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Dear Kathy,

Some time ago you indicated that you would be interested in obtaining a couple of *inflated* alleles (*if* encodes the PS integrin αPS2 subunit) for the stock center. I am enclosing two stocks,

#2176 g^2 if^{B2} f^{36a}/FM7c

#2177 g^2 if^{k27e} f/FM7c

Both are strong alleles of *if*. The *k27e* allele was first made by Darrell Falk and described as an allele of *if* by Wilcox *et al.*, Development 107, 891 (1989). The *B2* allele was made by Marc Brabant in our lab, and it will be described in a paper to appear in Developmental Biology by Marc and I early next year. Both are EMS-induced. *k27e* makes no detectable protein, *B2* makes very little, and they have similar phenotypes, as described in our paper.

If you have any questions, my Email address is [redacted], or the phone number is [redacted]

Danny Brower

P.S. - While it probably makes no difference in how you treat these, I thought I would let you know that we have no mites in the lab, as far as we know.

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