

1 Table A. Single-nucleotide polymorphisms (SNPs) in melatonin receptor type 1A (MTNR1A) and type
2 1B (MTNR1B)

SNP	Locus	Location	Base change
rs6553010	186535189	Intron	A/G
rs13140012	186544404	Intron	A/T
rs2119882	186555751	Promoter	C/T
rs1387153	92940662	Downstream	C/G
rs10830963	92975544	Intron	A/G
rs1562444	92982683	3'UTR	C/T

3 Abbreviation:
4 UTR, untranslated region.

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19 Table B. Demographic characteristics in Graves' disease, Hashimoto's thyroiditis , autoimmune thyroid
20 disease, and control groups

	Control	GD	HT	AITD
Age (years)	43.3±11.5 ^{c,d}	44.8±12.5	49.8±13.3 ^a	45.8±12.9 ^a
Gender (female, %)	65.7 ^{c,d}	70.2 ^c	90.4 ^{a,b}	74.3 ^a
Smoking (%)	14.9 ^{b,d}	23.2 ^a	17.3	22.0 ^a
Family history of thyroid disease (%)	6.5 ^{b,c,d}	29.6 ^a	20.0 ^a	27.6 ^a

21 Age is expressed as the mean±standard deviation.

22 Abbreviation: GD, Graves' disease; HT, Hashimoto's thyroiditis; AITD, autoimmune thyroid disease

23 ^a $p < 0.05$ vs. the control group, ^b $p < 0.05$ vs. GD, ^c $p < 0.05$ vs. HT, ^d $p < 0.05$ vs. AITD.

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38 Table C. Genotypic and allelic frequencies of rs1387153, rs10830963, and rs1562444 in the melatonin
39 receptor type 1B gene without exclusion of subjects with glucose intolerance

Polymorphism	Control <i>n</i> (%)	GD <i>n</i> (%)	HT <i>n</i> (%)	AITD <i>n</i> (%)	OR1 (95% CI)	OR2 (95% CI)	OR3 (95% CI)
rs1387153							
CC	119 (33.1)	96 (30.2)	27 (32.5)	123 (30.7)	1	1	1
CT	165 (46.0)	155 (48.7)	44 (53.0)	199 (49.6)	1.16 (0.82~1.65)	1.18 (0.69~2.01)	1.17 (0.84~1.62)
TT	75 (20.9)	67 (21.1)	12 (14.5)	79 (19.7)	1.11 (0.72~1.69)	0.71 (0.34~1.48)	1.02 (0.68~1.55)
CT+TT	240 (66.9)	222 (69.8)	56 (67.5)	278 (69.3)	1.15 (0.83~1.59)	1.03 (0.62~1.71)	1.12 (0.83~1.52)
Allele							
C	403 (56.1)	347 (54.6)	98 (59.0)	445 (55.5)	1	1	1
T	315 (43.9)	289 (45.4)	68 (41.0)	357 (44.5)	1.07 (0.86~1.32)	0.89 (0.63~1.25)	1.03(0.84~1.26)
rs10830963							
CC	114 (31.8)	96 (30.2)	25 (30.1)	121 (30.2)	1	1	1
CG	178 (49.6)	148 (46.5)	45 (54.2)	193 (48.1)	0.99 (0.70~1.40)	1.15 (0.67~1.98)	1.02 (0.74~1.42)
GG	67 (18.6)	74 (23.3)	13 (15.7)	87 (21.7)	1.31 (0.86~2.01)	0.89 (0.42~1.85)	1.22 (0.81~1.84)
CG+GG	245 (68.2)	222 (69.8)	58 (69.9)	280 (69.9)	1.08 (0.78~1.49)	1.08 (0.64~1.81)	1.08 (0.79~1.46)
Allele							
C	406 (56.5)	340 (53.5)	95 (57.2)	435 (54.2)	1	1	1
G	312 (43.5)	296 (46.5)	71 (42.8)	367 (45.8)	1.13 (0.91~1.40)	0.97 (0.69~1.37)	1.10 (0.90~1.35)
rs1562444							
AA	159 (44.3)	150 (47.2)	39 (47.0)	189 (47.1)	1	1	1
AG	162 (45.1)	134 (42.1)	40 (48.2)	174 (43.4)	0.88 (0.64~1.21)	1.01 (0.62~1.65)	0.90 (0.67~1.22)
GG	38 (10.6)	34 (10.7)	4 (4.8)	38 (9.5)	0.95 (0.57~1.59)	0.43 (0.15~1.27)	0.84 (0.51~1.38)
AG+GG	200 (55.7)	168 (52.8)	44 (53.0)	212 (52.9)	0.89 (0.66~1.21)	0.90 (0.56~1.45)	0.89 (0.67~1.19)
Allele							
A	480 (66.9)	434 (68.2)	118 (71.1)	552 (68.8)	1	1	1
G	238 (33.1)	202 (31.8)	48 (28.9)	250 (31.2)	0.94 (0.75~1.18)	0.82 (0.57~1.19)	0.91 (0.74~1.13)

40 GD, Graves' disease; HT, Hashimoto's thyroiditis; AITD, autoimmune thyroid disease (GD + HT);
41 control, control group. OR1, odds ratio 1, GD vs. the control; OR2, odds ratio 2, HT vs. the control;
42 OR3, odds ratio 3, AITD vs. the control; CI, confidence interval; * $p < 0.05$.
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45 Table D. Genotypic and allelic frequencies of rs6553010, rs13140012, and rs2119882 in the melatonin
46 receptor type 1A gene in females and males

	Female	Female	Male	Male		
Polymorphism	Control	GD	Control	GD	Female-OR	Male-OR
	<i>n</i> (%)	<i>n</i> (%)	<i>n</i> (%)	<i>n</i> (%)	(95% CI)	(95% CI)
rs6553010						
AA	113 (47.9)	113 (50.7)	46 (40.0)	49 (51.6)	1	1
AG	95 (40.3)	87 (39.0)	54 (47.0)	33 (34.7)	0.92 (0.62~1.35)	0.57 (0.32~1.04)
GG	28 (11.8)	23 (10.3)	15 (13.0)	13 (13.7)	0.82 (0.45~1.51)	0.81 (0.35~1.89)
AG+GG	123 (52.2)	110 (49.3)	69 (60.0)	46 (48.4)	0.89 (0.62~1.29)	0.63 (0.36~1.08)
Allele						
A	321 (68.0)	313 (70.2)	146 (63.5)	131 (68.9)	1	1
G	151 (32.0)	133 (29.8)	84 (36.5)	59 (31.1)	0.90 (0.68~1.20)	0.78 (0.52~1.18)
rs13140012						
AA	98 (41.5)	104 (46.6)	42 (36.5)	45 (47.4)	1	1
AT	111 (47.0)	94(42.2)	54 (47.0)	42 (44.2)	0.80 (0.54~1.18)	0.73 (0.41~1.30)
TT	27 (11.4)	25 (11.2)	19 (16.5)	8 (8.4)	0.87 (0.47~1.61)	0.39 (0.16~0.99)*
AT+TT	138 (58.4)	119 (53.4)	73 (63.5)	50 (52.6)	0.81 (0.56~1.18)	0.64 (0.37~1.11)
Allele						
A	307 (65.0)	302 (67.7)	138 (60.0)	132 (69.5)	1	1
T	165 (35.0)	144 (32.3)	92 (40.0)	58 (30.5)	0.89 (0.67~1.17)	0.66 (0.44~0.99)*
rs2119882						
TT	97 (41.1)	106 (47.5)	43 (37.4)	47 (49.5)	1	1
CT	111 (47.0)	94 (42.2)	55 (47.8)	38 (40.0)	0.78 (0.53~1.14)	0.63 (0.35~1.13)
CC	28 (11.9)	23 (10.3)	17 (14.8)	10 (10.5)	0.75 (0.41~1.39)	0.54 (0.22~1.30)
CC+CT	139 (58.9)	117 (52.5)	72 (62.6)	48 (50.5)	0.77(0.53~1.11)	0.61 (0.35~1.06)
Allele						
T	305 (64.6)	306 (68.6)	141 (61.3)	132 (69.5)	1	1
C	167(35.4)	140 (31.4)	89 (38.7)	58(30.5)	0.84(0.64~1.10)	0.70 (0.46~1.05)

47 GD, Graves' disease; control, control group. Female-OR, odds ratio, GD vs. the control in females; Male-OR,
48 odds ratio , GD vs. the control in males; CI, confidence interval; * $p<0.05$.

49 Table E. Combined haplotype frequencies of rs6553010, rs13140012 and rs2119882 in Graves' disease
50 (GD) and in controls

rs2119882 C/T	rs13140012 A/T	rs6553010 A/G	GD (318)	Control (351)	OR (95% CI)	<i>p</i> value
T	A	A	0.593	0.537	1.26 (1.01~1.56)	0.039
C	T	G	0.195	0.222	0.85 (0.65~1.10)	0.222
C	T	A	0.083	0.089	0.92 (0.67~1.35)	0.674
T	A	G	0.056	0.043	1.30 (0.79~2.74)	0.299
T	T	G	0.034	0.043	0.79 (0.45~1.39)	0.410
Others*			0.039	0.066		

51 * Others, GAC, AAC, ATT

52 OR, odds ratio; CI, confidence interval.

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69 Table F. Combined haplotype frequencies of rs1387153, rs10830963 and rs1562444 in Graves' disease
70 (GD) and controls

Total	GD (303)	Control (299)	OR (95% CI)	<i>p</i> value
TGA	0.397	0.380	1.07 (0.85~1.36)	0.532
CCG	0.301	0.313	0.94 (0.74~1.20)	0.635
CCA	0.187	0.204	0.90 (0.67~1.19)	0.452
CGA	0.060	0.049	1.25 (0.35~1.03)	0.379
Others*	0.055	0.054		

71 * Others, TCA, TCG, CGG, TGG.

72 OR, odds ratio; CI, confidence interval.

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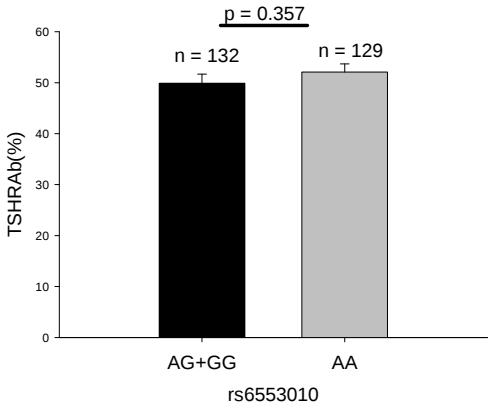
90 Table G. Associations of thyroid function at the baseline with the six single nucleotide polymorphisms in Graves'
91 disease (GD) and Hashimoto's thyroiditis (HT)

	GD		HT	
	Free T4 (ng/dl)	TSH (μU/ml)	Free T4 (ng/dl)	TSH (μU/ml)
rs6553010				
AG+GG	4.41±1.82	<0.01	0.89±0.71	29.09±75.04
AA	4.54±1.87	<0.01	0.88±0.53	15.32±16.62
<i>p</i> value	0.606	-	0.945	0.334
rs13140012				
AT+TT	4.40±1.88	<0.01	0.80±0.53	30.01±71.43
AA	4.56±1.81	<0.01	1.07±0.82	10.42±13.40
<i>p</i> value	0.466	-	0.097	0.188
rs2119882				
CC+CT	4.40±1.86	<0.01	0.84±0.69	30.59±72.74
TT	4.55±1.83	<0.01	0.97±0.54	10.80±13.44
<i>p</i> value	0.529	-	0.461	0.174
rs13140012/rs2119882				
NonAATT	4.45±1.88	<0.01	0.86±0.66	28.12±69.19
AATT	4.51±1.80	<0.01	0.96±0.61	11.90±14.22
<i>p</i> value	0.810	-	0.572	0.303
rs1387153				
CT+TT	4.50±1.84	<0.01	0.87±0.62	27.28±70.9
CC	4.40±1.87	<0.01	0.92±0.70	16.47±23.27
<i>p</i> value	0.699	-	0.769	0.469
rs10830963				
CG+GG	4.56±1.85	<0.01	0.86±0.63	28.98±70.82
CC	4.28±1.82	<0.01	0.95±0.70	12.00±15.59
<i>p</i> value	0.289	-	0.575	0.261
rs1562444				
AG+GG	4.33±1.90	<0.01	0.95±0.75	30.89±79.95
AA	4.63±1.77	<0.01	0.80±0.49	16.53±16.50
<i>p</i> value	0.190	-	0.334	0.268

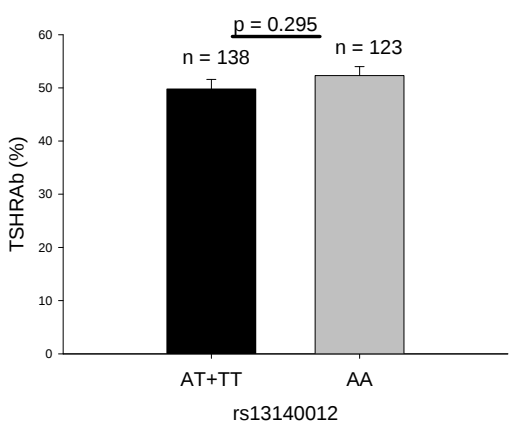
92 Free T4 and thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) values are expressed as mean ± standard deviation.

93 Fig A. Thyroid-stimulating hormone receptor antibody (TSHRAb) titers at the baseline in different
94 genotypes of rs6553010, rs13140012, and rs2119882, and genotypes of rs13140012 and rs2119882 in
95 patients with Graves' disease

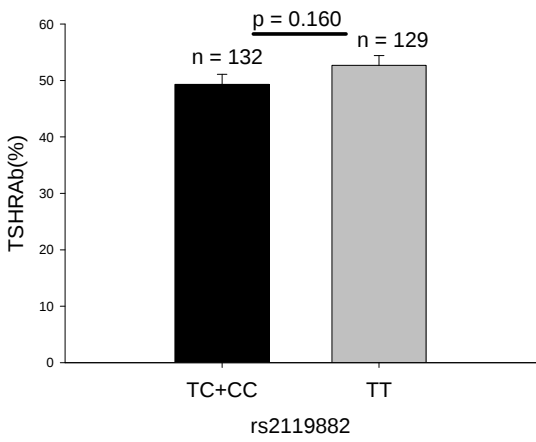
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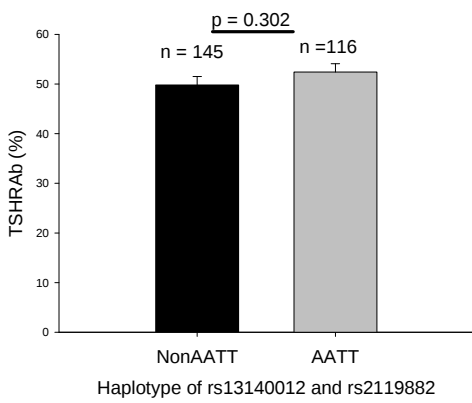
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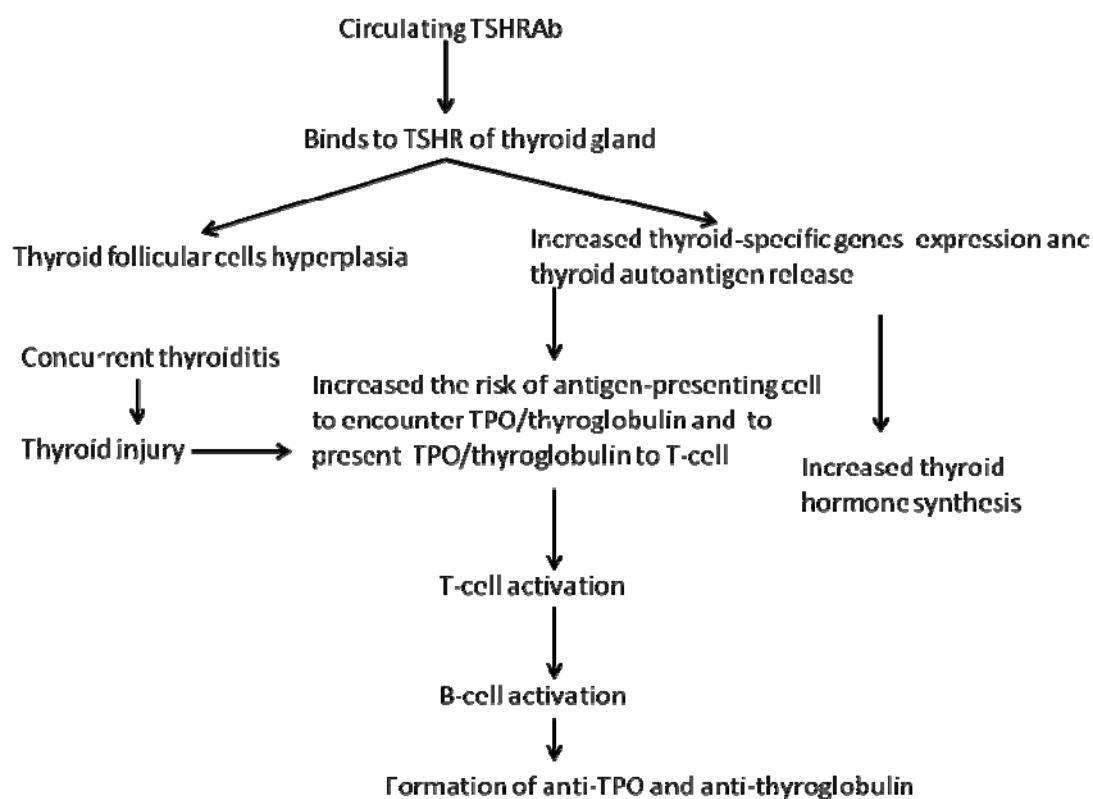
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102 Fig B. The formation of anti-thyroid peroxidase and anti-thyroglobulin antibodies in Graves' disease.



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104 The figure was drawn according to the statement from page 124 in "Autoimmune Disease in
105 Endocrinology", edited by Anthony P. Weetman.