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Phenylketonuria Screen
REAL-TIME PCR Genotyping Kit

REF R1-H950-N3/4EU

Package: N (bulk solution)

General information

Intended use:
Phenylketonuria Screen REAL-TIME PCR Genotyping Kit is intended for detection of the 4 most common genetic polymorphisms associated with inherited risk of phenylketonuria.
Phenylketonuria Screen REAL-TIME PCR Genotyping Ki can be used in scientific research practice.

Method:
Real-time PCR followed by melting curve analysis, qualitative analysis.

Samples:
Peripheral blood.

DNA extraction:
The DNA-Technology's **PREP-GS Genetics Extraction Kit** is recommended.

Features:
Two alleles are detected simultaneously in single tube.
In PCR-mix for each polymorphism the system for human genomic DNA amplification (IC) is included. It allows to control quantity of human DNA in amplification tube to exclude mistakes in genotyping.
We also recommend including in assay the negative control (C-) which is not supplied but very helpful for contamination control purposes. Use deionized water or sterile buffered saline instead of sample, starting from extraction step.

Devices:
The automatic analysis for **Phenylketonuria Screen REAL-TIME PCR Genotyping Kit** is available on "DNA-Technology" made DTlite[1], DTprime[2] REAL-TIME Thermal Cyclers; the latest version of the software is available for download at https://www.dna-technology.com/software.

Time of analysis (excluding sample preparation procedure):

from 2 hours.

The number of tests:

48 (including negative controls in each run).

Kit contents:

Reagent	Organoleptic parameters	Quantity	
PCR-mix:	Colorless transparent liquid		
1. PAH: R261Q		960 µL	1 tube
2. PAH: R408W		960 µL	1 tube
3. PAH: IVS10nt546		960 µL	1 tube
4. PAH: IVS12+1G>A		960 µL	1 tube
PCR-buffer	Colorless transparent liquid	960 µL	2 tubes
Taq-AT-polymerase	Colorless transparent viscous liquid	96 µL	1 tube
Mineral oil	Colorless transparent viscous oily liquid	3.84 mL	1 vial

Dye label detection channels corresponding to allelic variants and IC

PCR-mix	Fam	Hex	Rox	Cy5	Cy5.5
All PAH mixes	N (norm)	m (mutation)	-	IC	-

[1] - supported by 4S1, 4S2, 5S1, 5S2, 6S1, 6S2 instruments
[2] - supported by 4M1, 4M3, 4M6, 5M1, 5M3, 5M6, 6M1, 6M3, 6M6 instruments

Procedure

1 PCR amplification

1. The quantity of DNA to be analyzed must be greater than or equal to 1.0 ng per reaction (the Cp parameter for IC must not be more than 32.0). The violation of this requirement will affect the validity of analysis and void the manufacturer guarantee.
2. The reagents and tubes should be kept away from direct sunlight!

1.1 Mark the required number of 0.2 mL PCR-tubes for each polymorphism to be tested (one tube for each sample and one for negative control "C-").

Example. If you need to test 5 samples, mark 6 tubes of each PCR-mix: 5 for the samples and 1 for the "C-". Total number of tubes – 24.

PCR tubes marking

	PAH: R261Q	PAH: R408W	PAH: IVS10nt546	PAH: IVS12+1G>A
Sample 1	√	√	√	√
Sample 2	√	√	√	√
Sample 3	√	√	√	√
Sample 4	√	√	√	√
Sample 5	√	√	√	√
"C–"	√	√	√	√

1.2 Vortex the tubes containing PCR-mix for 3-5 s, then spin for 1-3 s to collect the drops.
1.3 Add 20 µL of corresponding PCR-mix into the marked tubes (use a new pipette tip for each type of PCR-mix).
1.4 Vortex the tubes with PCR-buffer and Taq-AT-polymerase for 3-5 s, then spin for 1-3 s to collect the drops.

Taq-AT-polymerase must be stored at temperatures from minus 18 °C to minus 22 °C. Room temperature exposure is permitted only for a short time. Remove from freezer just prior to use and place on ice.

1.5 Prepare the mixture of PCR-buffer and Taq-AT-polymerase. Mix in the separate tube:
- 10×(N+1) µL of PCR-buffer;
- 0.5×(N+1) µL of Taq-AT-polymerase;

N — number of the marked tubes including "C-".

Example: For simultaneous testing of 5 samples and 1 "C-" (resulting number of marked tubes is 24) in one PCR run, mix 250 µL of PCR-buffer and 12.5 µL of Taq-AT-polymerase (calculate final volume for 25 (24+1) tubes).

1.6 Vortex the tube for 3-5 s, then spin for 1-3 s to collect the drops.

The mixture of PCR-buffer and Taq-AT-polymerase must be prepared just prior to use.

1.7 Add 10 µL of PCR-buffer and Taq-AT-polymerase mixture into each PCR-tube.

Follow the steps listed in pp 1.8 - 1.14 within two hours after addition of PCR-buffer and Taq-AT-polymerase mix to amplification mix.

1.8 Add one drop (~20 µL) of mineral oil in each PCR-tube. Close the tubes.
1.9 Vortex the tubes with samples and "C-" for 3-5 s and spin down the drops by centrifuging in vortex mixer for 1-3 s.

1. In case of using **PREP-GS Genetics DNA Extraction Kit**. After vortexing centrifuge the tubes with the DNA preparation at RCF(g)16000 for one minute at room temperature (from 18 °C to 25 °C) to precipitate the sorbent. If, after isolation, the supernatant containing the isolated DNA was transferred to new tubes, centrifugation is carried out for 1-3 s in a vortex mixer.
2. Open the cap of the tube, add DNA sample, then close the tube before proceeding to the next tube to prevent contamination. Use filter tips. Close tubes tightly.

1.10 Add 5.0 µL of the DNA sample into each tube assigned to test samples (4 tubes for each sample).Do not add DNA into the "C-" tubes.
1.11 Add 5.0 µL of negative control (C-), which passed all steps of DNA extraction procedure into corresponding tubes.
1.12 Spin the tubes for 1–3 s to collect the drops.
1.13 Set the tubes to real-time PCR thermal cycler.
1.14 Launch the operating software for DT instrument[1]. Add corresponding test[2], specify the number and ID's of the samples and negative control samples. Specify the position of the tubes in the thermal unit (see 1.13) and run PCR.

[1] Please, apply to Operation Manual for DTprime and DTlite Real-Time PCR instruments PART II.
[2] Instructions for uploading "files with test parameters" can be found on "DNA-Technology's" website https://www.dna-technology.com/assaylibrary.

The type of the negative control tubes must be specified as “Sample”.

2 Data collection and data analysis.

Registration and interpretation of the PCR results are held in automatic mode.

For samples containing a sufficient quantity of DNA for correct analysis, the software defines the genotype. The samples containing an insufficient quantity of DNA (less than 1.0 ng per reaction or Cp Cy5>32.0) will be analyzed as N/A (uncertain result).

It is recommended to repeat genotyping of homo- and heterozygous mutant samples, starting from the DNA extraction step.

Storage, shipping and handling requirements

All components of the **Phenylketonuria Screen REAL-TIME PCR Genotyping Kit**, except the Taq-AT-polymerase, must be stored at temperatures from 2 °C to 8 °C during the storage period. PCR-mix must be stored at temperatures from 2 °C to 8 °C and out of light during the storage period. The Taq-AT-polymerase must be stored at temperatures from minus 18 °C to minus 22 °C during the storage period.

Excessive temperature and light can be detrimental to product performance.

Tubes with PCR-mix, PCR buffer and mineral oil can be transported at the temperature between 0 °C and 24 °C for not more than 72 hours.

Tube with Taq-AT-polymerase can be transported on ice (in a box with freezable gel-type packets) for not more than 72 hours.

Shelf-life – 12 months if all the conditions of transportation, storage and operation are met.

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Key to symbols

	Temperature limit		Consult instructions for use		Catalogue number
	Use-by date		Manufacturer		Batch code
	Date of manufacture		Contains sufficient for <n> tests		Keep away from sunlight
	Caution		Non-sterile		

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