

RECQ1 possesses DNA branch migration activity

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SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 1. RECQ1 helicase promotes the 3-stranded DNA branch migration in the 3'→5' direction. *A*, Scheme depicts the 3-stranded branch migration. Mutually heterologous terminal regions are marked by crosses. Unpaired ssDNA regions (4 bases) that arise during branch migration are shown as a bubble. These non-homologous regions were introduced to block spontaneous branch migration. The asterisk indicates ³²P label at the 5'-end DNA. *B*, The DNA products of the branch migration reactions were visualized by electrophoresis in a 8% polyacrylamide gel. Branch migration was initiated by addition of indicated amount of RECQ1 to appropriate DNA substrates followed by incubation for 30 min at 37 °C. In controls, storage buffer was added instead of RECQ1. Lanes 13 and 14 show migration of DNA markers (379*+379*/117) and (201*+201*/71), respectively. *C*, The data from panel (*B*) presented as a graph.

SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 2. RAD54 protein promotes 3-stranded branch migration in either 3'→5' or 5'→3' directions. *A*, Scheme depicts 3-stranded branch migration reaction. Mutually heterologous terminal regions are marked by crosses. Non-homologous ssDNA parts arise during branch migration are shown as a bubble (4 bases). These non-homologous regions were introduced to block spontaneous branch migration. The asterisk indicates ³²P label at the 5'-end DNA. *B*, The DNA products of the branch migration promoted by RAD54 were visualized by electrophoresis in a 8% polyacrylamide gel. To prepare substrates that migrate in either 3'→5' or 5'→3' direction, ³²P-labeled DNA intermediates #169*/71 or #193*/117 (³²P-labeled strands marked by asterisk) (32 nM, molecules) were annealed with #201 or #379 oligonucleotides

respectively (48 nM, molecules) by incubating in buffer containing 25 mM Tris acetate, pH 7.5, 2 mM ATP, 5 mM magnesium acetate, 2 mM DTT, BSA (100 µg/ml), 15 mM phosphocreatine and creatine phosphokinase (30 units/ml) for 15 min at 37 °C. Branch migration was initiated by addition of the indicated amounts of RAD54 to the reaction mixture containing branched structures followed by a 30-min incubation at 37 °C. C, The data from panel (B) presented as a graph. Error bars indicate s.e.m.

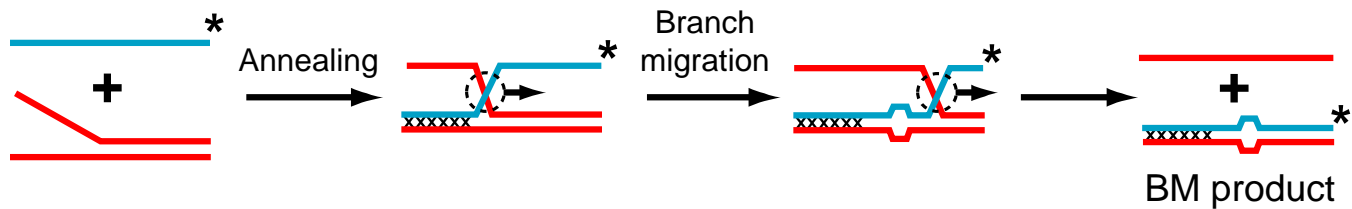
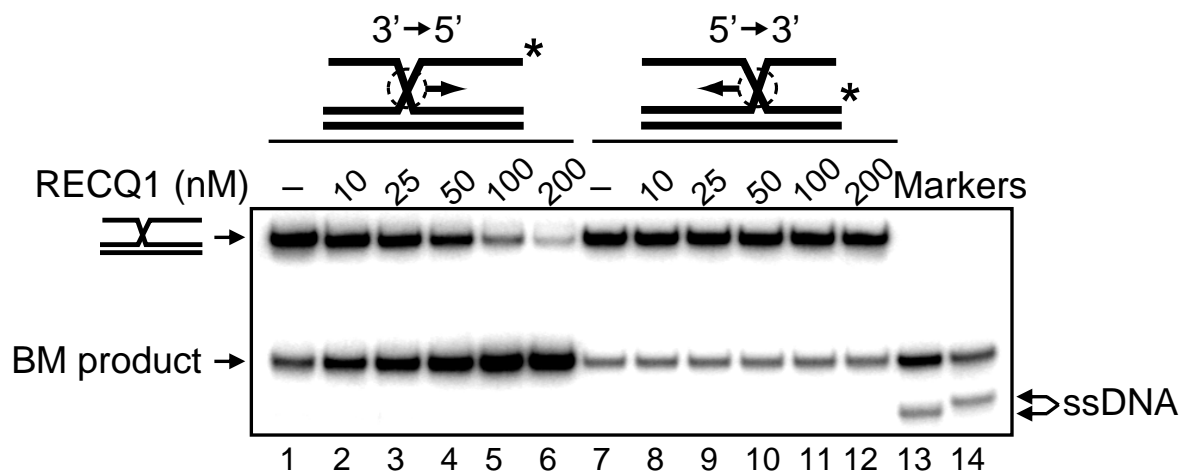
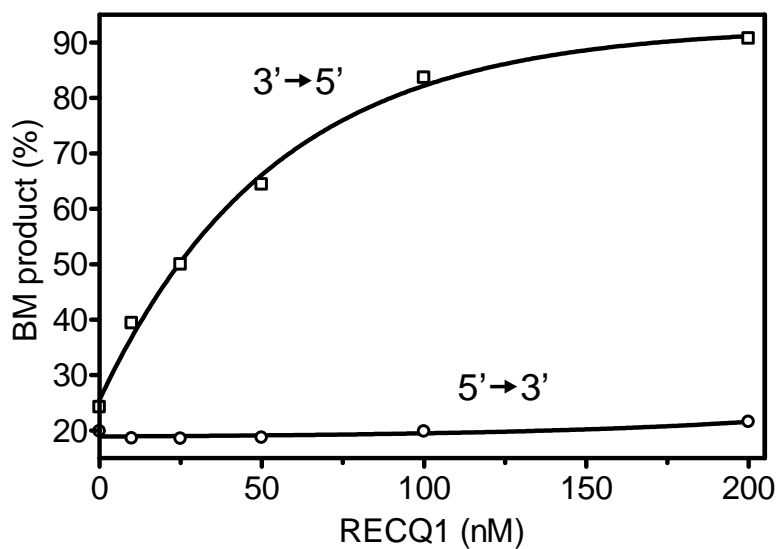
SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 3. **BLM helicase and RAD54 protein promote 4-**

stranded branch migration in either 3'→5' or 5'→3' directions. A, Scheme represents 4-stranded branch migration. Mutually heterologous terminal regions are marked by crosses. Non-homologous ssDNA parts arise during branch migration are shown as a 1 base mismatch. These non-homologous regions were introduced to block spontaneous branch migration. The asterisk indicates ³²P label at the 5'-end DNA. B, The DNA products of the branch migration promoted by BLM were visualized by electrophoresis in a 8% polyacrylamide gel. To prepare substrates ³²P-labeled DNA intermediates #169*/71 or #193*/117 (³²P-labeled strands marked by asterisk) (32 nM, molecules) were mixed with #170/171 or #194/195 oligonucleotides, respectively (48 nM, molecules), and annealed by incubating in buffer containing 25 mM Tris acetate, pH 7.5, 2 mM ATP, 5 mM magnesium acetate, 2 mM DTT, BSA (100 µg/ml), 15 mM phosphocreatine and creatine phosphokinase (30 units/ml) for 15 min at 37 °C. Branch migration was initiated by addition of BLM (10 nM) to the reaction mixture containing branched DNA substrates followed by incubation for indicated periods of time at 37 °C. C, The data from panel (B) presented as a graph. D, The kinetics of 3-stranded branch

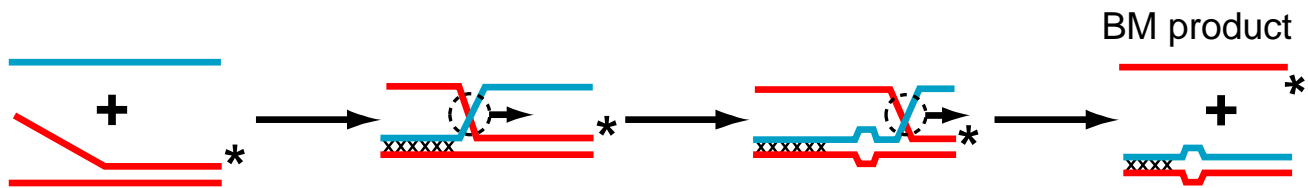
migration promoted by human RAD54 protein (50 nM), shown as a graph. Error bars in (C) and (D) indicate s.e.m.

SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 4. ssDNA binding proteins, SSB and RPA, do not affect D-loop dissociation by RECQ1. *A*, Experimental scheme. The asterisk indicates ^{32}P label at the 5'-end DNA. *B* and *D*, Dissociation of deproteinized D-loops (150 pM) by RECQ1 helicase (in indicated concentrations) in the presence of SSB (400 nM) or RPA (100 nM) was analyzed in a 1% agarose gel. RECQ1 was added to the D-loop with prebound SSB or RPA protein. The reactions with SSB and RPA were carried out for 30 min at 37 °C in buffers contained 1 mM and 5 mM magnesium acetate, respectively. In reactions with RPA, higher Mg^{2+} concentration was used because RPA has its own D-loop disruption activity at lower Mg^{2+} concentrations. *C* and *E*, The data from panel (*B* and *D*) are presented as a graph.

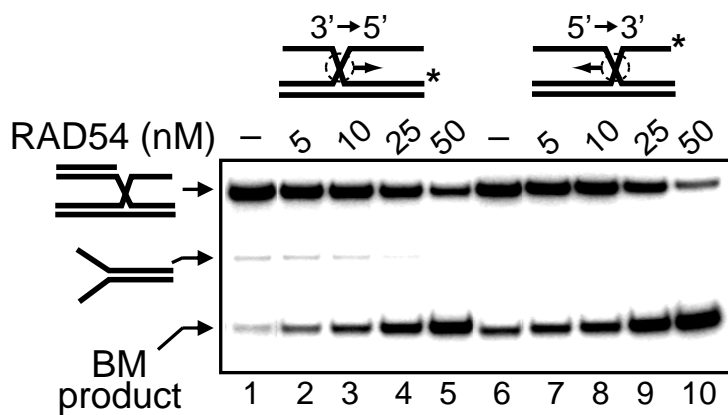
SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 5. BLM helicase catalyzes dissociation of the 3'- and 5'-invaded joint molecules (D-loops) with similar efficiency. *A*, Experimental scheme depicting reaction of dissociation of D-loops formed by the 3'- and 5'-invading ssDNA. The asterisk indicates ^{32}P label at the 5'-end DNA. *B*, Dissociation of deproteinized D-loops (150 pM) by BLM helicase (in indicated concentrations) was analyzed in a 1% agarose gel. *C*, The data from panel (*B*) are presented as a graph.

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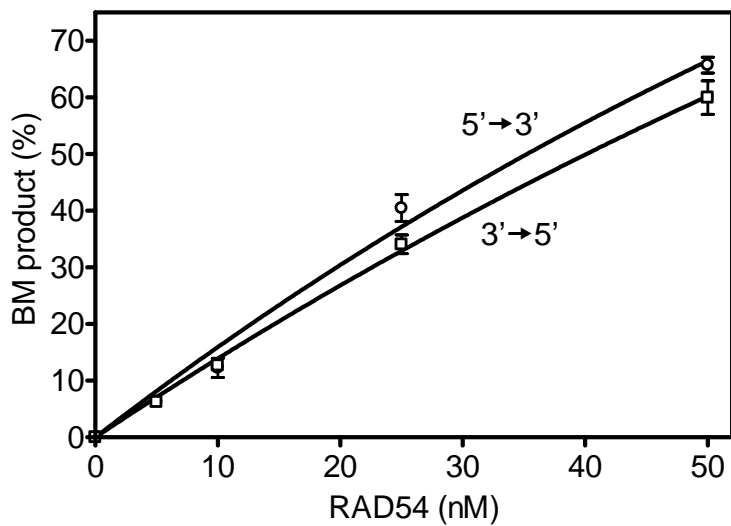
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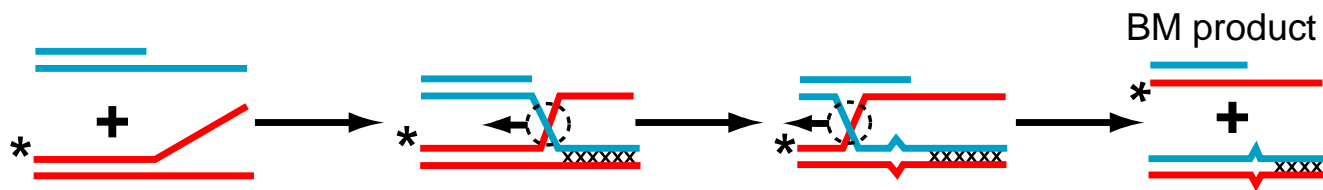
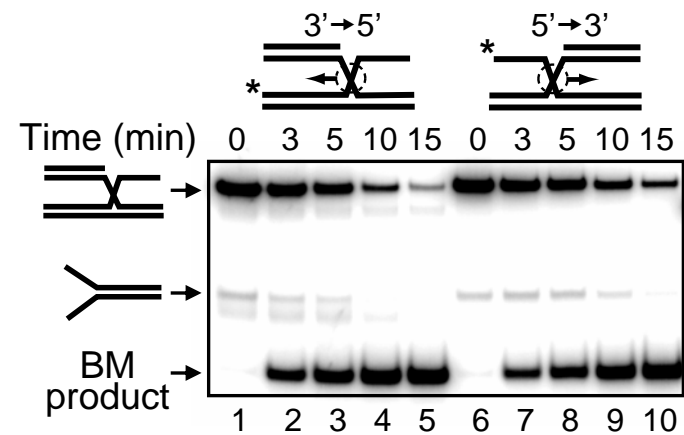
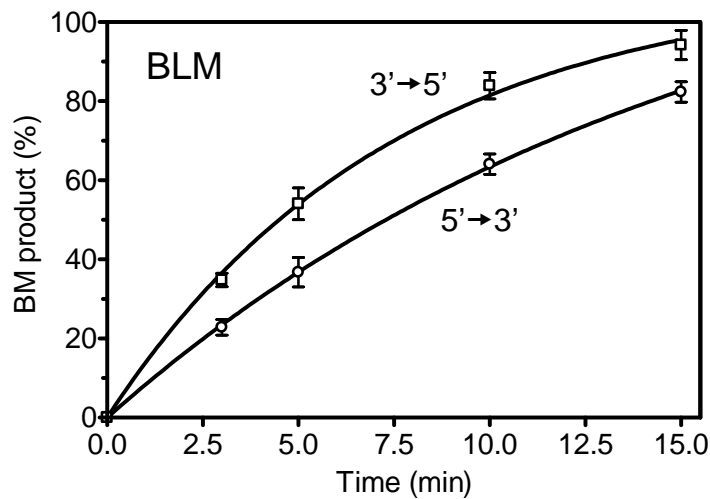
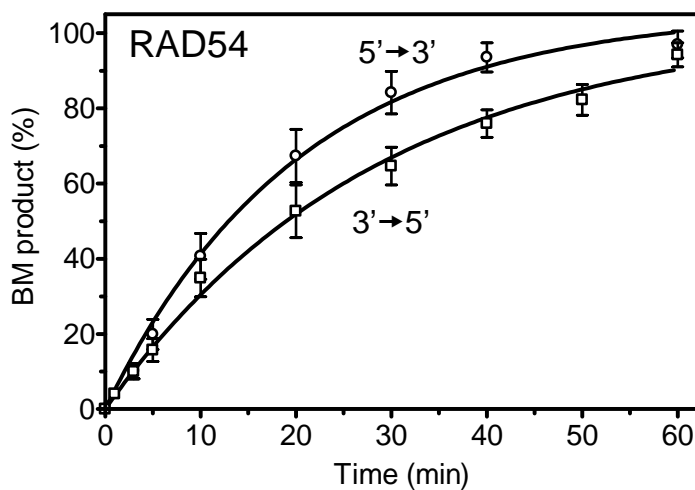


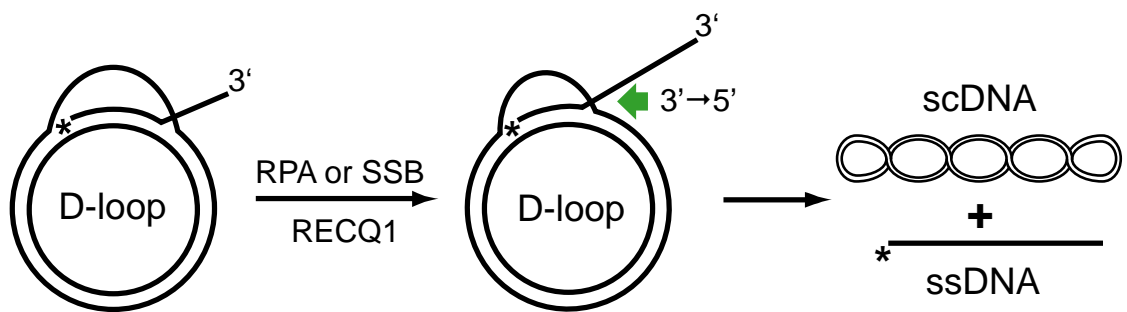
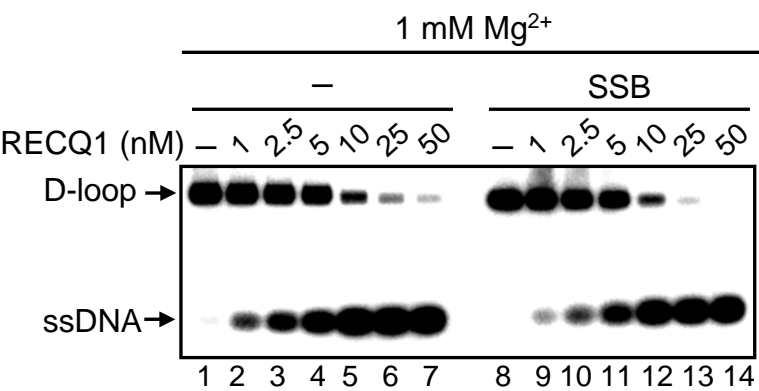
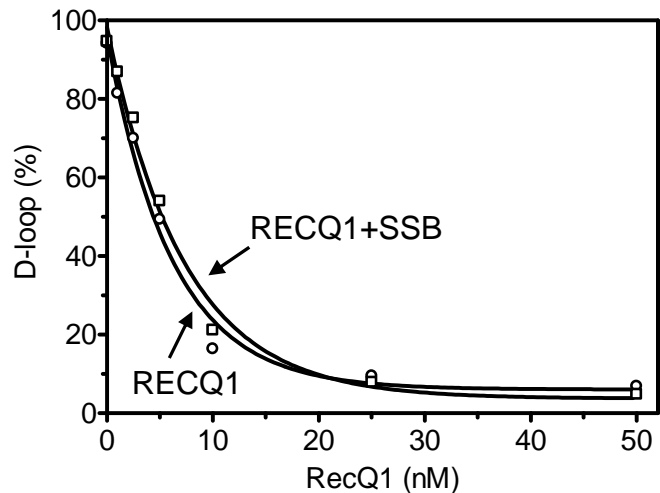
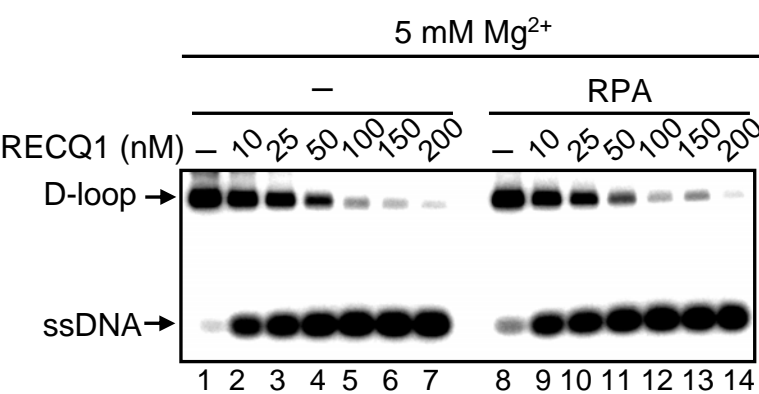
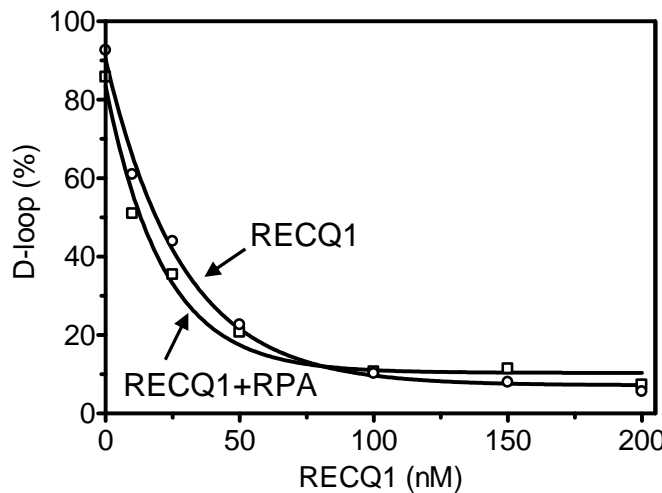
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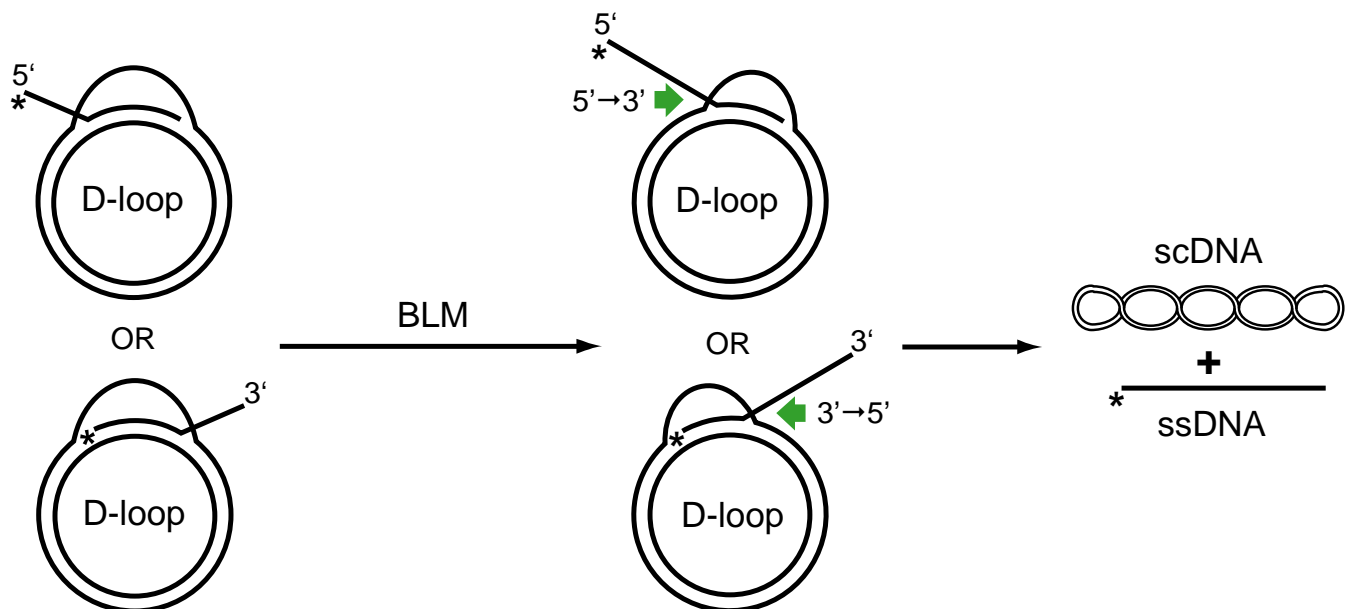
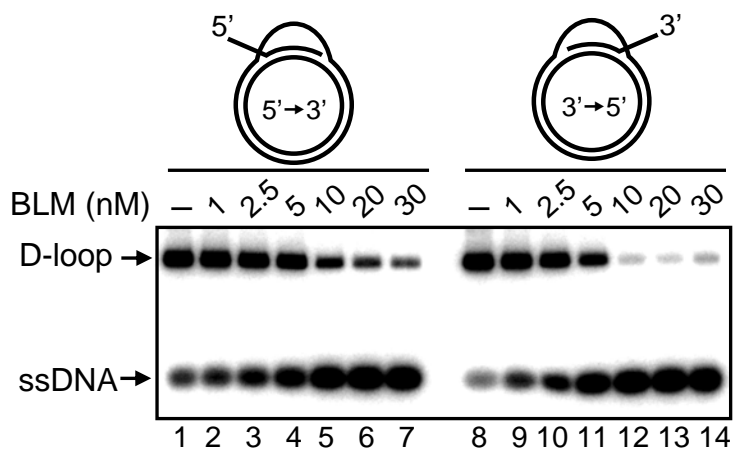
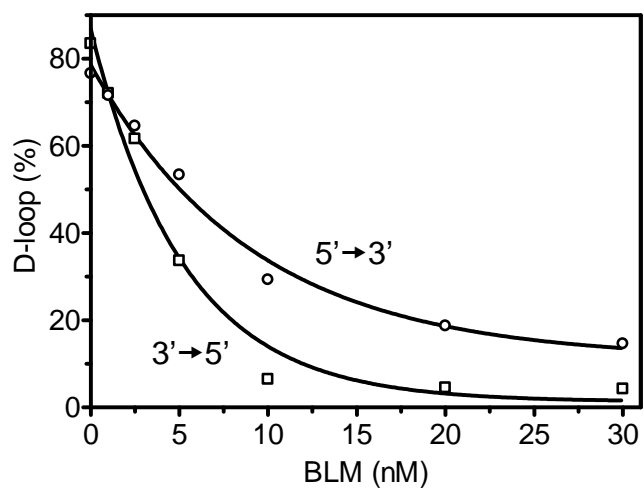


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SUPPLEMENTARY TABLE S1. **Sequences of the oligonucleotides used in this study**

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