HT115(DE3) Competent Cells

Cat: C3760
Size: 10×100μL/20×100μL
Storage: Store at -70°C to avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

Product Parameters:
English name: HT115(DE3) Competent cells

Genotype: F-mcrA mcrB, IN(rrnD-rrnE)1 rnc14::Tn10λ(DE3 lavUV5::T7 polymerase)

Strain Resistance: Sensitive to ampicillin, kanamycin, spectacular, chloramphenicol, and streptomycin. Has tetracycline resistance.

Introduction:

HT115(DE3) is an RNase III defective Escherichia coli strain that can be expressed by IPTG induction to produce dsRNA. It is used for RNAi interference assay. The strain also has the DE3 region of λ phage, which can express T7 RNA polymerase, and is suitable for the efficient expression of prokaryotic expression vectors containing T7 promoters(such as pET, etc.). Non-t7 promoter expression vectors(such as pGEX, pMal, pTrc, etc.) can also be expressed in this strain. HT115(DE3) competent cells were prepared by a special process. The conversion efficiency of pUC19 plasmid was 1×10^6 cfu/μg DNA.

Protocols:

1. Plasmid transformation steps

1) The competent cells are placed in an ice water bath to defreeze. After the cells are just defreeze, the target plasmid was added to the cells, dial the bottom of the tube with your finger, and mix gently;
2) Place in ice bath for 30min, do not shake;
3) Heat shock at 42℃ for 60s, do not shake;
4) Place in ice bath for 2min, do not shake;
5) Add 500μL sterile SOC or LB medium;
6) The culture was placed in a shaking table at 37℃, 150-200rpm for 60min.
7) Take 50-100μL bacterial solution and apply it on LB plate containing corresponding antibiotics. After the liquid was drained, the plate was turned upside down and cultured at 37℃ for 12-16h.

(**Plate scribing separation method:** After the recovery culture, centrifuge at 12000rpm for 30s, discard the supernatant, leave about 100μL of liquid, gently blow the bacteria with 200μL suction head, take 10μL of suspended bacterial liquid into more drops on the plate, tilt the suction head, and use the side of the suction head to scribing the liquid dripping on the plate. This method can obtain a larger monoclonal colony. This method is mainly suitable for plasmid transformation, and the conversion of link products is best by coating.)

(**Rapid plasmid transformation steps:** For ampicillin resistant plasmids, shorten the time of step 2

to 5min. After completing step 4, it can be directly coated or marked on the ampicillin resistant LB plate. Other resistant plasmids still require 60min of resuscitation.)

2. Protein expression Procedure

1) Single colonies were selected and inoculated into 5mL LB medium with antibiotics;

2) The bacteria were incubated at 37℃ and 200rpm to logarithmic growth stage(OD600=0.4-0.8).

3) IPTG was added until the final concentration was 0.4mM, and the bacteria were induced at 37℃ for 2-4h or at 16℃ overnight.

4) After induction, the bacteria were collected by centrifugation, and the total protein, supernatant and precipitated components of the lysate of the bacteria were analyzed by appropriate methods(such as Coomassie brilliant blue stain method, Western-Blot method or enzyme activity analysis), and the expression status of the products(soluble or insoluble expression) was clearly expressed.

5) For large amounts of expression, 10mL overnight culture can be transferred to 1L medium, and when the culture reaches OD600=0.4-0.8, IPTG with a final concentration of 0.4mM is added, and induced at 37℃ for 2-4h or 16℃ overnight. (The optimal conditions for expression of different proteins are different, and need to be optimized in the experiment.)

Notes:

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