

Genomic DNA from *Bacteroides fragilis*, Strain 3_1_12

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Product Description:

Genomic DNA was obtained from a preparation of *Bacteroides fragilis* (*B. fragilis*), strain 3_1_12.

Note: The HMP material used for DNA extraction was taxonomically classified by the depositor. Quality control of HMP organisms is only performed to demonstrate that the material produced by BEI Resources is identical to the deposited material.

B. fragilis, strain 3_1_12 was isolated from the transverse colon of a healthy 52-year old female undergoing a colon cancer screen procedure in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.^{1,2} and is a reference genome for [The Human Microbiome Project](#) (HMP). HMP is an initiative to identify and characterize human microbial flora. The complete genome of *B. fragilis*, strain 3_1_12 is currently being sequenced at the [Broad Institute](#) (GenBank: [ABZX000000000](#)).

HM-20D has been qualified for PCR applications by amplification of approximately 1500 bp of the 16S ribosomal RNA gene.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains 0.7 to 1.5 µg of bacterial genomic DNA in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl and 1 mM EDTA, pH ~ 8.0). The concentration is shown on the Certificate of Analysis. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

Packaging/Storage:

HM-20D was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen on dry ice and should be stored at -20°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be minimized.

Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through BEI Resources, NIAID, NIH as part of the Human Microbiome Project: Genomic DNA from *Bacteroides fragilis*, Strain 3_1_12, HM-20D."

Biosafety Level: 1

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References:

1. Professor Emma Allen-Vercoe, personal communication.
2. [HMP 118](#) (*Bacteroides fragilis*, strain 3_1_12)

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