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Genomic DNA from *Plasmodium falciparum*, Strain IPC 3663

Catalog No. MRA-1237G

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Product Description:

Genomic DNA was obtained from a preparation of *Plasmodium falciparum* (*P. falciparum*), strain IPC 3663.

P. falciparum, strain IPC 3663 was isolated in 2010 from the blood of a human patient with malaria in Pailin province, western Cambodia.^{1,2} *P. falciparum*, strain IPC 3663 has shown sensitivity to artemisinin and when exposed to dihydroartemisinin gave a ring-stage survival assay (RSA_{0-3h}) value of 0.1%.²

MRA-1237G has been qualified for PCR applications by amplification of approximately 600-900 base pairs of the merozoite surface protein 2 (MSP2) gene.

Material Provided:

Each vial of MRA-1237G contains approximately 500 ng of genomic DNA in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl and 0.5 mM EDTA, pH 9). The concentration is shown on the Certificate of Analysis. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

Packaging/Storage:

MRA-1237G 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:

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