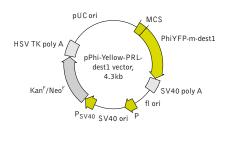


pPhi-Yellow-PRL-dest1 vector

The vector sequence has been compiled using the information from sequence databases, published literature, and other sources, together with partial sequences obtained by Evrogen. This vector has not been completely sequenced.



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Multiple cloning site (MCS)

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* - not unique sites.

Location of features

MCS: 12-89 PhiYFP-m-dest1 Kozak consensus translation initiation site: 90-100 Start codon (ATG): 97-99 Last amino acid in XGFP: 796-798 Stop codon: 934-936 MODC PEST sequence: 814-936 SV40 early mRNA polyadenylation signal Polyadenylation signals: 1091-1096 & 1120-1125 mRNA 3' ends: 1129 & 1141 f1 single-strand DNA origin: 1188-1643 Eukaryotic promoter for expression of Kan^r gene -35 region: 1705-1710: -10 region: 1728-1733 Transcription start point: 1740 SV40 origin of replication: 1984-2119 SV40 early promoter Enhancer (72-bp tandem repeats): 1817-1888 & 1889-1960 21-bp repeats: 1964-1984, 1985-2005 & 2007-2027 Early promoter element: 2040-2046 Major transcription start points: 2036, 2074, 2080 & 2085

Kanamycin/neomycin resistance gene

Neomycin phosphotransferase coding sequences: Start codon (ATG): 2168-2170; Stop codon: 2960-2962 G->A mutation to remove Pst I site: 2350 C->A (Arg to Ser) mutation to remove BssH II site: 2696

Herpes simplex virus (HSV) thymidine kinase (TK) polyadenylation signal

Polyadenylation signals: 3198-3203 & 3211-3216 pUC plasmid replication origin: 3547-4190

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Vector description

pPhi-Yellow-PRL-dest1 is a promoterless vector encoding destabilized variant of the yellow fluorescent protein, PhiYFP-m, which can be used as *in vivo* reporter of promoter activity. To generate PhiYFP-m-dest1 variant, residues 422-461 of mouse ornithine decarboxylase (MODC) were fused to the PhiYFP-m C-terminus. This MODC region contains a PEST amino acid sequence that targets the protein for degradation and provides for rapid protein turnover [Li et al. 1998]. PhiYFP-m-dest1 retains fluorescent properties of the native protein and has a half-life of approximately 1-1.5 hours, as measured by fluorescence intensity of cells treated with the protein synthesis inhibitor, cycloheximide. Rapid PhiYFP-m-dest1 turnover allows accurate analysis of changes in gene regulation.

PhiYFP-m-dest1 codon usage is optimized for high expression in mammalian cells (humanized) [Haas et al. 1996]. To increase mRNA translation efficiency, Kozak consensus translation initiation site is generated upstream of PhiYFP-m-dest1 coding sequence [Kozak 1987].

Multiple cloning site (MCS) is located upstream of the Kozak consensus translation initiation site and can be used to clone a promoter or a promoter/enchancer combination of interest. Without the addition of a functional promoter, this vector will not express PhiYFP-m-dest1.

The vector backbone contains SV40 origin for replication in mammalian cells expressing SV40 T-antigen, pUC origin of replication for propagation in *E. coli* and f1 origin for single-stranded DNA production. SV40 polyadenylation signals (SV40 poly A) direct proper processing of the 3'-end of the reporter mRNA.

SV40 early promoter (P_{SV40}) provides neomycin resistance gene (Neo^r) expression to select stably transfected eukaryotic cells using G418. Bacterial promoter (P) provides kanamycin resistance gene expression (Kan^r) in *E. coli*. Kan^r/Neo^r gene is linked with herpes simplex virus (HSV) thymidine kinase (TK) polyadenylation signals.

Note: The plasmid DNA was isolated from dam⁺ -methylated *E.coli*. Therefore some restriction sites are blocked by methylation. If you wish to digest the vector using such sites you will need to transform the vector into a dam⁺ host and make fresh DNA.

Expression in mammalian cells

The vector will express PhiYFP-m-dest1 under the control of functional promoter cloned into the vector's MCS. pPhi-Yellow-PRL-dest1 vector can be transfected into mammalian cells by any known transfection method. If required, stable transformants can be selected using G418 [Gorman 1985].

Note: pPhi-Yellow-dest1 vector (Cat.# FP608) expressing PhiYFP-m-dest1 under the control of CMV promoter can be used as a positive control to pPhi-Yellow-PRL-dest1 vector.

Propagation in E. coli

Suitable host strains for propagation in *E. coli* include DH5alpha, HB101, XL1-Blue, and other general purpose strains. Plasmid incompatibility group is pMB1/ColE1. The vector confers resistance to kanamycin ($30 \mu g/ml$) to *E. coli* hosts. Copy number in *E. coli* is about 500.

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Product	Cat.#	Size	
pPhi-Yellow-PRL-dest1 vector	FP605	20 μ g	
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Vector type	promoterless ex	promoterless expression vector	
Reporter	PhiYFP-m	PhiYFP-m	
Reporter codon usage	mammalian	mammalian	
Promoter for PhiYFP-m	NO	NO	
Host cells	mammalian, pro	mammalian, prokaryotic	
Selection	prokaryotic - kanamycin		
	eukaryotic - neomycin (G418)		
Replication	prokaryotic - pUC ori		
	eukaryotic - SV40 ori		
Use	Monitoring of activity of different promoters and		
	promoter/enhancer combinations		