

Receptor guanylyl cyclase (RGC) family in GtoPdb v.2025.3

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Abstract

The mammalian genome encodes seven guanylyl cyclases, GC-A to GC-G, that are homodimeric transmembrane receptors activated by a diverse range of endogenous ligands. These enzymes convert [guanosine-5'-triphosphate](#) to the intracellular second messenger cyclic guanosine-3',5'-monophosphate ([cyclic GMP](#)). GC-A, GC-B and GC-C are expressed predominantly in the cardiovascular system, skeletal system and intestinal epithelium, respectively. GC-D and GC-G are found in the olfactory neuroepithelium and Grueneberg ganglion of rodents, respectively. GC-E and GC-F are expressed in retinal photoreceptors.

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[GC-A\(Guanylyl cyclase-A\)](#)

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 GC-C(Guanylyl cyclase-C)
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 NPR-C(natriuretic peptide receptor 3)
<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=1749>
 GC-D(Guanylyl cyclase-D)
<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=2898>
 GC-E(Guanylyl cyclase-E)
<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=2031>
 GC-F(Guanylyl cyclase-F)
<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=2899>
 GC-G(Guanylyl cyclase-G)
<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=2900>
 Nitric oxide (NO)-sensitive (soluble) guanylyl cyclase
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Receptors

Complexes

GC-1(Guanylyl cyclase, $\alpha_1\beta_1$)

<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=1287>

GC-2(Guanylyl cyclase, $\alpha_2\beta_1$)

<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=2897>

Receptors and Subunits

Guanylyl cyclase α_1 subunit

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Guanylyl cyclase α_2 subunit

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Guanylyl cyclase β_1 subunit

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Guanylyl cyclase β_2 subunit

<https://www.guidetopharmacology.org/GRAC/ObjectDisplayForward?objectId=1291>

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