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# Mouse Strain Datasheet

## Strain Name

Ift88 flox

**MGI Gene ID**

MGI:3710185

**Full Allele Name**

Ift88<tm1Bky>

**Type of Allele**

conditional allele

**Human Gene (HGNC)**

IFT88

**Genetic Background**

C57BL/6J

**Commercial Source**

Jax Mice

**Stock Number**

022409

**Link**

<https://www.jax.org/strain/022409>

**Genotyping Protocol**

<https://www.jax.org/Protocol?stockNumber=022409&protocolID=24348>

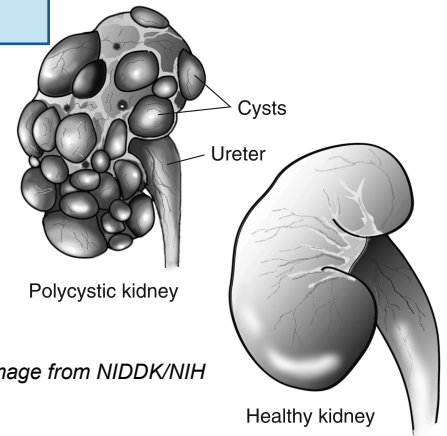


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### Strain Details

These Ift88<sup>fl/fl</sup> mice possess loxP sites flanking exons 4-6 of the intraflagellar transport 88 (Ift88) gene. Expression of Cre recombinase results in excision of these exons and generation of a null allele. This strain may be useful for studying ciliopathic human genetic diseases. Homozygous fl/fl mice are viable and fertile.

### Validation or publication

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/17166921/>

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## PCR Protocol for Genotyping:

Ift88 flox

### A. Digestion of mouse tail or ear notch, and **embryo tail (in red)**:

1. Add 100µL of Tissue Digestion Buffer and 2µL of Proteinase K per tail (~1-2mm length). For embryos tail add **50µL of Tissue Digestion Buffer and 1µL of Proteinase K**. Make sure tail is immersed in the buffer.
2. In a thermocycler incubate at 55°C for 1 h followed by 95°C for 8 min to inactivate the enzyme and hold at 10°C. For embryos incubate at 55°C for 30 min followed by 95°C for 8 min and hold at 10°C.
3. Vortex and store at 4°C (-20°C for long storage) or use immediately to set up the PCR.

### B. PCR Genotyping Protocol

Primers			
Common forward	5'-	GCCTCCTGTTTCTTGACAACAGTG	-3'
delta reverse	5'-	CTGCACCAGCCATTTCTCTAAGTCATGTA	-3'
flox/WT reverse	5'-	GGTCCTAACAAGTAAGCCCAGTGTT	-3'
	5'-		-3'

PCR Reaction		PCR Conditions			
BioMix (Bioline)	10.0 µL		Heated Lid		105°C
Primers (@10 µM each)	0.8 µL		Initial Denaturation	94°C	5 min
			Number of Cycles	x35	
ddH <sub>2</sub> O	7.2 µL			94°C	20 sec
				60°C	35 sec
DNA template	2.0 µL			72°C	35 sec
Total Volume	20.0 µL		Final Extension	72°C	10 min
			Final Hold	10°C	

PCR Product Size (bp)	
Wild type band	350 bp
flox	370 bp
delta	270 bp

### C. Reagents

Reagent	Cat #	Final Concentration	Working Concentration
<b>Tissue Digestion Buffer for ear notch or tail</b>			
Tris pH8.5		50mM	
EDTA		1mM	
Tween20		0.5%	
<b>Proteinase K (Invitrogen)</b>	25530-015	20mg/mL	
<b>BioMix (Bioline)</b>	BIO-25012		



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Tam-Cre; CAGGCre-ER  
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MGI:2182767

**Full Allele Name**

Tg(CAG-Cre/Esf1\*)5AMC

**Type of Allele**

Inducible (Recombinase)

**Human Gene (HGNC)**

R/a

**Genetic Background**

C57BL/6J

**Commercial Source**

Jax Mice

**Stock Number**

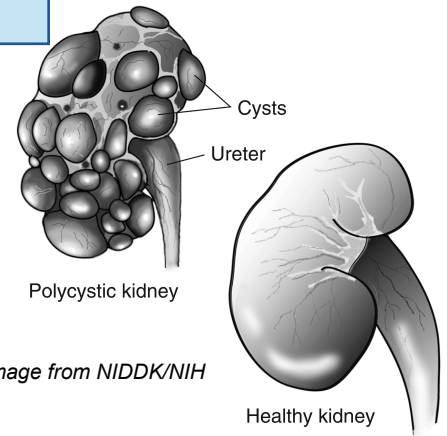
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**Link**

<https://www.jax.org/strain/004682>

**Genotyping Protocol**

<https://www.jax.org/Protocol?stockNumber=004682&protocolID=19114>



## Strain Details

These CAGGCre-ERTM transgenic mice have a tamoxifen-inducible cre-mediated recombination system driven by the chicken beta actin promoter/enhancer coupled with the cytomegalovirus (CMV) immediate-early promoter/enhancer. The resulting mice contain a loxP-flanked Cre gene. Cre-mediated recombination of the loxP-flanked Cre gene results in deletion of the Cre gene in the offspring. Tamoxifen treatment of the offspring in the developing embryo or in the adult stage of life results in Cre-mediated recombination of the loxP-flanked Cre gene. The resulting mice are fertile, normal in size and do not display any gross physical or behavioral abnormalities.

## Validation or publication

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/11944939/>

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### B. PCR Genotyping Protocol

Primers			
ForwardForward	5'-	ATT GCT GTC ACT TGG TCG TGG C	-3'
ReverseReverse	5'-	GGA AAA TGC TTC TGT CCG TTT GC	-3'
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PCR Product Size (bp)	
Wild type band	
Cre Band	200 bp

### C. Reagents

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