

Inwardly rectifying potassium channels (K_{IR}) in GtoPdb v.2021.3

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Abstract

The 2TM domain family of K channels are also known as the inward-rectifier K channel family. This family includes the strong inward-rectifier K channels ($K_{ir2.x}$) that are constitutively active, the G-protein-activated inward-rectifier K channels ($K_{ir3.x}$) and the ATP-sensitive K channels ($K_{ir6.x}$, which combine with sulphonylurea receptors (SUR1-3)). The pore-forming α subunits form tetramers, and heteromeric channels may be formed within subfamilies (*e.g.* $K_{ir3.2}$ with $K_{ir3.3}$).

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