

## ***Tg(-0.5zp3b:GFP)m1032***

### **Transgene description**

The *Tg(-0.5zp3b:GFP)m1032* transgene contains the GFP cDNA under control of a 412-bp fragment derived from the *zp3b* promoter (Onichtchouk et al., Developmental Dynamics 228: 393-404, 2003).

### **Genotyping assay**

To genotype the *Tg(-0.5zp3b:GFP)m1032* line, the transgene-specific primers (**ZPA22** and **MGA11**) are used.

### **Primers:**

**ZPA22:** 5' GGT GAT GAA GCG TTT GTC AGT AAT C 3'

**MGA11:** 5' GGG TAA GTT TTC CGT ATG TTG CAT C 3'

### **PCR program (55\_30\_40):**

- 1\_94°C for 3 min
- 2\_94°C for 30 s
- 3\_55°C for 30 s
- 4\_72°C for 40 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: 252 bp**

The 252-bp product is specific for the genomic DNA containing the *Tg(-0.5zp3b:GFP)m1032* 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.