157] The antibodies and antibody fragments of the invention can be administered by a variety of methods known in the art, although for many therapeutic applications, the preferred route/mode of administration is intravenous injection or infusion. As will be appreciated by the skilled artisan, the route and/or mode of administration will vary depending upon the desired results. In certain embodiments, the active compound may be prepared with a carrier that will protect the compound against rapid release, such as a controlled release formulation, including implants, transdermal patches, and microencapsulated delivery systems. Biodegradable, biocompatible polymers can be used, such as ethylene vinyl acetate, polyanhydrides, polyglycolic acid, collagen, polyorthoesters, and polylactic acid. Many methods for the preparation of such formulations are patented or generally known to those skilled in the art. See, e.g. *Sustained and Controlled Release Drug Delivery Systems*, J. R. Robinson, ed., Marcel Dekker, Inc., New York, 1978).

[0158] In certain embodiments, an antibody or antibody portion of the invention may be orally administered, for example, with an inert diluent or an assimilable edible carrier. The compound (and other ingredients if desired) may also be enclosed in a hard or soft shell gelatin capsule, compressed into tablets, buccal tablets, troches, capsules, elixirs, suspensions, syrups, wafers, and the like. To administer an antibody or antibody fragment of the invention by other than parenteral administration, it may be necessary to coat the compound with, or co-administer the compound with, a material to prevent its inactivation.

[0159] Supplementary active compounds also can be incorporated into the compositions. In certain embodiments, an antibody or antibody fragment of the invention is coformulated with and/or coadministered with one or more additional therapeutic agents. For example, an EPO receptor antibody or antibody fragment of the invention may be coformulated and/or coadministered with one or more additional antibodies that bind other targets (e.g., antibodies that bind other cytokines or that bind cell surface molecules) or

one or more cytokines. Furthermore, one or more antibodies of the invention may be used in combination with two or more of the foregoing therapeutic agents. Such combination therapies may advantageously utilize lower dosages of the administered therapeutic agents, thus avoiding possible toxicities or complications associated with the various monotherapies.

[0160] As used herein, the term “therapeutically effective amount” means an amount of antibody or antibody fragment that produces the effects for which it is administered. The exact dose will be ascertainable by one skilled in the art. As known in the art, adjustments based on age, body weight, sex, diet, time of administration, drug interaction and severity of condition may be necessary and will be ascertainable with routine experimentation by those skilled in the art. A therapeutically effective amount is also one in which the therapeutically beneficial effects outweigh any toxic or detrimental effects of the antibody or antibody fragment. A “prophylactically effective amount” refers to an amount effective, at dosages and for periods of time necessary to achieve the desired prophylactic result. Typically, since a prophylactic dose is used in subjects prior to or at an earlier stage of disease, the prophylactically effective amount will be less than the therapeutically effective amount.

[0161] Dosage regimens may be adjusted to provide the optimum desired response (e.g., a therapeutic or prophylactic response). For example, a single bolus may be administered, several divided doses may be administered over time or the dose may be proportionally reduced or increased as indicated by the exigencies of the therapeutic situation. It is especially advantageous to formulate parenteral compositions in dosage unit form for ease of administration and uniformity of dosage. Dosage unit form as used herein refers to physically discrete units suited as unitary dosages for the mammalian subjects to be tested; each unit containing a predetermined quantity of active compound calculated to produce the desired therapeutic effect in association with the required pharmaceutical carrier. The specification for the dosage unit forms of the invention are dictated by and directly dependent on (a) the unique characteristics of the active compound and the particular therapeutic or prophylactic effect to be achieved and (b) the limitations inherent in the art of compounding such an active compound for the treatment of sensitivity in individuals.

[0162] An exemplary, non-limiting range for a therapeutically or prophylactically effective amount of an antibody or antibody portion of the invention is 0.1-20 mg/kg, more preferably 1-10 mg/kg. It is to be noted that dosage values may vary with the type and severity of the condition to be alleviated. It is to be further understood that for any particular subject, specific dosage regimens should be adjusted over time according to the individual need and the professional judgment of the person administering or supervising the administration of the compositions, and that dosage ranges set forth herein are exemplary only and are not intended to limit the scope or practice of the claimed composition.

[0163] By way of example, and not of limitation, examples of the present invention shall now be given.

EXAMPLE 1

Generation of human Erythropoietin Receptor Antibodies

[0164] Antigen Preparation. The antigen used for immunization of XenoMouse® animals was coupled to a universal T-cell epitope (TCE) (*J. Immunol.*, 148(5):1499 (1992)) using two different methods. A mixture containing an equal amount of each was used as the immunogen.

[0165] 1) 2.3 mg of Dithiothreitol (DTT), and 200 mcg of cysteine coupled TCE (*J. Immunol.*, 148(5):1499 (1992)) are mixed at room temperature for 30 minutes. DTT is removed by centrifugation through a Sephadex G10 (Pharmacia, Upsala, Sweden) chromatography column. The reduced cysteine coupled TCE is added to 200 mcg soluble extracellular domain of human EpoR (R&D Systems, Minneapolis, Minn.) re-suspended in Phosphate Buffered Saline (PBS) (8.1 mM Na₂HPO₄, 1.6 mM NaH₂PO₄, 136 mM NaCl, 2.6 mM KCl, pH 7.4) and 33 mcg of Sulfo-succinimidyl 4-(N-maleimidomethyl)-cyclohexane-1-carboxylate (sulfo SMCC), and mixed 4° C. over night. Un-reacted EpoR was removed by centrifugation through a 10 kDa cut off Centricon column (Millipore, Bedford, Mass.).

[0166] 2) The soluble extracellular domain (200 mcg) of human EpoR (R&D Systems, Minneapolis, Minn.) was re-suspended in PBS and mixed with 4 mcg of TCE-BPA (p-Benzoyl Phenylalanine) and incubated under UV light (362 nm) at room temperature for 45 minutes. The un-reacted EpoR was removed by centrifugation through a 10 kDa cut off Centricon column (Millipore, Bedford, Mass.).

[0167] Immunization of animals. Monoclonal antibodies of the invention, including Ab12 and Ab198 (also referred to herein as AB-ABT2-XG2-012 and AB-ABT2-XG2-198, respectively) were developed by immunizing XenoMouse® mice (XenoMouse® XG2, Abgenix, Inc., Fremont, Calif. and Vancouver, BC) with soluble EpoR coupled to a TCE as described above. The initial immunization was with 20 mcg of antigen and mixed 1:1 v/v with Complete Freund's Adjuvant (CFA) (Sigma, St Louis, Mo.) per mouse. The subsequent immunizations were with 20 mcg of antigen mixed 1:1 v/v with incomplete Freund's (IFA). In particular, each animal was immunized at the base of tail and by intraperitoneal injection on days 0, 14, 28 and 42.

[0168] Biotinylation of EpoR. 300 mcg of EpoR (Abbott CHO cell derived ref.# RB69084:4) was re-suspended in 990 mL of PBS pH 8.6 and added to 100 mcg of biotin-NHS (Pierce, Rockford, Ill.) dissolved in DMSO (Dimethyl Sulfoxide) incubated for forty minutes at room temperature (RT). Free biotin and buffer was removed by centrifugation through a 5 kDa Centricon column with several washes with PBS pH 7.4 and re-suspended in an appropriate volume to a final concentration was 600 mcg/mL.

[0169] Selection of animals for harvest. Anti-EpoR antibody titers were determined by ELISA. 0.7 mcg/ml biotin EpoR (described above) was coated onto streptavidin plates (Sigma, St Louis, Mo.) at room temperature for 1 hour. The solution containing unbound biotin EpoR was removed and all plates were washed five times with dH₂O. XenoMouse® sera from the EpoR immunized animals, or naïve XenoMouse® animals, were titrated in 2% milk/PBS at a 1:2 dilution in duplicate from a 1:100 initial dilution. The last

well was left blank, and plates were washed five times with dH₂O. A goat anti-human IgG Fc-specific horseradish peroxidase (HRP) (Pierce, Rockford, Ill.) conjugated antibody was added at a final concentration of 1 mcg/mL for 1 hour at room temperature. The plates were washed five times with dH₂O. The plates were developed with the addition of TMB chromogenic substrate (KPL, Gaithersburg, Md.) for 30 minutes and the ELISA was stopped by the addition of 1 M phosphoric acid. The specific titers obtained from XenoMouse® animals were determined from the optical density at 450 nm and are shown in Table 1. The titer represents the reciprocal dilution of the serum and therefore the higher the number the greater the humoral immune response to EpoR.

TABLE 1

Mouse I.D.	Titer
11	1600
12	12800
13	51200
14	102400
15	102400
16	0
17	102400
18	3200
19	102400
20	2560

XenoMouse® animal 14 was selected for harvest based on the serology data in Table 1.

[0170] Culture and selection of B cells. B cells from the harvested animals were cultured and those secreting EpoR-specific antibodies were isolated essentially as described in Babcock et al., *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 93:7843-7848 (1996). ELISA, performed as described above for sera titers, was used to identify EpoR-specific wells. Fifty plates cultured at 500 cells/well were screened on biotin EpoR to identify the antigen-specific wells. The data as shown in Table 2 demonstrated the presence of 701 wells with ODs significantly over background (0.05).

TABLE 2

Optical Density	Number of Positives
0.1	701
0.2	273
0.3	163
0.4	130
0.5	102
0.6	91
0.7	76
0.8	70
0.9	67
1.0	65
2.0	25
3.0	7

[0171] These data indicated a very low frequency of hits and indicated that the wells were monoclonal for antigen-specificity. These 701 positive wells were re-screened on biotin EpoR and 137 wells (shown in bold in Table 3 below) were found to repeat as real antigen-specific wells with ODs significantly over background (0.05).

TABLE 3

Optical Density	Number of Positives
0.1	207
0.15	137
0.2	110
0.3	94
0.4	85
0.5	79
0.6	71
0.7	63
0.8	57
0.9	53
1.0	50
2.0	32
3.0	13

[0172] Agonist activity assay. Proliferation of an Epo responsive cell line was used as the basis for the agonist screen. These 137 wells were then screened for agonist activity using the human erythroleukemia cell line UT-7/Epo (Abbott ref#.RB29454-174). 12.5 mL of supernatant were added to 1×10⁵ cells per well in RPMI 1640 (10% FCS) to a final volume of 50 mL in a half-area 96 well plate. The well size is half the area of a typical 96 well plate. Proliferation was identified visually and compared to cells in media containing a titration of human Epo or no Epo as a base line control. Eleven wells with proliferation activity were identified.

[0173] EpoR-specific Hemolytic Plaque Assay. A number of specialized reagents are needed to conduct the assay. These reagents were prepared as follows.

[0174] Biotinylation of Sheep red blood cells (SRBC): SRBC are stored in RPMI media as a 25% stock. A 250 µl SRBC packed-cell pellet was obtained by aliquoting 1.0 ml of the stock into a 15-ml falcon tube, spinning down the cells and removing the supernatant. The cell pellet was then re-suspended in 4.75 ml PBS at pH 8.6 in a 50 ml tube. In a separate 50 ml tube, 2.5 mg of Sulfo-NHS biotin was added to 45 ml of PBS at pH 8.6. Once the biotin had completely dissolved, 5 ml of SRBCs were added and the tube rotated at RT for 1 hour. The SRBCs were centrifuged at 3000 g for 5 min, the supernatant drawn off and 25 ml PBS at pH 7.4 as a wash. The wash cycle was repeated 3 times, then 4.75 ml immune cell media (RPMI 1640 with 10% FCS) was added to the 250 µl biotinylated-SRBC (B-SRBC) pellet to gently re-suspend the B-SRBC (5% B-SRBC stock). Stock was stored at 4° C. until needed.

[0175] Streptavidin (SA) coating of B-SRBC: One ml of the 5% B-SRBC stock was transferred into to a fresh eppendorf tube. The B-SRBC cells were pelleted with a pulse spin at 8000 rpm (6800 ref) in a microfuge, the supernatant drawn off, the pellet re-suspended in 1.0 ml PBS at pH 7.4, and the centrifugation repeated. The wash cycle was repeated 2 times, then the B-SRBC pellet was re-suspended in 1.0 ml of PBS at pH 7.4 to give a final concentration of 5% (v/v). 10 µl of a 10 mg/ml streptavidin (CalBiochem, San Diego, Calif.) stock solution was added and the tube mixed and rotated at RT for 20 min. The washing steps were repeated and the SA-SRBC were re-suspended in 1 ml PBS pH 7.4 (5% (v/v)).

[0176] EpoR coating of SA-SRBC: The SA-SRBC were coated with biotinylated EpoR at 10 µg/ml, the mixed and

rotated at RT for 20 min. The SRBC were washed twice with 1.0 ml of PBS at pH 7.4 as above. The EpoR-coated SRBC were re-suspended in RPMI (+10% FCS) to a final concentration of 5% (v/v).

[0177] Determination of the quality of EpoR-SRBC by immunofluorescence (IF): 10 ul of 5% SA-SRBC and 10 ul of 5% PTH-coated SRBC were each added to separate fresh 1.5 ml eppendorf tube containing 40 ul of PBS. The murine anti-EpoR antibody (R&D Systems Cat.# MAB307) was added to each sample of SRBCs at 20 ug/ml. The tubes were rotated at RT for 25 min, and the cells were then washed three times with 100 ul of PBS. The cells were re-suspended in 50 ul of PBS and incubated with 40 mcg/mL Gt-anti mouse IgG Fc antibody conjugated to Alexa488 (Molecular Probes, Eugene, Oreg.). The tubes were rotated at RT for 25 min, and then washed with 100 ul PBS and the cells re-suspended in 10 ul PBS. 10 ul of the stained cells were spotted onto a clean glass microscope slide, covered with a glass coverslip, observed under fluorescent light, and scored on an arbitrary scale of 0-4.

[0178] Preparation of plasma cells: The contents of a single microculture well identified by the previous assays as containing a B cell clone secreting the immunoglobulin of interest were harvested. Using a 100-1000 ul pipetman, the contents of the well were recovered by adding 37C RPMI (+10% FCS). The cells were re-suspended by pipetting and then transferred to a fresh 1.5 ml eppendorf tube (final vol. approx 500-700 ul). The cells were centrifuged in a microfuge at 1500 rpm (240 rcf) for 2 minutes at room temperature, then the tube rotated 180 degrees and spun again for 2 minutes at 1500 rpm. The freeze media was drawn off and the immune cells resuspended in 100 ul RPMI (10% FCS), then centrifuged. This washing with RPMI (10% FCS) was repeated and the cells re-suspended in 60 ul RPMI (FCS) and stored on ice until ready to use.

[0179] Plague assay: Glass slides (2x3 inch) were prepared in advance with silicone edges and allowed to cure overnight at RT. Before use the slides were treated with approx. 5 ul of SigmaCoat (Sigma, Oakville, ON) wiped evenly over glass surface, allowed to dry and then wiped vigorously. To a 60 ul sample of cells was added 60 ul each of EpoR-coated SRBC (5% v/v stock), 4x guinea pig complement (Sigma, Oakville, ON) stock prepared in RPMI with 10% FCS, and 4x enhancing sera stock (1:900 in RPMI with 10% FCS). The mixture (3-5 ul) was spotted onto the prepared slides and the spots covered with undiluted paraffin oil. The slides were incubated at 37° C. for a minimum of 45 minutes.

[0180] Plague assay results: The coating was determined qualitatively by immunofluorescent microscopy to be very high (4/4) using MAB307 to detect coating compared to a secondary detection reagent alone (0/4). There was no signal detected using the MAB307 antibody on red blood cells that were only coated with streptavidin (0/4). These red blood cells were then used to identify antigen-specific plasma cells from the fourteen wells identified in Table 4. After micro-manipulation to rescue the antigen-specific plasma cells, the genes encoding the variable region genes were rescued by RT-PCR on a single plasma cell.

TABLE 4

Plate ID	Single Cell numbers
11G10	ABT2-SCX-251-260
21D1	ABT2-SCX-54
25C3	ABT2-SCX-134-144
29G8	ABT2-SCX-1-11
33G8	ABT2-SCX-12-18
37A11	ABT2-SCX-19-44
43H12	ABT2-SCX-185-201, 233-239
16F7	ABT2-SCX-267-278
24C3	ABT2-SCX-55-77
24F8	ABT2-SCX-82-102
34D4	ABT2-SCX-145-168

[0181] Expression. After isolation of the single plasma cells, mRNA was extracted and reverse transcriptase PCR was conducted to generate cDNA. The cDNA encoding the variable heavy and light chains was specifically amplified using polymerase chain reaction. The variable heavy chain region was cloned into an IgG2 expression vector. This vector was generated by cloning the constant domain of human IgG2 into the multiple cloning site of pcDNA3.1+/Hygro (Invitrogen, Burlington, ON). The variable light chain region was cloned into an IgK expression vector. This vector was generated by cloning the constant domain of human IgK into the multiple cloning site of pcDNA3.1+/Neo (Invitrogen, Burlington, ON). The appropriate pairs of heavy chain and the light chain expression vectors were then co-lipofected into a 60 mm dish of 70% confluent human embryonal kidney 293 cells and the transfected cells were left to secrete a recombinant antibody for 24 hours. The supernatant (3 mL) was harvested from the HEK 293 cells and the secretion of an intact antibody (AB-ABT2-XG2-012 and AB-ABT2-XG2-198) was demonstrated with a sandwich ELISA to specifically detect human IgG (Table 5, fourth column). The specificity of AB-ABT2-XG2-012 and AB-ABT2-XG2-198 was assessed through binding of the recombinant antibody to biotinylated EpoR using ELISA (Table 5, fifth column).

TABLE 5

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37A11	ABT2-SCX-022	>1:64	>1:64
43H12	ABT2-SCX-198	>1:64	>1:64
16F7	ABT2-SCX-267	>1:64	>1:64
24C3	ABT2-SCX-060	>1:64	>1:64
24F8	ABT2-SCX-102	>1:64	>1:64
34D4	ABT2-SCX-145	>1:64	>1:64

[0182] The ELISA for antigen specific antibody secretion was performed as follows. Control plates were coated with 2 mg/mL Goat anti-human IgG H+L O/N. For the binding plates, biotin-EpoR (0.7 mcg/mL) was coated onto streptavidin 96 well plates (Sigma, St Louis, Mo.) for one hour at room temperature. The plates were washed five times with dH₂O. Recombinant antibodies were titrated 1:2 for 7 wells from the undiluted minilipofection supernatant. The plates were washed five times with dH₂O. A goat anti-human IgG

Fc-specific HRP-conjugated antibody was added at a final concentration of 1 ug/mL for 1 hour at RT for the secretion and the binding ELISA. The plates were washed five times with dH₂O. The plates were developed with the addition of TMB chromogenic substrate (KPL, Gaithersburg, Md.) for 30 minutes and the ELISA was stopped by the addition of 1 M phosphoric acid. Each ELISA plate was analyzed to determine the optical density of each well at 450 nm.

[0183] Purification of AB-ABT2-XG2-012 and AB-ABT2-XG2-198. For larger scale production, the heavy and light chain expression vectors (2.5 ug of each chain/dish) were lipofected into ten 100 mm dishes that were 70% confluent with HEK 293 cells. The transfected cells were incubated at 37° C. for 4 days, the supernatant (6 mL) was harvested and replaced with 6 mL of fresh media. At day 7, the supernatant was removed and pooled with the initial harvest (120 mL total from 10 plates). The ABT2-XG2-012 and ABT2-XG2-198 antibody were purified from the supernatant using a Protein-A Sepharose (Amersham Biosciences, Piscataway, N.J.) affinity chromatography (1 mL). The antibody was eluted from the Protein-A column with 500 mL of 0.1 M Glycine pH 2.5. The eluate was dialysed in PBS pH 7.4 and filter sterilized. The antibody was analyzed by non-reducing SDS-PAGE to assess purity and yield.

[0184] Agonist activity of recombinant antibodies. The ability of these recombinant antibodies to stimulate the proliferation of Epo responsive cells was examined using the UT-7/Epo cells with proliferation quantitated by MTS reagent (Promega, Madison, Wis.) measured at 490 nm as described in the Agonist Activity Assay above. ABT2-SCX-012 and ABT2-SCX-198 induced proliferation in comparison to cells in media without antibody and are shown below (FIGS. 14 and 15 respectively).

[0185] Effect of anti-Human Fc. It is possible that the agonist activity of ABT2-SCX-012 and ABT2-SCX-198 are due to self-aggregation. In order to address this issue we induced aggregation by the addition of an anti-human Fc secondary antibody and the effect on the agonist activity of ABT2-SCX-012 and ABT2-SCX-198 was determined using the UT-7/Epo cells. As shown below the addition of a secondary antibody had no effect on the activity of ABT2-SCX-198 (FIG. 16) and inhibited the activity of ABT2-SCX-012 (FIG. 417).

[0186] Since the addition of secondary Ab inhibited the activity of ABT2-SCX-012 we concluded that aggregation of this antibody interferes with its activity and thus it is unlikely that ABT2-SCX-012 has agonist activity due to aggregation. However, the results of ABT2-SCX-198 are more difficult to interpret. The lack of an effect could suggest that ABT2-SCX-198 is fully aggregated and thus the addition of secondary Ab has no further effects on its activity. Alternatively, the lack of effect suggests the activity of ABT2-SCX-198 is not perturbed by the conformational restrictions applied by a secondary antibody.

[0187] Sequence analysis of ABT2-SCX-012 and ABT2-SCX-198 The variable heavy chains and the variable light chains for antibodies ABT2-SCX-012 and ABT2-SCX-198 were sequenced to determine their DNA sequences. The complete sequence information for the anti-EpoR antibodies shown in FIGS. 1, 2, and 18-30 with nucleotide and amino acid sequences for each variable region of the heavy chain gamma and kappa light chains. FIGS. 1 and 2 provide full-length sequences, including the constant regions.

[0188] The variable heavy sequences were analyzed to determine the VH family, the D-region sequence and the J-region sequence. The sequences were then translated to determine the primary amino acid sequence (FIG. 29) and compared to the germline VH, D and J-region sequences to assess somatic hypermutations. The primary amino acid sequences of all the anti-EpoR antibody gamma chains are shown in FIG. 16. The germline sequences are shown above and the mutations are indicated with the new amino acid sequence. Unaltered amino acids are indicated with a dash (-). The light chain was analyzed similarly to determine the V and the J-regions and to identify any somatic mutations from germline kappa sequences (FIG. 30). The heavy chain of ABT2-SCX-012 was shown to utilize the VH 4-59 (DP-71), DIR4rc and the JH4a gene segments, while the light chain was shown to use the Vk1 (A30) and the Jk1 gene segments. The heavy chain of ABT2-SCX-198 was shown to utilize the VH 3-30 (V3-30), D4-23 and the JH6b gene segments, while the light chain was shown to use the Vk1 (L5) and the Jk3 gene segments.

EXAMPLE 2

Competition of Ab12 with ¹²⁵I-Labeled EPO for Binding CHO Cells Expressing Recombinant EPO Receptor

[0189] CHO cells expressing the full length recombinant human EPO receptor were plated at 5×10⁵ cells/well in 24 well plates 72 hours prior to the assay. On the day of the assay, 95 ul of Ab12, Ab198, or EPO at indicated concentrations (shown in FIG. 5) diluted in RPMI 1640, 0.5% BSA, 1 mM Na₂N₃ and 5 ul (6 ng) of ¹²⁵I-EPO (Amersham Cat. #IM 178, Arlington Heights, Ill. 486 ci/mM) were added to the wells. After incubating at 37° C. for 1.5 hours, the wells were washed three times with cold HBSS and harvested using 0.5 ml 0.1N NaOH. Samples were counted in a Micromedic ME Plus gamma counter. The results are shown in FIG. 5. Specifically, the results show that Abs 12 and 198 competed with EPO for binding to the erythropoietin receptor.

EXAMPLE 3

Biacore Studies

[0190] The studies described below were performed on a Biacore 2000 utilizing the Biacontrol software version 3.1. (Biacore, Uppsala, Sweden). Binding analyses were performed with antibody immobilized directly to the chip surface and followed by injection of varying receptor concentrations.

Immobilization of Antibody

[0191] Immobilizations of antibody were performed using the default immobilization program in the Biacore software package. Antibodies were diluted to 10 ug/mL in the supplied acetate buffers to prescreen for the appropriate pH at which to conduct the immobilizations. For immobilizations, antibodies were diluted into the appropriate acetate buffer (10 mM acetate pH 4.0) and coupled directly to the chip surface using standard EDC chemistry at three different protein levels (500, 1000, and 1500 RU). The fourth flow cell was mock coupled with EDC to cap the carboxyl groups and provide a background surface as a negative control.

Binding Studies

[0192] Binding studies were performed by successive injections of varying concentrations of soluble human EPO receptor over the chip surface (500 RU immobilized protein). Binding analyses were performed in the supplied HBS-EP buffer [HBS buffer-10 mM HEPES pH=7.4, 150 mM NaCl, 3 mM EDTA, 0.005% Polysorbate 20 (v/v), Biacore] using receptor diluted to the desired concentrations (10-200 nM) using the running buffer (HBS-EP). Experiments were performed at a flow rate of 30 μ L/min. The receptor was injected over a period of 3 minutes followed by a 15 minute dissociation period. Simultaneous injections over the flow cell created as a negative control were also performed. All injections were performed in triplicate.

Model Fitting

[0193] Data were fit to the models available in the BiaEvaluation 3.0.2 software package (Biacore). The data points from the experimental injections were corrected by subtraction of data points from simultaneous over the negative control surface. The corrected data were used to fit to the 1:1 (Langmuir) binding model as well as the bivalent analyte model available in the BiaEvaluation software package. Dissociation constants were calculated directly from fitting to the Langmuir binding model. For the bivalent analyte model, the dissociation constants were calculated indirectly using the calculated values for the kinetic dissociation and kinetic association constants, k_d and k_a .

TABLE 6

Antibody	kD
Ab 12	17.5 nM
Ab 198	13.9 nM

EXAMPLE 4

EPO Dependent Human Cell Proliferation Assay

[0194] Stock cultures of the human erythroleukemic cell line, F36E cells were maintained in RPMI 1640 media with 10% fetal bovine serum and 1 unit per mL of recombinant human erythropoietin. Prior to assays, cells were cultured overnight at a density of 4.0 to 5.0 \times 10⁵ cells per mL in growth medium without EPO. Cells were recovered, washed and resuspended at a density of 1.0 \times 10⁶ cells per mL in assay medium (RPMI 1640+10% FBS) and 50 μ L of cells added to wells of a 96 well microtiter plate. 50 μ L of each of Ab12, Ab 390, Ab 412, Ab 467, Ab 484, Ab 430/432 and Ab198 or EPO standards (recombinant human EPO (rHuEPO)) in assay medium were added to wells and the plates were incubated in a humidified incubator at 37° C. with a 5% CO₂ atmosphere. After 72 hours, 20 μ L of Promega Cell Titer 96 Aqueous® reagent (as prepared per manufacturer's instructions, Madison, Wis.) was added to all wells. Plates were incubated at 37° C. with a 5% CO₂ atmosphere for 4 hours and the optical density at 490 nm was determined using a microplate reader (Wallac Victor 1420 Multilabel Counter, Wallac Company, Boston, Mass.). The results are shown in FIG. 6. All Abs stimulated proliferation of the F36E cell line. Maximal proliferative activity was similar to that observed with the EPO control and shown by a bell shaped curve as concentration increased. The

results in FIG. 7 demonstrate that Ab 12, after storage at 4° C. for up to 20 days, is active in inducing the proliferation of F36E cells. Proliferative activity was similar to that observed with the EPO control with the maximal response differing about ten-fold on a molar equivalent basis

EXAMPLE 5

Human CD36+ CFUe Assay

[0195] Frozen human CD36+ erythroid progenitor cells obtained from Poietics (Biowhittaker (Walkersville, Md.)) were thawed and 10⁴ cells/ml in IMDM-2% FBS. Cells (0.3 ml) were added to 0.3 ml tubes containing 2.4 ml Methocult (StemCell Technologies, Vancouver, Canada) Cat. #04230), 0.3 ml stem cell growth factor (Sigma, St. Louis, Mo. Cat. #S7901, 100 μ g/ml), and 0.3 ml EPO(R&D Systems), Ab 12, or IMDM-2% FBS. After mixing, 1.1 ml of the Methocult suspension was added to a 35 mm non tissue culture treated sterile petri dish and incubated at 37° C., 5% CO₂ for 2 weeks. Colonies were identified microscopically. The results are shown in FIG. 8. Specifically, Ab12 induced the formation of CFU-E colonies from human

[0196] CD 36+ progenitor cells. The colonies, identified microscopically, were red in color. The size and number of the colonies is reduced compared to those observed with the EPO control probably due to a reduced proliferative signal.

EXAMPLE 6

Demonstration of Erythropoietic Activity in Liquid Cultures

[0197] CD34+ cells were enriched from human peripheral blood using a Direct CD34+Progenitor Cell Isolation Kit (Miltenyi, Auburn, Calif.). Recovered cells were washed twice with alpha-medium and re-suspended in suspension culture media (alpha-media supplemented with 30% FCS, 1% deionized BSA, 10⁻⁵M β -mercaptoethanol, 10⁻⁶ M dexamethasone, 0.3 mg/mL human holo-transferrin and 10 ng/mL human recombinant stem cell factor). Cells were plated out at a density of 1 \times 10⁴ cells/mL in duplicates in 6-well microplates with test antibody at concentrations ranging from 0.1-100 ng/mL. Plates were incubated at 37° C. and 5% CO₂ for two weeks. Duplicate samples from each well were recovered for cell counts and staining with benzidine (Reference Fibach, E., 1998 *Hemoglobin*, 22:5-6, 445-458).

[0198] The results are shown in FIG. 9. Specifically, Ab198 induced the proliferation of human erythroid producing cells derived from progenitor cells in a dose dependent manner. The number of proliferating cells and the percentage expressing hemoglobin, as indicated by staining with benzidine, was reduced compared to the EPO treated controls again probably due to a reduced proliferative signal.

EXAMPLE 7

Cynomolgus Bone Marrow CFUe Assay

[0199] Bone marrow was harvested from cynomolgus monkeys and diluted 1:2 with PBS. Three ml of the diluted bone marrow was layered over six ml of Lymphoprep (Gibco (Invitrogen), Carlsbad, Calif. Cat. #1001967), centrifuged at 2700 rpm for 20 minutes and the buffy coat recovered and diluted in 10 ml IMDM-2% FBS. Cells were

centrifuged and resuspended at 10^6 cells/ml in IMDM-2% FBS. Cells (0.3 ml) were added to tubes containing 2.4 ml Methocult (StemCell Technologies, Vancouver, Canada) Cat. #04230), 0.3 ml stem cell growth factor (Sigma, Cat. #S7901, 100 ug/ml), 0.3 ml EPO (R& D Systems, Minneapolis, Minn.), test antibody (Ab198), or IMDM-2% FBS. After mixing, 1.1 ml of the Methocult suspension was added to a 35 mm non tissue culture treated sterile petri dish and incubated at 37° C., 5% CO₂ for 2 weeks. Colonies were identified microscopically. The results of this assay are shown in FIG. 10 demonstrate that Ab198 induced the formation of CFU-E colonies (although the number of colonies was reduced compared to that observed with the EPO control).

EXAMPLE 8

ELISA to Measure Binding of SE-3 Peptide

[0200] 96 well polystyrene plates (Dynatec (Elk Grove Village, Ill.) Immunolon 4) were coated with 80 ul of 5 ug/ml soluble EPO receptor (sEPOR) (R&D Systems (Minneapolis, Minn.) Cat. #307-ER/LF), or peptide SE-3 (PGNYSFSYQLEDEPWKLCRLHWAPTARGAV) (described in U.S. Pat. No. 6,319,499) diluted in 0.015M Na₂CO₃, 0.035M NaHCO₃, pH 9.4 for 2 hours at room temperature and overnight at 4° C. Plates were blocked for 30 minutes at room temperature with 100 ul of 5% BSA in PBS (Gibco (Invitrogen (Carlsbad, Calif.)) Cat.#10010). After removal of blocking solution, 50 ul of Ab12 at 5 ug/ml in PBS with 1% BSA was added to wells and plates were incubated at room temperature for 2 hours. Plates were washed three times using a Skatron 400 Plate Washer with PBS/0.05% Tween 20 and 50 ul of secondary antibody diluted in PBS/0.25% BSA/0.05% Tween 20 added to the wells. For Ab12, goat anti-human IgG (Fc)-HRP (Caltag (Burlingame, Calif.) Cat.#H10507) diluted 1:1000 was used and for Ab 71A (available from the American Type Culture Collection HB11689, also described in U.S. Pat. No. 6,319, 499), goat anti mouse IgG (Fc)-HRP (Jackson Laboratories (West Grove, Pa.) Cat.#115-035-164) diluted 1:5000 was used. After a 1 hour incubation at room temperature, plates were washed three times as before and 50 ul of OPD Developing Reagent (Sigma #P9187) added to each well. Color development was stopped by addition of 50 ul of 1N HCl to the wells and optical density measured at 490 nm on a Victor 1420 Multi-Label Counter.

[0201] FIG. 11 shows that Ab12 does not interact (i.e. bind) with SE-3 peptide. Ab 71A does interact (i.e. binds) with the SE-3 peptide Both Abs 12, and 71A interacted with immobilized erythropoietin receptor.

EXAMPLE 9

EPO Dependent Proliferation Assay

[0202] Primary hybridoma supernatants were diluted in assay medium and tested for their ability to stimulate the proliferation of the F36E human erythroleukemic cells as described in EXAMPLE 5. Results with five primary supernatants are shown in FIG. 12. These samples stimulated the proliferation of F36E cells.

EXAMPLE 10

ELISA to Measure Binding of Hybridoma Supernatants to SE-3 Peptide

[0203] Forty-two primary hybridoma supernatants were tested for their ability to bind to either immobilized EPO receptor or peptide SE-3 as described in EXAMPLE 10. FIG. 13 shows that whereas all the hybridoma supernatants tested interact with immobilized EPO receptor, only sample 16 interacted with SE-3 peptide at levels above background.

EXAMPLE 11

Comparison of Erythropoietic Activity of Gamma-1 Ab12 Versus Gamma-2 Ab12

[0204] Proliferation assays (as described in Example 4) were performed to compare the erythropoietic activity of gamma-1 Ab 12 and gamma-2 Ab 12 on F36e human erythroleukemic cells. The results are shown in FIG. 31. As FIG. 31 shows, gamma-2 Ab 12 was more effective at stimulating proliferation of the F36E cell line than gamma-1 Ab 12.

EXAMPLE 12

Effect of Ab 12 on Erythropoiesis In Vivo

[0205] (a) Construction of mEpoR ^{-/-}, hEopR⁺ transgenic mice: Transgenic mice that produced only human EpoR (hEpoR⁺, single allele) and no endogenous mouse EpoR (mEpoR ^{-/-}, double allele mutation) were generated as described in Liu, C. et al., *Journal of Biological Chemistry*, 272:32395 (1997) and Yu, X., et al., *Blood*, 98(2):475 (2001). Breeding colonies were established to generate mice for in vivo studies of erythropoiesis.

[0206] (b) Multiple dosing regimen: In initial experiments, animals were subjected to a multiple dosing regimen of Ab 12 to determine whether the antibody would cause an increase in reticulocyte counts and/or % hematocrit. Five transgenic mice (mEpoR ^{-/-}, hEpoR⁺, were injected subcutaneously with either 5 µg or 50 µg of Ab 12 in 0.2 mL vehicle (phosphate buffered saline [PBS] containing 0.1% bovine serum albumin [BSA]). Control animals also were injected in the same manner with equal volumes of the vehicle alone or vehicle containing 5U Epogen® (Amgen®, Thousand Oaks, Calif.). All animals were dosed over a three-week period in accordance with the following schedule:

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	Monday, Wednesday

Sample bleeds were taken on day 4 (Thursday of week 1) for determining reticulocyte counts and on day 19 (Friday of week 3) for determining hematocrits. Reticulocyte counts and hematocrit determinations were made using methods well known in the art. As FIG. 32 shows, Ab 12 caused a statistically significant increase (over controls) in reticulocyte count and % hematocrit in animals receiving either 5 or 50 µg of Ab 12 antibody.

[0207] (c) Weekly dosing regimen: To assess whether the results seen under a multiple dosing regimen still would be observed in animals receiving fewer doses of Ab 12, transgenic mice were injected (as described in (b) above) with varying concentrations (0.5, 2.5, 5.0, 50 and 250 µg) of Ab 12 or a control, Aranesp™ (Amgen®, Thousand Oaks, Calif.), a more active variant of Epogen® on days 1, 8 and 15 and bled on days 4 and 19 for determination of reticulocyte count and hematocrit, respectively. Control animals received a single dose of vehicle only or a human IgG2 isotype control. FIG. 33 shows that Ab 12 caused a statistically significant increase (over vehicle and isotype controls) in percent hematocrit with all but the lowest concentrations tested.

[0208] (d) Single versus weekly dosing regimens: To determine whether a single dose of Ab-12 would have an effect on erythropoiesis after 3 weeks, transgenic mice were dosed with Ab 12 (50 µg), at one week intervals for 3 weeks or with a single dose of Ab 12 (150 µg) and bled on day 19 for determination of percent hematocrit. Control animals

received vehicle alone, a single dose of Aranesp™ (900 ng) or 3 total doses of Aranesp™ injected at weekly intervals (300 ng×3). FIG. 34 shows that both dosing regimens of Ab 12 caused a statistically significant increase in percent hematocrit over the vehicle control. In contrast, the single dose regimen of Aranesp™ did not have this effect.

[0209] All abstracts, references, patents and published patent applications referred to herein are hereby incorporated by reference.

[0210] The present invention is illustrated by way of the foregoing description and examples. The foregoing description is intended as a non-limiting illustration, since many variations will become apparent to those skilled in the art in view thereof.

[0211] Changes can be made to the composition, operation and arrangement of the method of the present invention described herein without departing from the concept and scope of the invention.

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 35 40 45
 Ala Val Ile Ser Tyr Asp Gly Ser Asn Lys Tyr Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val
 50 55 60
 Lys Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Ser Lys Asn Thr Leu Tyr
 65 70 75 80
 Leu Gln Met Asn Ser Leu Arg Val Glu Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys
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 115 120

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 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 13

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 1           5           10          15
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          20          25          30
Leu Val Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Ala Leu Leu Ile
          35          40          45
Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
          50          55          60
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro
65          70          75          80
Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe
          85          90          95
Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Ile Lys
          100          105
  
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<400> SEQUENCE: 14

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gcagactccg tgaagggccg attcaccatc tccagagaca attccaagaa cacgctgtat    240
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 <212> TYPE: PRT
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 Gly Met His Trp Val Arg Gln Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Val
 35 40 45
 Val Val Ile Ser Tyr Asp Gly Ser Asn Lys Tyr Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val
 50 55 60
 Lys Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Ser Lys Asn Thr Leu Tyr
 65 70 75 80
 Leu Gln Met Asn Ser Leu Arg Val Glu Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys
 85 90 95
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<211> LENGTH: 107

<212> TYPE: PRT

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 20 25 30
 Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Thr Leu Leu Ile
 35 40 45
 Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
 50 55 60
 Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro
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 Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Ile Lys
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<210> SEQ ID NO 19
<211> LENGTH: 116
<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 19

Gln Val Gln Leu Val Glu Ser Gly Gly Gly Val Val Gln Pro Gly Arg
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Ser Leu Arg Leu Ser Cys Ala Ala Ser Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Lys Tyr
 20             25             30

Gly Met His Trp Val Arg Gln Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Val
 35             40             45

Ala Val Leu Trp Tyr Asp Gly Ser Asn Lys Tyr Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val
 50             55             60

Lys Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Ser Lys Asn Thr Leu Tyr
 65             70             75             80

Leu Gln Met Asn Ser Leu Arg Ala Glu Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys
 85             90             95

Ala Arg Gly Pro Tyr Tyr Phe Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val
 100            105            110

Thr Val Ser Ser
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<211> LENGTH: 108
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<400> SEQUENCE: 21

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 20 25 30
 Tyr Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ala Pro Arg Leu Leu
 35 40 45
 Ile Tyr Gly Ala Ser Ser Arg Ala Thr Gly Ile Pro Asp Arg Phe Ser
 50 55 60
 Gly Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Val Thr Ile Ser Arg Leu Glu
 65 70 75 80
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<212> TYPE: DNA

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<400> SEQUENCE: 22

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<210> SEQ ID NO 23

<211> LENGTH: 107

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 23

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 1 5 10 15
 Asp Arg Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Ser Ser Trp
 20 25 30
 Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Thr Leu Leu Ile
 35 40 45
 Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
 50 55 60
 Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro
 65 70 75 80
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 Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Ile Lys
 100 105

<210> SEQ ID NO 24

<211> LENGTH: 322

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<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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 1         5         10        15
Asp Arg Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Ser Ser Trp
 20        25        30
Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Lys Arg Leu Ile
 35        40        45
Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
 50        55        60
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro
 65        70        75        80
Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe
 85        90        95

Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Ile Lys
100        105

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gggcaagccc ctacgcctc aatctatgct gcattccagtt tgcaacgtgg ggtcccatca    180
agattcagcg gcagtggatc tgggacagat ttcactctca ccatcaacag cctgcagcct    240
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gggaccaaag tggatgtcaa ac                                           322

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<210> SEQ ID NO 27
<211> LENGTH: 107
<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 27

Asp Ile Gln Met Thr Gln Ser Pro Ser Ser Val Ser Thr Ser Val Gly
 1         5         10        15

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Asp Arg Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Gly Ser Trp
      20                25                30
Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ala Pro Thr Leu Leu Ile
      35                40                45
Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
      50                55                60
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Asn Ser Leu Gln Pro
      65                70                75                80
Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe
      85                90                95
Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Val Lys
      100                105

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<212> TYPE: DNA
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atcacttgtc gggcgagtc gggattggc agctggtag cctggatca gcagaaacca      120
gggcaagccc ctacgctcct aatctatgct gcattccagtt tgcaacgtgg ggtcccatca      180
agattcagcg gcagtggatc tgggacagat ttcactctca ccatcaacag cctgcagcct      240
gaagattttg caacttactt ttgtcaacag gctaacagtt tccattcac tttcgccct      300
gggaccaaag tggatgtcaa ac                                          322

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<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 29

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Asp Ile Gln Met Thr Gln Ser Pro Ser Ser Val Ser Ala Ser Val Gly
      1                5                10                15
Asp Arg Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Gly Ser Trp
      20                25                30
Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ala Pro Thr Leu Leu Ile
      35                40                45
Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
      50                55                60
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Asn Ser Leu Gln Pro
      65                70                75                80
Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe
      85                90                95
Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Val Lys
      100                105

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<211> LENGTH: 349
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<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 30

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ccaggcaagg ggctggagtg ggtggcagtt atatggtttg atggaaataa taaattctat   180
gcagactccg tgaagggccc attcaccatc tccagagaca attccaagaa cacgctgtat   240
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<210> SEQ ID NO 31
<211> LENGTH: 116
<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 31

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Gln Val Gln Leu Val Glu Ser Gly Gly Gly Val Val Gln Pro Gly Arg
 1             5             10             15
Ser Leu Arg Leu Ser Cys Ala Ala Ser Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Ser Tyr
          20             25             30
Gly Met His Trp Val Arg Gln Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Val
          35             40             45
Ala Val Ile Trp Phe Asp Gly Asn Asn Lys Phe Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val
          50             55             60
Lys Gly Arg Phe Thr Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Ser Lys Asn Thr Leu Tyr
          65             70             75             80
Leu Gln Met Asn Ser Leu Arg Val Glu Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys
          85             90             95
Ala Arg Gly Gly Ser Tyr Trp Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val
          100            105            110
Thr Val Ser Ser
          115

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<210> SEQ ID NO 32
<211> LENGTH: 336
<212> TYPE: DNA
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<400> SEQUENCE: 32

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cttcagcaga gccagggcca gcctccaaga ctccctaattt ataagacttc taaccggttc   180
tctgggggtcc cagatagatt cagtggcagc ggggcaggga cagatttcac actgaaaatc   240
agcagggtgg aagctgagga tgtcggggtt tattactgta tgcaagctac acaatttcct   300
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<211> LENGTH: 112
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<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 33

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<400> SEQUENCE: 36

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gggcaagccc ctacgctcct aatctatgct gcctccagtt tgcaacgtgg ggtcccatca    180
agattcagcg gcagtggatc tgggacagat ttcactctca ccatcaacag cctgcagcct    240
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<210> SEQ ID NO 37

<211> LENGTH: 107

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 37

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Asp Ile Gln Met Thr Gln Ser Pro Ser Ser Val Ser Ala Ser Val Gly
  1             5             10             15
Asp Arg Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Gly Ser Trp
          20             25             30
Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Gln Ala Pro Thr Leu Leu Ile
          35             40             45
Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
  50             55             60
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Asn Ser Leu Gln Pro
  65             70             75             80
Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe
          85             90             95
Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Val Lys
          100             105

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<211> LENGTH: 348

<212> TYPE: DNA

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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ccaggaaggg gactggagtg gattgggtat gtctcttaca gtgggagtac gtactacaac    180
cctccctca aggtgagtg caccatgtca gtagacacgt ccaagaacca gttctcctg    240
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<210> SEQ ID NO 39

<211> LENGTH: 116

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 39

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Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Glu Ser Gly Pro Gly Leu Val Lys Pro Ser Glu
  1             5             10             15
Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Ala Ser Ile Ser Asn Tyr

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<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 43

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Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Glu Ser Gly Pro Gly Leu Val Lys Pro Ser Gln
 1             5             10            15
Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Ala Ser Ile Ser Ser Gly
 20            25            30
Ala Tyr Tyr Trp Ser Trp Ile Arg Gln His Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu
 35            40            45
Trp Ile Gly Tyr Ile Tyr Lys Ser Glu Thr Ser Tyr Tyr Asn Pro Ser
 50            55            60
Leu Lys Ser Arg Leu Thr Leu Ser Val Asp Thr Ser Lys Asn Gln Phe
 65            70            75            80
Ser Leu Asn Leu Ile Ser Val Thr Ala Ala Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr
 85            90            95
Cys Ala Arg Asp Lys Leu Gly Ile Ala Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr
 100           105           110
Leu Val Thr Val Ser Ser
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<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 44

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aggttcagcg gcagtggtgc tgggacagaa ttcactctca caatcagcag cctgcagcct   240
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<400> SEQUENCE: 45

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 1             5             10            15

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      20                25                30

Leu Gly Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Lys Arg Leu Ile
      35                40                45

Tyr Ala Ala Ser Asn Leu Gln Ser Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
      50                55                60

Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Glu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro
      65                70                75                80

Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Tyr Cys Leu Gln His Asn Ser Tyr Pro Pro
      85                90                95

Thr Phe Gly Gly Gly Thr Lys Val Glu Ile Lys
      100                105

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<212> TYPE: DNA
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 46

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<210> SEQ ID NO 47
<211> LENGTH: 116
<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 47

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Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Glu Ser Gly Pro Gly Leu Val Lys Pro Ser Glu
  1                5                10                15

Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Val Ser Ile Ser Asn Tyr
      20                25                30

Tyr Trp Ser Trp Ile Arg Gln Ser Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile
      35                40                45

Gly Tyr Ile Tyr Tyr Ser Gly Ser Pro Tyr Tyr Asn Pro Ser Leu Lys
      50                55                60

Ser Arg Val Thr Ile Ser Ala Asp Thr Ser Lys Asn Gln Phe Ser Leu
      65                70                75                80

Lys Leu Ser Ser Val Thr Ala Ala Asp Thr Ala Ile Tyr Tyr Cys Ala
      85                90                95

Arg Glu Lys Leu Gly Ile Gly Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val
      100                105                110

Thr Val Ser Ser
      115

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<210> SEQ ID NO 48
<211> LENGTH: 322
<212> TYPE: DNA
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 48

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aggttcagcg gcagtgatc tgggacagaa ttcacttca caatcagcag cctgcagcct    240
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<210> SEQ ID NO 49

<211> LENGTH: 107

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 49

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Asp Ile Gln Met Thr Gln Ser Pro Ser Ser Leu Ser Ala Ser Val Gly
 1           5           10          15
Asp Arg Val Thr Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Arg Asn Asp
          20          25          30
Leu Gly Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Lys Arg Leu Ile
          35          40          45
Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Ser Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
          50          55          60
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Glu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro
          65          70          75          80
Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Tyr Cys Leu Gln His Asn Ser Tyr Pro Pro
          85          90          95
Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Ile Lys
          100          105

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<211> LENGTH: 349

<212> TYPE: DNA

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 50

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ccaggaaggg gactggagtg gattgggtat gtctcttaca gtgggagcac ctactacaac    180
ccctccctca agagtcgagt caccatataca gtagacacgt ccaagaacca gttctcctg    240
aagctgagct ctgtgaccgc tgcggacacg gccgtgtatt actgtgcgag agataaactg    300
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<210> SEQ ID NO 51

<211> LENGTH: 116

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 51

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Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Glu Ser Gly Pro Gly Leu Val Lys Pro Ser Glu
 1           5           10          15
Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Gly Ser Ile Ser Arg Tyr
          20          25          30

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Tyr Trp Ser Trp Ile Arg Gln Pro Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile
 35 40 45
 Gly Tyr Val Ser Tyr Ser Gly Ser Thr Tyr Tyr Asn Pro Ser Leu Lys
 50 55 60
 Ser Arg Val Thr Ile Ser Val Asp Thr Ser Lys Asn Gln Phe Ser Leu
 65 70 75 80
 Lys Leu Ser Ser Val Thr Ala Ala Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Ala
 85 90 95
 Arg Asp Lys Leu Gly Ile Gly Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val
 100 105 110
 Thr Val Ser Ser
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<210> SEQ ID NO 53
 <211> LENGTH: 107
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 53
 Asp Ile Gln Met Thr Gln Ser Pro Ser Ser Leu Ser Ala Ser Val Gly
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 20 25 30
 Leu Gly Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Lys Arg Leu Ile
 35 40 45
 Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Ser Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly
 50 55 60
 Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Glu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro
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<210> SEQ ID NO 54
 <211> LENGTH: 355
 <212> TYPE: DNA
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 54

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<210> SEQ ID NO 55
<211> LENGTH: 118
<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 55

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Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Glu Ser Gly Pro Gly Leu Val Lys Pro Leu Gln
  1          5          10          15
Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Gly Ser Ile Ser Ser Gly
          20          25          30
Val Tyr Tyr Trp Ser Trp Ile Arg Gln His Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu
          35          40          45
Trp Ile Gly Tyr Ile Tyr Asn Ser Lys Thr Ser Tyr Tyr Asn Pro Ser
          50          55          60
Leu Lys Ser Arg Leu Thr Leu Ser Val Asp Thr Ser Lys Asn Gln Phe
          65          70          75          80
Ser Leu Asn Leu Ile Ser Val Thr Ala Ala Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr
          85          90          95
Cys Ala Arg Asp Lys Leu Gly Ile Ala Asp Tyr Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr
          100          105          110
Leu Val Thr Val Ser Ser
          115

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<210> SEQ ID NO 56
<211> LENGTH: 322
<212> TYPE: DNA
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 56

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gggaaagccc ctaagcgcct gatctatgct gcacccagtt tgcaaagtgg ggtcccatca   180
aggttcagcg gcagtggatc tgggacagaa ttcactctca caatcagcag cctgcagcct   240
gaagattttg caacttatta ctgtctacag cataatagct accctcccac tttcgcgga   300
gggaccaagg tggagatcaa ac                                322

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<210> SEQ ID NO 57
<211> LENGTH: 107
<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 57

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Asp Ile Gln Met Thr Gln Ser Pro Ser Ser Leu Ser Ala Ser Val Gly
  1          5          10          15
Asp Arg Val Thr Ile Thr Cys Arg Thr Ser Gln Gly Ile Arg Asn Asp

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20	25	30
Leu Gly Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro Lys Arg Leu Ile		
35	40	45
Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Ser Gly Val Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly		
50	55	60
Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Glu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro		
65	70	75
Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Tyr Cys Leu Gln His Asn Ser Tyr Pro Pro		
85	90	95
Thr Phe Gly Gly Gly Thr Lys Val Glu Ile Lys		
100	105	

<210> SEQ ID NO 58
 <211> LENGTH: 34
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 58

Gly Ala Ser Ile Ser Ser Tyr Tyr Trp Ser Tyr Ile Tyr Tyr Ser Gly		
1	5	10
Ser Thr Asn Tyr Asn Pro Ser Leu Lys Ser Glu Arg Leu Gly Ile Gly		
20	25	30

Asp Tyr

<210> SEQ ID NO 59
 <211> LENGTH: 41
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 59

Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Ser Tyr Gly Met His Val Ile Ser Tyr Asp Gly		
1	5	10
Ser Asn Lys Tyr Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val Lys Gly Asp His Gly Gly Arg		
20	25	30
Tyr Val Tyr Asp Tyr Gly Met Asp Val		
35	40	

<210> SEQ ID NO 60
 <211> LENGTH: 34
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 60

Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Lys Tyr Gly Met His Val Leu Trp Tyr Asp Gly		
1	5	10
Ser Asn Lys Tyr Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val Lys Gly Asp Gly His Tyr Phe		
20	25	30

Asp Tyr

<210> SEQ ID NO 61
 <211> LENGTH: 34
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 61

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Asn Asn Lys Phe Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val Lys Gly Ala Pro Ala Tyr Trp
 20 25 30

Asp Tyr

<210> SEQ ID NO 62
 <211> LENGTH: 27
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 62

Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Arg Asn Asp Leu Gly Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu
 1 5 10 15

Gln Ser Leu Gln His Asn Thr Tyr Pro Pro Thr
 20 25

<210> SEQ ID NO 63
 <211> LENGTH: 27
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 63

Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Ser Ser Trp Leu Ala Ala Ala Ser Thr Leu
 1 5 10 15

Gln Arg Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe Thr
 20 25

<210> SEQ ID NO 64
 <211> LENGTH: 29
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 64

Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Ser Ser Trp Leu Val Ala Leu Ala Ala Ser
 1 5 10 15

Ser Leu Gln Arg Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe Thr
 20 25

<210> SEQ ID NO 65
 <211> LENGTH: 27
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 65

Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Ser Ser Trp Leu Ala Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu
 1 5 10 15

Gln Arg Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe Thr
 20 25

<210> SEQ ID NO 66
 <211> LENGTH: 27
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 66

Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly Ile Gly Ser Trp Leu Ala Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu
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Gln Arg Gln Gln Ala Asn Ser Phe Pro Phe Thr
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<210> SEQ ID NO 67
 <211> LENGTH: 32
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 67

Arg Ser Arg Gln Ser Leu Val His Ser Asp Gly Asn Thr Tyr Leu Asn
 1 5 10 15

Lys Thr Ser Asn Arg Phe Ser Met Gln Ala Thr Gln Phe Pro Ile Thr
 20 25 30

<210> SEQ ID NO 68
 <211> LENGTH: 28
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 68

Arg Ala Ser Gln Ser Val Ser Ser Ser Tyr Leu Ala Gly Ala Ser Ser
 1 5 10 15

Arg Ala Thr Gln Gln Tyr Gly Ser Ser Pro Trp Thr
 20 25

<210> SEQ ID NO 69
 <211> LENGTH: 1990
 <212> TYPE: DNA
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 69

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<210> SEQ ID NO 70
<211> LENGTH: 1990
<212> TYPE: DNA
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 70

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<210> SEQ ID NO 71

<211> LENGTH: 241

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 71

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Met Lys His Leu Trp Phe Phe Leu Leu Leu Val Ala Leu Ala Ala Pro
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Arg Trp Val Leu Ser Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Glu Ser Gly Pro Gly Leu
 20          25          30
Val Lys Pro Ser Glu Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Ala
 35          40          45
Ser Ile Ser Ser Tyr Tyr Trp Ser Trp Ile Arg Gln Pro Pro Gly Lys
 50          55          60
Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile Gly Tyr Ile Tyr Tyr Ser Gly Ser Thr Asn Tyr
 65          70          75          80
Asn Pro Ser Leu Lys Ser Arg Val Thr Ile Ser Val Ala Ser Pro Thr
 85          90          95
Ser Lys Asn Gln Phe Ser Leu Lys Leu Arg Ser Val Thr Ala Ala Asp
100         105         110
Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Ala Arg Glu Arg Leu Gly Ile Gly Asp Tyr
115         120         125
Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val Ser Ser Ala Ser Thr Lys Gly
130         135         140
Pro Ser Val Phe Pro Leu Ala Pro Cys Ser Arg Ser Thr Ser Glu Ser
145         150         155         160
Thr Ala Ala Leu Gly Cys Leu Val Lys Asp Tyr Phe Pro Glu Pro Val
165         170         175
Thr Val Ser Trp Asn Ser Gly Ala Leu Thr Ser Gly Val His Thr Phe
180         185         190
Pro Ala Val Leu Gln Ser Ser Gly Leu Tyr Ser Leu Ser Ser Val Val
195         200         205
Thr Val Pro Ser Ser Asn Phe Gly Thr Gln Thr Tyr Thr Cys Asn Val

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210	215	220
Ala Ser Pro His Lys	Pro Ser Asn Thr Lys	Val Ala Ser Pro Lys Thr
225	230	235 240

Val

<210> SEQ ID NO 72
 <211> LENGTH: 12
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 72

Glu Arg Lys Cys Cys	Val Glu Cys Pro	Pro Cys Pro
1	5	10

<210> SEQ ID NO 73
 <211> LENGTH: 115
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 73

Ala Pro Pro Val Ala	Leu Ala Gly Pro	Ser Val Phe Leu Phe	Pro Pro
1	5	10	15

Lys Pro Lys Asp Thr	Leu Met Ile Ser	Arg Thr Pro Glu	Val Thr Cys
20	25	30	

Val Val Val Ala Ser	Pro Val Ser His	Glu Asp Pro Glu	Val Gln Phe
35	40	45	

Asn Trp Tyr Val Ala	Ser Pro Gly Val	Glu Val His Asn	Ala Lys Thr
50	55	60	

Lys Pro Arg Glu Glu	Gln Phe Asn Ser	Thr Phe Arg Val	Val Ser Val
65	70	75	80

Leu Thr Val Val His	Gln Asp Trp Leu	Asn Gly Lys Glu	Tyr Lys Cys
85	90	95	

Lys Val Ser Asn Lys	Gly Leu Pro Ala	Pro Ile Glu Lys	Thr Ile Ser
100	105	110	

Lys Thr Lys
115

<210> SEQ ID NO 74
 <211> LENGTH: 107
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 74

Gly Gln Pro Arg Glu	Pro Gln Val Tyr	Thr Leu Pro Pro	Ser Arg Glu
1	5	10	15

Glu Met Thr Lys Asn	Gln Val Ser Leu	Thr Cys Leu Val	Lys Gly Phe
20	25	30	

Tyr Pro Ser Asp Ile	Ala Val Glu Trp	Glu Ser Asn Gly	Gln Pro Glu
35	40	45	

Asn Asn Tyr Lys Thr	Thr Pro Pro Met	Leu Asp Ser Asp	Gly Ser Phe
50	55	60	

Phe Leu Tyr Ser Lys	Leu Thr Val Asp	Lys Ser Arg Trp	Gln Gln Gly
65	70	75	80

Asn Val Phe Ser Cys	Ser Val Met His	Glu Ala Leu His	Asn His Tyr
85	90	95	

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Thr Gln Lys Ser Leu Ser Leu Ser Pro Gly Lys
100 105

<210> SEQ ID NO 75
<211> LENGTH: 310
<212> TYPE: PRT
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 75

Ser Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Ala Ala Leu Gly Cys Leu Val Lys Asp Tyr
1 5 10 15

Phe Pro Glu Pro Val Thr Val Ser Trp Asn Ser Gly Ala Leu Thr Ser
20 25 30

Gly Val His Thr Phe Pro Ala Val Leu Gln Ser Ser Gly Leu Tyr Ser
35 40 45

Leu Ser Ser Val Val Thr Val Pro Ser Ser Asn Phe Gly Thr Gln Thr
50 55 60

Tyr Thr Cys Asn Val Asp His Lys Pro Ser Asn Thr Lys Val Asp Lys
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Thr Val Glu Arg Lys Cys Cys Val Glu Cys Pro Pro Cys Pro Ala Pro
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Pro Val Ala Gly Pro Ser Val Phe Leu Phe Pro Pro Lys Pro Lys Asp
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Thr Leu Met Ile Ser Arg Thr Pro Glu Val Thr Cys Val Val Val Asp
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Val Ser His Glu Asp Pro Glu Val Gln Phe Asn Trp Tyr Val Asp Gly
130 135 140

Val Glu Val His Asn Ala Lys Thr Lys Pro Arg Glu Glu Gln Phe Asn
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Ser Thr Phe Arg Val Val Ser Val Leu Thr Val Val His Gln Asp Trp
165 170 175

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Ala Pro Ile Glu Lys Thr Ile Ser Lys Thr Lys Gly Gln Pro Arg Glu
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Pro Gln Val Tyr Thr Leu Pro Pro Ser Arg Glu Glu Met Thr Lys Asn
210 215 220

Gln Val Ser Leu Thr Cys Leu Val Lys Gly Phe Tyr Pro Ser Asp Ile
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Ala Val Glu Trp Glu Ser Asn Gly Gln Pro Glu Asn Asn Tyr Lys Thr
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Thr Pro Pro Met Leu Asp Ser Asp Gly Ser Phe Phe Leu Tyr Ser Lys
260 265 270

Leu Thr Val Asp Lys Ser Arg Trp Gln Gln Gly Asn Val Phe Ser Cys
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<210> SEQ ID NO 76
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<212> TYPE: DNA
<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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<400> SEQUENCE: 76

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<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

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 20           25           30
Leu Ser Ala Ser Val Gly Asp Arg Val Thr Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser
 35           40           45
Gln Gly Ile Arg Asn Asp Leu Gly Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys
 50           55           60
Ala Pro Lys Arg Leu Ile Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Ser Gly Val
 65           70           75           80
Pro Ser Arg Phe Ser Gly Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Glu Phe Thr Leu Thr
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Ile Ser Ser Leu Gln Pro Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Tyr Cys Leu Gln
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His Asn Thr Tyr Pro Pro Thr Phe Gly Gln Gly Thr Lys Val Glu Ile
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Lys Arg Thr Val Ala Ala Pro Ser Val Phe Ile Phe Pro Pro Ser Asp
 130 135 140

Glu Gln Leu Lys Ser Gly Thr Ala Ser Val Val Cys Leu Leu Asn Asn
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<400> SEQUENCE: 79

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 <212> TYPE: DNA
 <213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 80

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<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 81

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<212> TYPE: PRT

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 20             25             30
Val Gln Pro Gly Arg Ser Leu Arg Leu Ser Cys Val Ala Leu Ala Ser
 35             40             45
Gly Phe Thr Phe Ser Ser Tyr Gly Met His Trp Val Ala Arg Gly Gln
 50             55             60
Ala Pro Gly Lys Gly Leu Glu Trp Val Ala Leu Ala Val Ile Ser Tyr
 65             70             75             80
Asp Gly Ser Asn Lys Tyr Tyr Ala Asp Ser Val Lys Gly Arg Phe Thr
 85             90             95
Ile Ser Arg Asp Asn Ser Lys Asn Thr Leu Tyr Leu Gln Met Asn Ser
 100            105            110
Leu Arg Val Glu Asp Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Ala Arg Asp His Gly
 115            120            125
Gly Arg Tyr Val Tyr Asp Tyr Gly Met Asp Val Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr
 130            135            140
Thr Val Thr Val Ser Ser Ala Ser Thr Lys Gly Pro Ser Val Phe Pro
 145            150            155            160
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 165            170            175
Cys Leu Val Lys Asp Tyr Phe Pro Glu Pro Val Thr Val Ser Trp Asn
 180            185            190

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Ser Gly Ala Leu Thr Ser Gly Val His Thr Phe Pro Ala Val Leu Gln
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Ser Ser Gly Leu Tyr Ser Leu Ser Ser Val Val Thr Val Pro Ser Ser
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Asn Phe Gly Thr Gln Thr Tyr Thr Cys Asn Val Ala Ser Pro His Lys
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Pro Ser Asn Thr Lys Val Ala Ser Pro Lys Thr Val
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<212> TYPE: PRT
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 20           25           30
Ala Ser Ile Gly Asp Arg Val Ser Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly
 35           40           45
Ile Ser Ser Trp Leu Ala Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro
 50           55           60
Thr Leu Leu Ile Tyr Ala Ala Ser Thr Leu Gln Arg Gly Val Pro Ser
 65           70           75           80
Arg Phe Ser Gly Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Asp Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser
 85           90           95
Ser Leu Gln Pro Glu Asp Phe Ala Thr Tyr Phe Cys Gln Gln Ala Asn
 100          105          110
Ser Phe Pro Phe Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Ile Lys Arg
 115          120          125
Thr Val Ala Ala Pro Ser Val Phe Ile Phe Pro Pro Ser Asp Glu Gln
 130          135          140
Leu Lys Ser Gly Thr Ala Ser Val Val Cys Leu Leu Asn Asn Phe Tyr
 145          150          155          160
Pro Arg Glu Ala Lys Val Gln Trp Lys Val Asp Asn Ala Leu Gln Ser
 165          170          175
Gly Asn Ser Gln Glu Ser Val Thr Glu Gln Asp Ser Lys Asp Ser Thr
 180          185          190
Tyr Ser Leu Ser Ser Thr Leu Thr Leu Ser Lys Ala Asp Tyr Glu Lys
 195          200          205
His Lys Val Tyr Ala Cys Glu Val Thr His Gln Gly Leu Ser Ser Pro
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<210> SEQ ID NO 88

<211> LENGTH: 241

<212> TYPE: PR

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 88

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Arg Trp Val Leu Ser Gln Val Gln Leu Gln Glu Ser Gly Pro Gly Leu
 20             25             30

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Val Lys Pro Ser Glu Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Ala
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<210> SEQ ID NO 91

<211> LENGTH: 234

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<400> SEQUENCE: 91

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          35           40           45
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          65           70           75           80
Arg Phe Ser Gly Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Glu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser
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 Glu Ser Thr Ala Ala Leu Gly Cys Leu Val Lys Asp Tyr Phe Pro Glu
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<210> SEQ ID NO 97
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Ala Ser Val Gly Asp Arg Val Thr Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Asp
 35           40           45
Ile Arg Asn Asp Leu Gly Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro
 50           55           60
Lys Arg Leu Ile Tyr Ala Ala Ser Asn Leu Gln Ser Gly Val Pro Ser
 65           70           75           80
Arg Phe Ser Gly Ser Gly Ser Gly Thr Glu Phe Thr Leu Thr Ile Ser
 85           90           95
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Pro Arg Glu Ala Lys Val Gln Trp Lys Val Asp Asn Ala Leu Gln Ser
 165 170 175

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Tyr Ser Leu Ser Ser Thr Leu Thr Leu Ser Lys Ala Asp Tyr Glu Lys
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 20           25           30
Val Lys Pro Ser Glu Thr Leu Ser Leu Thr Cys Thr Val Ser Gly Val
 35           40           45
Ser Ile Ser Asn Tyr Tyr Trp Ser Trp Ile Arg Gln Ser Pro Gly Lys
 50           55           60
Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile Gly Tyr Ile Tyr Tyr Ser Gly Ser Pro Tyr Tyr
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Asn Pro Ser Leu Lys Ser Arg Val Thr Ile Ser Ala Asp Thr Ser Lys
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Asn Gln Phe Ser Leu Lys Leu Ser Ser Val Thr Ala Ala Asp Thr Ala
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Gln Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val Ser Ser Ala Ser Thr Lys Gly Pro Ser
130           135           140
Val Phe Pro Leu Ala Pro Cys Ser Arg Ser Thr Ser Glu Ser Thr Ala
145           150           155           160
Ala Leu Gly Cys Leu Val Lys Asp Tyr Phe Pro Glu Pro Val Thr Val
165           170           175
Ser Trp Asn Ser Gly Ala Leu Thr Ser Gly Val His Thr Phe Pro Ala
180           185           190
Val Leu Gln Ser Ser Gly Leu Tyr Ser Leu Ser Ser Val Val Thr Val
195           200           205
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Ser Tyr Pro Pro Thr Phe Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Val Asp Ile Lys Arg
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Pro Arg Glu Ala Lys Val Gln Trp Lys Val Asp Asn Ala Leu Gln Ser
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<212> TYPE: DNA

<213> ORGANISM: Homo sapiens

<400> SEQUENCE: 104

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 20            25            30
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 35            40            45
Ser Ile Ser Arg Tyr Tyr Trp Ser Trp Ile Arg Gln Pro Pro Gly Lys
 50            55            60
Gly Leu Glu Trp Ile Gly Tyr Val Ser Tyr Ser Gly Ser Thr Tyr Tyr
 65            70            75            80
Asn Pro Ser Leu Lys Ser Arg Val Thr Ile Ser Val Ala Ser Pro Thr
 85            90            95
Ser Lys Asn Gln Phe Ser Leu Lys Leu Ser Ser Val Thr Ala Ala Asp
 100           105           110
Thr Ala Val Tyr Tyr Cys Ala Arg Asp Lys Leu Gly Ile Gly Asp Tyr
 115           120           125
Trp Gly Gln Gly Thr Leu Val Thr Val Ser Ser Ala Ser Thr Lys Gly
 130           135           140
Pro Ser Val Phe Pro Leu Ala Pro Cys Ser Arg Ser Thr Ser Glu Ser

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Pro Ala Val Leu Gln Ser Ser Gly Leu Tyr Ser Leu Ser Ser Val Val	195	200	205
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           20           25           30
Ala Ser Val Gly Asp Arg Val Thr Ile Thr Cys Arg Ala Ser Gln Gly
  35           40           45
Ile Arg Asn Asp Leu Gly Trp Tyr Gln Gln Lys Pro Gly Lys Ala Pro
  50           55           60
Lys Arg Leu Ile Tyr Ala Ala Ser Ser Leu Gln Ser Gly Val Pro Ser
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Ser Tyr Pro Cys Ser Phe Gly Gln Gly Thr Lys Leu Glu Ile Lys Arg
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Pro Arg Glu Ala Lys Val Gln Trp Lys Val Asp Asn Ala Leu Gln Ser
  165          170          175
Gly Asn Ser Gln Glu Ser Val Thr Glu Gln Asp Ser Lys Asp Ser Thr
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Tyr Ser Leu Ser Ser Thr Leu Thr Leu Ser Lys Ala Asp Tyr Glu Lys
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1. (canceled)
 2. (canceled)
 3. (canceled)
 4. (canceled)
 5. An antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, comprising:

at least one heavy chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3 or antibody fragment thereof; and

at least one light chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 5 or antibody fragment thereof,

wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

6. An antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, comprising

at least one heavy chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 7 or antibody fragment thereof; wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

7. An antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, comprising

at least one light chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 9 or antibody fragment thereof; wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

8. An antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, said antibody comprising:

at least one heavy chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 7 or antibody fragment thereof; and

at least one light chain variable region having the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 9 or antibody fragment thereof,

wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

9. (canceled)

10. (canceled)

11. An antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, said antibody comprising:

the amino acid sequences of at least one heavy chain variable region and at least one light chain variable

region selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:13, SEQ ID NO:15/SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:19/SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:27, SEQ ID NO:11/SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:31/SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:35/SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:39/SEQ ID NO:41, SEQ ID NO:43/SEQ ID NO:45, SEQ ID NO:47/SEQ ID NO:49, SEQ ID NO:51/SEQ ID NO:53 and SEQ ID NO:55/SEQ ID NO:57 or antibody fragment thereof, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

12. (canceled)

13. (canceled)

14. (canceled)

15. (canceled)

16. (canceled)

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37. (canceled)

38. (canceled)

39. (canceled)

40. An isolated antibody capable of binding a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, said antibody comprising a heavy chain variable region comprising a continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3 having the amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:58, SEQ ID NO:59, SEQ ID NO:60, and SEQ ID NO:61 and fragments thereof.

41. An isolated antibody capable of binding a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, said antibody comprising a light chain variable region comprising a continuous sequence from CDR1 through CDR3 having the amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:62, SEQ ID NO:63, SEQ ID NO:64, SEQ ID NO:65,

SEQ ID NO:66, SEQ ID NO:67, SEQ ID NO:68, SEQ ID NO:74, SEQ ID NO:75, SEQ ID NO:76, SEQ ID NO:77, SEQ ID NO:78 and fragments thereof.

42. A method of activating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, the method comprising the step of administering to said mammal a therapeutically effective amount of an antibody or antibody fragment thereof to activate said receptor, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

43. (canceled)

44. A method of treating a mammal suffering aplasia, the method comprising the step of administering to a mammal in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of an antibody or antibody fragment thereof to activate said receptor, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

45. (canceled)

46. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of an antibody or antibody fragment thereof and a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient, wherein said antibody or antibody fragment thereof does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

47. An isolated and purified polynucleotide sequence selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:2, SEQ ID NO:4, SEQ ID NO:6, SEQ ID NO:8, SEQ ID NO:10, SEQ ID NO:12, SEQ ID NO:14, SEQ ID NO:16, SEQ ID NO:18, SEQ ID NO:20, SEQ ID NO:22, SEQ ID NO:24, SEQ ID NO:26, SEQ ID NO:28, SEQ ID NO:30, SEQ ID NO:32, SEQ ID NO:34, SEQ ID NO:36, SEQ ID NO:38, SEQ ID NO:40, SEQ ID NO:42, SEQ ID NO:44, SEQ ID NO:46, SEQ ID NO:48, SEQ ID NO:50, SEQ ID NO:52, SEQ ID NO:54, SEQ ID NO:56, fragments, complements, and degenerate codon equivalents thereof.

48. An isolated and purified amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of: SEQ ID NO:3, SEQ ID NO:5, SEQ ID NO:7, SEQ ID NO:9, SEQ ID NO:11, SEQ ID NO:13, SEQ ID NO:15, SEQ ID NO:17, SEQ ID NO:19, SEQ ID NO:21, SEQ ID NO:23, SEQ ID NO:25, SEQ ID NO:27, SEQ ID NO:29, SEQ ID NO:31, SEQ ID NO:33, SEQ ID NO:35, SEQ ID NO:37, SEQ ID NO:39, SEQ ID NO:41, SEQ ID NO:43, SEQ ID NO:45, SEQ ID NO:47, SEQ ID NO:49, SEQ ID NO:51, SEQ ID NO:53, SEQ ID NO:55, SEQ ID NO:57, SEQ ID NO:58, SEQ ID NO:59, SEQ ID NO:60, SEQ ID NO:61, SEQ ID NO:62, SEQ ID NO:63, SEQ ID NO:64, SEQ ID NO:65, SEQ ID NO:66, SEQ ID NO:67, SEQ ID NO:68 and fragments thereof.

49. An antibody or antibody fragment thereof that activates an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin

receptor in a mammal wherein said antibody or antibody fragment is a gamma-2 isotype.

50. The antibody or antibody fragment of claim 49 wherein said antibody or antibody fragment is a monoclonal antibody.

51. The antibody or antibody fragment of claim 50 wherein said antibody or antibody fragment is a humanized antibody.

52. The antibody or antibody fragment of claim 50 wherein said antibody or antibody fragment is a human antibody.

53. The antibody or antibody fragment of claim 50 wherein said antibody or antibody fragment does not interact with a peptide having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

54. The antibody or antibody fragment of claim 50 wherein said antibody or antibody fragment is selected from the group consisting of Ab3, Ab12, Ab22, Ab54, Ab60, Ab102, Ab135, Ab145, Ab198, Ab254, Ab267, Ab390, Ab412, Ab430/432, Ab467 and Ab484.

55. A method of activating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, the method comprising the step of administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective amount of the antibody or antibody fragment of claim 49 to activate said receptor.

56. A method of modulating an endogenous activity of a human erythropoietin receptor in a mammal, the method comprising the step of administering to a mammal a therapeutically effective amount of the antibody or antibody fragment of claim 49 to modulate the activity of the receptor.

57. A method of treating a mammal suffering aplasia, the method comprising the step of administering to a mammal in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of the antibody or antibody fragment of claim 49 to activate the receptor.

58. A method of treating a mammal suffering aplasia, the method comprising the step of administering to a mammal in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of the antibody or antibody fragment of claim 49 to modulate the activity of the receptor.

59. A method of treating a mammal suffering anemia, the method comprising the steps of administering to a mammal in need of treatment a therapeutically effective amount of the antibody or antibody fragment of claim 49 to modulate the activity of the receptor.

60. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of the antibody or antibody fragment of claim 49 and a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.

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