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Genomic DNA from *Trypanosoma brucei* subsp. *rhodesiense*, Strain KETRI 243 (*in vitro* procyclic form)

# Catalog No. NR-49828

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#### **Product Description:**

Genomic DNA was isolated from *Trypanosoma brucei* subsp. *rhodesiense*, strain KETRI 243 (*in vitro* procyclic form; available as BEI Resources NR-49827). The bloodstream form of strain KETRI 243 (available as BEI Resources NR-46431) was originally isolated in Busoga, Uganda, in 1961.<sup>1</sup> The bloodstream form was harvested from the blood of infected BALB/c mice and adapted to cell culture by BEI Resources and extracted to produce NR-49828.

NR-49828 has been qualified for PCR applications by amplification of approximately 1300 base pairs of the large subunit ribosomal RNA sequence.

#### **Material Provided:**

Each vial of NR-49828 contains approximately 8  $\mu$ g of genomic DNA in 10 mM Tris-HCl, 0.5 mM EDTA, pH 9. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

#### Packaging/Storage:

NR-49828 was packaged aseptically, in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -20°C or colder 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 *Trypanosoma brucei* subsp. *rhodesiense*, Strain KETRI 243 (*in vitro* procyclic form), NR-49828."

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#### **References:**

 Bacchi, C. J., et al. "Differential Susceptibility to DL-α-Difluoromethylornithine in Clinical Isolates of *Trypanosoma brucei rhodesiense*." <u>Antimicrob. Agents</u> <u>Chemother.</u> 34 (1990): 1183-1188. PubMed: 2118325.

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