

# Optimization of Constitutive Promoters Using a Promoter-Trapping Vector in *Burkholderia pyrrocinia* JK-SH007

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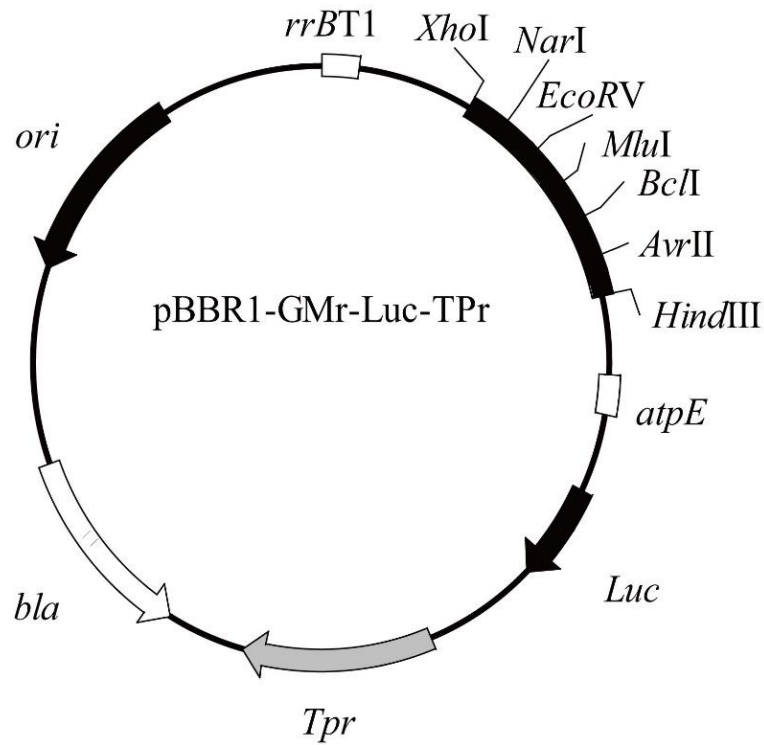
Primers	Primer sequences (5'-3')	Source
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P4-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCAACTGCGGTAGCTGCAATGA</i>	
P9-F	<i>GGCCTTTCGTTTTATAAGCTTGGCTCACCGGCCGGC</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -P9-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup>
P9-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCCCACAGTACCGCGAAGGAT</i>	
P10-F	<i>GGCCTTTCGTTTTATAAGCTTCAACCGGCTGCGCATTCC</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -P10-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup>
P10-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCGGTGTCTCGGATTGTGC</i>	
P14-F	<i>GGCCTTTCGTTTTATAAGCTTTTTTCCGCACGCCGGCGCCG</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -P14-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup>
P14-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCGGGCACGCTCCTGTTGG</i>	
P15-F	<i>GGCCTTTCGTTTTATAAGCTTGCAGACGGTTCCAAAAACG</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -P15-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup>
P15-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCACAACCACCTTCGAATCCTTT</i>	
P17-F	<i>GGCCTTTCGTTTTATAAGCTTCCCGCAGCAGCGAACCC</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -P17-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup>
P17-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCGTTGTTCTCCTTCAGGTTTCTCAG</i>	
P18-F	<i>GGCCTTTCGTTTTATAAGCTTCGACTTGATCGAACCCGTG</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -P18-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup>
P18-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCGTCCTGTTTCTTGCTGATTCTG</i>	
P19-F	<i>GGCCTTTCGTTTTATAAGCTTCCCGCCCCGAAGCGCC</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -P19-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup>
P19-R	<i>TGGTAAATTACTCGAGGCGCCAAAGATTCCGTTTTTGCATCGTT</i>	
PT1-F	<i>TCGACCTCGAGGGGGGGCCCGGTACCCAGCTTTTGTTCCTTTA</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -PRPL larger fragment [1]
PT1-R	<i>CAGCCCGGGGGATCCACTAGTTCTAGAGCGGCCGCCA</i>	
PRPL-F	<i>GCGCGTAATACGACTCACTATAG</i>	<i>PrPl</i> smaller fragment [2]
PRPL-R	<i>TTGGCATCTTCCATGTATGAGTCTCCAGTTTGTTCAGTT</i>	
Luc-TP <sup>r</sup> -F	<i>CTGAAACAAACTGGAGACTCATACATGGAAGATGCCAAAAACATTAAG</i>	Luc-TP <sup>r</sup> smaller fragment [2]
Luc-TP <sup>r</sup> -R	<i>TAAAGGGAACAAAAGCTGGGTACCGGGCCCCCCCCCTCGAG</i>	
PTC1-F	<i>GCGCGTAATACGACTCACTATAG</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -PRPL-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup> colony PCR check
PTC1-R	<i>GGCTCGTATGTTGTGTGGAA</i>	
PT2-F	<i>GGCGCCTCGAGTAATTTA</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -Luc-TP <sup>r</sup> larger fragment
PT2-R	<i>AAGCTTATAAAACGAAAGGCC</i>	
PTC2-F	<i>GCGCGTAATACGACTCACT</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -Promoter-Luc-TP <sup>r</sup> colony PCR check
PTC2-R	<i>ATGTTGCATCACCTTCACC</i>	
PT3-F	<i>GAATTCTTTGCTTGTCGCC</i>	pBBR1-GM <sup>r</sup> -GFP-TP <sup>r</sup> larger fragment <i>gfp</i> fragment
PT3-R	<i>TATGAGTCTCCAGTTTGTTCAGTT</i>	
<i>gfp</i> -F	<i>AACAAACTGGAGACTCATAATGAGTAAAGGAGAAGAAGT</i>	
<i>gfp</i> -R	<i>TTATGGCGACAAGCAAAGAATTCTTATTTGTATAGTTCATCCAT</i>	<i>rfp</i> fragment
<i>rfp</i> -F	<i>TGAAACAAACTGGAGACTCATAATATAGCATGCGGGTCTTCCAA</i>	
<i>rfp</i> -R	<i>ATTATGGCGACAAGCAAAGAATTCTTAAAGGAACAGATGGTGGC</i>	
qRT- <i>luc</i> -F	<i>GCTCAGCAAGGAGGTAGGTG</i>	qPCR for <i>luc</i> gene
qRT- <i>luc</i> -R	<i>CCAGTGTCTTACCGGTGTCC</i>	
qRT- <i>pyrG</i> -F	<i>AGTCACCCTCCTCAAACCTCG</i>	qPCR for <i>pyrG</i> gene [3]
qRT- <i>pyrG</i> -R	<i>TCGTGAAGTTGTTGGCCTTG</i>	
qRT-16SrRNA-F	<i>GATGACCAGCCACACTGGAA</i>	qPCR for <i>E.coli</i> 16SrRNA gene
qRT-16SrRNA-R	<i>GGAGTTAGCCGGTGCTTCTT</i>	
qRT-16SrRNA-F	<i>CCTACCAAGGCGACGATCAG</i>	qPCR for <i>B.multivorans</i> 16SrRNA gene
qRT-16SrRNA-R	<i>CAAAATTCCTCCACTGCTGCC</i>	

The homology arms are in italic.

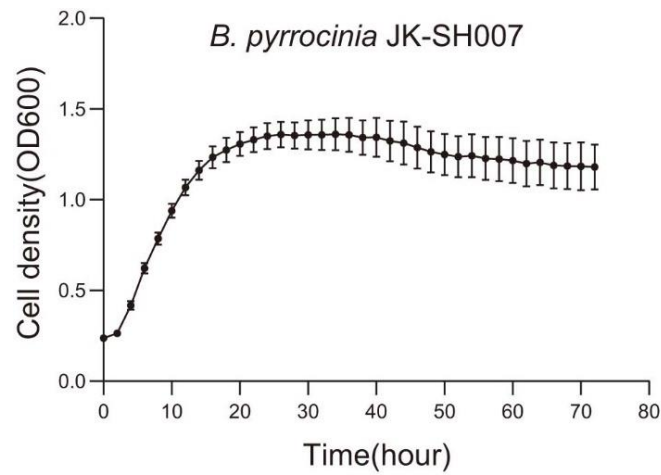
**Table S2.** Promoter sequences selected in this study.

Promoter	Promoter sequence
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P9	<p><u>T</u>GACAACCGGCTGCGCATTCTCTGACAATTTCCAAGATGCTGGCGCTCTTTATAAGCAAAAGCGCCCGGTT  TTTCAATCCCGTCGATCAAGAAACCGTTACCACGTCTAAATGGCGCTTTTTCGCGCCGCCAACCTGTAAGAG  TTACCAGTTACCGCCCCCTCGTGCCGCGCGATGTAATGCATGCATACAAAAGCACAAATCCGAGGACACC  ATG</p>
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P18	<p><u>T</u>GACCCGCCCCGAAGCGCCGTGCGCGCCCGATTGTCGCGCCTTGTTCCTCGCACGCCGACCCGCGCGGGGC  GCGTCGGCGCGCGGCCCGCGATCCGATCGGTCCGTTGGTGCAGCGACACCGCCACCCCGATTGACGCT  CTTTCACGCACGAACGAAAAGGGGTTGTAATCCGCTGTGATATAACTGCCGACGTGATCCGCTCCTTGAGC  GAGACTCACTCCGAACGTCATCCGATGGAGAATAACGATGCAAAAACGGAATCTTGTG</p>
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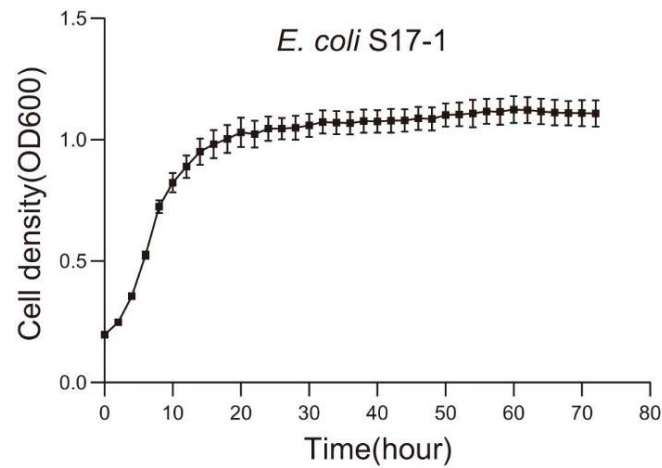
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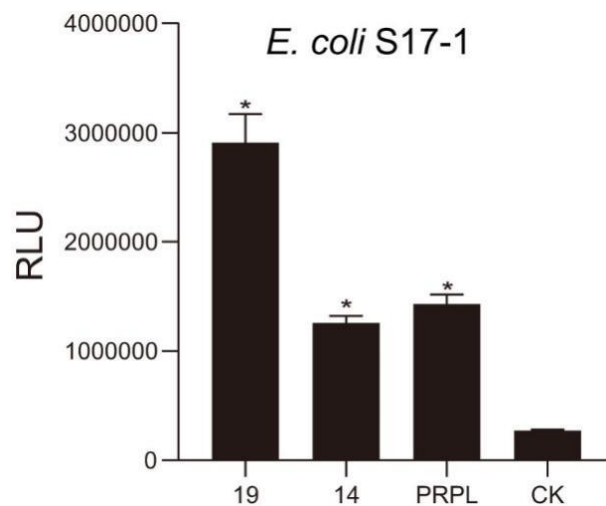
**Figure S1.** Trap vector with two reporter genes. The vector contains the Tp-resistant dihydrofolate reductase gene (*TPr*) and the luciferase gene set (*Luc*). The most relevant restriction sites that can be introduced into the promoter region are provided. *ori*, origin of replication; *bla*, gene encoding the ampicillin resistance (AmpR) protein; *atpE*, translation initiation region; *rrnBT1*, transcriptional terminator.



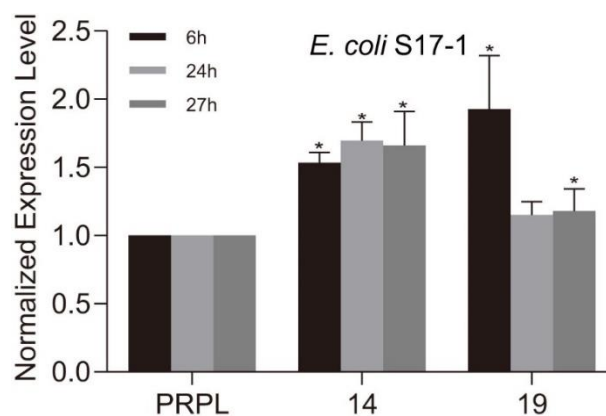
**Figure S2.** Growth curves of *B. pyrrocinia* JK-SH007. *B. pyrrocinia* JK-SH007 were cultured on LB medium. The standard deviations of the 10 independent replicates are indicated by the error bars.



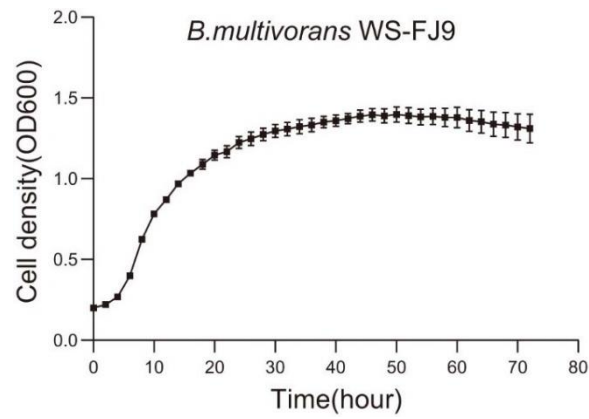
**Figure S3.** Growth curves of *E. coli* S17-1. *E. coli* S17-1 were cultured on LB medium. The standard deviations of the 10 independent replicates are indicated by the error bars.



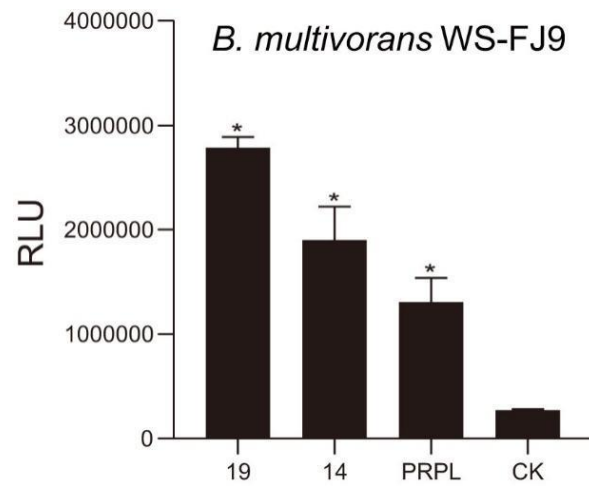
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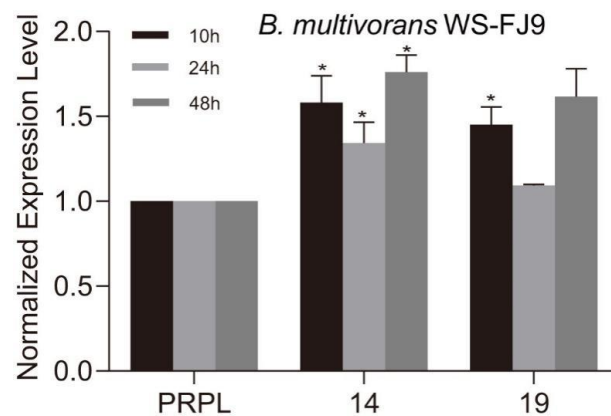
**Figure S5.** Promoter characterization via qPCR analysis in *E. coli* S17-1. In three different periods, the transcription of the firefly luciferase gene under strong promoters in JK-SH007 was measured. The y-axis depicts the expression value of PRPL, which was set to 1. The standard deviations from three separate replicates are indicated by the error bars. The data represent means  $\pm$  SD ( $n = 4$ ). \*  $p < 0.05$ .



**Figure S6.** Growth curves of *B. multivorans* WS-FJ9. *B. multivorans* WS-FJ9 were cultured on LB medium. The standard deviations of the 10 independent replicates are indicated by the error bars.



**Figure S7.** Assay of constitutive promoters from *B. multivorans* WS-FJ9 using firefly luciferase. PRPL was used as the control variable. CK was a luciferase-specific positive control. The standard deviations from three separate replicates are indicated by the error bars. The data represent means  $\pm$  SD ( $n = 4$ ). \*  $p < 0.05$ .



**Figure S8.** Promoter characterization via qPCR analysis in *B. multivorans* WS-FJ9. In three different periods, the transcription of the firefly luciferase gene under strong promoters in JK-SH007 was measured. The y-axis depicts the expression value of PRPL, which was set to 1. The standard deviations from three separate replicates are indicated by the error bars. The data represent means  $\pm$  SD ( $n = 4$ ). \*  $p < 0.05$ .

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