

ADDITIONAL FILE 2

Primers used for RT/PCR analysis of CLCN5 mRNAs. The mRNA species amplified, the amplicon length and the PCR conditions are reported. Some primer pairs co-amplified different CLCN5 mRNA species.

EXON	PRIMER PAIRS (5' → 3')	mRNA variants	AMPLICON (bp)	T annealing (°C)	MgCl ₂ (mM)	cycle numbers
Ex I/II F Ex IV/2 R	<i>f</i> : CCTCGCGACAGAGCAAATC <i>r</i> : TTGCTCTCCTACTTCTCGG	1 + 2	386 + 645	64	3	38
Ex 1a F Ex 4 R	<i>f</i> : AGGCAGAGAATGCAGCAAGT <i>r</i> : CATGCTCAGAGTTCCAGCAA	3	512	60	1.5	35
Ex 1b F Ex 4 R	<i>f</i> : GACCCTTTGTCTCCCTTCC <i>r</i> : CATGCTCAGAGTTCCAGCAA	4 + alternative 4	586 + 720	60	1.5	35
5'UTR b F Ex 4 R	<i>f</i> : GGCGATGCTGACTTAGGTATTCA <i>r</i> : CATGCTCAGAGTTCCAGCAA	6 + 7 + 4 + alternative 4	417 + 602 + 1560 + 1694	62	2	40
Ex I/II F Ex VI/2 R	<i>f</i> : CCTCGCGACAGAGCAAATC <i>r</i> : CGACTTGTCTCTGGAGTAGAA	8 + 9 + 10 + 11	584 + 715 + 843 + 974	58	2	38
Ex 2-3 F Ex 6R	<i>f</i> : TAGGCACCGAGAGATTACCAAT <i>r</i> : GATGTTCCCACAGCAGCAAGC	Translated region	580	60	1.5	35
GAPDH F GAPDH R	<i>f</i> : TGAAGGTCGGAGTCAACGGATTTGGT <i>r</i> : CATGTGGGCCATGAGGTCCACCAC	GAPDH	983	60	1.5	30