

# **Product Information Sheet for MRA-273G**

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# Genomic DNA from *Plasmodium* falciparum, Strain 1BB5

## Catalog No. MRA-273G

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#### **Product Description:**

Genomic DNA was extracted from a preparation of *Plasmodium falciparum* (*P. falciparum*), strain 1BB5. Strain 1BB5 is a genetic cross progeny of *P. falciparum* strains HB3 and Dd2.<sup>1,2</sup>

MRA-273G has been qualified for PCR applications by amplification of 600 to 900 base pairs of the merozoite surface protein 2 (MSP2) gene.

#### **Material Provided:**

Each vial of MRA-273G contains approximately 0.5  $\mu g$  of genomic DNA at a concentration of 10  $\mu g$  per mL in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl and 0.5 mM EDTA, pH 9). The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

### Packaging/Storage:

MRA-273G was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen 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: Genomic DNA from *Plasmodium falciparum*, Strain 1BB5, MRA-273G, contributed by Thomas E. Wellems."

#### **Biosafety Level: 1**

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