

These validated data are a snapshot at a given moment; further updates are always possible.

<u>Species:</u>	<i>Escherichia coli</i>
<u>Group:</u>	K12
<u>Strain designation:</u>	BW313
<u>Accession number:</u>	LMBP 1325
<u>Deposit date:</u>	01/01/1998
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<u>Other culture collection numbers:</u>	CGSC 6796
<u>Containment level:</u>	This strain has been assigned the containment level 'Class 1' following the European Directive 2009/41/EC on the contained use of genetically modified organisms, and its updates (see also the Belgian risk group classification).
<u>Medium:</u>	LB-Lennox
<u>Selection marker:</u>	/
<u>Cultivation temperature:</u>	37°C
<u>Original reference:</u>	Kunkel, Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 82 (1985), 488-492 [PMID: 3881765]
<u>Related reference:</u>	Duncan and Weiss, J. Bacteriol. 151 (1982), 750-755 [PMID: 7047496] Warner et al., J. Bacteriol. 145 (1981), 687-695 [PMID: 6109711]
<u>Genotype:</u>	λ^- <i>ung-1 relA1 dut-1 spoT1 thiE1</i> (Source: CGSC 6796)
<u>Phenotype:</u>	/
<u>Properties:</u>	Use of this strain is required for the preparation of single-stranded phage M13 or phasmid DNA to be used in the site-directed mutagenesis method of Kunkel (Kunkel, 1985).
<u>Restricted use:</u>	BCCM MTA

Culture recovery and preservation instructions

The enclosed culture has been grown overnight to saturation, confirming its viability. BCCM/GeneCorner advises to recover it immediately on receipt before use or storage.

Recovery: subculturing into liquid or solid medium according to the cultivation conditions above

Long-term preservation: lyophilisation
cryopreservation (at least at -80°C)