

Low T-cell reactivity to TDP-43 peptides in ALS

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Supplementary Tables

	Control	ALS
Number	25	24
Age	61.67 ± 11.83	60.37 ± 11.77
Gender (f/m)	12/13	5/19
Disease duration from onset (months)	NA	26.87 ± 22.56
Disease duration from diagnosis (months)	NA	18.27 ± 18.96
ALSFRS-R	NA	33.26 ± 9.54
sALS/ fALS	NA	20/4
Riluzole (y/n)	NA	20/4

Suppl. Table 1. Cohort characteristics (related to Fig. 1). Age, disease duration and ALSFRS-R: mean \pm standard deviation. ALSFRS-R: Revised Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Functional Rating Scale. sALS/fALS: Sporadic ALS/familial ALS.

	Control	ALS
Number	9	9
Age	55.56 ± 11.52	57.97 ± 9.93
Gender (f/m)	3/6	1/8
Disease duration from onset (months)	NA	21.11 ± 20.29
Disease duration from diagnosis (months)	NA	15.33 ± 19.59
ALSFRS-R	NA	31.22 ± 11.96
sALS/ fALS	NA	9/0
Riluzole (y/n)	NA	9/0

Suppl. Table 2. Cohort characteristics (related to Fig. 2). Age, disease duration and ALSFRS-R: mean ± standard deviation. ALSFRS-R: Revised Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Functional Rating Scale. sALS/fALS: Sporadic ALS/familial ALS.

Sequence	Peptide Length	MHC typeStarting position	Starting position	Ending position
AQFPAGACGLRY	11	I	33	43
GWGNLVYVVNYPKDN	15	II	67	89
ASSAVKVKR	9	I	90	98
TSDLIVLGLPWKTTE	15	II	103	117
STFGEVLMV	9	I	125	133
KVMSQRHMI	9	I	160	168
ELREFFSQY	9	I	206	214
VTFADDQIAQSLCGE	15	II	232	246
GMNFGAFSINPAMMA	15	II	310	324
NGGFGSSMDSKSSGW	15	II	398	412

Suppl. Table 3. TDP-43 peptides for the stimulation of T cells.

	Control	ALS
Number	32	33
Age	63.78 ± 11.82	62.12 ± 9.83
Gender (f/m)	13/19	8/25
Disease duration from onset (months)	NA	48.96 ± 37.5
Disease duration from diagnosis (months)	NA	31.6 ± 30.4
ALSFRS-R	NA	32.25 ± 10.9
sALS/fALS	NA	32/1
Riluzole (y/n)	NA	29/4

Suppl. Table 4. Cohort characteristics (related to Fig. 3). Age, disease duration and ALSFRS-R: mean ± standard deviation. ALSFRS-R: Revised Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Functional Rating Scale. sALS/fALS: Sporadic ALS/familial ALS.

		HC, Mean±SD	ALS, Mean±SD	HC, Median(IQR)	ALS, Median(IQR)	p- value	signif.
IL-5	PHA	290±213	266±257	266(112-420)	128(71-472)	0.45	ns
	Actin	19±30	18±50	4(1-20)	3(1-11)	0.32	ns
	MOG	12±25	26/65	1(0-8)	3(0-10)	0.79	ns
	TDP-43	13±20	6±10	3(1-20)	2(0-7)	0.03	*
IFN-γ	PHA	223±235	153±226	168(13-355)	61(18-159)	0.21	ns
	Actin	15±44	4±10	1(0-4)	1(0-4)	0.87	ns
	MOG	5±11	9±35	0(0-2)	0(0-3)	0.86	ns
	TDP-43	9±24	3±6	1(0-5)	1(0-3)	0.38	ns

Suppl. Table 5. Summary statistics of ELISPOT results. SD: standards deviation (of the sample); IQR: interquartile range; 'ns': not significant. All differences tested with Mann-Whitney U-test.

Peptide	HC, Mean±SD	ALS, Mean±SD	HC, Median (IQR)	ALS, Median (IQR)	p- value	Sign.

33-43	18±30	6±9	4(1-14)	1(0-8)	0.35	ns
67-89	9±17	2±4	2(1-13)	1(0-3)	>0.99	ns
90-98	17±28	6±14	3(1-16)	1(0-6)	0.81	ns
103-117	6±10	3±5	1(0-5)	1(0-5)	>0.99	ns
125-133	4±8	3±6	1(0-5)	1(0-4)	>0.99	ns
160-168	17±31	6±16	5(0-18)	1(0-5)	0.78	ns
206-214	8±21	3±6	1(0-7)	1(0-3)	>0.99	ns
232-246	21±55	9±19	2(0-15)	1(0-9)	0.41	ns
310-324	24±58	8±14	2(0-16)	2(0-7)	0.06	ns
398-412	8±12	11±16	2(0-9)	2(1-13)	>0.99	ns

Suppl. Table 6. Summary statistics of ELISPOT IL-5 results for stimulation with single TDP-43 peptides. SD: standards deviation (of the sample); IQR: interquartile range; ‘ns’: not significant. All differences tested with one-way ANOVA with multiple comparisons with Bonferroni’s correction.

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Peptide	HC, Mean±SD	ALS, Mean±SD	HC, Median (IQR)	ALS, Median (IQR)	p- value	Sign.
33-43	9±24	3±8	1(0-4)	1(0-2)	>0.99	ns
67-89	4±9	1±4	1(0-3)	0(0-1)	>0.99	ns
90-98	10±29	3±6	1(0-3)	1(0-2)	>0.99	ns
103-117	2±5	2±3	0(0-1)	0(0-2)	>0.99	ns
125-133	1±2	1±2	0(0-2)	0(0-1)	>0.99	ns
160-168	9±34	2±4	1(0-2)	0(0-2)	>0.99	ns

206-214	7±21	7±29	0(0-4)	1(0-3)	>0.99	ns
232-246	22±69	5±11	1(0-7)	1(0-4)	0.08	ns
310-324	24±64	5±10	1(0-9)	1(0-4)	0.03	*
398-412	6±21	3±5	1(0-3)	1(0-3)	>0.99	ns

Suppl. Table 7. Summary statistics of ELISPOT IFN- γ results for stimulation with single TDP-43 peptides. SD: standards deviation (of the sample); IQR: interquartile range; 'ns': not significant, * $p<0.05$. All differences tested with one-way ANOVA with multiple comparisons with Bonferroni's correction.