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## **List of Abbreviations**

ADCC : Antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity ADCP : Antibody-dependent cellular phagocytosis

AEA : Anti-erythrocyte autoantibodies

AIF : Apoptosis-inducing factor

AIHA : Autoimmune hemolytic anemia ALL : Acute lymphoblastic leukemia

ALPS : Autoimmune lymphoproliferative syndrome

AML : Acute myeloid leukemia

AN : Absolute number ANA : Antinuclear antibody Anti-D : anti-D immunoglobulin

Anti-LKM: Anti –liver- kidney-microsomal anti body

APL : Acute promyelocytic leukemia
 ASH : American Society of Hematology
 B-CLL : B-cell chronic lymphocytic leukemia

Beta-TG : beta-thromboglobulin BUN : Blood urea nitrogen

C AMP
 Cyclic adenosine monophosphate
 Cag A
 Cytotoxin associated gene A
 CBC
 Complete blood cell count
 CBD
 C- terminal cell binding
 CD
 Cluster of differentionation
 CLL
 Chronic lymphocytic leukemia

CMV : Cytomegaloviurs

CNS : Central nervous system
CPB : Cardiopulmonary by pass

CR : Complete remission

Cr : Creatinine

CRs : Complement receptors CT : Computed tomography

CVID : Common variable immunodeficiency

DCs : Denderitic cells

DDAbs : Drug dependant platelet antibodies

## List of Abbreviations (Cont.)

DDAVP : Desmopressin acetate

DIC : Disseminatd intravascular coagulopathy

DITP : Drugs induced thrombocytopenia DLBCL : Diffuse large B cell lymphoma

DNA : Deoxy ribonuclic acid EBV : Epstien Barr viurs ECG : Electrocardiogram

ESR : Erythrocyte sedmintation rate

FAK : Focal adhesion kinase

FDA : Food and Drug Administration

FL : Follicular lymphoma

G6PD : Glucose 6 phosphate dehydrogenase

GIT : Gastrointestinal tract

GPIb-IX-V: Glycoprotein Ib-IX-V complex

GPVI : Glycoprotein VI Hb : Haemoglobin HCV : Hepatitis C viurs

HIT : Heparin-induced thrombocytopenia

HITT : Heparin-induced thrombocytopenia and

thrombosis

HIV : Human immune deficiency viurs

H-Pylori : Helicobacter pylori

HRQoL : Health-related quality of life

I DCs : Immature human monocyte derived dendertic

cell

IAP : Integrin-associated proteinICH : Intracrainal hemorrage

IFN-α : Interferon alfa
 IgA : Immunoglobulin A
 IgG : Immunoglobulin G
 IgM : Immunoglobulin M

IL : Interlukin

## List of Abbreviations (Cont.)

ITAM : Immunoreceptor tyrosine-based activation

motif

ITP : Immune thrombocytopenic purpura.

IVH : Intravascular hemolysis

IVIG : Intravenous immunoglobulin.IWG : International Working Group

Lab. : Laboratory

LDH : Lactate dehydrogenase MCL : Mantel cell lymphoma

MDS : Myelodysplastic syndrome

MHC : Major histocompatibility complex

MMF : Mycophenolate mofetil

MR : Mannose receptor

MRD : Minimal residual disease
 MRI : Magnetic resonance imaging
 mRNA : Messenger ribonuclic acid
 NAD : NO abnormality detected
 NHL : Non-Hodgkin lymphoma

NMMIIA : Non muscle myosin type II A

NO : Nitric oxide

P I 3 : Phosphoinositide 3 kinase

PAMPs : Pathogen-associated molecular patterns PARC-ITP : Pediatric and Adult Registry of Chronic ITP

PBMCs : Peripheral blood mononuclear cells

PKA : Protein kinase A PKC : protein kinase C

PLT : platelets

PRRs : Pattern recognition receptors

PT : Prothrombin time

PTT : Partial thromboplastin time

RBCs : Red blood cells RF : Rheumatoid factor

RGD : Arginine glycine aspartic acid

## List of Abbreviations (Cont.)

RhAG : Rh associated glycoprotein ROS : Reactive oxygen species

RP% : Percentage number

SIRP : Signal regulatory protein  $SIRP\alpha$  : Signal-regulatory protein  $\alpha$  SLE : Systemic lupus erythematosus

T Reg : Regulatory T- cells

TAMs : Tumour-associated macrophages

Th : T-helper cells

TLC : Total leucocyte countTNFα : Tumor-necrosis-factor-α

TPO : Thrombopoietin

TPO-R : Thrombopoietin Receptor agonist

TSP: Thrombospondin
TSP-1: Thrombospondin-1
UFH: Unfractionated heparin
vWF: von Willebrand factor

WAS : Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome

WAS P : Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome protien

WBCs : White blood cells

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### Introduction

Immune thrombocytopenic purpura (ITP) is an autoimmune disease characterized by low platelet counts as a result of antibody-mediated destruction of platelets. (*Cines and Blanchette*, 2002).

Platelet autoantibodies are of the immunoglobulin G (IgG) type and are most commonly directed to the glycoprotein IIb/IIIa complex. However, most patients have antibodies directed to several different platelet surface proteins. (*McMillan et al.*,2008).

Extensive research has shown that production of antiplatelet antibodies in ITP is strongly related to the presence of autoreactive T cells and an altered cytokine environment. (Cooper et al., 2007).

Platelets coated with IgG autoantibodies undergo accelerated clearance through Fcγ receptor–mediated phagocytosis by macrophages, usually in the spleen and liver. (*Cines and Blanchette*, 2002).

ITP can be treated with corticosteroids or intravenous gamma globulin (IVIG). (*Oldenborg et al.*, 2000).

In more severe cases of ITP, and in cases of tolerance to corticosteroids, splenectomy may be required to reduce platelet destruction. (*Cines and Blanchette*, 2002).

Signal regulatory protein  $\alpha$  (SIRP $\alpha$ ) is an immunoglobulin (Ig) superfamily member with 1 or 3 extracellular Ig domains (alternative splicing) and an intracellular tail with 2 immunoreceptor. (*Oldenborg*, 2013).

### Introduction and Aim of The Work

SIRP $\alpha$  is expressed preferentially by neurons and myeloid cells such as neutrophils, monocytes, and monocytederived cells. (*Oldenborg et al.*, 2000).

The ligand for (SIRP $\alpha$ ) is the cell-surface glycoprotein CD47 (integrin-associated protein, IAP), which is expressed by virtually all cells in the host. (*Oldenborg et al.*, 2002).

Interaction between target cell CD47 and (SIRP $\alpha$ ) counteracts macrophage phagocytosis of CD47-expressing host cells.Platelets also express CD47, so inhibitory CD47/SIRP $\alpha$  signaling regulates normal platelet turnover and clearance of platelets in (ITP). So targeting SIRP $\alpha$  may be a new means of reducing platelet clearance in ITP (*Mattias et al.*, 2005).