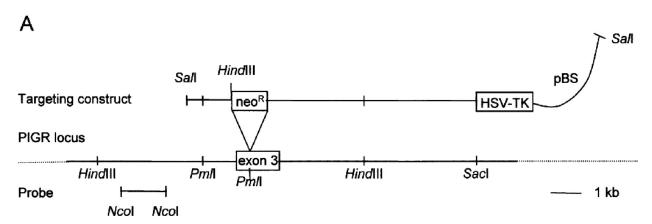
Genotyping Protocol: MMRRC 31018

Assay Type: PCR- can distinguish heterozygous animals from homozygous animals

DNA Extraction: DNA from tail snips was extracted using Qiagen's DNeasy Blood and Tissue kit (Cat# 69506). Kit directions for animal tissues were performed with a few minor modifications as follows: repeat AW1 and AW2 wash steps one time, elute in 200µl of AE buffer once.

Strain Description: This strain has a targeting vector which knocks-out the polymeric immunoglobin receptor gene (*Pigr*) on Chromosome 1. Details can be found in Johansen et al (1999) J Exp Med 190:915–922.

Current background strain: BALB/cJ



Primer Information:

1) Name: Pigr KO A
2) Name: Pigr KO B
3) Name: Pigr WT A
4) Name: Pigr WT B
Sequence: 5'-GAA CTC TTG TCT TTT GTC TCC-3'
Sequence: 5'-GAA CTC TTG TCT TTT GTC TCC-3'
Sequence: 5'-GAA CTC TTG TCT TTT GTC TCC-3'
Sequence: 5'-CTC GCC TGA ATA CTC CTT G-3'

Primer location: Pigr WT A is located directly before exon 3, and Pigr WT B is located within exon 3 of the *Pigr* gene. Pigr KO A is located directly before exon 3 and Pigr KO B is located in the targeting vector.

Assay name: Pigr PCR

Mutant PCR:

PCR Master Mix Components:

component	manufacturer	concentration	μ l/rxn
Buffer with MgCl ₂ (green cap)	Roche	10X	2
dNTP	Promega (Cat# U1515)	1.25mM	3.2
Pigr KO A	Sigma	25µM	0.3
Pigr KO B	Sigma	25µM	0.3
FastStart Taq	Roche (Cat# 12032953001)	5 U/μl	0.2
sterile water			13

PCR Setup:

Final Reaction: 19µl master mix & 1µl DNA template (10-20ng/µl)

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All reactions were performed in 200µl thin walled PCR tubes and were run in Perkin Elmer 2400 thermocycler or Applied Biosystems 2700 thermocycler.

Cycle Parameters:

1)	95°C	3 minutes
2)	94°C	20 seconds
3)	61°C	25 seconds
4)	72°C	30 seconds

5) Repeat steps 2-4 34 times for a total of 35 cycles

6) 72°C 10 minutes

7) 4°C hold until refrigerate product

Product Analysis:

All products were analyzed on the Qiaxcel (instrument and all supplies from Qiagen) with the Qiaxcel DNA Screening Kit (Cat# 929004).

Alignment Marker: QX Alignment Marker 15bp/1kb (Cat# 929521) Size Marker: QX DNA Size Marker 50-800bp (Cat# 929556)

Method: AH320 Injection: 20s at 2kV

Separation: 320s at 6kV

Expected product: 150bp mutant band

WT PCR:

PCR Master Mix Components:

component	manufacturer	concentration	μ l/rxn
Buffer with MgCl ₂ (green cap)	Roche	10X	2
dNTP	Promega (Cat# U1515)	1.25mM	3.2
Pigr WT A	Sigma	25µM	0.3
Pigr WT B	Sigma	25µM	0.3
FastStart Taq	Roche (Cat# 12032953001)	5 U/μl	0.2
sterile water			13

PCR Setup:

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5) Repeat steps 2-4 34 times for a total of 35 cycles

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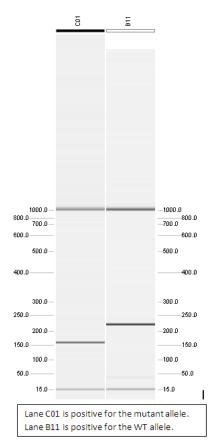
Method: AH320 Injection: 20s at 2kV Separation: 320s at 6kV

Expected products: 226bp wild type band

Product Analysis:

Genotype	Wild type PCR	Mutant PCR
Wild Type	226 bp	no product
Heterozygous	226 bp	150 bp
Homozygous	no product	150 bp

Example Gel:



^{*}Please note: the 15bp and 1kb bands are reference markers specific to the Qiaxcel method and do not represent expected products.*