

Resource Summary Report

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Beta IIM

RRID:RGD_40924649

Type: Organism

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Organism Information

URL: <https://rgd.mcw.edu/rgdweb/report/strain/main.html?id=40924649>

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Description: Rattus norvegicus with name Beta IIM from RGD.

Species: Rattus norvegicus

Notes: Nine inbred lines developed from random-bred colony maintained by B. Houssay since 1948. Inbreeding and upward selection of body weight and fertility were performed in every line. Groups of rats from lines 'b' were separated in 1958 and raised at the School of Medicine at Rosario. In 1976, some degree of overweight was found in the original 'b' group and in 1980, the obesity group was identified as Beta line.

Catalog Number: 40924649

Background: inbred

Database: Rat Genome Database (RGD)

Database Abbreviation: RGD

Availability: Unknown

Alternate IDs: 40924649

Organism Name: Beta IIM

Record Creation Time: 20230509T191949+0000

Record Last Update: 20260808T193745+0000

Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Beta IIM.

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Data and Source Information

Source: [Integrated Animals](#)

Source Database: Rat Genome Database (RGD)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We have not found any literature mentions for this resource.