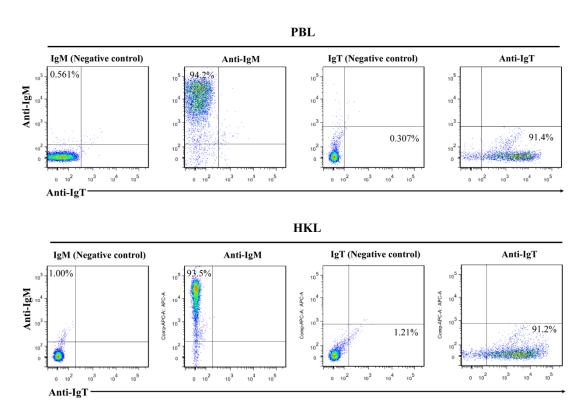
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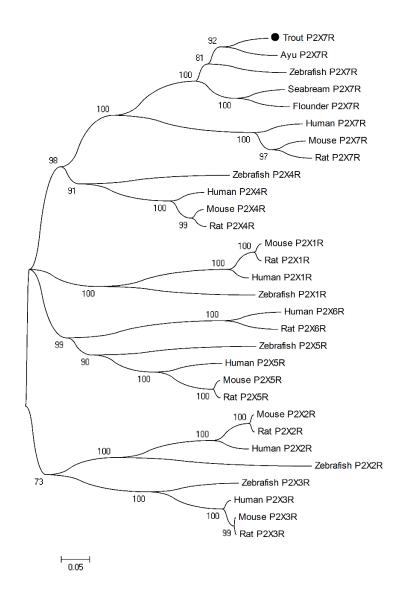
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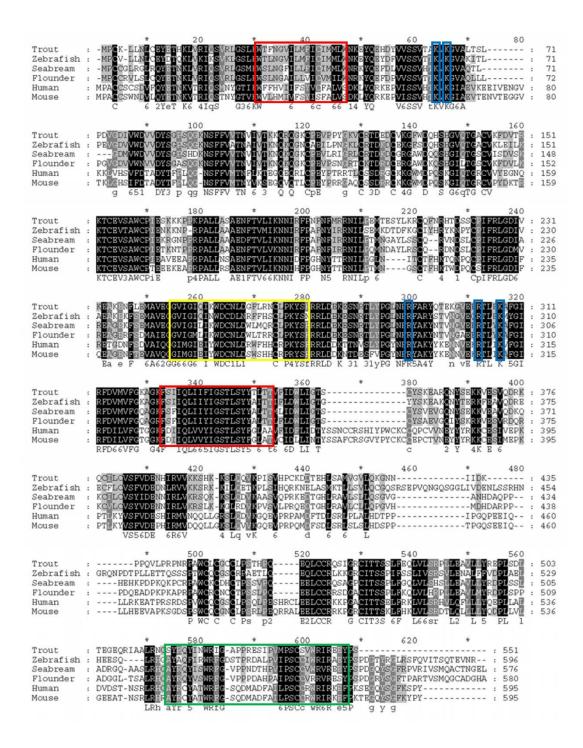
Supplementary Figures



Supplementary Figure 1 | Assessment of the purity of trout B cells sorted by MACS. Trout IgM⁺ and IgT⁺ B cells were sorted by magnetic-activated cell sorting (MACS) from the peripheral blood leukocytes (PBL) and head kidney leukocytes (HKL) with LS separation columns and double stained with mouse anti-trout IgM and anti-trout IgT mAbs. The purity of the sorted cells was determined by flow cytometry. The number in each quadrant indicates the percentage of cells.



Supplementary Figure 2 | Phylogenetic relationship of trout P2X₇R with selected vertebrate P2X receptor family members. Neighbor-joining phylogenetic tree was generated based on the amino acid sequence alignment using MEGA 4.1 package with 1000 bootstrap replications. GenBank accession numbers of the P2X receptor members are shown below: Human P2X₁R (AAC24494.1), Human P2X₂R (NP_733782.1), Human P2X₃R (NP_002550.2), Human $P2X_4R$ (NP_001243725.1), Human (NP 002552.2), Human P2 X_6 R (AAF13303.1), Human P2 X_7 R (NP 002553), Mouse P2X₁R (NP_032797.3), Mouse P2X₂R (AAK95327.2), Mouse P2X₃R (NP_663501.2), Mouse P2X₄R (NP_035156.2), Mouse P2X₅R (NP_201578.2), Mouse P2X₇R (CAD33539), Rat P2X₁R (NP_037129.1), Rat P2X₂R (NP_446108.2), Rat P2X₃R (NP_112337.2), Rat P2X₄R (NP_113782.1), Rat P2X₅R (NP_542958.2), Rat P2X₆R (CAA66044.1), Rat P2X₇R (NP_062129), Zebrafish P2X₁R (NP_945333.1), Zebrafish $P2X_3R$ (NP_945337.2), Zebrafish $P2X_2R$ (NP 945334.1), Zebrafish P2X₄R (NP_705939.1), Zebrafish P2X₅R (NP_919394.1), Zebrafish P2X₇R (NP_945335), Seabream P2X₇R (CAI59608.1), Flounder P2X₇R (KC748421), Ayu P2X₇R (CCM43769.1), and Trout P2X₇R (KY088056).



Supplementary Figure 3 | **Multiple sequence alignment of trout P2X₇R with other representative vertebrate P2X₇R.** Similar or identical amino acid residues are shadowed gray or black. Two transmembrane domains (red), five important residues for nucleotide binding (blue), the P2X family signature motif (yellow), and the LPS/lipid-binding domain (green) are boxed. GenBank accession numbers of the P2X₇R are shown below: Human P2X₇R (NP_002553), Mouse P2X₇R (CAD33539), Zebrafish P2X₇R (NP_945335), Seabream P2X₇R (CAI59608.1), Flounder P2X₇R (KC748421), and Trout P2X₇R (KY088056).