# Certificate of Analysis



# pLVX-IRES-tdTomato Vector

Catalog No. Amount Lot Number

631238 20 μg Specified on product label.

## **Description**

The pLVX-IRES-tdTomato Vector is a bicistronic lentiviral expression vector that can be used to generate high-titer lentivirus for transducing dividing or nondividing mammalian cells. The vector contains an internal ribosomal entry site (IRES) which allows a gene-of-interest and the tdTomato fluorescent protein to be simultaneously coexpressed from a single mRNA transcript. When used with the Lenti-X<sup>TM</sup> Packaging Single Shots (VSV-G) (Cat. No. 631275 & 631276) and the Lenti-X 293T Cell Line (Cat. No. 632180), the vector generates high titers of replication-incompetent, VSV-G-pseudotyped lentivirus.

## **Package Contents**

• 20 μg pLVX-IRES-tdTomato Vector (500 ng/μl)

## **Storage Conditions**

- Store plasmids at -20°C.
- Spin briefly to recover contents.
- Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

## **Expiration Date**

• Specified on product label.

### Storage Buffer

• 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.0), 1 mM EDTA (pH 8.0)

## Concentration

• 500 ng/μl

#### **Shipping Conditions**

• Dry ice

### **Product Documents**

Documents for our products are available for download at <u>takarabio.com/manuals</u> The following documents apply to this product:

- Lenti-X Lentiviral Expression Systems User Manual
- pLVX-IRES-tdTomato Vector Information

## Propagation in *E. coli*

- Recommended host strain: Stellar<sup>TM</sup> Competent Cells (Takara Bio, Cat. No. 636763).
- Selectable marker: Plasmids confer resistance to ampicillin (100 μg/ml) in *E. coli* hosts.
- E. coli replication origin: pUC

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# **Quality Control Data**

# Plasmid Identity & Purity

• Digestion with the indicated restriction enzymes produced fragments of the indicated sizes on a 0.8% agarose/EtBr gel:

Vector	Enzymes	<b>Fragments</b>
pLVX-IRES-tdTomato Vector	XhoI	8.9 kb
	KɒnI	2.3 & 6.6 kb

• Vector identity was confirmed by sequencing.

• A<sub>260</sub>/A<sub>280</sub>: 1.8–2.0

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

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