## GENOTYPING BY PCR PROTOCOL MUTANT MOUSE RESOURCE \& RESEARCH: UC DAVIS

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NAME OF PCR: STOCK Tg(Crhr2-cre)RT30Gsat/Mmucd
MMRRC \# 036204-UCD
Protocol:

| Reagent/ Constituent | Volume ( $\mu \mathrm{L}$ ) |
| :---: | :---: |
| Water | 11.275 |
| 10x Buffer | 2.5 |
| $\mathrm{MgCl}_{2}$ (stock concentration is 25 mM ) | 1.7 |
| Betaine (stock concentration is 5M) | 6.5 |
| dNTPs (stock concentration is 10 mM ) | 0.5 |
| DMSO | 0.325 |
| Primer 1 (stock concentration is $20 \mu \mathrm{M}$ ) | 0.5 |
| Primer 2 (stock concentration is $20 \mu \mathrm{M}$ ) | 0.5 |
| Taq Polymerase ( $5 \mathrm{Units} / \mu \mathrm{L}$ ) | 0.2 |
| DNA extracted with $\square \mathrm{NaOH} \quad \boxtimes$ Proteinase $\mathrm{K} \quad \square$ Other: | 1.0 |
| TOTAL VOLUME OF REACTION: | 25 $\mu \mathrm{L}$ |

Comments on protocol:

- Use Touch-Down cycling protocol-first 10 cycles anneal at $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ decreasing in temperature by $1.0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; next 30 cycles anneal at $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$
- Betaine/DMSO is standardized due to high GC content in promoter regions and protocol may be tested without. Also, may adjust $\mathrm{MgCl}_{2}$ to increase reaction or decrease non specific amplifications.


## Strategy:

| Steps | Temp ( ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) | Time (m:ss) | \# of Cycles |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. Initiation/Melting HOT START? $\square$ | 94 | 5:00 | 1 |
| 2. Denaturation | 94 | 0:15 |  |
| 3. Annealing $\}$ steps 2-3-4 will cycle in sequence | 65 to 55 ( $\downarrow^{\left.10^{\circ} / \text { cycle }\right)}$ | 0:30 | 40x |
| 4. Elongation | 72 | 0:40 |  |
| 5. Amplification | 72 | 5:00 | 1 |
| 6. Finish | 4 | $\infty$ | n/a |

## Primers:

| Name | Nucleotide Sequence (5' - 3') |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1: Crhr2 (36204) F | GGGTAGGACAGGCCTAAGAGAGAGG |
| 2: CreGS R1 | CGGCAAACGGACAGAAGCATT |

## Electrophoresis Protocol:

Agarose: 1.5\% V: 90
Estimated Running Time: 90 min.

| Primer Combination | Band | Genotype |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 and 2 | 300 bp | transgenic |
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Lanes

1. $1 \mathrm{~kb}+$ ladder (Invitrogen, Cat. \#10787-026)
2. Non-template control
3. Wild-type \& Cre
4. Crhr2
