

Supplementary Information

Highly Efficient Genome Editing by CRISPR-Cpf1 using CRISPR RNA with an uridinylate-rich 3'-overhang

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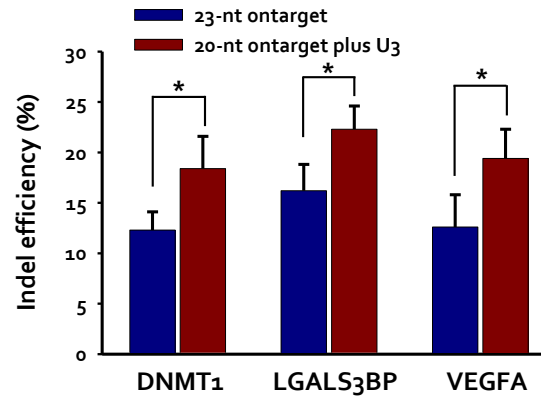
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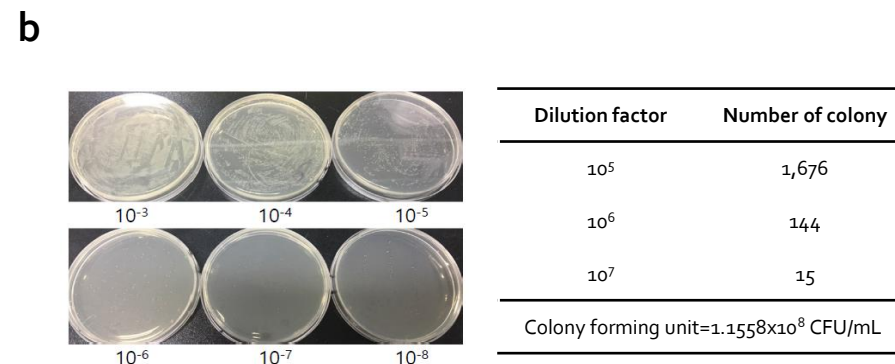
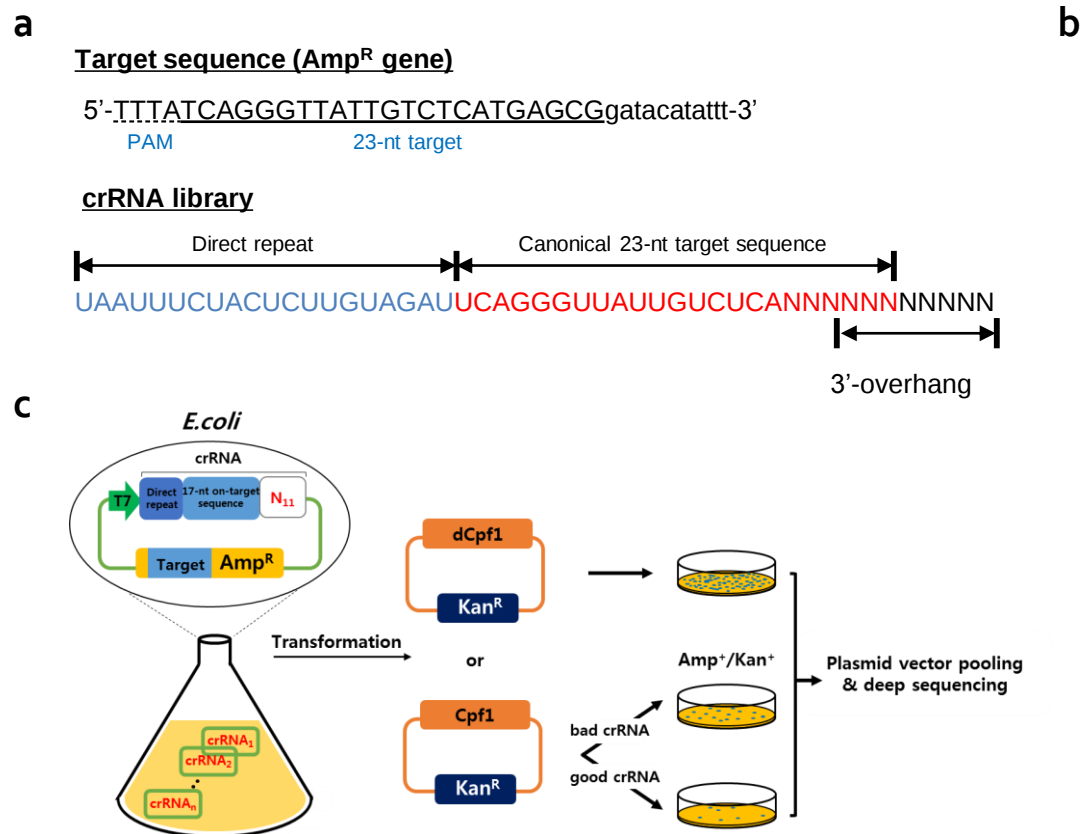
Supplementary Figure 1. Improved AsCpf1 activity by addition of U3 3'-overhang in crRNA. HEK-293T cells were transfected with codon-humanized AsCpf1 vector plus crRNA-encoding PCR amplicons. The configuration of target-recognition part in crRNA includes either 23-nt ontarget sequence or 20-nt ontarget sequence plus UUU (U3). After transfection for 2 days, genomic DNA was prepared and was subjected to PCR amplifications. The amplified target-carrying products were digested with T7E1 enzyme. The indel efficiency was calculated by quantifying digested fragments following resolving the PCR products on 10% SDS-PAGE gels. *, $p < 0.05$ (n=3).

*** Target sequence (The underline refers to a PAM sequence).**

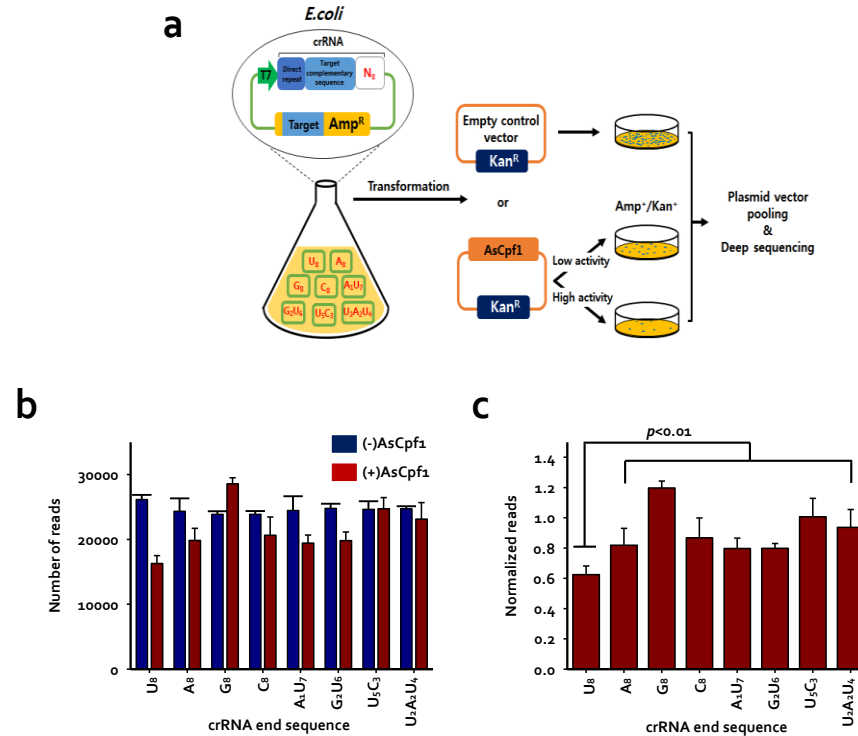
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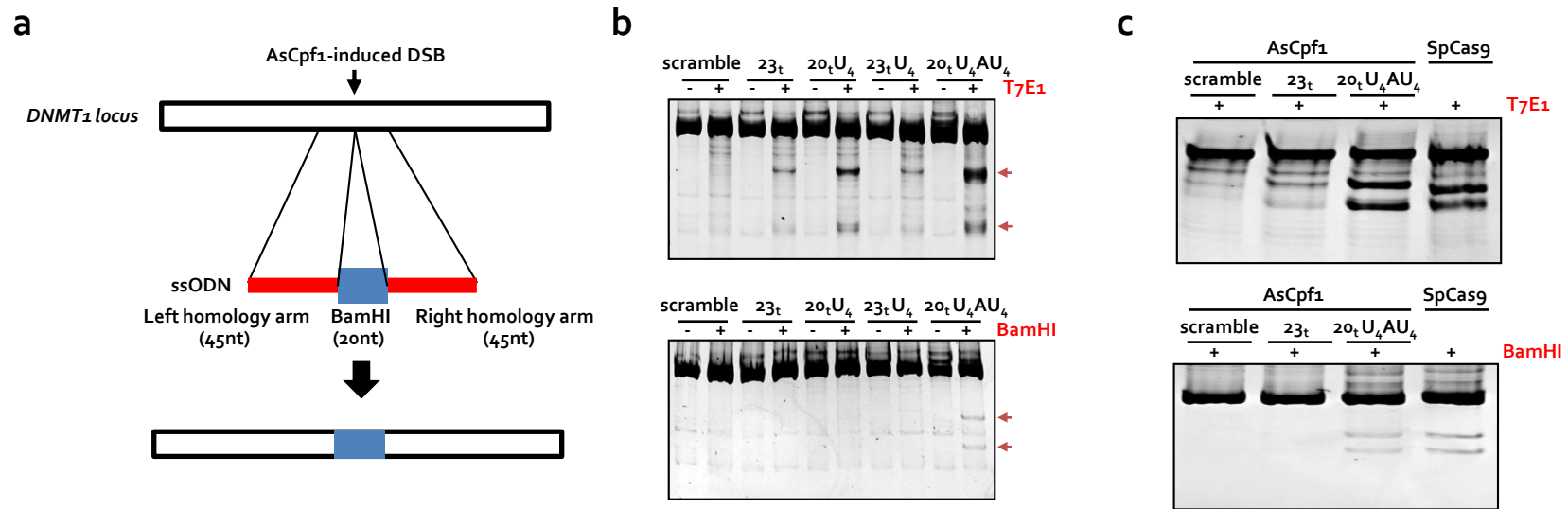
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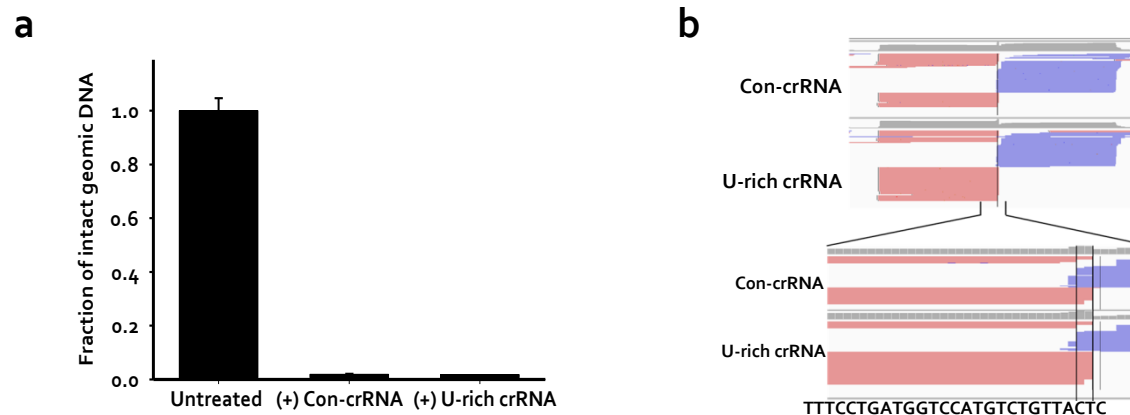
Supplementary Figure 2. Unbiased in vitro analysis to pursue the optimal crRNA configuration. (a) An ampicillin-resistant gene in pET21 plasmid vector was targeted for dsDNA cleavage by AsCpf1 in the presence of crRNA library. crRNA library oligonucleotides with a randomized sequence at positions 18-28 were synthesized and quality-controlled so that each crRNA occupies the equal molar ratio. (b) The oligonucleotide library was cloned into a pET21 plasmid vector using the sequence- and ligation-independent cloning (SLIC) method (Li & Elledge, Methods Mol Biol, 2012). The cloned plasmid vector was used to transform BL21 (DE3) *E. coli* cells and secured a colony forming unit of 1.56×10^8 CFU/mL. (c) The transformed cells were grown to make electro-competent cells carrying the crRNA-encoding plasmid library. The competent cells (2×10^{10} cells/mL) were transformed with either dCpf1 or Cpf1-carrying pET-28a(+) plasmid vector (50-200 ng). The use of dCpf1 vector was to normalize the content of each crRNA in competent cells prior to the transformation using the Cpf1 vector. The transformed cells were plated onto agar plates supplemented with ampicillin and kanamycin plus 0.1 M IPTG. Colonies formed onto each plate were pooled, from which plasmid vectors were purified. The plasmid vectors were subjected to deep sequencing to calculate the frequency of A/T/G/C at each position of crRNA. The basic rationale for our strategy is that a 'good crRNA' cleaves the ampicillin-resistant pET21 vector more efficiently, which, in turn, makes the *E. coli* cells carrying the 'good crRNA' less prone to survive in the amp(+) plates.



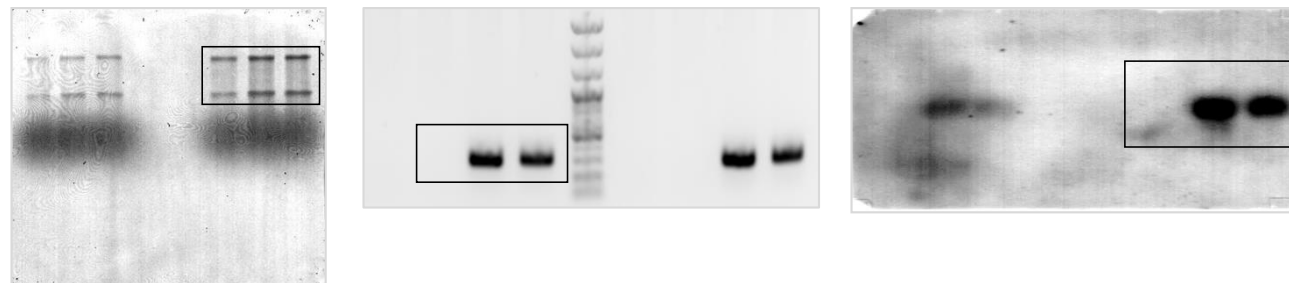
Supplementary Figure 3. Confirmation of the U-rich crRNA as an optimal configuration for AsCpf1 activity. (a) An experimental design to confirm an optimal configuration of crRNA. BL21 (DE3) *E. coli* cells were transformed with a pET21 vector carrying crRNA with various 8-nt 3'-tails. The crRNA was designed to target a 5'-proximal region of the ampicillin-resistant gene in the plasmid. A colony with a unique crRNA sequence was picked and grown to make electro-competent cells. An equal number of each competent cell was pooled to render crRNA library cells. Pooled competent cells were transformed with pET-28a(+) plasmid vectors with or without AsCpf1 gene. The transformed cells were plated onto agar plates supplemented with ampicillin and kanamycin plus 0.1 mM IPTG. Colonies formed onto each plate were pooled, from which plasmid vectors were purified. The occupancy of each crRNA was measured by deep sequencing analysis. (b) The number of reads is inversely proportional to the efficiency of crRNA. Each read obtained in the absence of AsCpf1 was used to normalize variations of the abundance of crRNA templates inside the competent cells. (c) The normalized read also confirmed that crRNA with the U₈ 3'-overhang created the optimal AsCpf1 activity ($p < 0.01$, compared with non-U₈ overhang) ($n=3$).



Supplementary Figure 4. Improved knock-in efficiency by crRNA carrying the U-rich 3'-overhang. (a) A *DNMT1* locus was targeted for double-strand DNA breakage (DSB) in the presence of crRNA and a donor DNA. The donor DNA was single-strand oligonucleotide (ssODN)-based and designed to carry 45-nt left and right homology arms and a 20-nt mismatch sequence with a BamHI cleavage site in the middle of the homology arms. Knock-in efficiency can be traced by digestion of PCR products carrying the target locus with BamHI. (b) After subjected to indel mutation by CRISPR/Cpf1 system, the target locus was investigated in terms of indel and knock-in efficiency. As expected, crRNA carrying U₄AU₄ 3'-overhang significantly improved indel efficiency at this target site and, more importantly, a traceable level of knock-in efficiency was observed only for the U-rich crRNA, as assessed by the amounts of BamHI-fragments on SDS-PAGE gels (indicated by arrows). (c) The same locus was targeted by both AsCpf1 and SpCas9 with their respective guide RNAs. Although a similar level of indel mutations were observed for AsCpf1 using the U-rich crRNA and SpCas9, knock-in efficiency was higher for SpCas9 than AsCpf1. Nonetheless, it is worthwhile to note that a traceable level of knock-in was confirmed by CRISPR/AsCpf1 system using the U-rich crRNA. All these results were a representative one of three independent experiments.



Supplementary Figure 5. Functionality of Digenome-seq off-target analysis. (a) Genomic DNA isolated from HEK-293T cells were subjected to quantitative real-time PCR analysis following digestion with crRNA/AsCpf1 ribonucleoprotein complex. More than 98% of genomic DNA was digested by the complex independently of crRNA types. (b) The cleaved products were then subjected to whole genome sequencing and the sequence data were aligned against human reference genome database (GRCh38.p11). Integrative genomic viewer (IGV) confirmed the typical cleavage pattern at position 18-20 of the non-target strand and 22 of the target strand.



Supplementary Figure 6. Uncropped, original images of blots and gels shown in this study. The images are for Fig. 6a that include the gel images of RNA preparations (left), PCR products (middle), and northern blot (right).

Supplementary Table 1. Target information for a large-scale validation of improved genome editing by the U-rich crRNA^a

Target No.	Chromosome	Location	Gene name	Target sequence (23nt)	Strand	Type	primer F	primer R	Indel Efficiency (%)		
									Cas9	Cpf1 (Con-crRNA)	Cpf1 (U-rich crRNA)
1	22	16994935	GAB4	CCTGGTGGCTGAGACCGGGAGG	negative	exon	GTGCTCCCATACCTGTGCTT	CTCACCCAACCTCCTGCTCT	18.3	9.3	7.2
2	21	25603838	MRPL39	ATTTACAGGACTTTGTAAAGG	positive	exon	GGCAGGCTGGGAACAGATTAT	GCAGAATCTTGCTTTCCATTGT	11.2	16.8	20.2
3	14	28794781	LINC01551	ATTTTGAAAGTGACCGTACGAGGG	negative	exon	TGCTGTGTACCCCCATTGGA	CTTCACCCAACCTTGCACTGG	13.2	1.2	15.6
4	14	28794751	LINC01551	ATAATACACTCTTTACACTGAGG	negative	exon			2.3	42.3	49.6
5	15	24987466	PWAR5	AACAAATCACTGACTAACCAAGG	negative	exon	GTCAGCTACCTTTCCCATGTT	TGAAGTGTTTACGTCTCCCAT	28.4	3.2	12.8
6	15	24987493	PWAR5	GTGTGGATAAGAATCACCTGAGG	positive	exon			19.2	14.2	25.8
7	3	131069719	NUDT16	GGGGTAGAGGTACTCTACAGGGG	positive	exon	AAAAGATGCTGGACCTTGGC	CAGGATGAGCAGCACTTTGG	34.8	27.1	29
8	3	131069756	NUDT16	GGGGTAGAGGTAGTCTACAGGGG	positive	exon			36.2	32	35.8
9	11	3087968	OSBPL5	GCATTAAAGGCCAGCGCTGGCGGG	positive	exon	CGGGGCTCTCCAAACCTG	CTCCATGGAGGCAGAGAGGC	13.5	3.7	19.5
10	17	3669779	P2RX5-TAX1BP3	CACATAGGCCATTACGAAACGGG	positive	exon	CTGTAACGCTTAGGCTGCCA	CTGGCCTGTGAAAGGTACAC	28.3	22.1	30.7
11	17	3670244	P2RX5-TAX1BP3	ATTTTGAACAATAACCTTACAGGG	positive	exon			12.2	4.6	17.3
12	20	499271	CSNK2A1	CGTGTTCAAAAACCAAGCGGGG	positive	exon	TCAAGATGCAGAAAGTGGG	CCTAGAGCCTGGTGAGACTT	11.2	0	0
13	14	20117733	OR4K17	ACAAGTTCAGAATCACCTTAGGG	negative	exon	ACAGGTCATCCAAGAGCGAG	AGGAGACCCAAGAGCCATGA	12.7	4.6	8.2
14	17	943127	LOC100130876	AAATAACCGTCGGTTTCTTAAGG	positive	exon	CAAGGCTGGGCAGAGTAACCT	TCCCTGGATTTACAGTGGGGTG	12.8	19.2	22.4
15	7	72574897	TYW1B	GATCCGATGCAATTTTGGGAAGG	positive	exon	GTCGTGATATGAGAGGCCCG	TCACCTGGCCCTTGATTTC	7.5	18.6	24.3
16	13	19073987	LOC107984132	GGAAGCGCAGAAAAGTAAAAGG	negative	exon	CACTGTCGGAGCTCACATCG	GCCTCCTCCAGGGTTGATG	13.2	22.1	21
17	19	58005513	LOC100128398	AAGAGTTATTGTCAATAGAAAGG	negative	exon	GCAGAAGCTGGACTTGCTCT	AACCCCCAGATAGGAAGGG	9.2	0	0
18	19	58005593	LOC100128398	CAAGAAATGTACTGCCTTACGG	negative	exon			13.2	3.4	15.9
19	7	2434356	CHST12	CCTCTGACTTGACTTCAACACAG	negative	exon	CCGCACCTGTCTGTTTTTGG	GCTAGAGTGCAATGTCGCGA	0	13.2	15.6
20	16	31193648	FUS	GTGGGTAGGTCACAGTTTGGGGGG	positive	exon	CAACAGTAGGCGGAGAGTGG	GAGGCCAGTTCAAGACCAGC	48.6	15.3	39.5
21	16	31193383	FUS	ACAAAGAAACCAGCAGTGGCAGG	negative	exon			10.2	7.3	11.5
22	7	1233674	UNCX	CCTGAACCTCGGGAACGACACAGG	negative	exon	GCCCTTCAAGCTGTGAGGTA	TCTGCCACCTGGAACAAAG	3.2	4.3	5.1
23	7	1596749	LOC105375122	CAAACCAAGGTACCTGTGCCAGG	positive	exon	GGGCTCTAATGGCTGTGTGT	CTTTTCCCTGCACCTCCACC	8.2	13	18.6
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25	12	909294	WNK1	GAACCCAGTGAAAAATACCAGGG	positive	exon			8.6	1.6	3.6
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100	8	296459		ACCTCAGGCCTGATCATCAGGGG	negative	intergenic	TGTCTAAGGCCACGACCACAAGC	CCTCTTGGCACTTCGCTGGT	11.2	21.2	23.6
101	4	54520460		CATACAGGGCTCTGTACCCAGGG	negative	intergenic	GGCCAGAACCTTGCTCTTGAG	AAGGAGCTGTGCTGTGACGGTA	23.1	20.4	22.9
102	4	54520536		CAAAGCACTCACCTGTTGGGG	positive	intergenic			24.1	14.3	26.7

103	5	170399606	AGAACACATACCCCTGGCCGGG	negative	intergenic	CTGCACCACCACCTGGCTAAT	AGAACAGAGCAGTGGGCAACAGG	8.4	5.6	14.2
104	5	170399701	ATAATAAAAGTATTTCTCAGGG	negative	intergenic			11.3	13.2	9.7
105	17	1919439	AGCCGTGGTCAGTGAGGGCAGG	positive	intergenic	AGAGGGGCACTCGGGAAGAGATA	GGAGGACTTCTCCCTGTTGGTC	2.3	20.1	26.4
106	17	1919532	GAGCTCATTAGCTTGGGAGGGG	positive	intergenic			10.4	22.3	21.1
107	4	96592551	GGAAAAGTCATCTGCTACTAGGG	positive	intergenic	TAAACAGGGAAGCGTGGAAGA	TGATGCTTCACCTCAGTGTCT	46.2	15.3	32.6
108	9	7742784	GAAAATAACTAAACTTCCACAGG	negative	intergenic	ATGATTGGGTTCTGCTGAGGG	AGACCACCTAAAAATTGGCT	34.3	3.5	7.3
109	15	25637364	AATTCTTTAAGTAATTTAAGAGG	negative	intergenic	GGCCTGACCCCTCAGATCTT	GCACTATGCGATCTCCTGGC	12.3	0	0
110	4	96592739	ATTGTATTGTCATAAATTTGGGG	positive	intergenic	TAAACAGGGAAGCGTGGAAGA	TGATGCTTCACCTCAGTGTCT	8.8	6.2	8.4
111	9	7742966	CTTAGTAGTCTCAGAACCAAGGG	positive	intergenic	ATGATTGGGTTCTGCTGAGGG	AGACCACCTAAAAATTGGCT	22.4	14.3	25.3
112	15	25637516	AAAGGAGCACAGTACAAACAGG	positive	intergenic	GGCCTGACCCCTCAGATCTT	GCACTATGCGATCTCCTGGC	21.5	18.2	25.6
113	18	561716	AATGATGCAGTAATCGGTAGGG	positive	intergenic	ACAAATCCCCTCATCCCAACG	AAGCTCACTCACCACCACT	20.6	4.3	19.8
114	5	136515115	ACTTGACATAGTAAGAAACAGGG	positive	intergenic	GCAACAATCGCCATTCTCACCC	GTGGCCCTCTTATAGCTCTAGG	22.6	23.3	25.9
115	5	136515295	ATAAAAGGAATTTTACAAGGG	positive	intergenic			18.2	12.2	16.9

^aListed information is based on the Genome Reference Consortium Human Build 38 patch release 11 (GRCh38.p11).

Supplementary Table 2. Biased investigation of off-target levels by an on-target probe at potential off-target sites

Target	Reference (Ref) sequence ¹⁾	Location ²⁾	Gene name	crRNA used	# of Total reads	# of Trimmed reads	# of reads with Ref sequence	% of Ref sequence.	# of reads with SNP ³⁾	# of reads with indel	% of indel mutations	Sample ID	Primer F	Primer R
Ontarget	[TTTC]TTTCCTGTTTGCTTGTC	63529049	PTK6	None	113,237	80,713	75,955	94.11	4,758	0	0.00	crRNA_On_N		
				Con-crRNA	88,251	77,426	64,657	83.51	4,180	8,589	11.09	crRNA_On_C	CCTCGGGCAGTGATGCTTG	TCCTTACTCCATCGTGTGTC
				U-rich crRNA	79,625	66,796	50,596	75.75	2,235	13,965	20.91	crRNA_On_U		
Offtarget_1	[TTTG]TTTtCTGTTTGCTTGTC	92840367	GRID2	None	37,332	35,248	34,340	97.42	908	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_1_N		
				Con-crRNA	34,725	31,542	30,710	97.36	832	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_1_C	CATCCATTCAACCAGTCTCAGT	TCAGTAGAGGAAGAAGGGGAGA
				U-rich crRNA	37,709	36,385	35,391	97.27	994	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_1_U		
Offtarget_2	[TTTG]TTTCCTGTTTGCTTGT-aC	124222832	CNTNAP5	None	48,641	46,258	45,040	97.37	1,218	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_2_N		
				Con-crRNA	59,834	57,569	56,189	97.60	1,380	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_2_C	AGTTCTAATTGGCTGTTGTG	CTCAACAAACCAGTGACACTTG
				U-rich crRNA	50,501	47,997	46,735	97.37	1,262	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_2_U		
Offtarget_3	[TTTC]TTTCCTGTTT--CTTtGTC	19610119	SLC24A3	None	32,085	31,007	30,313	97.76	694	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_3_N		
				Con-crRNA	35,845	34,518	33,712	97.66	806	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_3_C	TCCATCACCCCAATTCCAGT	GAAGGGGAGAATGAAGAGATGA
				U-rich crRNA	36,528	34,980	34,026	97.27	954	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_3_U		
Offtarget_4	[TTTC]TTTCCTGTTTGCTTGCACTC	79439750	NRXN3	None	49,137	47,574	46,508	97.76	1,066	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_4_N		
				Con-crRNA	60,548	58,884	57,256	97.24	1,628	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_4_C	TCTCATTCTGTCAAGCCATGT	TGGAAAGTACCCATGTGATG
				U-rich crRNA	50,080	48,412	46,910	96.90	1,502	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_4_U		
Offtarget_5	[TTTG]TTTCCTGTTTGTtTTGTGt	31598764	SRD5A2	None	49,908	47,725	46,313	97.04	1,412	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_5_N		
				Con-crRNA	38,098	35,784	34,873	97.45	911	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_5_C	AGGAAGACAGGAAGGAAGGA	AGTGTGTTTCTTGATGCAGCA
				U-rich crRNA	42,185	40,084	39,026	97.36	1,058	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_5_U		
Offtarget_6	[TTTA]TTTtCTGTTTGCTTG-Gta	72315368	[Intergene]	None	41,054	40,014	39,225	98.03	789	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_6_N		
				Con-crRNA	33,694	31,815	30,973	97.35	842	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_6_C	CAGAGAAAGGGTAGTGGGACA	AAGGGGAGGGAGAGAGAGAG
				U-rich crRNA	49,518	47,189	45,962	97.40	1,227	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_6_U		
Offtarget_7	[TTTG]TTTtCTGgTTGCTCTGTTGTC	81529011	GBE1	None	41,120	39,809	38,993	97.95	816	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_7_N		
				Con-crRNA	42,874	41,100	39,805	96.85	1,295	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_7_C	GATTGGAGAGTTCAGTCCAT	GCAAGCCTCATGAGAACCACA
				U-rich crRNA	58,045	55,784	54,500	97.70	1,284	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_7_U		
Offtarget_8	[TTTG]TTT--TGTTTGCTTGtTt	21505926	[Intergene]	None	43,325	42,845	41,787	97.53	1,058	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_8_N		
				Con-crRNA	36,415	34,550	33,556	97.12	994	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_8_C	AAGTGGGAGGATTGCTTGA	TACATGGTGGTTTTGCAGGC
				U-rich crRNA	52,409	51,177	49,976	97.65	1,201	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_8_U		
Offtarget_9	[TTTG]TTTCCTGTTTcTCT--TtTC	141212565	TMEM178B	None	48,023	46,698	45,793	98.06	905	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_9_N		
				Con-crRNA	36,605	34,401	33,333	96.90	1,068	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_9_C	AGTTGTACCAGGCCAATA	AAGTGAGGTTCTGGGGATG
				U-rich crRNA	42,229	41,007	39,671	96.74	1,336	0	0.00	crRNA_OF_9_U		

1) Four letters in parenthesis indicate a PAM sequence. Lower cases and dashes indicates mismatch sequences and bulges, respectively.

2) Location is based on the Genome Reference Consortium Human Build 38 patch release 11 (GRCh38.p11).

3) The occurrence of SNP was monitored in the investigated alleles by comparing with the sequences of non-treated alleles. These single-nucleotide variations identically observed between Cpfl1-treated and non-treated alleles were deemed to be SNP. Those SNPs were taken into account and excluded when calculating off-target frequencies.

Supplementary Table 3. Lists of off-target sites for AsCpf1

Con-crRNA				U-rich crRNA			
Chromosome	Location	DNA Cleavage score	Target sequence	Chromosome	Location	DNA Cleavage score	Target sequence
Chr19	43767815	15.8	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA	Chr19	43767815	11.3	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA
Chr1	10179491	10.4	TTTACTGATGGTCCAT ccCTtTTA	Chr6	141623485	10.2	TTTGCTGATGGTCT ATagCTaTcA
Chr19	43263943	9.1	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA	Chr6	138526960	8.7	TTTCCTGATGGTCT gtTtTTGTg
Chr1	177026436	8.4	TTTGCTGATGGTCT gATtTaTcTg	Chr19	10244444	7.8	TTTCCTGATGGTCCATGTCTGTTA
Chr19	10244444	8.2	TTTCCTGATGGTCCATGTCTGTTA	Chr19	43263943	7.7	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA
Chr6	16517291	7.7	ATTCCTGATGa TCCATGcCTGcat	Chr5	163936302	7.3	TTTCCTGATGGTCT ATtTtTccTt
Chr19	43416520	6.9	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA	ChrX	92673750	7.3	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cagaTactA
Chr5	39969437	6.7	TCTCCTGATGGTCCAT acCTGTTA	Chr21	44021964	6.9	TTTCCTGATGGTCT AcacCTGTTg
Chr2	233034313	6.2	TTTA gTGATaGTCCATGTCTGcag	Chr19	43435385	6.8	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA
Chr19	43353967	6	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTgA	Chr1	10179491	6.7	TTTACTGATGGTCCAT ccCTtTTA
Chr6	141623485	5.7	TTTGCTGATGGTCT ATagCTaTcA	Chr19	43377706	6.6	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA
Chr13	70187460	5.6	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cactTGTTg	Chr3	122020326	6.5	TTTACTGATGa TCTATaTtTactA
Chr21	44021964	5.6	TTTCCTGATGGTCT AcacCTGTTg	Chr19	43416520	6.4	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA
Chr5	163936302	5.6	TTTCCTGATGGTCT ATtTtTccTt	Chr1	177026436	6.3	TTTGCTGATGGTCT gATtTaTcTg
Chr19	43377706	5.5	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTaA	Chr1	186592956	5.8	TTTCCT catGGTCCATGCaGgac
ChrX	81346070	5.4	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cactTaTTg	Chr16	75745894	5.7	TTTCTGATGGTCCAT acCTGTTA
ChrX	115862098	5.1	TTTC atGATGGTCCATacCTGTTA	Chr6	16517291	5.7	ATTCCTGATGa TCCATGcCTGcat
Chr1	213377379	5.1	TTTCCTGATGGTCCATGTCTG aat	Chr19	43353967	5.6	TTTACTGATGGTCCA aacaTcTgA
Chr4	151678397	4.7	TTTGCTGATGGTCT ctTtTaacTTA	ChrX	115862098	5.6	TTTC atGATGGTCCATacCTGTTA
Chr1	89819958	4.5	TTTCCTGATGGC ccATacCTGTTA	Chr1	236623991	4.9	TTTACTGATGa TCCATGTCTaaac
Chr1	242619943	4.3	TTTG gTGATGGTCTaTATCaGaga	Chr13	70187460	4.9	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cactTGTTg
Chr2	89591302	4.2	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTtTTg	Chr1	213377380	4.9	TTTCCTGATGGTCCATGTCTG aat
Chr13	81006434	4	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cactTGTgg	Chr1	238343056	4.7	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTaTTg
ChrX	97546178	3.9	TTTCCTGATGGTCCAc GcCTGTTA	Chr5	35891131	4.5	TTTCCTGATGGTCT AcacCTGTTg
Chr22	27745385	3.8	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cactTaTTA	ChrX	97546178	4.2	TTTCCTGATGGTCCAc GcCTGTTA
Chr3	96050499	3.8	TTTCCTGATGGTCCAT actTGTTg	Chr17	53836590	4.1	TTTACTGATGGTCCAT acCTcgTA
Chr1	238343056	3.4	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTaTTg	ChrX	94580341	4.1	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cactTGTTg
Chr3	195961223	3.4	TTACCTGATG tTCCATGTcCagTg	Chr2	89591301	4	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTtTTg
Chr13	82088076	3.4	TTTCC cGATGGTCCAcacTCTGTTA	Chr12	58560889	3.8	TTTCCTGATGGTCT AcacCTGTTg
Chr17	53836590	3.2	TTTACTGATGGTCCAT acCTcgTA	Chr13	81006434	3.8	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cactTGTgg
Chr1	146123498	3.2	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTGTTg	Chr6	154888710	3.7	TTTACT aATGGTCCAAaTcTcA
Chr2	4463241	3.2	TTTA gTGATGGTCCcTaTtTcTtc	Chr4	151678397	3.6	TTTGCTGATGGTCT ctTtTaacTTA
Chr3	142979810	3.1	TCTCCTGATGGTCCAc GcCTGTTA	Chr7	112920853	3.4	TTTGCTGATGGTCT gtTaTCTGTgA
Chr4	125429316	3	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTaTTg	Chr8	34932811	3.3	TCTACTGATGGTCT ctTaTtTGTTg
Chr7	68777908	3	TTTCCTG ctGGTCCATGTCTaaTA	Chr4	31284788	3.2	TTTCCTGATGa TCTATcTaTagTA
Chr1	236623993	3	TTTACTGATGa TCCATGTCTaaac	Chr3	135976149	3.1	TTTGCTGATGGTCC cctCTcccA
ChrX	92676365	3	TTTCCTGATGGTCCAT acCTGTTA	ChrX	130910822	3.1	TCTCCTGATGa TCCAcaTCTGTTA
Chr11	26124230	2.9	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA catCTGTTA	Chr3	96050498	3	TTTCCTGATGGTCCAT actTGTTg
Chr4	84421821	2.8	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTtTTg	Chr7	68777909	2.9	TTTCCTG ctGGTCCATGTCTaaTA
Chr6	138526961	2.6	TTTCCTGATGGTCT gtTtTTGTg	Chr4	84421821	2.9	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTtTTg
Chr5	35891132	2.6	TTTCCTGATGGTCT AcacCTGTTg	ChrX	92676365	2.8	TTTCCTGATGGTCCAT acCTGTTA
				Chr5	178329	2.7	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTGcTg
				Chr11	26124230	2.7	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA catCTGTTA
				Chr6	147610255	2.7	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacCTGcTg
				Chr1	89819958	2.6	TTTCCTGATGG cCCATacCTGTTA
				Chr9	35488299	2.5	TTTCCTGATGGTCCA cacaTGTTA

Supplementary Table 4. Target information for the *in vitro* and *in vivo* study

Figure	Gene name	Chromosome	Target sequence ¹⁾	Location	Strand	Type	Primer F	Primer R	Description
1a, 2b, 2c, 2g, 4b	DNMT1	19	[TTTC]CTGATGGTCCATGTCTGTTACTC	1013370	negative	intron	CTGGGACTCAGGCGGGTCAC	CCTCACACAACAGCTTCATGTCAGC	
1b, 1c, 1e, 2d, 2e, 6c, Supplementary Fig. 1	DNMT1	19	[TTTG]CTACACACTGGGCATCGGTGGGGG	10207808	negative	intron	AAGCAAATCCACCTGCCTCG	CCTCCCTAGCCCTTCAGG	
2f	VEGFA	6	[TTTC]TCCGCTCTGAGCAAGGCCACAG	43781959	negative	exon	CTAGCCAGTGCTGCCTCTTT	CGCTCGCTCACTCTCTTTCT	
Supplementary Fig. 1	TP53	17	[TTTC]GACATAGTGTGGTGGTGCCCTAT	7674841	positive	exon	CAGATAGCGATGGTGAGCAG	GGGAGGTCAAATAAGCAGCAGG	
Supplementary Fig. 1	LGALS3BP	17	[TTTG]TGACAGACAGTTCCTGGAGTGCA	78972059	positive	exon	ACTGAAGGCCGTGGACACCT	CTTGCTCTGGAAGAGGAAGC	
2f, 5a, 6b	INIP	9	[TTTA]AGAGCAGCGATTGTAAGGAGAGG	112718012	negative	exon	ACAGGGCCATCTTGACAG	CCGCTAAAGTGCGAATCACG	Target1 (Fig.5a)
2f, 5c	LOC105370393	14	[TTTA]AAGAAAGCTACAGGAAAGCAGGG	19916499	positive	intron	GCCAGCCCTGATTCTTCAG	AGTGAATTATGTTGGCTTGGCA	Target1 (Fig.5c)
5a	KLHL29	2	[TTTA]GAGAGACCGCTCAGGCTGGAGGG	23847019	negative	intron	AAGCCGAAAGCCTACACCTC	GGACATTGAAGCCCGTGA	Target2 (Fig.5a)
5a	KLHL29	2	[TTTA]GGGAGACAGGGAGAAGTGAGAGG	23847166	negative	intron			Target3 (Fig.5a)
5b	KIF26B	1	[TTTA]CCCCTGCATTGCCATGAGCCCC	245687161	positive	exon	CTTTCAACAAAGCAGCCCC	TGCTCTGGTCTCAGCATTG	Target1
			[TTCC]GGGGGCTCATGGCAATGCAGGGG		negative				
5b	CAV1	7	[TTTA]CCCGAGTCCTGGGGACAGTCCCC	116525483	positive	intron	TGAGATTGGGTCTGTTGGGC	TGAGATTGGGTCTGTTGGGC	Target2
			[TCCC]GGGGACTGTCCCAGGACTCGGG		negative				
5b	ITGB5	3	[TTCC]CCGCAGTGACACTCGCCATGGCC	124773887	positive	exon	TTGTAAGAATGCGGCTCCC	CATAACCATCTGGTGCCCCA	Target3
			[TTTA]GGCCATGGCGAGTGTCAGTGGG		negative				
5c	COL8A1	3	[TTTA]GATTCATTCTCAGTGCCATGGGG	99413340	positive	intron	GTGGCCAGGTGGAGGATAAG	CTCTGGCTCCTTGATACCTCCG	Target2
5c	COL8A1	3	[TTTA]AGGCAATTGCAACCACTGAAGGG	99413482	positive	intron			Target3

¹⁾ Four letters in parenthesis indicate a PAM sequence.

Supplementary Table 5. Probe sequences for Northern blot analysis

Target	Sequence
DNMT1 target 3 on-target	5'-AATTTCTACTCTTGTAGATCTGATGGTCCATGTCTGTTACTC-3'
DNMT1 target 3 U-rich	5'-AATTTCTACTCTTGTAGATCTGATGGTCCATGTCTGTTATTTTATTTTTT-3'