Genotyping Protocol: MMRRC 30409

Assay Type: PCR- can distinguish heterozygous animals from homozygous animals

DNA Extraction: DNA from tail snips was extracted using Qiagen's DNeasy Blood and Tissue kit (Cat# 69506). Kit directions for animal tissues were performed with a few minor modifications as follows: repeat AW1 and AW2 wash steps one time, elute in 200ul of AE buffer once.

Strain Description: This strain has IRES-TauLacZ-loxpNeomycin inserted into exon 1 of the roundabout homolog 2 gene (*Robo2*), which is on Chromosome 16. Details can be found in Grieshammer et al (2004) Dev Cell 6:709-17.

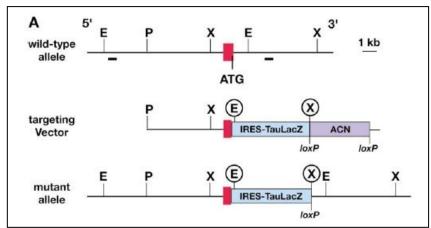


Image from Grieshammer et al (2004) Dev Cell 6:709-17.

Primer Information:

1) Name: M30409 robo2 1 Sequence: 5'-AAG TGC AAC GTC TCT GAA GTC CC-3'
2) Name: M30409 robo2 2 Sequence: 5'-GGC GGA ATT CTT AAT TAA GGC GCG-3'
3) Name: M30409 robo2 3 Sequence: 5'-TTC TTT AGA AGG CAC AAC AAT CTC AGA G-3'

Primer Location: M30409 robo2 1 and robo2 3 are located within the *Robo2* gene on Chromosome 16. M30409 robo2 2 is located in the IRES-TauLacZ-loxpNeomycin.

Assay name: Robo2 PCR

PCR Master Mix Components:

component	manufacturer	concentration	μl/rxn
Buffer with MgCl ₂ (green cap)	Roche	10X	2
dNTP	Promega (cat # U1515)	1.25mM	3.2
M30409 robo2 1	Sigma	25µM	0.3
M30409 robo2 2	Sigma	25µM	0.3
M30409 robo2 3	Sigma	25µM	0.3
FastStart Taq	Roche (Cat # 12032953001)	5 U/µl	0.2
sterile water			12.7

PCR Setup:

Final Reaction: 19µl master mix & 1µl DNA template (10-20ng/µl)

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All reactions were performed in 200µl thin walled PCR tubes and were run in Perkin Elmer 2400 thermocycler or Applied Biosystems 2700 thermocycler.

Cycle Parameters:

 1)
 95°C
 5 minutes

 2)
 94°C
 1 minute

 3)
 63.5°C
 1 minute

 4)
 72°C
 1 minute

5) Repeat steps 2-4 34 times for a total of 35 cycles

6) 72°C 10 minutes

7) 4°C hold until refrigerate product

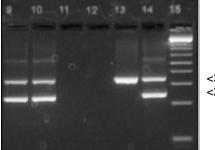
Product Analysis:

All products were analyzed on a 3% agarose gel with ethidium bromide staining.

Heterozygous: 250bp, 342bp

Homozygous: 250bp Wild Type: 342bp

Example gel:



<342bp <250bp

Wells 9 and 10 are heterozygous. Wells 11 and 12 are blanks. Well 13 is a WT control and Well 14 is a heterozygous control. Well 15 is 1Kb+ Ladder (Invitrogen Cat# 10787-018).