

**Genomic DNA from *Oncomelania hupensis* subsp. *chiui*, Taiwanese Strain**

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**Product Description:**

Genomic DNA was extracted from *Oncomelania hupensis* (*O. hupensis*) subsp. *chiui*, Taiwanese strain. *O. hupensis* subsp. *chiui* is a small freshwater snail that was initially collected in Taiwan in the 1980s by Dr. Yung-san Liang.<sup>1</sup> It is an intermediate host of *Schistosoma japonicum* (*S. japonicum*). *S. japonicum* is a species of trematode worm which causes the chronic parasitic disease Schistosomiasis.

**Material Provided:**

Each vial of NR-41316 contains 10 to 100 µg of genomic DNA in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl and 0.1 mM EDTA, pH ~ 8.0). The concentration is shown on the Certificate of Analysis. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

**Packaging/Storage:**

NR-41316 was packaged in cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -20°C or colder upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be minimized.

**Citation:**

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**References:**

1. M. Knight, Personal Communication.

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