

## **Materials**

Item	Order number (if applicable)
PCR machine	
Water bath (42°C) for transformation	
Magnetic plate	Ambion AM10050 (Thermo)
Benchtop centrifuge	
Microplate centrifuge	
Vortex	
96 well U-Bottom Falcon plate	Falcon 351177 (Thermo)
Microcentrifuge tubes	
PCR tubes	
Brooks Life Sciences PCR Foil Seals	4ti-0550
Pipettes/tips 10 and 200 μl	
Agencourt AMPure XP SPRI paramagnetic beads	A6388 (Beckman Coulter)
ddH20	
70% EtOH	
Biolegio BASIC linkers	
NEB Bsal-HF v2 enzyme (R3733) 20 U/μl	R3733 (NEB)
Promega T4 ligase (M1801) 1-3U/μl	M1801 (Promega)
[optional] 10x Assembly Buffer: 0.2 M Tris:HCl (pH 8.0), 0.1 M MgCl2, 0.5 M KCl	
Chemically competent cells (DH5alpha, 1x109 CFU/μg pUC19	C2987I (NEB) or equivalent
SOC media	
Petri dishes	
LB-Agar + antibiotic/s	

### **Method**

## **Preperation of BASIC linkers and parts**

BASIC linkers can be ordered from Biolegio (info@biolegio.com) and will be delivered in a lyophilized format along with linker annealing buffer.

- 1 Spin down plates containing lyophilized linkers.
- 2 Add 150  $\mu$ l of linker annealing buffer to each well, seal the plate with a PCR foil and incubate for 1 hour at room temperate.
- 3 Vortex the plate and collect liquid via centrifugation.
- 4 Conduct the following incubation in a thermocycler:

Temperature (°C)	Time	
95	2 min	
94 (-1 °C/cycle)	40 seconds	x70 cycles
4	Hold	

- 5 Collect the liquid in wells via centrifugation.
- 6 Linkers are ready to use or can be stored at -20°C until required.

### **Clips Reaction**

Below contains a table with each clip needed for the assemblies of the build.

Clip Index	Prefix ID	Part Name	Part suggested stock concentration (ng/µL)	Part stock per 30 µL clip (µL)	Suffix ID	Total assemblies	Assembly indexes	Clip plate mapping
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1	LMS-P	26	141	1	LMP-S	63	62, 63]	nan
		B-P1_Terminato						
		r1_J23119_Rib						
2	LMP-P	oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[1]	nan

3	UTR1-R BS2-P	BASIC_sfGFP_ CDS	146	1	LMS-S	63	[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63]	nan
4	LMP-P	B-P2_Terminato r1_J23111_Rib oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[2]	nan
5	LMP-P	B-P3_Terminato r1_J23104_Rib oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[3]	nan
6	LMP-P	B-P4_Terminato r1_J23101_Rib oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[4]	nan
7	LMP-P	B-P5_Terminato r1_J23108_Rib oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[5]	nan
8	LMP-P	B-P6_Terminato r1_J23106_Rib oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[6]	nan
9	LMP-P	B-P7_Terminato r1_J23105_Rib oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[7]	nan
10	LMP-P	B-P8_Terminato r1_J23116_Rib oA	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[8]	nan

		B-P9_Terminato						
11	LMP-P	r2_J23119_Rib oB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[9]	nan
		B-P10_Terminat or2_J23111_Ri						
12	LMP-P	boB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[10]	nan
		B-P11_Terminat or2_J23104_Ri						
13	LMP-P	boB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[11]	nan
14	LMP-P	B-P12_Terminat or2_J23101_Ri boB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[12]	nan
15	LMP-P	B-P13_Terminat or2_J23108_Ri boB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[13]	nan
16	LMP-P	B-P14_Terminat or2_J23106_Ri boB	121	1	UTR1-S	1		
16	LIVIF-F	B-P15_Terminat	121		UIKI-S		[14]	nan
17	LMP-P	or2_J23105_Ri boB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[15]	nan
18	LMP-P	B-P16_Terminat or2_J23116_Ri boB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[16]	nan
19	LMP-P	B-P17_Terminat or3_J23119_Ri boC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[17]	nan
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21	LMP-P	B-P19_Terminat or3_J23104_Ri boC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[19]	nan
22	LMP-P	B-P20_Terminat or3_J23101_Ri boC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[20]	nan
23	LMP-P	B-P21_Terminat or3_J23108_Ri boC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[21]	nan
24	LMP-P	B-P22_Terminat or3_J23106_Ri boC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[22]	nan
25	LMP-P	B-P23_Terminat or3_J23105_Ri boC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[23]	nan
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31	LMP-P	B-P29_Terminat or1_LuxR_Ribo A	122	1	UTR1-S	1	[29]	nan
32	LMP-P	B-P30_Terminat or1_CinR_Ribo A	130	1	UTR1-S	1	[30]	nan
33	LMP-P	B-P31_Terminat or1_Lacl_RiboA	122	1	UTR1-S	1	[31]	nan
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36	LMP-P	B-P34_Terminat or2_CymR_Rib oB	123	1	UTR1-S	1	[34]	nan
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38	LMP-P	B-P36_Terminat or2_VanR_Ribo B	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[36]	nan
39	LMP-P	B-P37_Terminat or2_LuxR_Ribo B	122	1	UTR1-S	1	[37]	nan
40	LMP-P	B-P38_Terminat or2_CinR_Ribo B	130	1	UTR1-S	1	[38]	nan
41	LMP-P	B-P39_Terminat or2_Lacl_RiboB	122	1	UTR1-S	1	[39]	nan
42	LMP-P	B-P40_Terminat or2_AraC_Ribo B	132	1	UTR1-S	1	[40]	nan
43	LMP-P	B-P41_Terminat or3_Phlf_RiboC	122	1	UTR1-S	1	[41]	nan

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		B-P42_Terminat or3_CymR_Rib						
44	LMP-P	oC	123	1	UTR1-S	1	[42]	nan
		B-P43_Terminat						
45	LMP-P	or3_TetR_Ribo C	122	1	UTR1-S	1	[43]	nan
		B-P44_Terminat						
46	LMP-P	or3_VanR_Ribo C	121	1	UTR1-S	1	   [44]	nan
		B-P45_Terminat					1	
47	LMP-P	or3_LuxR_Ribo C	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[45]	nan
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48	LMP-P	or3_CinR_Ribo	129	1	UTR1-S	1	[46]	nan
40	LIVIF-F	B-P47_Terminat	129		UIKI-3		[40]	nan
49	LMP-P	or3_Lacl_RiboC	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[47]	nan
		B-P48_Terminat or3_AraC_Ribo						
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		B-P49_Terminat						
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		B-P50_Terminat						
52	LMP-P	or1_T7_52_Rib oA	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[50]	nan
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55	LMP-P	or2_T7_100_Ri boB	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[53]	nan
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58	LMP-P	or2_T7_25_Rib	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[56]	nan
30	LIVIT-P	oB B-P57_Terminat	120	1	UIKI-S	1	[56]	nan
		or3_T7_100_Ri	400		LITTE			
59	LMP-P	boC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[57]	nan

60	LMP-P	B-P58_Terminat or3_T7_52_Rib oC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[58]	nan
61	LMP-P	B-P59_Terminat or3_T7_50_Rib oC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[59]	nan
62	LMP-P	B-P60_Terminat or3_T7_25_Rib oC	120	1	UTR1-S	1	[60]	nan
63	LMP-P	B-P61_Terminat or1_Betl_RiboA	122	1	UTR1-S	1	[61]	nan
64	LMP-P	B-P62_Terminat or2_Ttg_RiboB	121	1	UTR1-S	1	[62]	nan
65	LMP-P	B-P63_Terminat or3_SalTTC_Ri boC	124	1	UTR1-S	1	[63]	nan

Prepare a Master mix for clip reactions, the below table provides the required components for the master mix with sufficient quantities for all clip reactions.

Component	Volume per clip (μL)
Promega T4 DNA Ligase 10x Buffer	219.0
Water	1131.5
NEB Bsal-HFv2	73.0
Promega T4 DNA Ligase	36.5

For each Clip reaction, setup 1 PCR tube with 30 µl total volume:

Dispense 20 uL master mix, 1  $\mu$ l of each prefix and suffix Linker, 1  $\mu$ l of part (or more depending on concentration) into a PCR tube and make up to 30  $\mu$ l with water.

After mixing, tubes are placed in a PCR machine running the following programme:

Temperature (°C)	Time	
37	2 min	
20	1 min	x20 cycles
60	5 min	

### **Magbead purification**

Prepare fresh 70% EtOH (0.5 ml per BASIC reaction) and bring magnetic beads (AmpureXP or Ampliclean) stored at 4°C back into homogeneous mix by shaking thoroughly.

- 1 Add 54 μl of magnetic beads into 96 well Falcon plate (one well per BASIC reaction) and add the 30 μl BASIC linker ligation from the PCR machine step, mix by pipetting 10 times.
- 2 Wait 5 min to allow DNA binding to magbeads.
- 3 Place Falcon plate on magnetic stand and wait for rings to form and solution to clear.
- 4 Aspirate most of the solution with a 200  $\mu$ L pipette set to 80  $\mu$ L.

- 5 Add 190  $\mu$ l 70% EtOH to each well and wait 30 s.
- 6 Remove solution from each well (pipette set to 200 μl volume)
- 7 Add 190  $\mu$ l 70% EtOH to each well and wait 30 s.
- 8 Remove solution from each well (pipette set to 200 μl volume)
- 9 Leave the plate to dry for 1-2 min.
- 10 Remove Falcon plate from magnet and resuspend magbeads in 32 µl dH20.
- 11 Wait 1 min for DNA to elute.
- 12 Place Falcon plate back on magnetic stand and allow ring to form and solution to clear.
- 13 Transfer 30  $\mu$ l of purified clip reaction into a clean microcentrifuge tube or well and store at at -20°C for up to 1 month.

#### **Assembly reaction**

Below contains a table with each BASIC assembly within your build

Assembly Index	Assembly ID	Clip indexes	Assembly plate mapping
1	promoter_construct_0	[1, 2, 3]	nan
2	promoter_construct_1	[1, 4, 3]	nan
3	promoter_construct_2	[1, 5, 3]	nan
4	promoter_construct_3	[1, 6, 3]	nan
5	promoter_construct_4	[1, 7, 3]	nan
6	promoter_construct_5	[1, 8, 3]	nan
7	promoter_construct_6	[1, 9, 3]	nan
8	promoter_construct_7	[1, 10, 3]	nan
9	promoter_construct_8	[1, 11, 3]	nan
10	promoter_construct_9	[1, 12, 3]	nan
11	promoter_construct_10	[1, 13, 3]	nan
12	promoter_construct_11	[1, 14, 3]	nan
13	promoter_construct_12	[1, 15, 3]	nan
14	promoter_construct_13	[1, 16, 3]	nan
15	promoter_construct_14	[1, 17, 3]	nan
16	promoter_construct_15	[1, 18, 3]	nan
17	promoter_construct_16	[1, 19, 3]	nan
18	promoter_construct_17	[1, 20, 3]	nan
19	promoter_construct_18	[1, 21, 3]	nan
20	promoter_construct_19	[1, 22, 3]	nan
21	promoter_construct_20	[1, 23, 3]	nan
22	promoter_construct_21	[1, 24, 3]	nan
23	promoter_construct_22	[1, 25, 3]	nan
24	promoter_construct_23	[1, 26, 3]	nan

25	promoter_construct_24	[1, 27, 3]	nan
26	promoter_construct_25	[1, 28, 3]	nan
27	promoter_construct_26	[1, 29, 3]	nan
28	promoter_construct_27	[1, 30, 3]	nan
29	promoter_construct_28	[1, 31, 3]	nan
30	promoter_construct_29	[1, 32, 3]	nan
31	promoter_construct_30	[1, 33, 3]	nan
32	promoter_construct_31	[1, 34, 3]	nan
33	promoter_construct_32	[1, 35, 3]	nan
34	promoter_construct_33	[1, 36, 3]	nan
35	promoter_construct_34	[1, 37, 3]	nan
36	promoter_construct_35	[1, 38, 3]	nan
37	promoter_construct_36	[1, 39, 3]	nan
38	promoter_construct_37	[1, 40, 3]	nan
39	promoter_construct_38	[1, 41, 3]	nan
40	promoter_construct_39	[1, 42, 3]	nan
41	promoter_construct_40	[1, 43, 3]	nan
42	promoter_construct_41	[1, 44, 3]	nan
43	promoter_construct_42	[1, 45, 3]	nan
44	promoter_construct_43	[1, 46, 3]	nan
45	promoter_construct_44	[1, 47, 3]	nan
46	promoter_construct_45	[1, 48, 3]	nan
47	promoter_construct_46	[1, 49, 3]	nan
48	promoter_construct_47	[1, 50, 3]	nan
49	promoter_construct_48	[1, 51, 3]	nan
50	promoter_construct_49	[1, 52, 3]	nan
51	promoter_construct_50	[1, 53, 3]	nan
52	promoter_construct_51	[1, 54, 3]	nan
53	promoter_construct_52	[1, 55, 3]	nan
54	promoter_construct_53	[1, 56, 3]	nan
55	promoter_construct_54	[1, 57, 3]	nan
56	promoter_construct_55	[1, 58, 3]	nan
57	promoter_construct_56	[1, 59, 3]	nan
58	promoter_construct_57	[1, 60, 3]	nan
59	promoter_construct_58	[1, 61, 3]	nan
60	promoter_construct_59	[1, 62, 3]	nan
61	promoter_construct_60	[1, 63, 3]	nan
62	promoter_construct_61	[1, 64, 3]	nan

63	promoter construct 62	[1, 65, 3]	nan
		[ [ - , , - ]	1

For each BASIC assembly, combine the required purified clip reactions in a final volume of 10  $\mu$ l in 1x Assembly or NEB CutSmart buffer as follows:

Reagent	Volume
10x Assembly Buffer (or 10x NEB CutSmart)	1 μΙ
Each purified clip reaction required for the assembly	1 μl for each
dH20	Top up to 10 μl total volume

Run assembly reaction in PCR machine with following programme

Temperature (°C)	Time
50	45 min
4	Hold

#### **Transformation**

Use 50  $\mu$ l of chemically competent cells DH5alpha with high transformation efficiency (109 CFU/ $\mu$ g pUC19, for instance NEB C2987I) to transform 5  $\mu$ l of each BASIC assembly:

- 1 Chemically competent cells are stored at -80°C.
- 2 Thaw competent cells on ice (takes 5-10 min); 50 μl per BASIC assembly to be transformed.
- 3 Cool 5  $\mu$ l of BASIC DNA assembly in 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube on ice.
- 4 Add 50  $\mu$ l of competent cells to each precooled 5  $\mu$ l BASIC reaction.
- 5 Incubate on ice for 20 min.
- 6 Apply heat shock in 42°C water bath for 45s and place back on ice for 2 min.
- 7 Add 200 µl SOC medium to each tube and incubate shaking at 37°C for 1h recovery.
- 8 Spot or plate cells on agar plates with appropriate antibiotics. Depending on number of parts assembled and transformation efficiency 2-250 μl might be spotted or plated.
- 9 Incubate agar plates at 37°C overnight, next day pick colony for assay or miniprep.