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Genomic DNA from *Brucella suis*, Strain 40

Catalog No. NR-9957

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Product Description:

Genomic DNA was extracted from a preparation of *Brucella suis* (*B. suis*), strain 40, biovar 4.

B. suis, strain 40 (also referred to as NCTC 10385 and B2853/63), was isolated in 1960 from a reindeer in Russia (USSR)^{1,2} and deposited to ATCC[®] by W. J. B. Morgan from The Central Veterinary Laboratory, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, in Weybridge, Surrey, England. The complete genome of *B. suis*, strain 40 has been sequenced (GenBank: <u>ACJK00000000</u>). *B. suis*, strain 40 is a reference strain for biotype 4.

NR-9957 has been qualified for PCR applications by amplification of approximately 1500 base pairs of the 16S ribosomal RNA gene.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 0.7 μ g to 1.5 μ g of genomic DNA in 10 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8 to 8.5. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-9957 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. For long-term storage, the product should be stored at -80°C. Freeze-thaw cycles should be minimized.

<u>Note</u>: NR-9957 was not provided in ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid (EDTA); for long-term storage, EDTA may be added to a final concentration of 1 mM.

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Biosafety Level: 1

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