

# pDRIVE5s-hCD14

A plasmid with a native tissue specific human CD14 promoter

Catalog # pdrive5s-hcd14

For research use only

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## PRODUCT INFORMATION

### Content:

- 1 disk of lyophilized GT116 *E. coli* bacteria transformed by a pDRIVE5s plasmid.
- GT116 genotype is: *F*-, *mcrA*,  $\Delta$ (*mrr-hsdRMS-mcrBC*),  $\Delta$ 80*lacZ* $\Delta$ M15,  $\Delta$ *lacX74*, *recA1*, *endA1*  $\Delta$ *dcm*  $\Delta$ *sb*C-*sb*C*D*.
- 4 pouches of *E. coli* Fast-Media® Zeo (2 TB and 2 Agar)

### Shipping and storage:

- Products are shipped at room temperature.
- Transformed bacteria should be stored at -20°C. Bacteria are stable up to one year when properly stored.
- Store *E. coli* Fast-Media® Zeo at room temperature. Fast-Media® pouches are stable 18 months when stored properly.

### Quality control:

- Plasmid construct has been confirmed by restriction analysis and sequencing.
- Bacteria have been lyophilized, and their viability upon resuspension has been verified.

## GENERAL PRODUCT USE

pDRIVE5s is an expression plasmid containing a native or composite promoter of interest. pDRIVE5s may be used to:

- **Subclone a promoter of interest into another vector.** Unique restriction sites are present at each end of the promoter allowing convenient excision. The 5' sites are *Sda* I, and *Spe* I. *Sda* I is compatible with *Nsi* I and *Pst* I. *Spe* I is compatible with *Avr* II, *Nhe* I and *Xba* I. The 3' restriction site is *Nco* I which includes the ATG start codon, and is compatible with *BspH* I and *BspLU11* I.
- **Compare the activity of different promoters** in transient transfection experiments. Each pDRIVE5s promoter drives the expression of the SEAP reporter gene which allows for testing of the promoter's activity in transient transfection experiments. Furthermore, the SEAP gene is flanked by unique restriction sites (*Nco* I and *Nhe* I) for easy replacement with a different gene of interest.

## PROMOTER CHARACTERISTICS

### Human CD14 promoter

Complete Promoter size: 613 bp  
Specificity: Monocytic cells

CD14 is a receptor for bacterial lipopolysaccharide expressed on the surface of myeloid-derived cells, and is strongly upregulated during monocytic cell differentiation. Monocyte-specific expression of CD14 is regulated at the transcriptional level. The CD14 promoter contains a C/EBP<sup>1</sup> and Sp1<sup>2</sup> site that are critical for tissue-specific regulation of CD14 gene expression.

1. Pan Z. et al. 1999. CCAAT/enhancer-binding protein activates the CD14 promoter and mediates transforming growth factor beta signaling in monocyte development. *J Biol Chem* 274(33):23242-8. 2. Park S. et al. 2002. Synergistic interaction of MEF2D and Sp1 in activation of the CD14 promoter. *Mol Immunol* 39(1-2):25.

## PLASMID FEATURES

- **SEAP gene** encodes an engineered secreted embryonic alkaline phosphatase. The levels of SEAP in the culture medium of transfected cells expressing the reporter gene can be assayed with chromogenic or luminescent methods
  - **SV40 pAn:** The Simian Virus 40 late polyadenylation signal enables efficient cleavage and polyadenylation reactions resulting in high levels of steady-state mRNA.
  - **pMB1 Ori** is a minimal *E. coli* origin of replication with the same activity as the longer Ori.
  - **EM2K** is a bacterial promoter that enables the constitutive expression of the antibiotic resistance gene in *E. coli*.
  - **Zeo** gene confers zeocin resistance therefore allowing the selection of transformed *E. coli* carrying a pDRIVE5s plasmid.
- Note: Stable transfection of clones cannot be performed due to the absence of an eukaryotic promoter upstream of the Sh ble gene.*

## METHODS

### Growth of pDRIVE5s-transformed bacteria:

Use sterile conditions to do the following:

- 1- Resuspend the lyophilized *E. coli* by adding 1 ml of LB medium in the tube containing the disk. Let sit for 5 minutes. Mix gently by inverting the tube several times.
- 2- Streak bacteria taken from this suspension on a zeocin LB agar plate prepared with the *E. coli* Fast-Media® Zeo agar provided (see below).
- 3- Place the plate in an incubator at 37°C overnight.
- 4- Isolate a single colony and grow the bacteria in TB supplemented with zeocin using the Fast-Media® Zeo liquid provided (see below).
- 5- Extract the pDRIVE5s plasmid DNA using the method of your choice.

### Selection of bacteria with *E. coli* Fast-Media Zeo:

*E. coli* Fast-Media® Zeo is a **new, fast and convenient** way to prepare liquid and solid media for bacterial culture by using only a microwave. *E. coli* Fast-Media® Zeo is a TB (liquid) or LB (solid) based medium with zeocin, and contains stabilizers.  
*E. coli* Fast-Media® Zeo can be ordered separately (catalog code fas-zn-l, fas-zn-s).

### Method:

- 1- Pour the contents of a pouch into a clean borosilicate glass bottle or flask.
- 2- Add 200 ml of distilled water to the flask
- 3- Heat in a microwave on MEDIUM power setting (about 400Watts), until bubbles start appearing (approximately 3 minutes). **Do not heat a closed container. Do not autoclave Fast-Media®.**
- 4- Swirl gently to mix the preparation. **Be careful, the bottle and media are hot, use heatproof pads or gloves and care when handling.**
- 5- Reheat the media for 30 seconds and gently swirl again. Repeat as necessary to completely dissolve the powder into solution. But be careful to avoid overboiling and volume loss.
- 6- Let agar medium cool to 45°C before pouring plates. Let liquid media cool to 37°C before seeding bacteria.

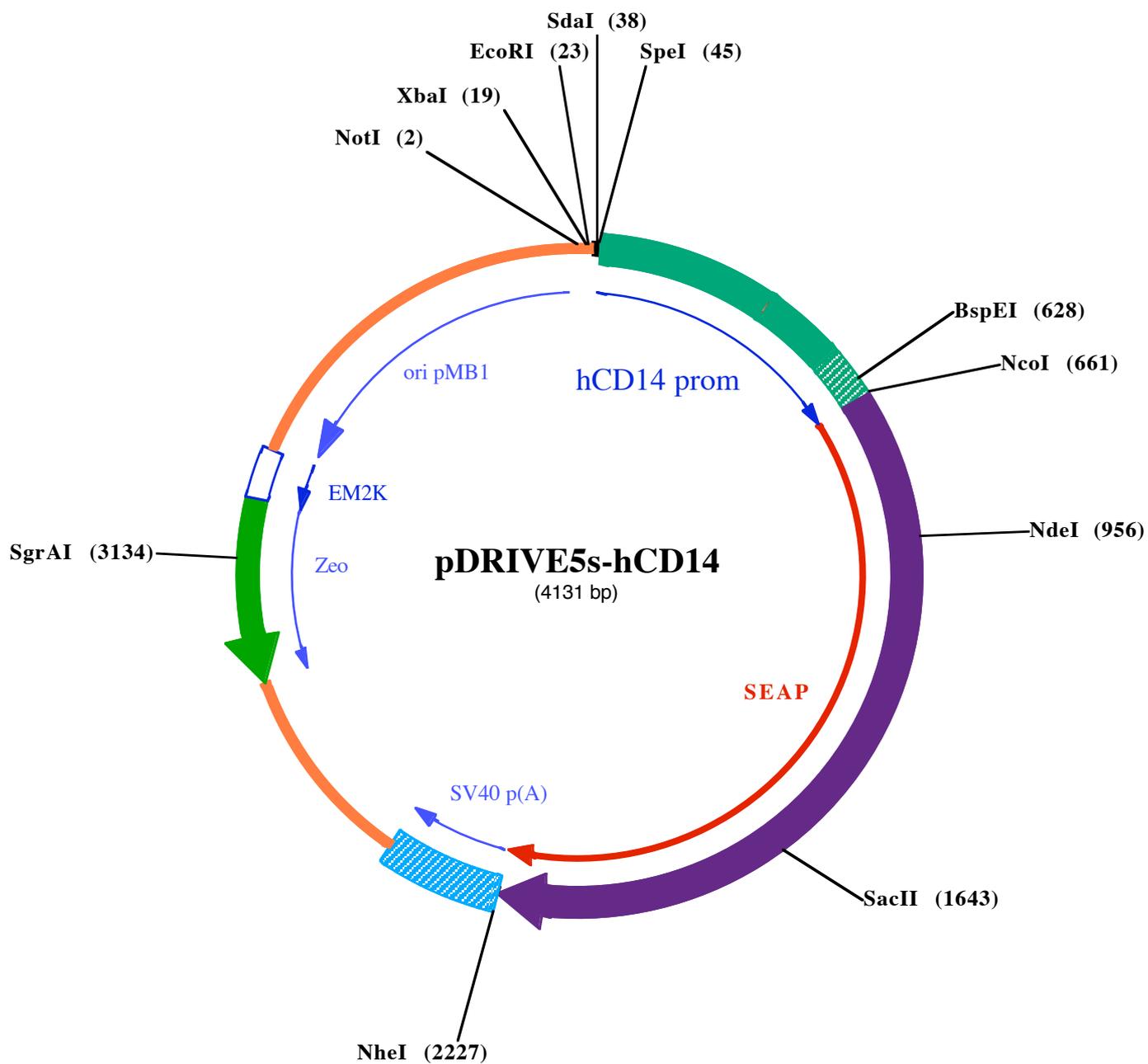
*Note: Do not reheat solidified Fast-Media® as the antibiotic will be permanently destroyed by the procedure.*

## TECHNICAL SUPPORT

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EcoRI (23)

NotI (2) XbaI (19) SdaI (38) SpeI (45)

1 CGCGCCGCGTCGACGATATCTAGAATTCGGATCCTGCAGGGCCACTAGTGCCAACAGATGAGGTTACAATCTCTCCACAAAACATGCAGTTAAATAT
101 CTGAGGATATTCAGGGACTTGGATTGGTGGCAGGAGATCAACATAAACCAAGACAAGGAAGAAGTCAAAGAAATGAATCAAGTAGATTCTCTGGGATAT
201 AAGGTAGGGGGATTGGGGGTTGGATAGTGCAGAGTATGGTACTGGCCTAAGGCACTGAGGATCATCCTTTTCCACACCCACCAGAGAAGGCTTAGGCT
301 CCCGAGTCAACAGGGCATTACCGCCTGGGGCGCTGAGTCATCAGGACACTGCCAGGAGACACAGAACCCTAGATGCCCTGCAGAATCCTTCTGTAC
401 GGTCCCCCTCCTGAAACATCCTTCATTGCAATATTTCCAGGAAAGGAAGGGGGTGGCTCGGAGGAAGAGAGGTGGGGAGGTGATCAGGGTTCACAGAG
501 GAGGGAAGTGAATGACATCCAGGATTACATAAACTGTCAGAGGCAGCCGAAGAGTTCACAAGTGTGAAGCCTGGAAGCCGGCGGGTGCCTGTGTAGG

BspEI (628)

NeoI (661)

601 AAAGAAGCTAAAGCACTTCCAGAGCCTGTCCGGAGCTCAGAGGTTCGGAAGACTTATCGACCATGTTCTGGGGCCCTGCATGCTGCTGCTGCTGCT
701 GCTGGGCCTGAGGCTACAGCTCCTCGGATCATCCCAGTTGAGGAGGAGAACCCGGACTTCTGGAACCGGAGGAGCCGAGCCCTGGGTGCCGCC
130 L G L R L Q L S L G I I P V E E E N P D F W N R E A A E A L G A A
801 AAGAAGCTGCAGCCTGCACAGACAGCCGCAAGAACCTCATCATCTTCTGGGCGATGGGATGGGGTGTCTACGGTACAGCTGCCAGGATCCTAAAG
47 K K L Q P A Q T A A K N L I I F L G D G M G V S T V T A A R I L K

NdeI (956)

901 GGCAGAAGAAGGACAACTGGGGCCTGAGATACCCTGGCTATGGACCGCTTCCCATATGTGGCTGTCCAAGACATACAATGTAGACAAACATGTGCC
80 G Q K K D K L G P E I P L A M D R F P Y V A L S K T Y N V D K H V P
1001 AGACAGTGGAGCCACAGCCACGGCTACCTGTGCGGGTCAAGGGCAACTTCCAGACCATTGGCTTGTAGTGCAGCCGCCGCTTTAACCAGTGAACAGG
113 D S G A T A T A Y L C G V K G N F Q T I G L S A A A R F N Q C N T
1101 ACACGGCGCAACGAGGTATCTCCGTGATGAATCGGGCAAGAAAGCAGGGAAGTCAAGTGGGAGTGGTAACCACACAGAGTGCAGCAGCCTGCCAG
147 T R G N E V I S V M N R A K A G K S V G V V T T R V Q H A S P
1201 CCGGCACCTACGCCACACGGTGAACCGCAACTGGTACTCGGACGCGCAGCTGCCTCGGCCGCCAGGAGGGTGGCAGGACATCGTACGCACT
180 A G T Y A H T V N R N W Y S D A D V P A S A R Q E G C Q D I A T Q L
1301 CATCTCAACATGGACATTGATGTATCCTGGGTGGAGGCCGAAAGTACATGTTTCGCATGGGAACCCAGACCCTGAGTACCCAGATGACTACAGCCAA
213 I S N M D I D V I L G G G R K Y M F R M G T P D P E Y P D D Y S Q
1401 GGTGGGACAGCTGGACGGGAAGACTGGTGCAGGAATGGCTGGCGAAGCCAGGCTGCCCGGTATGTGTGGAACCCACTGAGCTCATGCAGGCTT
247 G G T R L D G K N L V Q E W L A K R Q G A R Y V W N R T E L M Q A
1501 CCCTGACCCGCTGTGACCCATCTCATGGGTCTCTTTGAGCCTGGAGACATGAAATACGAGATCCACCGAGACTCCACACTGGACCCCTCCTGATGGA
280 S L D P S V T H L M G L F E P G D M K Y E I H R D S T L D P S L M E

SacII (1643)

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1701 GCTTACGGGCACTGACTGAGACGATCATGTTGACGACGCCATTGAGAGGGCGGCCAGCTCACCAGCGAGGAGACGCTGAGCCTCGTACTGCCG
347 A Y R A L T E T I M F D D A I E R A G Q L T S E E D T L S L V T A
1801 ACCACTCCACGCTTCTCCTCGGAGGCTACCCCTCGGAGGAGCTCCATCTTCGGGCTGGCCCTGGCAAGGCCGGGACGGAAGGCATACACGGT
380 D H S H V F S F G G Y P L R G S S I F G L A P G K A R D R K A Y T V
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413 L L Y G N G P G Y V L K D G A R P D V T E S E S G S P E Y R Q Q S
2001 GCAGTGCCCTGGACGAAGAGACCCACGCAGGCGAGGACGTGGCGGTGTTGCGCGCGGCCCGCAGGCGCACCTGGTTCACGGCGTGCAGGAGCAGACCT
447 A V P L D E E T H A G E D V A V F A R G P Q A H L V H G V Q E Q T
2101 TCATAGCGACGTCATGGCTTCCGCGCTGCTGGAGCCCTACCCGCTGCGACCTGGCGCCCGCCGGCACCACCGACCCGCGCACCCGGGGCGG
480 F I A H V M A F A C L E P Y T A C D L A P A G T T D A A H P G R

NheI (2227)

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513 S R S K R L D
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125 D Q E E A V

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84 T S V V E S W E A Y L E D L G R V W V W A L T N D P V V Q D Q V A

SgrAI (3134)

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17 G A V D R A T L V P V A S T L K A M

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