

Stellar™ Competent Cells

Catalog No.

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Amount

20 transformations

Lot Number

Specified on product label.

Description

Stellar Competent Cells are an *E. coli* HST08 strain that provides high transformation efficiency. These cells can be used in a wide variety of applications—from preparation of cDNA and genomic libraries to construction of longer-length genomic libraries, subcloning, and even methylated DNA cloning. Stellar Competent Cells lack the gene cluster for cutting foreign methylated DNA (*mrr-hsdRMS-mcrBC* and *mcrA*) and are therefore useful for cloning methylated DNA. The cells can also be used for blue/white screening (i.e., α -complementation) when transformed with vectors containing the *lacZ α* gene. A pUC19 vector is provided as well as SOC Medium. Stellar Competent Cells are recommended for use with In-Fusion™ Snap Assembly cloning kits.

Package Contents

- 10 x 100 μ l Stellar Competent Cells
- 10 x 1 ml SOC Medium
- 10 μ l pUC19 Vector (0.1 ng/ μ l)

Storage Conditions

- Store Stellar Competent Cells at -70°C .
- Store SOC Medium and pUC19 Vector at -20°C .

Expiration Date

- Specified on product label.

Shipping Conditions

- Dry ice

Product Documents

Documents for our products are available for download at takarabio.com/manuals

The following documents apply to this product:

- Stellar Competent Cells Protocol-At-A-Glance

Genotype

- *F*⁻, *endA1*, *supE44*, *thi-1*, *recA1*, *relA1*, *gyrA96*, *phoA*, Φ 80d *lacZ* Δ M15, Δ (*lacZYA-argF*) U169, Δ (*mrr-hsdRMS-mcrBC*), Δ *mcrA*, λ ⁻

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Quality Control Data

Transformation Efficiency

Following the Stellar Competent Cells Protocol-At-A-Glance, 50 µl of cells transformed with 1 ng of pUC19.

Transformants were selected on LB/Amp plates. The transformation efficiency was $>5 \times 10^8$ colonies/µg pUC19.

Confirmation of β -galactosidase α -complementation

When transformed with pUC19 DNA and plated on LB agar containing 100 µg/ml ampicillin and 40 µg/ml X-Gal, blue colony formation was verified.

It is certified that this product meets the above specifications, as reviewed and approved by the Quality Department.

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