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(54) **BIOMARKERS FOR LIVER DISEASES AND METHOD FOR USING THE SAME**

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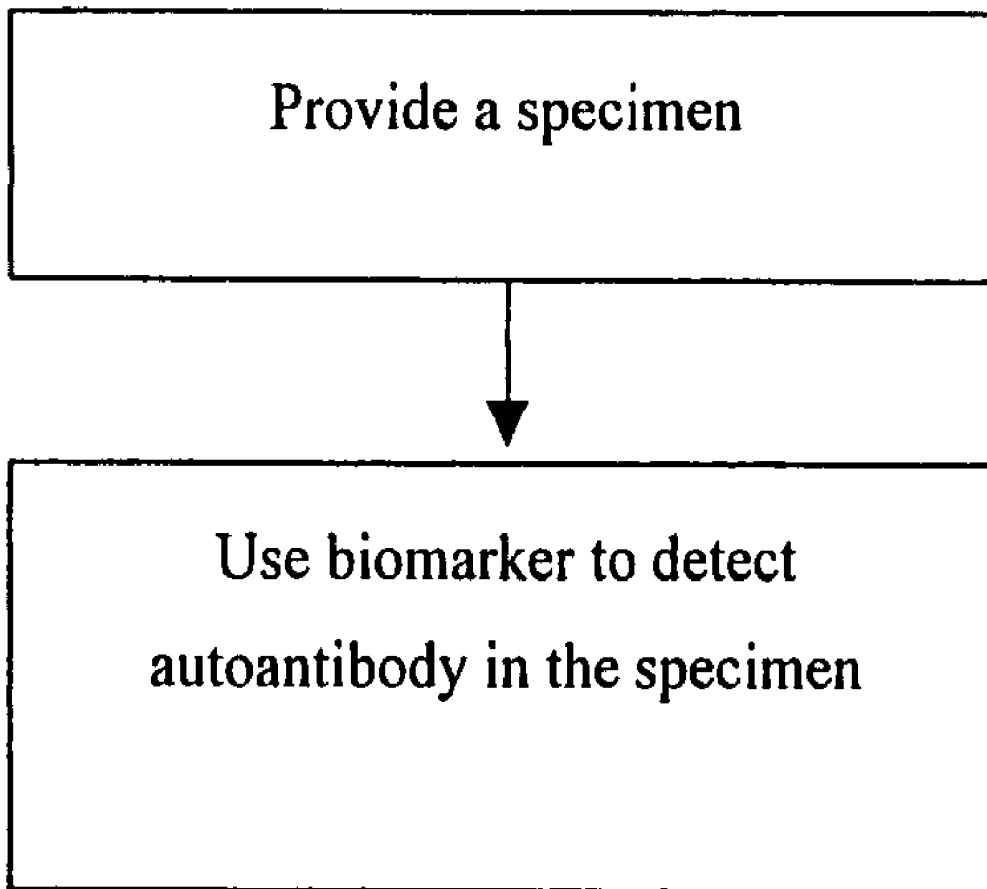
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Biomarkers for liver diseases and method for using the same are provided. For detecting liver cirrhosis and liver cancer, the biomarkers are selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof or the antibodies against the amino acid sequences. Then the biomarkers are further developed into detection kits, such that by detecting the existence of autoantibodies or autoantigens in screened specimens, liver diseases are detected with higher accuracy and sensitivity.



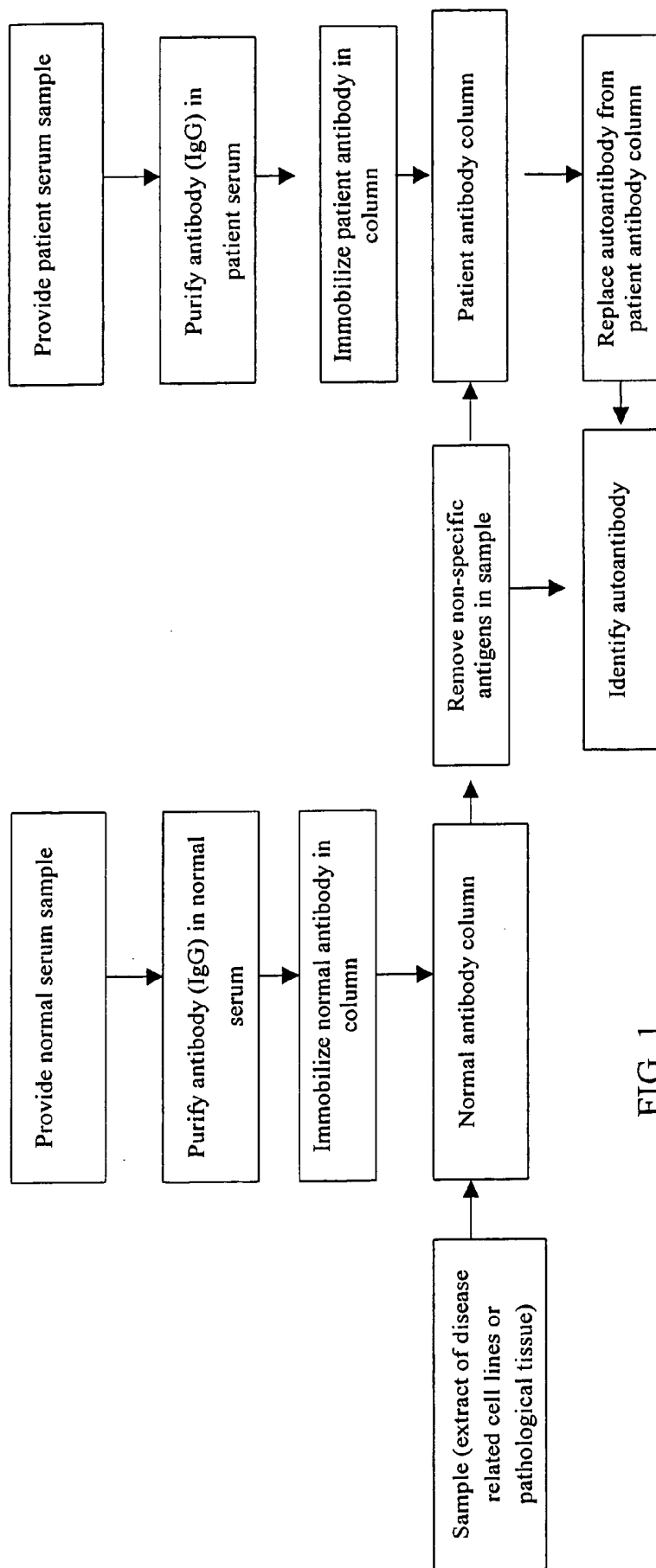


FIG. 1

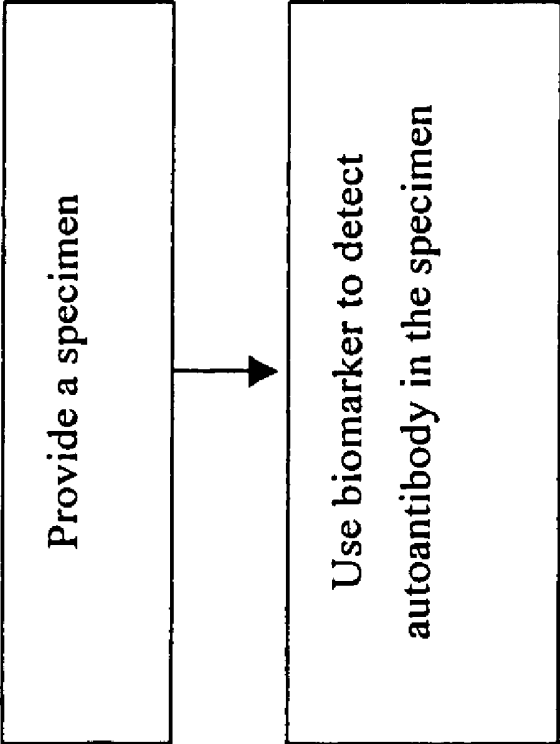


FIG. 2

**BIOMARKERS FOR LIVER DISEASES AND
METHOD FOR USING THE SAME**

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

[0001] 1. Field of the Invention

[0002] The present invention is related to biomarkers for liver diseases and method for using the same, in which a method for screening autoantigens is employed to identify biomarkers that can be used in detecting liver diseases. The identified biomarkers are further developed into detection kits to detect the presence of autoantibodies or autoantigens in specimens for screening of liver diseases.

[0003] 2. Description of Related Art

[0004] People with impaired immune functions are prone to develop immune diseases. The etiology of many human diseases may be traced to our immune system in any of the three conditions described below. The first is reduced immunity, lower activity of immune cells, or reduced quantity of immune cells, such that the human body cannot fight off the invading bacteria, virus or mold, and becomes susceptible to contagious diseases, such as common cold, flu, pneumonia, enteritis, or even hepatitis and AIDS. The second condition is immunodeficiency or over-reaction of the immune system where the invading substances are not germs, but tiny pollens or macromolecular proteins in the food ingested, against which the immune system releases a large amount of antibodies. Such attack and defense occur in our cells, causing a chain of reactions which is also called allergy. When real pathogens such as bacteria, virus or mold attack the human body at this time, the immune system is no longer able to put up resistance. The third condition of impaired immune system is the immune cells attack normal cells in the human body, called autoimmune disorder as in the case of rheumatoid arthritis, lupus erythematosus, and herpes. Such immune diseases arise from our own immune system having an identification problem that autoantibodies are produced against human body's own cells, resulting in tissue damage and illnesses.

[0005] It is now known that autoantibodies are present not just in autoimmune diseases. More and more studies indicate that in the immune response to cancer, autoantigen (from the tumor) and autoantibody (from the body) exist in some cases. Thus the detection of tumor autoantigen that elicits body response may be directed towards and applied in the testing, diagnosis, or prognosis of cancer, and furthermore, in the treatment of disease.

[0006] U.S. Pat. Nos. 6,631,330, 5,137,807, 5,830,667, 6,264,949, and 5,985,542 disclose the use of biomarkers in the diagnosis of cirrhosis, fibrosis or autoimmune hepatitis (AIH); U.S. Pat. Nos. 4,994,374 and 5,175,084 disclose the use of biomarkers in the diagnosis of hepatocellular carcinoma; U.S. Pat. No.6,410,724 uses DNA primer associated with hepatocellular carcinoma as a diagnostic tool. But the biomarkers disclosed in those patents lack accuracy or are susceptible to interference to a certain extent.

[0007] U.S. Pat. No.5,891,436 and Publication No. 20030138860 disclose the use of biomarkers to detect the presence of autoantibodies in human serum as a diagnostic tool for primary biliary cirrhosis or hepatocellular carcinoma. Those patents confirm the existence of autoantibodies

in cancer patients and thereby establish the rational for using biomarkers in cancer screening.

[0008] Cancer has been the leading cause of death in Taiwan since 1982, whereas liver cancer is ranked among the top as the cause of death in both men or women. Thus it is important to find biomarkers with high accuracy and not susceptible to interference and use those biomarkers to develop detection kits for liver cirrhosis and cancer to effectively screen patients with liver diseases in the hope that early diagnosis and early treatment can help lower the mortality rate.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

[0009] In addressing the drawbacks of prior arts, the present invention provides biomarkers for liver diseases, which can be developed into detection kits for diagnosis of liver cirrhosis and liver cancer based on the knowledge of the existence of autoantibodies.

[0010] An objective of the present invention is to provide biomarkers for detecting liver cirrhosis and liver cancer, which are selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof or the antibodies against the amino acid sequences.

[0011] According to the present invention, the aforesaid variants are obtained by substituting, deleting, inserting and/or adding to the amino acid in the amino acid sequences of the biomarker with one or more amino acids; the amino acid sequence of the variant and that of the biomarker have sequence homology greater than 80%.

[0012] Another objective of the present invention is to provide a detection kit for liver diseases, comprising a set of biomarkers selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof.

[0013] In one embodiment of the present invention, the aforesaid detection kit may further include secondary antibodies that can recognize the antibodies against any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants thereof.

[0014] A further objective of the present invention is to provide a method for screening liver diseases, comprising the steps of: providing a specimen; using biomarkers selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof to capture the autoantibody in the specimen; and detecting the autoantibody.

[0015] Yet another objective of the present invention is to provide a detection kit for liver diseases, comprising a set of antibodies against any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24.

[0016] A further objective of the present invention is to provide a method using the aforesaid detection kit to screen liver diseases, comprising the steps of: providing a specimen; using the antibody against any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 to capture the antigen in the specimen; and detecting the antibody-antigen complex.

[0017] This invention is based on the use of autoantigen screening method, comprising the steps of: firstly purifying

antibodies from normal persons, liver cirrhosis patients, and liver cancer patients respectively and immobilizing them in different columns; passing the cell extracts from liver disease related cell lines (HepG2 C3A & SNU-387) in sequence through the normal antibody column and patient antibody column to obtain autoantigens associated with liver cirrhosis and liver cancer; using those autoantigens as biomarker kits coupled with enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), radioimmunoassay (RIA), or immunofluorescence to detect the presence of autoantibodies against said autoantigens in the screened specimen, and based on which, to determine whether the patient has liver cirrhosis or liver cancer. Since those biomarkers are identified based on existing autoantibodies, they can be developed into diagnostic kits to determine if the patient has such diseases based on the presence of autoantibodies against the biomarkers. Such method is much easier than direct screening of the antigen and offers greater accuracy and sensitivity.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

[0018] FIG. 1 shows a flow chart of an autoantigen screening method according to the present invention.

[0019] FIG. 2 shows a flow chart of using biomarkers for screening autoantibody according to the present invention.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

[0020] The present invention relates to the use of an autoantigen screening method to identify biomarkers that may be used in the detection of liver diseases, such as liver cirrhosis and liver cancer. Said autoantigen screening method as shown in FIG. 1 comprises the following steps: firstly obtaining serum samples from normal persons and patients and passing the respective samples over affinity columns that can capture antibodies to purify the antibodies contained in the serum samples; next packing respectively the resulting purified normal antibodies and patient antibodies into columns to obtain a column containing antibodies from normal persons (normal antibody column) and a column containing antibodies from patients (patient antibody column) in which antibodies are immobilized through the chemical bonding formed between the antibodies and chemical functional groups in the column; obtaining a sample which may be the extract of disease related cell lines or pathological tissues; the aforesaid serum sample may be that of a single patient or a mixture sample containing the sera of a plurality of patients.

[0021] To continue the procedure, passing the sample from the extract of disease related cell lines or pathological tissues over the normal antibody column where non-specific antigens are captured and retained in the column through the specific affinity of normal antibodies; this step may be viewed as pre-treatment of the sample before the patient antibody column is used to screen autoantigens in the sample. After non-specific antigens are removed, the sample constitutes only specific antigens. Next, passing the sample over the column packed with patient antibodies to screen disease related autoantigen. Since non-specific antigens have been removed by normal serum antibodies, the autoantigens as identified by patient's autoantibodies are more specific.

[0022] Finally, the autoantigens displaced from the patient antibody column are subjected to determination by the mass

spectrum technology; the aforesaid determination procedure involves comparing the signals from mass spectrograph with the database to obtain the information on the autoantigens.

[0023] Autoantigens in liver disease related cell lines are purified and identified according to the method described above. Given that those autoantigens are identified by the antibodies in patient sera, the autoantigens or derivatives or fragments or variants or combinations thereof can be utilized as biomarkers and developed into detection kits. By detecting the presence of autoantibodies in screened specimen, it can be determined whether the patient has liver cirrhosis or other liver diseases. In addition to biomarkers, the detection kits can further include secondary antibodies that can recognize the autoantibodies against the biomarkers to facilitate the application of the detection method.

[0024] As shown in FIG. 2, the method utilizing the detection kits described above comprises the steps of: providing a specimen; using biomarkers to detect the autoantibody in the specimen. Said biomarkers are selected from autoantigens screened by the autoantigen screening method or its derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof. The aforesaid specimen is whole blood or serum, preferably serum.

[0025] To facilitate the detection, the aforesaid biomarker may come in any form, including but not limited to, a detection kit or pre-immobilized on a substrate, said substrate may be an immunoassay plate or a biochip, said substrate may be an immunoassay plate or a biochip. The autoantibodies in the specimen captured by the biomarkers can be recognized and adsorbed by the secondary antibodies, which are modified antibodies having special functional groups for color reaction, radio detection or fluorescence detection.

[0026] After autoantibody is adsorbed by the secondary antibody, a special reagent is added to undergo color reaction and enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) is employed to determine the presence of the secondary antibody, and from which to learn the presence of the autoantibody as a basis for determining if the patient has liver cancer or liver cirrhosis. The presence of the secondary antibody and thereby the presence of the autoantibody can also be determined by radioimmunoassay (RIA) or immunofluorescence.

[0027] If the screening method does not include the secondary antibody, the specimen may be labeled with a fluorescence marker (e.g. cy3 or Cy5) prior to reacting with the biomarkers. The fluorescence-labeled autoantibodies screened by the biomarkers can then be detected by a fluorescence scanner without the use of the secondary antibody.

[0028] Besides detecting the presence of the autoantibody, detection of the antigen may also be used as a basis for determining whether a patient has liver cirrhosis or liver cancer. To achieve this purpose, the present invention also provides a detection kit containing antibodies that can recognize autoantigens identified by the autoantigen screening method for the screening of liver diseases.

[0029] The method of using the aforesaid detection kit for screening liver cancer and liver cirrhosis comprises the steps of: providing a serum specimen; using the aforesaid anti-

body to recognize and capture the antigen in the serum; and detecting the antibody-antigen complex.

[0030] The advantages of the present invention are further depicted with the illustration of an example, but the descriptions made in the example should not be construed as a limitation on the actual application of the present invention.

EXAMPLE 1

[0031] Screening of Autoantigens Using Autoantibodies in Sera of Patients with Liver Diseases Purification of Autoantibodies in the Serum Sample

[0032] Firstly obtaining a serum of a patient with liver cirrhosis or liver cancer, diluting the serum with a binding buffer (20 mM PBS, pH 7.0) at the ratio of 1:10, and then filtering the diluted serum using a 0.45 μ m filter membrane to prevent the blockage of column in subsequent steps; next rinsing a Protein G affinity column with the binding buffer ten times the column volume at the rate of 1 ml/min, and then passing the filtered serum sample over the Protein G affinity column at the rate of 0.2 ml/min to retain the antibodies in the column through affinity; rinsing the Protein G affinity column again using the binding buffer 5-10 times the column volume at the rate of 1 ml/min to remove substances in the serum sample that do not form affinity bonding with the column. Eluting antibodies from the column using an elution buffer (0.1 M Glycine-HCl, pH 2.7) 2-5 times the column volume at the rate of 1 ml/min and collecting the eluted antibodies in a test tube which is added beforehand with 60-200 μ l Tris-HCl solution (1M, pH 9.0). Finally displacing the sample in a coupling buffer (0.2M NaHCO₃, 0.5M NaCl, pH 8.3) to complete the purification of autoantibodies (IgG) in the serum sample.

[0033] The method according to the present invention requires one normal IgG and patient IgG column each. Thus sera from normal persons and patients should be obtained and subject to the purification steps described above.

[0034] Preparation of Columns Containing Autoantibodies

[0035] Pipette one drop of an acidification solution (1 mM HCl, ice bathed) into a NHS-activated column to prevent the formation of bubbles. After connecting the upper end of the column with a syringe or pump, removing the adapter at the bottom of the column. Rinsing out isopropanol in the column using the acidification solution two times the column volume. After repeating the wash step three times, injecting the sample containing autoantibodies into the column. Preparing the aforesaid coupling buffer containing purified autoantibodies into a solution with a volume equivalent to one time the column volume and a concentration of 0.5-10 mg/ml. After passing the aforesaid sample containing autoantibodies over the column, sealing the column and let the reaction go on for 15-30 minutes under 25° C. or 4 hours under 4° C. to immobilize the antibodies in the column through chemical bonding.

[0036] After the bonding between the autoantibodies and the column, eluting the column with a blocking buffer (0.5M ethanolamine, 0.5M NaCl, pH 8.3) two times the column volume, and repeating the steps three times. Then rinsing the column with a washing buffer (0.1M acetate, 0.5M NaCl, pH 4) two times the column volume and also repeating the steps three times. Again eluting the column three times using the

aforesaid blocking buffer two times the column volume each time, and then let the column react 15-30 minutes to block and inactivate the functional groups in the column that are not bound with autoantibodies. After completing the blocking reaction, rinsing the column three times using the aforesaid washing buffer two times the column volume each time, followed by eluting the column three times using the aforesaid blocking buffer two times the column volume to make sure all functional groups not bound with autoantibodies are blocked. Again rinsing three times the column using the washing buffer two times the column volume each time. Finally eluting the column with a pH neutral buffer 2-5 times the column volume to complete the preparation of the column packed with the autoantibodies.

[0037] Identification of Autoantigens from Extract of Liver Disease Related Cell Lines

[0038] Firstly rinsing 2.68 mg of HepG2 C3A cells with culture medium removed with an ice-bathed Tris saline solution (50 mM Tris pH 7.5, 150 mM NaCl, 1.5 mM PMSF, phosphatase inhibitors) twice, then adding in 1 ml of Triton Extraction solution (15 mM Tris pH 7.5, 120 mM NaCl, 25 mM KCl, 2 mM EGTA, 0.5 mM DTT, 0.5% Triton X-100, 10 μ g/ml leupeptin, 0.5 mM PMSF, and phosphatase inhibitors) and let it stand for 30 minutes under 4° C. At this time, cells start to decompose and release proteins. Centrifuging (with a tabletop centrifuge) the solution at 14,000 rpm under 4° C. for 15 minutes to remove solid, insoluble cell structures. Collecting the supernatants to carry on immunoaffinity chromatography.

[0039] After diluting the cell extract collected with the binding buffer at the ratio of 1:10, passing it through a 0.45 μ filter membrane to prevent the blockage of the column in subsequent steps. Prior to injecting the sample into the IgG column, rinsing the normal and patient antibody columns with the binding buffer ten times the column volume at the rate of 1 ml/min. Then passing the filtered cell extract over the normal antibody column at the rate of 0.2 ml/min. Eluting the normal antibody column with the binding buffer 5-10 times the column volume at the rate of 1 ml/min. At this time, antigens in the cell extract that are identified and captured by the normal antibodies will be retained in the column. The purpose of this step is to remove non-specific antigens in the HepG2 C3A cells. As a result, the cell extract that has passed through the column is free of non-specific antigens. Injecting the resulting cell extract into the patient antibody column. Eluting the column with the binding buffer 5-10 times the column volume at the rate of 1 ml/min. At this time, the autoantigens present in the cell extract will be captured by the autoantibodies from the patients and retained in the column. When the cell extract passes over the normal antibody column, the antigens captured by the normal antibodies are retained in the column, whereas the cell extract free of antigens can be identified and captured by the normal antibodies, only antigens that can be identified and captured by the patient antibodies will be retained by the column. The antigens retained in the patient antibody column are eluted and collected using the elution buffer 2-5 times the column volume at the rate of 1 ml/min. Subjecting the flow-through to protein hydrolysis using trypsin and the resulting peptides are assayed using the mass spectrum technology. The resulting spectrographs are compared with the database to obtain the information on the proteins.

[0040] By screening liver disease related cell lines with autoantibodies in the serum of the patients with liver cirrhosis or liver cancer, the following autoantigens are obtained:

- [0041] 1. Nucleoside diphosphate kinase (gi|1421609, SEQ ID NO.1).
- [0042] 2. NM23 protein (gi|35068, SEQ ID NO.2).
- [0043] 3. ATP synthase beta chain, mitochondrial [precursor] (gi|28940, SEQ ID NO.3).
- [0044] 4. 14-3-3 zeta protein (tyrosine 3/tryptophan 5-monooxygenase activation protein) (gi|4507953, SEQ ID NO.4).
- [0045] 5. 14-3-3 epsilon protein (tyrosine 3/tryptophan 5-monooxygenase activation protein) (gi|4507953, SEQ ID NO.5).
- [0046] 6. Protein disulfide isomerase-related protein 5 (gi|1710248, SEQ ID NO.6).
- [0047] 7. Unnamed protein product (gi|21750187, SEQ ID NO.7).
- [0048] 8. Tropomyosin alpha 3 (gi|37403, SEQ ID NO.8).
- [0049] 9. Trypomycin alpha 4 (gi|10435300, SEQ ID NO.9).
- [0050] 10. Calreticulin precursor (gi|4757900, SEQ ID NO.10).
- [0051] 11. Human pre-mRNA splicing factor SF2p32 (gi|338043, SEQ ID NO.11).
- [0052] 12. Tumor necrosis factor type I receptor associated protein TRAP-1 (gi|1082886, SEQ ID NO.12).
- [0053] 13. Tumor rejection antigen (gp96) 1; glucose regulated protein (gi|4507677, SEQ ID NO.13).
- [0054] 14. Heat shock protein 90-beta (gi|72222, SEQ ID NO.14).
- [0055] 15. Heat shock protein 90-alpha (gi|123678, SEQ ID NO.15).
- [0056] 16. Heat shock 60 kDa protein 1 (gi|31542947, SEQ ID NO.16).
- [0057] 17. HMG-1 (gi|968888, SEQ ID NO.17).
- [0058] 18. KIAA0144 gene product (NICE-4 protein) (gi|13111995, SEQ ID NO.18).
- [0059] 19. Valosin-containing protein (p97); transitional endoplasmic reticulum ATPase (gi|6005942, SEQ ID NO.19).
- [0060] 20. Glyceraldehyde 3-phosphate dehydrogenase, liver (gi|30157565, SEQ ID NO.20).
- [0061] 21. Cytokeratin (gi|1419564, SEQ ID NO.21).
- [0062] 22. IGF-II mRNA-binding protein 1 (gi|4191608, SEQ ID NO.22).
- [0063] 23. NADPH: quinone reductase (gi|13236495, SEQ ID NO.23).
- [0064] 24. Crystal Structure of The Human Co-Chaperone P23 (hsp-90 co-chaperone) (gi|9257073, SEQ ID NO.24).
- [0065] The autoantigens identified with the antibodies from liver disease related cell lines are shown in Table 1; the left side of the Table 1 lists the GI number and name of the proteins and the right side indicates the autoantigens that may be identified from cell lines using sera of patients with liver cirrhosis or liver cancer. As shown, those autoantigens are not just present in one liver disease, they are repeatedly identified in different cell lines using autoantibodies in sera of different sources, indicating their close correlation with liver diseases. Some proteins listed in Table 1 have two GI numbers. That is because the protein and its variant had similar results in the mass spectrometry.

TABLE 2

Autoantigens screened from liver disease related cell lines		Liver cirrhosis		Liver cancer	
GI number	Name of protein	serum vs. HepG2	serum vs. C3A	serum vs. SNU-387	serum vs. SNU-387
1421609	Nucleoside Diphosphate Kinase (=NM23 protein)	●	●	●	●
28940	ATP synthase beta chain, mitochondrial [Precursor]	●		●	
4507953, 5803225	14-3-3 protein	●		●	
1710248	Protein disulfide isomerase-related protein 5		●		●
21750187	Gi 21750187 Unnamed protein product (RAN_rec_mot.)		●		
37403, 10435300	Tropomyosin			●	●
4757900	Calreticulin precursor	●	●		
338043	Human pre-mRNA splicing factor SF2p32, complete sequence	●	●		
1082886	Tumor necrosis factor type I receptor associated protein TRAP-1	●	●		
4507677	Tumor protein antigen (gp96)1; glucose regulated protein	●	●		
72222, 123678	Heat shock protein 90	●	●		
31542947	Heat shock 60 kDa protein 1 (chaperonin); mitochondrial matrix protein P1	●			
968888	HMG-1 (high-mobility group-1)	●			
13111995	KIAA0144 gene product (NICE-4 protein)	●			
6005942	Valosin-containing protein (p97); transitional endoplasmic reticulum ATPase	●			
30157565	Glyceraldehyde 3-phosphate dehydrogenase, liver	●			
1419564	Cytokeratin	●			
4191608	IGF-II mRNA-binding protein 1	●			

TABLE 2-continued

<u>Autoantigens screened from liver disease related cell lines</u>					
GI number	Name of protein	Liver cirrhosis serum vs. HepG2 C3A	Liver cancer serum vs. HepG2 C3A	Liver cirrhosis serum vs. SNU-387	Liver cancer serum vs. SNU-387
13236495	NADPH-quinone reductase		●		
9257073	Crystal Structure of The Human Co-Chaperone P23 (hsp-90 co-chaperone)		●		

EXAMPLE 2

[0066] Determining the Availability of Autoantigens Identified by the Autoantigen Screening Method

[0067] To demonstrate the availability of 24 autoantigens identified in Example 1, further assay of serum samples from normal persons, liver cirrhosis patients and liver cancer patients using immunoassay (ELISA, RIA or immunofluorescence) and the aforesaid 24 biomarkers is carried out. The assay method includes the following steps as shown in FIG. 2: providing a specimen; using the biomarker selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof to capture the autoantibody in the specimen; and detecting the auto antibody.

[0068] In the example of enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), the following steps are taken: firstly diluting the biomarker with a coating buffer (choice of a. 50 mM Na₂HCO₃, pH=9.6, or b. 20 mM Tris-HCl, pH=8.5, or c. 10 mM PBS, pH=7.4) to a concentration of 0.5~10 μg/ml, where the coating buffer is selected according to the PI value of the biomarker, preferably a buffer having pH 1~2 higher than pI. Adding 100 μl/well biomarker solution to ELISA plate and let it stand overnight under 4° C. for immobilization.

assayed (a serum solution is obtained by diluting the serum sample 1000 times with the blocking buffer). At this time, the autoantibodies in the serum will react with immobilized biomarkers. After reaction for at least 2 hours under ambient temperature, washing the plate four times with the PBST buffer and then adding in a 100 μl/well secondary antibody (diluted 5000 times with the blocking buffer). At this time, the secondary antibody would recognize and adsorb the autoantibody. After reaction for at least 1 hour under ambient temperature, washing the plate five times with the PBST buffer. Then adding in a 100 μl/well TMB to elicit color reaction for 30 minutes. Afterwards, adding a 100 μl/well 0.5M H₂SO₄ and detecting absorbance at 450 nm.

[0070] To make sure the expression of the autoantibody can be used for diagnosis of liver cirrhosis and/or liver cancer, ELISA is employed to obtain the absorbance values of autoantibodies in the sera of normal persons, liver cirrhosis patients and liver cancer patients as identified by respective autoantigens. The data derived from five proteins-GADPH, NADPH, HMG-1, NM23 and Cytokeratin are subject to biostatistical analysis and Wilcoxon-Mann-Whitney Test. The following results at a 95% confidence level as shown in the table below are obtained:

	GADPH	NADPH	HMG-1	NM23	Cytokeratin
Normal person vs. Liver cirrhosis patient	p = 0.001	p = 0.001	p = 0.00006	p = 0.0001	p = 0.001
Normal person vs. Liver cancer patient	p = 0.017	p = 0.016	p = 0.015	p = 0.002	p = 0.016
Liver cirrhosis patient vs. Liver cancer patient	p > 0.05	p > 0.05	p > 0.05	p > 0.05	p > 0.05

Normal person: N = 10;
 liver cirrhosis patient: N = 15;
 liver cancer patient: N = 21 (the assumption of p < 0.05 is valid)

[0069] To continue the procedure, removing an unattached biomarker by washing the plate with a PBST buffer twice (PBST buffer: PSB buffer+0.05% Tween-20), then adding a 200 μl/well blocking buffer (choice of a. Gelatin-NET: 0.5% Gelatin, 0.15M NaCl, 5 mM EDTA.2Na, 0.05% Tween-20, 50 mM Tris base, or b. 1% BSA-PBS, pH=7.4, or c. 5% non-fat milk-PBS, pH=7.4) and let blocking reaction go on for at least 2 hours under ambient temperature; after the reaction is completed, washing with a PBST buffer three times and then depositing a 100 μl/well serum solution to be

[0071] Assuming there are differences between the expressions of biomarker-detected autoantibodies in normal persons, liver cirrhosis patients and liver cancer patients, the table above shows that such assumption was valid in normal persons versus liver cirrhosis patients and normal persons versus liver cancer patients, meaning the differences in the expression levels of biomarker-detected autoantibodies between normal persons and liver cirrhosis patients and between normal persons and liver cancer patients are statistically significant.

[0072] Statistics shows that the expression levels of GADPH-detected autoantibodies in normal persons and liver cirrhosis patients differed by 8.375 folds, while that in normal persons and liver cancer patients differed by 4.86 folds; the expression levels of HMG-1-detected autoantibodies in normal persons and liver cirrhosis patients differed by 74 folds; the expression levels of NM23-detected autoantibodies in normal persons and liver cirrhosis patients differed by 24 folds, while that in normal persons and liver cancer patients differed by 8.545 folds. These results demonstrate that the expression levels of the antibodies in liver cirrhosis and liver cancer patients as detected by the 24 autoantigens provided herein were higher than those in

normal persons. Thus a detection kit using those 24 autoantigens coupled with immunoassay may be applied in the screening of liver cirrhosis and liver cancer based on the expression levels of autoantibodies in the screened specimens.

[0073] The preferred embodiment of the present invention as disclosed above is not meant to limit this invention. All modifications and alterations made by those familiar with the skill without departing from the spirits of the invention and appended claims shall remain within the protected scope and claims of the invention.

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 Val Asp Leu Lys Asp Arg Pro Phe Phe Ala Gly Leu Val Lys Tyr Met
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 His Ser Gly Pro Val Val Ala Met Val Trp Glu Gly Leu Asn Val Val
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 Lys Thr Gly Arg Val Met Leu Gly Glu Thr Asn Pro Ala Asp Ser Lys
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 Pro Gly Thr Ile Arg Gly Asp Phe Cys Ile Gln Val Gly Arg Asn Ile
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 Ile His Gly Ser Asp Ser Val Glu Ser Ala Glu Lys Glu Ile Gly Leu
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 Trp Phe His Pro Glu Glu Leu Val Asp Tyr Thr Ser Cys Ala Gln Asn
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 Trp Ile Tyr Glu
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<210> SEQ ID NO 3
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 35 40 45
 Arg Ser His Pro Val Arg Asp Tyr Ala Ala Gln Thr Ser Pro Ser Pro
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 Lys Ala Gly Ala Ala Thr Gly Arg Ile Val Ala Val Ile Gly Ala Val
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 Val Asp Val Gln Phe Asp Glu Gly Leu Pro Pro Ile Leu Asn Ala Leu
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 Glu Val Gln Gly Arg Glu Thr Arg Leu Val Leu Glu Val Ala Gln His
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 Leu Gly Glu Ser Thr Val Arg Thr Ile Ala Met Asp Gly Thr Glu Gly
 115 120 125
 Leu Val Arg Gly Gln Lys Val Leu Asp Ser Gly Ala Pro Ile Lys Ile
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 Pro Val Gly Pro Glu Thr Leu Gly Arg Ile Met Asn Val Ile Gly Glu
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 Pro Ile Asp Glu Arg Gly Pro Ile Lys Thr Lys Gln Phe Ala Pro Ile
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 His Ala Glu Ala Pro Glu Phe Met Glu Met Ser Val Glu Gln Glu Ile
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 Leu Val Thr Gly Ile Lys Val Val Asp Leu Leu Ala Pro Tyr Ala Lys
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 Gly Gly Lys Ile Gly Leu Phe Gly Gly Ala Gly Val Gly Lys Thr Val
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Leu Ile Met Glu Leu Ile Asn Asn Val Ala Lys Ala His Gly Gly Tyr
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 Ser Val Phe Ala Gly Val Gly Glu Arg Thr Arg Glu Gly Asn Asp Leu
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 Tyr His Glu Met Ile Glu Ser Gly Val Ile Asn Leu Lys Asp Ala Thr
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 Ser Lys Val Ala Leu Val Tyr Gly Gln Met Asn Gln Pro Pro Gly Ala
 275 280 285
 Arg Ala Arg Val Ala Leu Thr Gly Leu Thr Val Ala Glu Tyr Phe Arg
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 Asp Gln Glu Gly Gln Asp Val Leu Leu Phe Ile Asp Asn Ile Phe Arg
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 Phe Thr Gln Ala Gly Ser Glu Val Ser Ala Leu Leu Gly Arg Ile Pro
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 Ser Ala Val Gly Tyr Gln Pro Thr Leu Ala Thr Asp Met Gly Thr Met
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 Gln Glu Arg Ile Thr Thr Thr Lys Lys Gly Ser Ile Thr Ser Val Gln
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 Ala Ile Tyr Val Pro Ala Asp Asp Leu Thr Asp Pro Ala Pro Ala Thr
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 Thr Phe Ala His Leu Asp Ala Thr Thr Val Leu Ser Arg Ala Ile Ala
 385 390 395 400
 Glu Leu Gly Ile Tyr Pro Ala Val Asp Pro Leu Asp Ser Thr Ser Arg
 405 410 415
 Ile Met Asp Pro Asn Ile Val Gly Ser Glu His Tyr Asp Val Ala Arg
 420 425 430
 Gly Val Gln Lys Ile Leu Gln Asp Tyr Lys Ser Leu Gln Asp Ile Ile
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 Ala Ile Leu Gly Met Asp Glu Leu Ser Glu Glu Asp Lys Leu Thr Val
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 Ser Arg Ala Arg Lys Ile Gln Arg Phe Leu Ser Gln Pro Phe Gln Val
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 Ala Glu Val Phe Thr Gly His Met Gly Lys Leu Val Pro Leu Lys Glu
 485 490 495
 Thr Ile Lys Gly Phe Gln Gln Ile Leu Ala Gly Glu Tyr Asp His Leu
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<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Human

<400> SEQUENCE: 4

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Ala Glu Asn Ser Leu Val Ala Tyr Lys Ala Ala Ser Asp Ile Ala Met
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Thr Glu Leu Pro Pro Thr His Pro Ile Arg Leu Gly Leu Ala Leu Asn
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Phe Ser Val Phe Tyr Tyr Glu Ile Leu Asn Ser Pro Asp Arg Ala Cys
 180 185 190

Arg Leu Ala Lys Ala Ala Phe Asp Asp Ala Ile Ala Glu Leu Asp Thr
 195 200 205

Leu Ser Glu Glu Ser Tyr Lys Asp Ser Thr Leu Ile Met Gln Leu Leu
 210 215 220

Arg Asp Asn Leu Thr Leu Trp Thr Ser Asp Met Gln Gly Asp Gly Glu
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Glu Gln Asn Lys Glu Ala Leu Gln Asp Val Glu Asp Glu Asn Gln
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Ala Pro Trp Cys Gly His Cys Gln Arg Leu Thr Pro Glu Trp Lys Lys
 35 40 45

Ala Ala Thr Ala Leu Lys Asp Val Val Lys Val Gly Ala Val Asp Ala
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Asp Lys His His Ser Leu Gly Gly Gln Tyr Gly Val Gln Gly Phe Pro
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Thr Ile Lys Ile Phe Gly Ser Asn Lys Asn Arg Pro Glu Asp Tyr Gln
 85 90 95

Gly Gly Arg Thr Gly Glu Ala Ile Val Asp Ala Ala Leu Ser Ala Leu
 100 105 110

Arg Gln Leu Val Lys Asp Arg Leu Gly Gly Arg Ser Gly Gly Tyr Ser
 115 120 125

Ser Gly Lys Gln Gly Arg Ser Asp Ser Ser Ser Lys Lys Asp Val Ile
 130 135 140

Glu Leu Thr Asp Asp Ser Phe Asp Lys Asn Val Leu Asp Ser Glu Asp
 145 150 155 160

Val Trp Met Val Glu Phe Tyr Ala Pro Trp Cys Gly His Cys Lys Asn
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Leu Glu Pro Glu Trp Ala Ala Ala Ala Ser Glu Val Lys Glu Gln Thr
 180 185 190

Lys Gly Arg Val Lys Leu Ala Ala Val Asp Ala Thr Val Asn Gln Val
 195 200 205

Leu Ala Ser Arg Tyr Gly Ile Arg Gly Phe Pro Thr Ile Lys Ile Phe
 210 215 220

Gln Lys Gly Glu Ser Pro Val Asp Tyr Asp Gly Gly Arg Thr Arg Ser
 225 230 235 240

Asp Ile Val Ser Arg Ala Leu Asp Leu Phe Ser Asp Asn Ala Pro Pro
 245 250 255

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Pro Glu Leu Leu Glu Ile Ile Asn Glu Asp Ile Ala Lys Arg Thr Cys
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Glu Glu His Gln Leu Cys Val Val Ala Val Leu Pro His Ile Leu Asp
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Thr Gly Ala Ala Gly Arg Asn Ser Tyr Leu Glu Val Leu Leu Lys Leu
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Ala Asp Lys Tyr Lys Lys Lys Met Trp Gly Trp Leu Trp Thr Glu Ala
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Gly Ala Gln Ser Glu Leu Glu Thr Ala Leu Gly Ile Gly Gly Phe Gly
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Tyr Pro Ala Met Ala Ala Ile Asn Ala Arg Lys Met Lys Phe Ala Leu
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Leu Lys Gly Ser Phe Ser Glu Gln Gly Ile Asn Glu Phe Leu Arg Glu
 355 360 365

Leu Ser Phe Gly Arg Gly Ser Thr Ala Pro Val Gly Gly Gly Ala Phe
 370 375 380

Pro Thr Ile Val Glu Arg Glu Pro Trp Asp Gly Arg Asp Gly Glu Leu
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Gly Lys Asp Glu Leu
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 35 40 45

Pro Gln Lys Lys Gly Lys Lys Ala Ala Ala Thr Ser Ala Lys Lys Val
 50 55 60

Val Val Ser Pro Thr Lys Lys Val Ala Val Ala Thr Pro Ala Lys Ala
 65 70 75 80

Val Thr Thr Pro Gly Lys Lys Gly Ala Thr Pro Gly Lys Ala Leu Val
 85 90 95

Ala Thr Pro Gly Lys Lys Gly Ala Ala Ile Pro Ala Lys Gly Ala Lys
 100 105 110

Asn Gly Lys Asn Ala Lys Lys Glu Asp Ser Asp Glu Glu Glu Asp Asp
 115 120 125

Asp Ser Glu Glu Asp Glu Glu Asp Asp Glu Asp Glu Asp Glu Asp Glu
 130 135 140

Asp Glu Ile Glu Pro Ala Ala Met Lys Ala Ala Ala Ala Pro Ala
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Ser Glu Asp Glu Asp Asp Glu Asp Asp Glu Asp Asp Glu Asp Asp Asp
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Asp Asp Glu Glu Asp Asp Ser Glu Glu Glu Ala Met Glu Thr Thr Pro

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Ala	Lys	Gly	Lys	Lys	Ala	Ala	Lys	Val	Val	Pro	Val	Lys	Ala	Lys	Asn
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Gln	Lys	Val	Glu	Gly	Thr	Glu	Pro	Thr	Thr	Ala	Phe	Asn	Leu	Phe	Val
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Leu	Glu	Lys	Ala	Leu	Glu	Leu	Thr	Gly	Leu	Lys	Val	Phe	Gly	Asn	Glu
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Lys	Asp	Gly	Lys	Ser	Lys	Gly	Ile	Ala	Tyr	Ile	Glu	Phe	Lys	Thr	Glu
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Gly	Arg	Ser	Ile	Ser	Leu	Tyr	Tyr	Thr	Gly	Glu	Lys	Gly	Gln	Asn	Gln
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Gly	Lys	Ser	Lys	Gly	Tyr	Ala	Phe	Ile	Glu	Phe	Ala	Ser	Phe	Glu	Asp
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Asp Phe Asn Ser Glu Glu Asp Ala Lys Ala Ala Lys Glu Ala Met Glu
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 Asp Gly Glu Ile Asp Gly Asn Lys Val Thr Leu Asp Trp Ala Lys Pro
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 Gly Gly Arg Gly Gly Gly Arg Gly Gly Arg Gly Gly Phe Gly Gly Arg
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 <212> TYPE: PRT
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 Arg Glu Val Glu Gly Glu Arg Arg Ala Arg Glu Gln Ala Glu Ala Glu
 35 40 45
 Val Ala Ser Leu Asn Arg Arg Ile Gln Leu Val Glu Glu Glu Leu Asp
 50 55 60
 Arg Ala Gln Glu Arg Leu Ala Thr Ala Leu Gln Lys Leu Glu Glu Ala
 65 70 75 80
 Glu Lys Ala Ala Asp Glu Ser Glu Arg Gly Met Lys Val Ile Glu Asn
 85 90 95
 Arg Ala Leu Lys Asp Glu Glu Lys Met Glu Leu Gln Glu Ile Gln Leu
 100 105 110
 Glu Glu Ala Lys His Ile Ala Glu Glu Ala Asp Arg Lys Tyr Glu Glu
 115 120 125
 Val Ala Arg Lys Leu Val Ile Ile Glu Gly Asp Leu Glu Arg Thr Glu
 130 135 140
 Glu Arg Ala Glu Leu Ala Glu Ser Arg Cys Arg Glu Met Asp Glu Gln
 145 150 155 160
 Ile Arg Leu Met Asp Gln Asn Leu Lys Cys Leu Ser Ala Ala Glu Glu
 165 170 175
 Lys Tyr Ser Gln Lys Glu Asp Lys Tyr Glu Glu Glu Ile Lys Ile Leu
 180 185 190
 Thr Asp Lys Leu Lys Glu Ala Glu Thr Arg Ala Glu Phe Ala Glu Arg
 195 200 205
 Ser Val Ala Lys Leu Glu Lys Thr Ile Asp Asp Leu Glu Asp Thr Asn
 210 215 220
 Ser Thr Ser Gly Asp Pro Val Glu Lys Lys Asp Glu Thr Pro Phe Gly
 225 230 235 240
 Val Ser Val Ala Val Gly Leu Ala Val Phe Ala Cys Leu Phe Leu Ser
 245 250 255
 Thr Leu Leu Leu Val Leu Asn Lys Cys Gly Arg Arg Asn Lys Phe Gly

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Ile	Asn	Arg	Pro	Ala	Val	Leu	Ala	Pro	Glu	Asp	Gly	Leu	Ala	Met	Ser
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	290					295						300			
Lys	Gly	Ser	Gly	Leu	Gln	Gly	His	Ile	Ile	Glu	Asn	Pro	Gln	Tyr	Phe
305					310					315					320
Ser	Asp	Ala	Cys	Val	His	His	Ile	Lys	Arg	Arg	Asp	Ile	Val	Leu	Lys
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Trp	Glu	Leu	Gly	Glu	Gly	Ala	Phe	Gly	Lys	Val	Phe	Leu	Ala	Glu	Cys
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Leu	Lys	Glu	Ala	Ser	Glu	Ser	Ala	Arg	Gln	Asp	Phe	Gln	Arg	Glu	Ala
	370						375							380	
Glu	Leu	Leu	Thr	Met	Leu	Gln	His	Gln	His	Ile	Val	Arg	Phe	Phe	Gly
385					390					395					400
Val	Cys	Thr	Glu	Gly	Arg	Pro	Leu	Leu	Met	Val	Phe	Glu	Tyr	Met	Arg
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His	Gly	Asp	Leu	Asn	Arg	Phe	Leu	Arg	Ser	His	Gly	Pro	Asp	Ala	Lys
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Leu	Leu	Ala	Gly	Gly	Glu	Asp	Val	Ala	Pro	Gly	Pro	Leu	Gly	Leu	Gly
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Gln	Leu	Leu	Ala	Val	Ala	Ser	Gln	Val	Ala	Ala	Gly	Met	Val	Tyr	Leu
	450					455								460	
Ala	Gly	Leu	His	Phe	Val	His	Arg	Asp	Leu	Ala	Thr	Arg	Asn	Cys	Leu
465					470					475					480
Val	Gly	Gln	Gly	Leu	Val	Val	Lys	Ile	Gly	Asp	Phe	Gly	Met	Ser	Arg
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Asp	Ile	Tyr	Ser	Thr	Asp	Tyr	Tyr	Arg	Val	Gly	Gly	Arg	Thr	Met	Leu
			500						505					510	
Pro	Ile	Arg	Trp	Met	Pro	Pro	Glu	Ser	Ile	Leu	Tyr	Arg	Lys	Phe	Thr
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Asp	Cys	Ile	Thr	Gln	Gly	Arg	Glu	Leu	Glu	Arg	Pro	Arg	Ala	Cys	Pro
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Pro	Glu	Val	Tyr	Ala	Ile	Met	Arg	Gly	Cys	Trp	Gln	Arg	Glu	Pro	Ser
			580						585					590	
Asn	Ala	Thr	Ala	Ser	Arg	Met	Cys	Thr	Pro	Gly	Cys	Lys	Pro	Trp	Pro
		595							600					605	
Arg	His	Leu	Leu	Ser	Thr	Trp	Met	Ser	Trp	Ala	Arg	Gly	Pro	Ala	Gln
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Lys Leu Lys Gly Thr Glu Asp Glu Leu Asp Lys Tyr Ser Glu Asp Leu
 50 55 60

Lys Asp Ala Gln Glu Lys Leu Glu Leu Thr Glu Lys Lys Ala Ser Asp
 65 70 75 80

Ala Glu Gly Asp Val Ala Ala Leu Asn Arg Arg Ile Gln Leu Val Glu
 85 90 95

Glu Glu Leu Asp Arg Ala Gln Glu Arg Leu Ala Thr Ala Leu Gln Lys
 100 105 110

Leu Glu Glu Ala Glu Lys Ala Ala Asp Glu Ser Glu Arg Gly Met Lys
 115 120 125

Val Ile Glu Asn Arg Ala Met Lys Asp Glu Glu Lys Met Glu Ile Gln
 130 135 140

Glu Met Gln Leu Lys Glu Ala Lys His Ile Ala Glu Glu Ala Asp Arg
 145 150 155 160

Lys Tyr Glu Glu Val Ala Arg Lys Leu Val Ile Leu Glu Gly Glu Leu
 165 170 175

Glu Arg Ala Glu Glu Arg Ala Glu Val Ser Glu Leu Lys Cys Gly Asp
 180 185 190

Leu Glu Glu Glu Leu Lys Asn Val Thr Asn Asn Leu Lys Ser Leu Glu
 195 200 205

Ala Ala Ser Glu Lys Tyr Ser Glu Lys Glu Asp Lys Tyr Glu Glu Glu
 210 215 220

Ile Lys Leu Leu Ser Asp Lys Leu Lys Glu Ala Glu Thr Arg Ala Glu
 225 230 235 240

Phe Ala Glu Arg Thr Val Ala Lys Leu Glu Lys Thr Ile Asp Asp Leu
 245 250 255

Glu Glu Lys Leu Ala Gln Ala Lys Glu Glu Asn Val Gly Leu His Gln
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Thr Leu Asp Gln Thr Leu Asn Glu Leu Asn Cys Ile
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<210> SEQ ID NO 10

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<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Human

<400> SEQUENCE: 10

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Ala Glu Pro Ala Val Tyr Phe Lys Glu Gln Phe Leu Asp Gly Asp Gly
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Trp Thr Ser Arg Trp Ile Glu Ser Lys His Lys Ser Asp Phe Gly Lys
 35 40 45

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Phe Val Leu Ser Ser Gly Lys Phe Tyr Gly Asp Glu Glu Lys Asp Lys
 50                               55                               60

Gly Leu Gln Thr Ser Gln Asp Ala Arg Phe Tyr Ala Leu Ser Ala Ser
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Phe Glu Pro Phe Ser Asn Lys Gly Gln Thr Leu Val Val Gln Phe Thr
                               85                               90                               95

Val Lys His Glu Gln Asn Ile Asp Cys Gly Gly Gly Tyr Val Lys Leu
                               100                               105                               110

Phe Pro Asn Ser Leu Asp Gln Thr Asp Met His Gly Asp Ser Glu Tyr
                               115                               120                               125

Asn Ile Met Phe Gly Pro Asp Ile Cys Gly Pro Gly Thr Lys Lys Val
 130                               135                               140

His Val Ile Phe Asn Tyr Lys Gly Lys Asn Val Leu Ile Asn Lys Asp
 145                               150                               155                               160

Ile Arg Cys Lys Asp Asp Glu Phe Thr His Leu Tyr Thr Leu Ile Val
                               165                               170                               175

Arg Pro Asp Asn Thr Tyr Glu Val Lys Ile Asp Asn Ser Gln Val Glu
                               180                               185                               190

Ser Gly Ser Leu Glu Asp Asp Trp Asp Phe Leu Pro Pro Lys Lys Ile
                               195                               200                               205

Lys Asp Pro Asp Ala Ser Lys Pro Glu Asp Trp Asp Glu Arg Ala Lys
 210                               215                               220

Ile Asp Asp Pro Thr Asp Ser Lys Pro Glu Asp Trp Asp Lys Pro Glu
 225                               230                               235                               240

His Ile Pro Asp Pro Asp Ala Lys Lys Pro Glu Asp Trp Asp Glu Glu
                               245                               250                               255

Met Asp Gly Glu Trp Glu Pro Pro Val Ile Gln Asn Pro Glu Tyr Lys
                               260                               265                               270

Gly Glu Trp Lys Pro Arg Gln Ile Asp Asn Pro Asp Tyr Lys Gly Thr
 275                               280                               285

Trp Ile His Pro Glu Ile Asp Asn Pro Glu Tyr Ser Pro Asp Pro Ser
 290                               295                               300

Ile Tyr Ala Tyr Asp Asn Phe Gly Val Leu Gly Leu Asp Leu Trp Gln
 305                               310                               315                               320

Val Lys Ser Gly Thr Ile Phe Asp Asn Phe Leu Ile Thr Asn Asp Glu
                               325                               330                               335

Ala Tyr Ala Glu Glu Phe Gly Asn Glu Thr Trp Gly Val Thr Lys Ala
                               340                               345                               350

Ala Glu Lys Gln Met Lys Asp Lys Gln Asp Glu Glu Gln Arg Leu Lys
 355                               360                               365

Glu Glu Glu Glu Asp Lys Lys Arg Lys Glu Glu Glu Glu Ala Glu Asp
 370                               375                               380

Lys Glu Asp Asp Glu Asp Lys Asp Glu Asp Glu Glu Asp Glu Glu Asp
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Lys Glu Glu Asp Glu Glu Glu Asp Val Pro Gly Gln Ala Lys Asp Glu
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<210> SEQ ID NO 11
<211> LENGTH: 278
<212> TYPE: PRT
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 35 40 45
 Glu Arg Arg Pro Gly Leu Leu Arg Pro Arg Gly Pro Cys Ala Cys Gly
 50 55 60
 Cys Gly Cys Gly Ser Leu His Thr Asp Gly Asp Lys Ala Phe Val Asp
 65 70 75 80
 Phe Leu Ser Asp Glu Ile Lys Glu Glu Arg Lys Ile Gln Lys His Lys
 85 90 95
 Thr Leu Pro Lys Met Ser Gly Gly Trp Glu Leu Glu Leu Asn Gly Thr
 100 105 110
 Glu Ala Lys Leu Val Arg Lys Val Ala Gly Glu Lys Ile Thr Val Thr
 115 120 125
 Phe Asn Ile Asn Asn Ser Ile Pro Pro Thr Phe Asp Gly Glu Glu Glu
 130 135 140
 Pro Ser Gln Gly Gln Lys Val Glu Glu Gln Glu Pro Glu Leu Thr Ser
 145 150 155 160
 Thr Pro Asn Phe Val Val Glu Val Ile Lys Asn Asp Asp Gly Lys Lys
 165 170 175
 Ala Leu Val Leu Asp Cys His Tyr Pro Glu Asp Glu Val Gly Gln Glu
 180 185 190
 Asp Glu Ala Glu Ser Asp Ile Phe Ser Ile Arg Glu Val Ser Phe Gln
 195 200 205
 Ser Thr Gly Glu Ser Glu Trp Lys Asp Thr Asn Tyr Thr Leu Asn Thr
 210 215 220
 Asp Ser Leu Asp Trp Ala Leu Tyr Asp His Leu Met Asp Phe Leu Ala
 225 230 235 240
 Asp Arg Gly Val Asp Asn Thr Phe Ala Asp Glu Leu Val Glu Leu Ser
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 Thr Ala Leu Glu His Gln Glu Tyr Ile Thr Phe Leu Glu Asp Leu Lys
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 Ser Phe Val Lys Ser Gln
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 35 40 45
 Ala Glu Asp Lys Glu Glu Pro Leu His Ser Ile Ile Ser Ser Thr Glu
 50 55 60

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Ser Val Gln Gly Ser Thr Ser Lys His Glu Phe Gln Ala Glu Thr Lys
 65 70 75 80
 Lys Leu Leu Asp Ile Val Ala Arg Ser Leu Tyr Ser Glu Lys Glu Val
 85 90 95
 Phe Ile Arg Glu Leu Ile Ser Asn Ala Ser Asp Ala Leu Glu Lys Leu
 100 105 110
 Arg His Lys Leu Val Ser Asp Gly Gln Ala Leu Pro Glu Met Glu Ile
 115 120 125
 His Leu Gln Thr Asn Ala Glu Lys Gly Thr Ile Thr Ile Gln Asp Thr
 130 135 140
 Gly Ile Gly Met Thr Gln Glu Glu Leu Val Ser Asn Leu Gly Thr Ile
 145 150 155 160
 Ala Arg Ser Gly Ser Lys Ala Phe Leu Asp Ala Leu Gln Asn Gln Ala
 165 170 175
 Glu Ala Ser Ser Lys Ile Ile Gly Gln Phe Gly Val Gly Phe Tyr Ser
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 Lys Asp Ala Glu Lys Tyr Ala Lys Phe Phe Glu Asp Tyr Gly Leu Phe
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Ser Asp Ser Asn Glu Phe Ser Val Ile Ala Asp Pro Arg Gly Asn Thr
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Leu Gly Arg Gly Thr Thr Ile Thr Leu Val Leu Lys Glu Glu Ala Ser
 245 250 255

Asp Tyr Leu Glu Leu Asp Thr Ile Lys Asn Leu Val Lys Lys Tyr Ser
 260 265 270

Gln Phe Ile Asn Phe Pro Ile Tyr Val Trp Ser Ser Lys Thr Glu Thr
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Val Glu Glu Pro Met Glu Glu Glu Glu Ala Ala Lys Glu Glu Lys Glu
 290 295 300

Glu Ser Asp Asp Glu Ala Ala Val Glu Glu Glu Glu Glu Lys Lys
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Pro Lys Thr Lys Lys Val Glu Lys Thr Val Trp Asp Trp Glu Leu Met
 325 330 335

Asn Asp Ile Lys Pro Ile Trp Gln Arg Pro Ser Lys Glu Val Glu Glu
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Asp Glu Tyr Lys Ala Phe Tyr Lys Ser Phe Ser Lys Glu Ser Asp Asp
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Pro Met Ala Tyr Ile His Phe Thr Ala Glu Gly Glu Val Thr Phe Lys
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Ser Ile Leu Phe Val Pro Thr Ser Ala Pro Arg Gly Leu Phe Asp Glu
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Tyr Gly Ser Lys Lys Ser Asp Tyr Ile Lys Leu Tyr Val Arg Arg Val
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Phe Ile Thr Asp Asp Phe His Asp Met Met Pro Lys Tyr Leu Asn Phe
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Val Lys Gly Val Val Asp Ser Asp Asp Leu Pro Leu Asn Val Ser Arg
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Glu Thr Leu Gln Gln His Lys Leu Leu Lys Val Ile Arg Lys Lys Leu
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Val Arg Lys Thr Leu Asp Met Ile Lys Lys Ile Ala Asp Asp Lys Tyr
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Asn Asp Thr Phe Trp Lys Glu Phe Gly Thr Asn Ile Lys Leu Gly Val
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Ile Glu Asp His Ser Asn Arg Thr Arg Leu Ala Lys Leu Leu Arg Phe
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Gln Ser Ser His His Pro Thr Asp Ile Thr Ser Leu Asp Gln Tyr Val
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 Met Gly Thr Lys Val Ile Leu His Leu Lys Glu Asp Gln Thr Glu Tyr
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 Tyr Lys Ser Leu Thr Asn Asp Trp Glu Asp His Leu Ala Val Lys His
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 Phe Ser Val Glu Gly Gln Leu Glu Phe Arg Ala Leu Leu Phe Ile Pro
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 Arg Arg Ala Pro Phe Asp Leu Phe Glu Asn Lys Lys Lys Lys Asn Asn
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 Ile Lys Leu Tyr Val Arg Arg Val Phe Ile Met Asp Ser Cys Asp Glu
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 Ser Glu Leu Ala Glu Asp Lys Glu Asn Tyr Lys Lys Phe Tyr Glu Ala
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 Arg Arg Leu Ser Glu Leu Leu Arg Tyr His Thr Ser Gln Ser Gly Asp
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 Glu Met Thr Ser Leu Ser Glu Tyr Val Ser Arg Met Lys Glu Thr Gln
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 Lys Ser Ile Tyr Tyr Ile Thr Gly Glu Ser Lys Glu Gln Val Ala Asn
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 Ser Ala Phe Val Glu Arg Val Arg Lys Arg Gly Phe Glu Val Val Tyr
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Lys	Val	Thr	Ile	Ser	Asn	Arg	Leu	Val	Ser	Ser	Pro	Cys	Cys	Ile	Val
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Thr	Ser	Thr	Tyr	Gly	Trp	Thr	Ala	Asn	Met	Glu	Arg	Ile	Met	Lys	Ala
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Gln	Ala	Leu	Arg	Asp	Asn	Ser	Thr	Met	Gly	Tyr	Met	Met	Ala	Lys	Lys
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His	Leu	Glu	Ile	Asn	Pro	Asp	His	Pro	Ile	Val	Glu	Thr	Leu	Arg	Gln
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Lys	Ala	Glu	Ala	Asp	Lys	Asn	Asp	Lys	Ala	Val	Lys	Asp	Leu	Val	Val
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Pro	Gln	Thr	His	Ser	Asn	Arg	Ile	Tyr	Arg	Met	Ile	Lys	Leu	Gly	Leu
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Gly	Ile	Asp	Glu	Asp	Glu	Val	Ala	Ala	Glu	Glu	Pro	Asn	Ala	Ala	Val
	690					695					700				
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<210> SEQ ID NO 15
 <211> LENGTH: 732
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Human

<400> SEQUENCE: 15

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Ile	Ile	Asn	Thr	Phe	Tyr	Ser	Asn	Lys	Glu	Ile	Phe	Leu	Arg	Glu	Leu
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Ile	Ser	Asn	Ser	Ser	Asp	Ala	Leu	Asp	Lys	Ile	Arg	Tyr	Glu	Thr	Leu
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Thr	Asp	Pro	Ser	Lys	Leu	Asp	Ser	Gly	Lys	Glu	Leu	His	Ile	Asn	Leu
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Ile	Pro	Asn	Lys	Gln	Asp	Arg	Thr	Leu	Thr	Ile	Val	Asp	Thr	Gly	Ile
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Gly	Met	Thr	Lys	Ala	Asp	Leu	Ile	Asn	Asn	Leu	Gly	Thr	Ile	Ala	Lys
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Ser	Gly	Thr	Lys	Ala	Phe	Met	Glu	Ala	Leu	Gln	Ala	Gly	Ala	Asp	Ile
		115					120					125			
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Ala	Glu	Lys	Val	Thr	Val	Ile	Thr	Lys	His	Asn	Asp	Asp	Glu	Gln	Tyr

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Gly Glu Pro Met Gly Arg Gly Thr Lys Val Ile Leu His Leu Lys Glu	180	185	190
Asp Gln Thr Glu Tyr Leu Glu Glu Arg Arg Ile Lys Glu Ile Val Lys	195	200	205
Lys His Ser Gln Phe Ile Gly Tyr Pro Ile Thr Leu Phe Val Glu Lys	210	215	220
Glu Arg Asp Lys Glu Val Ser Asp Asp Glu Ala Glu Glu Lys Glu Asp	225	230	235
Lys Glu Glu Glu Lys Glu Lys Glu Glu Lys Glu Ser Glu Asp Lys Pro	245	250	255
Glu Ile Glu Asp Val Gly Ser Asp Glu Glu Glu Glu Lys Lys Asp Gly	260	265	270
Asp Lys Lys Lys Lys Lys Lys Ile Lys Glu Lys Tyr Ile Asp Gln Glu	275	280	285
Glu Leu Asn Lys Thr Lys Pro Ile Trp Thr Arg Asn Pro Asp Asp Ile	290	295	300
Thr Asn Glu Glu Tyr Gly Glu Phe Tyr Lys Ser Leu Thr Asn Asp Trp	305	310	315
Glu Asp His Leu Ala Val Lys His Phe Ser Val Glu Gly Gln Leu Glu	325	330	335
Phe Arg Ala Leu Leu Phe Val Pro Arg Arg Ala Pro Phe Asp Leu Phe	340	345	350
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Phe Ile Met Asp Asn Cys Glu Glu Leu Ile Pro Glu Tyr Leu Asn Phe	370	375	380
Ile Arg Gly Val Val Asp Ser Glu Asp Leu Pro Leu Asn Ile Ser Arg	385	390	395
Glu Met Leu Gln Gln Ser Lys Ile Leu Lys Val Ile Arg Lys Asn Leu	405	410	415
Val Lys Lys Cys Leu Glu Leu Phe Thr Glu Leu Ala Glu Asp Lys Glu	420	425	430
Asn Tyr Lys Lys Phe Tyr Glu Gln Phe Ser Lys Asn Ile Lys Leu Gly	435	440	445
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Tyr Tyr Thr Ser Ala Ser Gly Asp Glu Met Val Ser Leu Lys Asp Tyr	465	470	475
Cys Thr Arg Met Lys Glu Asn Gln Lys His Ile Tyr Tyr Ile Thr Gly	485	490	495
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Lys His Gly Leu Glu Val Ile Tyr Met Ile Glu Pro Ile Asp Glu Tyr	515	520	525
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 Asn Met Glu Arg Ile Met Lys Ala Gln Ala Leu Arg Asp Asn Ser Thr
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 Met Gly Tyr Met Ala Ala Lys Lys His Leu Glu Ile Asn Pro Asp His
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 Ser Ile Ile Glu Thr Leu Arg Gln Lys Ala Glu Ala Asp Lys Asn Asp
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 Lys Ser Val Lys Asp Leu Val Ile Leu Leu Tyr Glu Thr Ala Leu Leu
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 Ser Ser Gly Phe Ser Leu Glu Asp Pro Gln Thr His Ala Asn Arg Ile
 675 680 685
 Tyr Arg Met Ile Lys Leu Gly Leu Gly Ile Asp Glu Asp Asp Pro Thr
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<210> SEQ ID NO 16
 <211> LENGTH: 573
 <212> TYPE: PRT
 <213> ORGANISM: Human

<400> SEQUENCE: 16

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 Asp Ala Val Ala Val Thr Met Gly Pro Lys Gly Arg Thr Val Ile Ile
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 Glu Gln Ser Trp Gly Ser Pro Lys Val Thr Lys Asp Gly Val Thr Val
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 Ala Lys Ser Ile Asp Leu Lys Asp Lys Tyr Lys Asn Ile Gly Ala Lys
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 Leu Val Gln Asp Val Ala Asn Asn Thr Asn Glu Glu Ala Gly Asp Gly
 100 105 110
 Thr Thr Thr Ala Thr Val Leu Ala Arg Ser Ile Ala Lys Glu Gly Phe
 115 120 125
 Glu Lys Ile Ser Lys Gly Ala Asn Pro Val Glu Ile Arg Arg Gly Val
 130 135 140
 Met Leu Ala Val Asp Ala Val Ile Ala Glu Leu Lys Lys Gln Ser Lys
 145 150 155 160
 Pro Val Thr Thr Pro Glu Glu Ile Ala Gln Val Ala Thr Ile Ser Ala
 165 170 175
 Asn Gly Asp Lys Glu Ile Gly Asn Ile Ile Ser Asp Ala Met Lys Lys

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Asp	Glu	Leu	Glu	Ile	Ile	Glu	Gly	Met	Lys	Phe	Asp	Arg	Gly	Tyr	Ile
	210					215						220			
Ser	Pro	Tyr	Phe	Ile	Asn	Thr	Ser	Lys	Gly	Gln	Lys	Cys	Glu	Phe	Gln
	225				230					235					240
Asp	Ala	Tyr	Val	Leu	Leu	Ser	Glu	Lys	Lys	Ile	Ser	Ser	Ile	Gln	Ser
			245							250				255	
Ile	Val	Pro	Ala	Leu	Glu	Ile	Ala	Asn	Ala	His	Arg	Lys	Pro	Leu	Val
			260							265				270	
Ile	Ile	Ala	Glu	Asp	Val	Asp	Gly	Glu	Ala	Leu	Ser	Thr	Leu	Val	Leu
		275					280						285		
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Val	Gln	Pro	His	Asp	Leu	Gly	Lys	Val	Gly	Glu	Val	Ile	Val	Thr	Lys
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Tyr	Glu	Lys	Glu	Lys	Leu	Asn	Glu	Arg	Leu	Ala	Lys	Leu	Ser	Asp	Gly
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Val	Ala	Val	Leu	Lys	Val	Gly	Gly	Thr	Ser	Asp	Val	Glu	Val	Asn	Glu
			405							410				415	
Lys	Lys	Asp	Arg	Val	Thr	Asp	Ala	Leu	Asn	Ala	Thr	Arg	Ala	Ala	Val
			420							425				430	
Glu	Glu	Gly	Ile	Val	Leu	Gly	Gly	Gly	Cys	Ala	Leu	Leu	Arg	Cys	Ile
		435					440						445		
Pro	Ala	Leu	Asp	Ser	Leu	Thr	Pro	Ala	Asn	Glu	Asp	Gln	Lys	Ile	Gly
	450					455					460				
Ile	Glu	Ile	Ile	Lys	Arg	Thr	Leu	Lys	Ile	Pro	Ala	Met	Thr	Ile	Ala
	465					470					475				480
Lys	Asn	Ala	Gly	Val	Glu	Gly	Ser	Leu	Ile	Val	Glu	Lys	Ile	Met	Gln
			485							490				495	
Ser	Ser	Ser	Glu	Val	Gly	Tyr	Asp	Ala	Met	Ala	Gly	Asp	Phe	Val	Asn
			500							505			510		
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		515					520						525		
Leu	Leu	Asp	Ala	Ala	Gly	Val	Ala	Ser	Leu	Leu	Thr	Thr	Ala	Glu	Val
	530					535					540				
Val	Val	Thr	Glu	Ile	Pro	Lys	Glu	Glu	Lys	Asp	Pro	Gly	Met	Gly	Ala
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<211> LENGTH: 215

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Human

<400> SEQUENCE: 17

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Trp Lys Thr Met Ser Ala Lys Glu Lys Gly Lys Phe Glu Asp Met Ala
50           55           60
Lys Ala Asp Lys Ala Arg Tyr Glu Arg Glu Met Lys Thr Tyr Ile Pro
65           70           75           80
Pro Lys Gly Glu Thr Lys Lys Lys Phe Lys Asp Pro Asn Ala Pro Lys
85           90           95
Arg Pro Pro Ser Ala Phe Phe Leu Phe Cys Ser Glu Tyr Arg Pro Lys
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Ile Lys Gly Glu His Pro Gly Leu Ser Ile Gly Asp Val Ala Lys Lys
115          120          125
Leu Gly Glu Met Trp Asn Asn Thr Ala Ala Asp Asp Lys Gln Pro Tyr
130          135          140
Glu Lys Lys Ala Glu Lys Leu Lys Glu Lys Tyr Glu Lys Asp Ile Ala
145          150          155          160
Ala Tyr Arg Ala Lys Gly Lys Pro Asp Ala Ala Lys Lys Gly Val Val
165          170          175
Lys Ala Glu Lys Ser Lys Lys Lys Lys Glu Glu Glu Glu Gly Glu Glu
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<210> SEQ ID NO 18

<211> LENGTH: 1087

<212> TYPE: PRT

<213> ORGANISM: Human

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Ala Glu Gln Ile Arg Leu Ala Gln Met Ile Ser Asp His Asn Asp Ala
35           40           45
Asp Phe Glu Glu Lys Val Lys Gln Leu Ile Asp Ile Thr Gly Lys Asn
50           55           60
Gln Asp Glu Cys Val Ile Ala Leu His Asp Cys Asn Gly Asp Val Asn
65           70           75           80
Arg Ala Ile Asn Val Leu Leu Glu Gly Asn Pro Asp Thr His Ser Trp
85           90           95
Glu Met Val Gly Lys Lys Lys Gly Val Ser Gly Gln Lys Asp Gly Gly
100          105          110

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 Lys Ser Gly Gly Pro Ser Gly Arg Gly Thr Glu Arg Gly Arg Arg Gly
 165 170 175
 Arg Gly Arg Gly Arg Gly Gly Ser Gly Arg Arg Gly Gly Arg Phe Ser
 180 185 190
 Ala Gln Gly Met Gly Thr Phe Asn Pro Ala Asp Tyr Ala Glu Pro Ala
 195 200 205
 Asn Thr Asp Asp Asn Tyr Gly Asn Ser Ser Gly Asn Thr Trp Asn Asn
 210 215 220
 Thr Gly His Phe Glu Pro Asp Asp Gly Thr Ser Ala Trp Arg Thr Ala
 225 230 235 240
 Thr Glu Glu Trp Gly Thr Glu Asp Trp Asn Glu Asp Leu Ser Glu Thr
 245 250 255
 Lys Ile Phe Thr Ala Ser Asn Val Ser Ser Val Pro Leu Pro Ala Glu
 260 265 270
 Asn Val Thr Ile Thr Ala Gly Gln Arg Ile Asp Leu Ala Val Leu Leu
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 Gly Lys Thr Pro Ser Thr Met Glu Asn Asp Ser Ser Asn Leu Asp Pro
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 Ser Gln Ala Pro Ser Leu Ala Gln Pro Leu Val Phe Ser Asn Ser Lys
 305 310 315 320
 Gln Thr Ala Ile Ser Gln Pro Ala Ser Gly Asn Thr Phe Ser His His
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 Ser Met Val Ser Met Leu Gly Lys Gly Phe Gly Asp Val Gly Glu Ala
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 Lys Gly Gly Ser Thr Thr Gly Ser Gln Phe Leu Glu Gln Phe Lys Thr
 355 360 365
 Ala Gln Ala Leu Ala Gln Leu Ala Ala Gln His Ser Gln Ser Gly Ser
 370 375 380
 Thr Thr Thr Ser Ser Trp Asp Met Gly Ser Thr Thr Gln Ser Pro Ser
 385 390 395 400
 Leu Val Gln Tyr Asp Leu Lys Asn Pro Ser Asp Ser Ala Val His Ser
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 Pro Phe Thr Lys Arg Gln Ala Phe Thr Pro Ser Ser Thr Met Met Glu
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 Val Phe Leu Gln Glu Lys Ser Pro Ala Val Ala Thr Ser Thr Ala Ala
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 Pro Pro Pro Pro Ser Ser Pro Leu Pro Ser Lys Ser Thr Ser Ala Pro
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 Gln Met Ser Pro Gly Ser Ser Asp Asn Gln Ser Ser Ser Pro Gln Pro
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 Ala His Gln Lys Leu Lys Gln Gln Lys Lys Lys Ala Ser Leu Thr Ser
 485 490 495
 Lys Ile Pro Ala Leu Ala Val Glu Met Pro Gly Ser Ala Asp Ile Ser
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 Gln Ser Thr Thr Tyr Thr Ser Gln Asn Asn Ala Gln Gly Pro Leu Tyr
 580 585 590
 Glu Gln Arg Ser Thr Gln Thr Arg Arg Tyr Pro Ser Ser Ile Ser Ser
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 Ser Pro Gln Lys Asp Leu Thr Gln Ala Lys Asn Gly Phe Ser Ser Val
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 Gln Ala Thr Gln Leu Gln Thr Thr Gln Ser Val Glu Gly Ala Thr Gly
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 Ser Ala Val Lys Ser Asp Ser Pro Ser Thr Ser Ser Ile Pro Pro Leu
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 Asn Glu Thr Val Ser Ala Ala Ser Leu Leu Thr Thr Thr Asn Gln His
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 Ser Ser Ser Leu Gly Gly Leu Ser His Ser Glu Glu Ile Pro Asn Thr
 675 680 685
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 Ser Ser Ser Thr Ser Ser Gly Arg Thr Ser Thr Ser Thr Leu Leu His
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 Thr Ser Val Glu Ser Glu Ala Asn Leu His Ser Ser Ser Ser Thr Phe
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 Ser Thr Thr Ser Ser Thr Val Ser Ala Pro Pro Pro Val Val Ser Val
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 Ser Ser Ser Leu Asn Ser Gly Ser Ser Leu Gly Leu Ser Leu Gly Ser
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 Asn Ser Thr Val Thr Ala Ser Thr Arg Ser Ser Val Ala Thr Thr Ser
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 Gly Lys Ala Pro Pro Asn Leu Pro Pro Gly Val Pro Pro Leu Leu Pro
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 Asn Pro Tyr Ile Met Ala Pro Gly Leu Leu His Ala Tyr Pro Pro Gln
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 Val Tyr Gly Tyr Asp Asp Leu Gln Met Leu Gln Thr Arg Phe Pro Leu
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 Asp Tyr Tyr Ser Ile Pro Phe Pro Thr Pro Thr Thr Pro Leu Thr Gly
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 Arg Asp Gly Ser Leu Ala Ser Asn Pro Tyr Ser Gly Asp Leu Thr Lys
 850 855 860
 Phe Gly Arg Gly Asp Ala Ser Ser Pro Ala Pro Ala Thr Thr Leu Ala
 865 870 875 880
 Gln Pro Gln Gln Asn Gln Thr Gln Thr His His Thr Thr Gln Gln Thr
 885 890 895
 Phe Leu Asn Pro Ala Leu Pro Pro Gly Tyr Ser Tyr Thr Ser Leu Pro
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 Tyr Tyr Thr Gly Val Pro Gly Leu Pro Ser Thr Phe Gln Tyr Gly Pro

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Asp Glu Glu Glu Ser Leu Asn Glu Val Gly Tyr Asp Asp Ile Gly Gly
195 200 205

Cys Arg Lys Gln Leu Ala Gln Ile Lys Glu Met Val Glu Leu Pro Leu
210 215 220

Arg His Pro Ala Leu Phe Lys Ala Ile Gly Val Lys Pro Pro Arg Gly
225 230 235 240

Ile Leu Leu Tyr Gly Pro Pro Gly Thr Gly Lys Thr Leu Ile Ala Arg
245 250 255

Ala Val Ala Asn Glu Thr Gly Ala Phe Phe Phe Leu Ile Asn Gly Pro
260 265 270

Glu Ile Met Ser Lys Leu Ala Gly Glu Ser Glu Ser Asn Leu Arg Lys
275 280 285

Ala Phe Glu Glu Ala Glu Lys Asn Ala Pro Ala Ile Ile Phe Ile Asp
290 295 300

Glu Leu Asp Ala Ile Ala Pro Lys Arg Glu Lys Thr His Gly Glu Val
305 310 315 320

Glu Arg Arg Ile Val Ser Gln Leu Leu Thr Leu Met Asp Gly Leu Lys
325 330 335

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Thr Val Tyr Lys Leu Pro Glu Lys Leu Asp Phe Lys Gln Gly Ala Ala
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His Leu Asn Glu Ile Asp Leu Phe His Cys Ile Asp Pro Asn Asp Ser
      50            55            60
Lys His Lys Arg Thr Asp Arg Ser Ile Leu Cys Cys Leu Arg Lys Gly
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Glu Ser Gly Gln Ser Trp Pro Arg Leu Thr Lys Glu Arg Ala Lys Leu
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Ser	Asp	Glu	Asp	Met	Ser	Asn	Phe	Asp	Arg	Phe	Ser	Glu			
		115					120					125			

What is claimed is:

1. A Biomarker for liver diseases selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof or the antibodies against said amino acid sequences.

2. The biomarker according to claim 1, wherein said liver disease is liver cirrhosis or liver cancer.

3. The biomarker according to claim 1, wherein said variant and any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 show sequence homology greater than 80%.

4. A detection kit for liver diseases, comprising biomarkers selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof.

5. The detection kit according to claim 4, wherein said liver disease is liver cirrhosis or liver cancer.

6. The detection kit according to claim 4, wherein the detection kit can further include secondary antibodies that can recognize autoantibody against any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof.

7. A method for screening liver diseases, comprising the steps of:

providing a specimen;

using a biomarker selected from any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 or derivatives or fragments or variants or the combination thereof to identify and capture autoantibodies in the specimen; and

detecting the autoantibodies.

8. The method according to claim 7, wherein said specimen includes whole blood or serum.

9. The method according to claim 8, wherein said specimen is serum.

10. The method according to claim 7, wherein said biomarker may be made into detection kits.

11. The method according to claim 7, wherein said biomarker is firstly immobilized on a substrate.

12. The method according to claim 11, wherein said substrate is an immunoassay plate or a biochip.

13. The method according to claim 7, wherein said specimen is firstly labeled with a fluorescence marker.

14. The method according to claim 7, wherein the method further include a step of using a secondary antibody to recognize and adsorb the autoantibody.

15. The method according to claim 14, wherein said secondary antibody is modified and has a special functional group detectable by means of color reaction, radioactivity or fluorescence.

16. The method according to claim 7, wherein the detection of the autoantibody is achieved by using a fluorescence scanner to detect a fluorescence-labeled autoantibody.

17. The method according to claim 7, wherein the detection of the autoantibody is achieved by detection of the secondary autoantibody with enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA), radioimmunoassay (RIA) or immunofluorescence.

18. A detection kit for liver diseases, comprising a set of antibodies against any one of amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24.

19. The detection kit according to claim 18, wherein said liver disease is liver cirrhosis or liver cancer.

20. A screening method for liver diseases, comprising the steps of:

providing a specimen;

using an antibody against any one of the amino acid sequences with SEQ ID NO:1 to SEQ ID NO:24 to capture an antigen in the specimen; and

detecting the antibody-antigen complex.

21. The screening method according to claim 20, wherein said specimen is whole blood or serum.

22. The screening method according to claim 21, wherein said specimen is serum.

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专利名称(译)	用于肝脏疾病的生物标志物及其使用方法		
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摘要(译)

提供了用于肝脏疾病的生物标志物及其使用方法。为了检测肝硬化和肝癌，生物标志物选自具有SEQ ID NO：1至SEQ ID NO：24的任一氨基酸序列或衍生物或片段或变体或其组合或针对氨基酸序列的抗体。。然后将生物标记物进一步开发成检测试剂盒，使得通过检测筛选的样品中自身抗体或自身抗原的存在，以更高的准确度和灵敏度检测肝脏疾病。

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**Use biomarker to detect
autoantibody in the specimen**