

# Regulation of translesion DNA synthesis: from transcriptional to posttranslational control

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# Unrooted Phylogenetic Tree of the Y-Family of Polymerases



Ohmori et al., Molecular Cell (2001) 8; 7-8

### **Conserved mechanism of translesion DNA synthesis**

E. coli

S. cerevisiae

H. sapiens



Error-free or error-prone replicative bypass

Woodgate, Genes and Dev (1999) 13; 2191-2195

# **Electrostatic surface of Dpo4**



Ling et al., Cell (2001) 107; 91-102

# Regulation of damage-induced mutagenesis in *E.coli*: the pol V story

# Identification of the umu locus

Molec. gen. Genet. 156, 121-131 (1977)

### Isolation and Characterization of Mutants of *Escherichia coli* Deficient in Induction of Mutations by Ultraviolet Light

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Molec. gen. Genet. 165, 87-93 (1978)



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### Uvm Mutants of Escherichia coli K12 Deficient in UV Mutagenesis

#### I. Isolation of uvm Mutants and Their Phenotypical Characterization in DNA Repair and Mutagenesis

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# **UmuDC-dependent mutagenesis**





Ho et al., J. Bacteriol (1993) 175; 5411-5419

### Regulation of the SOS response in E. coli

Uninduced state





# The *umuDC* operon is tightly regulated by LexA

Molecular Microbiology (2000) 35(6), 1560-1572

# Identification of additional genes belonging to the LexA regulon in *Escherichia coli*

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	Potential LexA box	Search pattern <sup>b</sup>	Gene <sup>o</sup>	Alternative name <sup>d</sup>	Distance®	н
1.	TACTGTTTATTATACAGTA	2.3	vsdAB		-142	2.35
2 <sup>1R.</sup>	TACTGTATAAATAAACAGTA	2.3	ilbL	b3672	- 330	2.35
3.	TACTGTATATAAAAACAGTA	1, 2, 3	umuDC		-37	2.77*
4.	TACTGTATATAAAAAACAGTA	1, 2, 3	sbmC		-32	2.77*
5.	AACTGTATATAAATACAGTT	1, 2, 3	pcsA9	dinD	-61	3.34*
6.	TACTGTATGCTCATACAGTA	1, 2, 3	recA		-77	4.31*
7.	TACTGTACATCCATACAGTA	1, 2, 3	sulA		-42	4.65*
8.	TACTGTATGATTATCCAGTT	2, 3	dinQ <sup>h</sup>		-139	4.83
9.	TACTGTATATAAAACCAGTT	1, 2, 3	recN(1)		-66	5.16*
10.	AACTGTTTTTTTTTTCCAGTA	1, 2, 3	uvrB		-92	6.11*

Table 2. Potential LexA boxes in the E. coli chromosome\*.

## UmuC is degraded by the Lon protease

### ∆*umuDC recA*<sup>+</sup> *lexA51* (Def)/pUmuC lon<sup>+</sup> 6 12 18 24 36 30 mins 0 42 48 UmuC → lon<sup>-</sup> UmuC $\rightarrow$

Frank et al., PNAS (1996) 93; 10291-10296

# UmuD is degraded by the Lon protease



Frank et al., PNAS (1996) 93; 10291-10296

### **Posttranslational modification of UmuD**

Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA Vol. 85, pp. 1806–1810, March 1988 Biochemistry

# **RecA** protein-dependent cleavage of UmuD protein and SOS mutagenesis

(DNA damage/error-prone repair/posttranslational processing/protease/gene fusion)

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Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA Vol. 85, pp. 1811–1815, March 1988 Biochemistry

# UmuD mutagenesis protein of *Escherichia coli*: Overproduction, purification, and cleavage by RecA

(SOS response/LexA cleavage/fidelity of DNA replication/protein self-cleavage)

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Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA Vol. 85, pp. 1816–1820, March 1988 Biochemistry

#### **RecA-mediated cleavage activates UmuD for mutagenesis: Mechanistic relationship between transcriptional derepression and posttranslational activation**

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# Stability of UmuD vs. UmuD'



Frank et al., PNAS (1996) 93; 10291-10296

# **Crystal Structure of UmuD' homodimer**



Gonzalez and Woodgate, BioEssays (2002) 24; 141-148

# Intermolecular UmuD cleavage



UmuD<sub>EC</sub>



McDonald et al., PNAS (1998) 95; 1478-1483

# Expression of UmuD/D' heterodimers



Frank et al., PNAS (1996) 93; 10291-10296

### Stability of UmuD' in the context of a UmuD/D' heterodimer



Frank *et al.*, PNAS (1996) 93; 10291-10296

# Umu proteins accumulate ~45 mins after DNA damage



Incubation time, min

Sommer *et al.*, Mol Microbiology (1998) 28: 281-291

# UmuC mutagenesis protein of *Escherichia coli*: Purification and interaction with UmuD and UmuD'

(SOS response/fidelity of DNA replication/protein-protein interaction)

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### Stability of UmuC alone, coexpressed with UmuD or co-expressed with UmuD'



Frank et al., J. Bacteriol (1996) 178; 3550-3556

### Stability of UmuC alone, coexpressed with UmuD or co-expressed with UmuD'



Frank et al., J. Bacteriol (1996) 178; 3550-3556

## Mapping the site of interaction between UmuC and UmuD'



Goodman et al., DNA Repair (2016) In Press

# Posttranslational and proteolytic regulation of pol V



Goodman et al., DNA Repair (2016) In Press

Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA Vol. 87, pp. 7190-7194, September 1990 Biochemistry

# Dominant negative *umuD* mutations decreasing RecA-mediated cleavage suggest roles for intact UmuD in modulation of SOS mutagenesis

(SOS response/UV mutagenesis/umuDC/posttranslational regulation)

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ABSTRACT The products of the SOS-regulated umuDC operon are required for most UV and chemical mutagenesis in Escherichia coli. The UmuD protein shares homology with a family of proteins that includes LexA and several bacteriophage repressors. UmuD is posttranslationally activated for its role in mutagenesis by a RecA-mediated proteolytic cleavage that yields UmuD'. A set of missense mutants of umuD was isolated and shown to encode mutant UmuD proteins that are deficient in RecA-mediated cleavage in vivo. Most of these mutations are dominant to  $umuD^+$  with respect to UV mutagenesis yet do not interfere with SOS induction. Although both UmuD and UmuD' form homodimers, we provide evidence that they preferentially form heterodimers. The relationship of UmuD to LexA,  $\lambda$  repressor, and other members of the family of proteins is discussed and possible roles of intact UmuD in modulating SOS mutagenesis are discussed.

### **Proteolytic regulation of pol V**



Goodman et al., DNA Repair (2016) In Press



# UmuC slowly redistributes to the cytosol after DNA damage



### Membrane release requires cleavage of UmuD



# pUmuDC +UV



# pUmuD'C +UV



### In vitro characterization of pol V



Karata et al., DNA Repair (2012) 11; 431-440

### **Protein Interactions that stimulate pol V**



Goodman et al., DNA Repair (2016) In Press

# "Take home" messages from *E.coli* pol V

- *E.coli* UmuDC/ pol V is regulated at many levels so as to ensure the enzyme is utilized only when it's appropriate.
- Regulation is at the transcriptional level (LexA); the posttranslational level (RecA); by proteolysis (Lon/ClpXP); through protein-protein interactions (Beta-clamp/SSB)
- pol V is regulated both temporally and spacially within the bacterium.

# Regulation of human DNA TLS polymerases

# $Pol\eta$ ubiquitination

### Ubiquitin-Binding Domains in Y-Family Polymerases Regulate Translesion Synthesis



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# Polu ubiquitination

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# Multiple sites of pol l's ubiquitination



McIntyre et al., J. Biol. Chem. (2015) 290; 27332-27344

# Location of ubiquitinated Lysines in the catalytic domain of Polu



# **Location of ubiquitinated Lysines in various structural domains of Pol**<sub>1</sub>



### Posttranslational Regulation of Human DNA Polymerase ι

1. Unlike pol $\eta$ , which is monoubiquitinated at one primary site and a few secondary sites, poli can be ubiquitinated at >30 Lysines.

2. Polt is ubiquitinated in various structural domains, including catalytic, PCNAinteracting, Rev1-Interacting and UBM1 and UBM2. Ubiquitination at these sites may affect the activity and function of polt.

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# Multiple sites of pol k's modification



# **Multiple sites of PCNA's modification**



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