



MCS 1

			<u>NheI</u>			<u>HindIII</u>	
		<u>PvuII</u>		<u>NotI</u>			<u>Sall</u>
	<u>BamHI</u>		<u>MluI</u>	<u>EagI</u>	<u>ClaI</u>		<u>EcoRV</u>
601	GGGATCCTCT	AGTCAGCTGA	CGCGTGCTAG	CGCGGCCGCA	TCGATAAGCT	TGTCGACGAT	
	CCCTAGGAGA	TCAGTCGACT	GCGCACGATC	GCGCCGGCGT	AGCTATTTCGA	ACAGCTGCTA	
	<u>EcoRV</u>						
661	ATCTCCAGAG						
	TAGAGGTCTC						

MCS 2

	<u>XbaI</u>	<u>PstI</u>	<u>BglII</u>	<u>ApaI</u>		<u>EcoRI</u>
2981	GATCCTCTAG	ACTGCAGCCT	CAGGAGATCT	GGGCCCCCGC	GGCATATGAC	CGGTGAATTG
	CTAGGAGATC	TGACGTCGGA	GTCCTCTAGA	CCCGGGGGCG	CCGTATACTG	GCCACTTAAG

pBI-CMV1 Vector Map and Multiple Cloning Sites (MCS 1 and 2).

Description

pBI-CMV1 is a mammalian bidirectional expression vector that allows the constitutive expression of two proteins of interest. Protein expression is driven by one of two constitutively active, minimal human cytomegalovirus promoters, $P_{minCMV1}$ and $P_{minCMV2}$ located just upstream of two independent multiple cloning sites (MCS 1 and MCS 2, respectively). To allow propagation and selection in *E. coli*, the vector also contains a ColE1 origin of replication and an ampicillin resistance gene (Amp^r).

Use

pBI-CMV1 is designed to simultaneously and constitutively express two genes of interest. Each gene must be cloned into a different MCS, and contain both an initiation codon and a stop codon. The pBI-CMV1 vector can be transfected into mammalian cells using any standard transfection method.

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Location of features

- Enhancer: 64–473
- P_{minCMV1} (minimal human cytomegalovirus promoter 1): 474–599
- MCS 1 (multiple cloning site 1): 602–663
- SV40 polyA signals: 675–862
- ColE1 origin of replication: 1038–1637
- Amp^r (ampicillin resistance gene): 1799–2659 (complementary)
- SV40 polyA signals: 2795–2982 (complementary)
- MCS 2 (multiple cloning site 2): 2986–3040
- P_{minCMV2} (minimal human cytomegalovirus promoter 2): 3046–3114

Propagation in *E. coli*

- Recommended host strain: DH5 α TM and other general purpose strains.
- Selectable marker: plasmid confers resistance to ampicillin (100 $\mu\text{g/ml}$) in *E. coli* hosts.
- *E. coli* replication origin: ColE1
- Copy number: low
- Plasmid incompatibility group: pMB1/ColE1

Note: The vector sequence was compiled from information in the sequence databases, published literature, and other sources, together with partial sequences obtained by Clontech. This vector has not been completely sequenced.

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