

Sequence of two apparent pseudogenes of the major potato tuber protein, patatin

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We have completely sequenced two patatin genomic clones isolated from a genomic library of the potato (*Solanum tuberosum* L.) cultivar Superior. Comparison of the sequences to the full-length patatin cDNA, pGM01 (1) permits the assignment of intron-exon boundaries. Each gene is interrupted by six introns that vary greatly in length between the two clones. Both clones, SB6B and SA10C, contain frame-shift mutations that preclude the encoding of full-length patatin: two adjacent adenosines present in the cDNA are deleted in SB6B at nucleotide 4542, and a thymidine is inserted at nucleotide 4039 in SA10C. The reading-frames of the two genes are otherwise conserved. These are the first reported gene sequences of any members of the patatin multigene family.

SEQUENCE OF PATATIN CLONE SB6B

1 AAGCTTAAGTGTGTTGATCACTCCAACCTCACATCTGTCACATCTCAAAGTACTGATGCCAGTTGCCGTGCACTCTATATGATGTAGATGCAAGTAACCGAGTCAACATTCAGCGCA
121 CCGTGTGATCCAGTGTGACGAGTCGACAGTCAAGTGTGAGCCCTTCCATCTCCGTGATGCTCTTTATTTGCTGTTTCTGATTTTCTTTATAGDAGTGTGTGGGGCTGTGCCAACAA
241 TCCATCTCAGTATATAGAGGCTTCATAGACAGTCAGACAAATAGTATTGAGTCTCTATCTATGATAATTCAGAGACTTGTGTTGAGACATAAGTTCGCCAGTTTGGCTAGAGTGTAT
361 TATTTAAACTATTGCTATGATTTATTTCTGTGTGAGTTAAGTCTCCGCTGAGTTAAGTAAGCCAGGCCAAGGGTTCGCTGGGGACAAGGATGCTCCGAGTCCGGCTCAGTCCAGGGT
481 TAGCCTGGGGGCTGACACAACCAACAGGTAAATGGTACCACCTTATAAATTTAAACTCTAACAGCTTTTAAATCCACTTAAATTTAAATGAAATTTAAATGCACTTTTAAATCAATAAG
601 AGTCACTTATTAACAAGTTTAAATTAATTAATTAATTAATTTATTTTGAATAACDATTAAATTAATTAAGTACAATGTACTAACTAAGCTAGCTAGTAATAAGGTGTCTAACACACATATAT
721 AAGGTTTTGAAATAAAATCCTTGGAATTAATAAGCTATGAAATTTGCAATGATATTATTAAGDCAATGATATACACAGTGTAAAAAATGACCAACAAGGTACTAATAATACACAA
841 AGCTAAGTGTATGAAATTTATTTTCTAATGCAACAGCACTTATGTAAGGCTAAGCTATGCTTTGCTTAAAGCTAGGCCATAGATGCTTTGCTGATCTCGAGATTAGTT
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1321 ATATATACCATGCTGTTATATGCTCAAAATCACCATAAAAATTTTAAAGACTTTTAAACATTTTAGTTTATTAACAATTAATAATGTCGCAAAATGTCACAGTCAAAAGTGTGTTAAATTTAA
1441 TTTTATGCTATGCAACTACTAGTCAACATTTTCTTCATTTGAAAGAAATGCTACTATCTTAGTATTTGATGAGGTCGCAATCAAGGCAATTTTCCGGTGTCAATTTGAAATTTG
1561 TTAGAGGAGACTTCAAGTATCCGTAATAAATATTTATAATGTATGATACATAGTGTGAACTACTATAGTCAATCCGCTACTATCTTGAAGGATAACTTCAAGTATCATAAAACTA
1681 TTTTGGGAAAAGGATAAATATACCCCTGAACTATCGTAAATGATGTAAATACCCCTTTCGTCATCTTTTGGCCATTTGTCGCCCTGCCCGGTCGCAAAAGTCAAGCATATATACC
1801 CTTTAAACTAAGGCATACAGCTGTCTAATAATATACCGCGATGAAATGCAATGACAGATATGATTTGTGTCAGGTCGCCGATTTAAACTTCGCTTAAAGTGAAGGCGCATATATG
1921 CTCTAGTTTAAACGGCAGGGACATCAATGTCCCAATAGTATGACGAGATGATATCTGCAATACCATTACGATAAATTCGGGAATATATTTGCTCTTTTCCAAATATTTTCTGCTATG
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2521 ATTATAGTTTAACTTACCTTTCAGCTTTTCTATTTCTATTAATTTAAATAAATTAATTTAAATTTATTTTGTATATATTAATGCTTTTTCAAAAATAAATAAATAAATAA
2641 AATAAACTACTTATCCCATACCCAGCTGCAAGTACCTCAGCCCAATTTTCTGCCATTCAGTCTGACCCCAACAGCCACTACCCGCAAGGTGCTACACAGCTACTACAGCAGCAG
2761 ATAAAATACTCATACCCCTATAACCATTTACACACAACCGACACTTAAAGACAAAAAATAAAGTCAAAAGGAAACAGCCGTCGCCACACACAACCAATTCACGAGGAAAGAA
2881 AAAGAGGAAATTTATTTAGTTTAACTCTTTCTTTCAAAATTCATCAAGACATTCACATATTTCTTCTTTTCAATACTATTTTAAATTAACACACATATACCATCACA
3001 ATACCAATAACAAATATGTTGATTTTATTTATGAAACAATAAGATTTATTTTCAAAATTCGTTATTTGTTGTTGATAGAAATGATATACTAAATTTTGTGTTAAATTTAA

