

Biosafety Clearing-House (BCH)

LIVING MODIFIED ORGANISM (LMO)


BCH-LMO-SCBD-14892-10

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Living Modified Organism identity

The image below identifies the LMO through its unique identifier, trade name and a link to this page of the BCH. Click on it to download a larger image on your computer. For help on how to use it go to the LMO quick-links page.



MON-00021-9 X MON-00810-6
Roundup Ready™ YieldGard™ maize

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<https://bch.cbd.int/database/record?documentID=14892>


Name

Roundup Ready™ YieldGard™ maize

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Transformation event

GA21 x MON810

Unique identifier

MON-00021-9 x MON-00810-6

Developer(s)

- [ORGANIZATION: MONSANTO](#) | [BCH-CON-SCBD-14925-3](#)

ORGANIZATION

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Description

This LMO is a stacked insect-resistant and glyphosate-tolerant maize derived from conventional cross-breeding of MON-00021-9 and MON-00810-6.

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Recipient Organism or Parental Organisms

The term "Recipient organism" refers to an organism (either already modified or non-modified) that was

subjected to genetic modification, whereas “Parental organisms” refers to those that were involved in cross breeding or cell fusion.

BCH-ORGA-SCBD-246-6 ORGANISM | ZEA MAYS (MAIZE, CORN, MAIZE) |

Crops

BCH-LMO-SCBD-14750-19 LIVING MODIFIED ORGANISM | MON-ØØ81Ø-6 - YIELDGARD™ MAIZE |

Resistance to diseases and pests - Insects - Lepidoptera (butterflies and moths)

BCH-LMO-SCBD-14794-18 LIVING MODIFIED ORGANISM | MON-ØØØ21-9 - ROUNDUP READY™ MAIZE |

Resistance to herbicides - Glyphosate

Characteristics of the modification process

Vector

pDPG434, PV-ZMBK07 and PV-ZMGT10

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Techniques used for the modification

Cross breeding

Genetic elements construct

P-e35S-CaMV
0.610 kb

I-hsp70-MAIZE
0.800 kb

CS-Cry1Ab-BACTU
3.460 kb

P-act1-ORYSA
1.370 kb

I-1_act1-ORYSA
0.000 kb

TP-OPT
0.370 kb

CS-epsps-MAIZE
1.340 kb

T-nos-RHIRD
0.240 kb

Introduced or modified genetic element(s)

Some of these genetic elements may be present as fragments or truncated forms. Please see notes below, where applicable.

BCH-GENE-SCBD-14975-5 BETA-LACTAMASE GENE | (BACTERIA) |

Protein coding sequence | Resistance to antibiotics (Ampicillin)

BCH-GENE-SCBD-14985-12 CRY1AB | BACILLUS THURINGIENSIS - BT, BACILLUS, BACTU |

Protein coding sequence | Resistance to diseases and pests (Insects, Lepidoptera (butterflies and moths))

BCH-GENE-SCBD-100364-5 RICE ACTIN 1 GENE PROMOTER | (RICE) |

Promoter

BCH-GENE-SCBD-100355-6 RICE ACTIN 1, INTRON | (RICE) |

Intron

BCH-GENE-SCBD-100269-8 NOPALINE SYNTHASE GENE TERMINATOR |

Terminator

BCH-GENE-SCBD-100366-6 CAMV ENHANCED 35S PROMOTER |

Promoter

BCH-GENE-SCBD-100359-7 HSP70 INTRON | (MAIZE, CORN) |

Intron

BCH-GENE-SCBD-101419-4 OPTIMIZED TRANSIT PEPTIDE |

Transit signal

Notes regarding the genetic elements present in this LMO

DNA insert from GA21, vector pDPG434:

The GA21 line of maize was genetically engineered, by particle acceleration (biolistic) transformation, to be tolerant of glyphosate-containing herbicides.

DNA insert from MON810, vectors PV-ZMBK07 and PV-ZMGT10:

MON810 contains a truncated portion of a synthetic form of the cry1Ab gene. Two constructs PV-ZMBK07 and PV-ZMGT10 have been used for transformation, but molecular analyses showed that MON810 does not contain any element from PV-ZMGT10 construct and only the elements from construct PV-ZMBK07 have been integrated into its genome.

For additional information on this LMO, please refer to the records of the parental LMOs.

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LMO characteristics

Modified traits

Resistance to diseases and pests

Insects

Lepidoptera (butterflies and moths)

European corn borer (*Ostrinia nubilalis*)

Resistance to herbicides

Glyphosate

Resistance to antibiotics

Ampicillin

Common use(s) of the LMO

Food

Feed

Biofuel

Detection method(s)

External link(s)

? [MON-ØØØ21-9 - EU Reference Laboratory for GM Food and Feed \(EURL-GMFF\)](#) (*English*)

? [MON-ØØ81Ø-6 - EU Reference Laboratory for GM Food and Feed \(EURL-GMFF\)](#) (*English*)

Additional Information

GA21 contains a single single insertion site with 3 complete copies of mEPSPS cassette plus 3 incomplete copies as follows: (1) a mEPSPS gene cassette, truncated at the 5' end of the rice actin promoter sequence; (2) three complete internal mEPSPS gene cassettes; (3) a partial mEPSPS gene cassette containing the promoter, intron, otp, and a partial mEPSPS coding

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sequence terminating in a stop codon; and (4) an additional partial gene cassette at the 3' end containing only the rice actin promoter and 5' mRNA leader sequence, but truncating before the start of the rice actin intron, followed by corn genomic DNA.

MON810 contains one integrated DNA consisting of P-e35S, I-Hsp70 and cry1Ab. The terminator of the nopaline synthase (nos) gene was lost due to a truncation at the 3' end of the gene cassette during genome integration and is, therefore, not present in MON810.

Additional Information

Other relevant website addresses and/or attached documents

? [OECD UID Database: MON-ØØØ21-9 x MON-ØØ81Ø-6 \(English \)](#)
[GA21 X MON810 - CERA GM database \(English \)](#)

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Further Information

Questions about the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety or the operation of the Biosafety Clearing-House may be directed to the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity.

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