
Isolation and mapping of a polymorphic DNA sequence (pCMM66) on chromosome 14 [D14S22]

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SOURCE/DESCRIPTION: A 4.8 kb *TaqI* fragment from cosmid CMM66 isolated by a myoglobin-2 oligonucleotide (1) was subcloned into the *AccI* site of pUC18.

POLYMORPHISM: *PstI* identifies a 7 allele VNTR polymorphism with a band between 4.0 and 6.0 kb with constant bands at 1.5 and 1.2 kb. *RsaI* also shows the same polymorphism.

FREQUENCY: Estimated from 67 unrelated Caucasians, the heterozygosity of this probe is 85% with *PstI*.

NOT POLYMORPHIC FOR: *MspI* and *TaqI*.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCALIZATION: pCMM66 has been assigned to chromosome 14q by multipoint linkage analysis(2) with loci (D14S1, GM, PI) known to span this region(3,4).

MENDELIAN INHERITANCE: Co-dominant segregation of the *PstI* RFLP was observed in 34 three generation families.

PROBE AVAILABILITY: Contact Y.N.

OTHER COMMENTS: RFLPs were observed under hybridization with total human DNA.

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