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Tg(hsp70l:Gal4)1.5kca4

Transgene description

The *Tg(hsp70l:Gal4)1.5kca4* transgene contains the GAL4 cDNA under control of a 1.5 kb fragment from the *hsp70* promoter (Scheer et al., Development 128:1099-1107, 2001).

Genotyping assay

To genotype the Tg(hsp70l:Gal4)1.5kca4 line, the transgene-specific primers (AN001 and AN002) are used.

Primers:

AN001: 5' CGC TAC TCT CCC AAA ACC AAA AGG 3' AN002: 5' TCT CTT CCG ATG ATG ATG TCG CAC 3'

PCR program (55_30_30):

1_94°C for 3 min 2_94°C for 30 s 3_55°C for 30 s 4_72°C for 30 s 5_Go to step 2 (above) for 34 cycles 6_72°C for 5 min 7_8.0°C hold 8 END

Product size: 292 bp

The 292-bp product is specific for the genomic DNA containing the Tg(hsp70l:Gal4)1.5kca4 transgene. No PCR product is generated for wild-type genomic DNA.

IMPORTANT NOTE: It is possible that multiple copies of the transgene might have integrated into the genome during transgenesis and that some of these integrations are non-functional. Samples that contain only a non-functional transgene or its fragment will be identified falsely as positive in the genotyping assay. For this reason, it is recommended to use functional assays to verify individuals identified as positive in the genotyping assay.