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(57) Abstract

The invention relates to new polypeptide in isolated form belonging to a subfamily of the human Immunoglobulin Superfamily, which polypeptide shows at least 70 % sequence homology with the amino acid sequence of the murine Confluency Regulated Adhesion Molecules 1 or 2 (CRAM-1 or CRAM-2) as depicted in the Figure upper and second row, respectively, and antibodies thereto as well as their use in treatment of inflammation and tumors.



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