

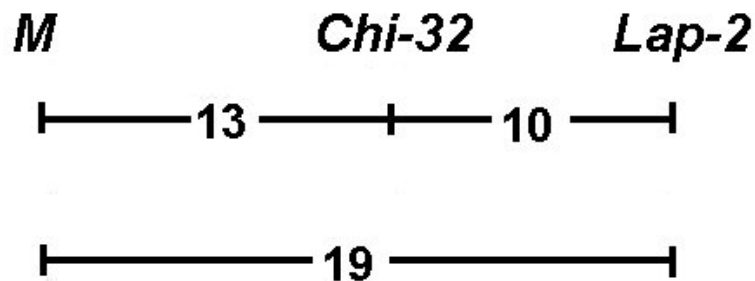
Supplemental mapping of the gene *Chi-32* on chromosome 3

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The chlorotica mutant *chi-32* was induced in the line Wt3519 by using fast neutrons for the radiation treatment of dry seeds. The F₉ generation analysis of the two point cross Wt11288 (testerline) x WT15325 (mutant) showed linkage between *chi-32* and gene *M* in chromosome 3 (CrO% = 8.5 ± 1.7) (1). A recombinant line with genotype *chi-32 M* was selected from this test and included in our *Pisum* gene bank as the line Wt15327.

We chose a second marker, the gene *Lap-2*, for mapping of the *chi-32* locus. According to Weeden and Marx (2) the recombination fraction for *M - Lap-2* equals 9.0 ± 4.9 . Line Wt15327 (*chi-32 M Lap-2^S*) was crossed with line Wt8905 (*Chi-32 m Lap-2^f*) and single locus segregation data are shown in Table 1 A. All polymorphisms displayed segregation ratios close to those expected for single gene traits. Joint segregation analysis of *chi-32* and markers on chromosome 3 revealed a non random assortment with *M* (CrO% = 13.7 ± 7.1) and with *Lap-2* (CrO% = 10.2 ± 2.3). The recombination fraction for the pair *M - Lap-2* was 18.8 ± 7.0 (Table 1 B) This three-point linkage analysis on chromosome 3 indicates the following ranking of the loci:



Our results indicate that the gene *Chi-32*, which controls a chlorophyll mutation, is placed between *M* and *Lap-2* on chromosome 3. Previous results of Weeden and Marx (2) reveal a smaller distance between *M* and *Lap-2*. The cause of this inconsistency is not presently known.

Table 1. Phenotypic distribution in an F₂ population derived from cross Wt8905 (*Chi-32 m Lap-2^f*) x Wt15327 (*chi-32 M Lap-2^S*)

A. Monohybrid segregation								
Locus	X	x	Total	Chi-square (3:1)				
<i>Chi-32</i>	144	49	193	0.01				
<i>M</i>	136	51	187	0.51				
<i>Lap-2</i>	140	51 ¹	191	0.29				
B. Joint segregation of chlorotica <i>chi-32</i> with <i>M</i> and <i>Lap-2</i> :								
Gene pair	XY	Xy	xY	xy	Total	Joint Chi-sq.	Rec. fract.	S.E.
<i>Chi-32 : M</i>	91	51	45	1	187	19.77***	13.74	7.14
<i>Chi-32 : Lap-2</i>	132	11 ¹	8	40 ¹	191	105.06***	10.23	2.33
<i>M : Lap-2</i>	88	46 ¹	49	2 ¹	185	17.77***	18.88	7.03

***P < 0.001

¹Homozygous slow *Lap-2^S Lap-2^S*.

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2. Weeden, N.F. and Marx, G.A. 1984. J. Heredity 75:365-370.