# [Cat. No.] K-2905

#### Introduction

*AccuPower*<sup>®</sup> EAE PCR Kit is a ready-to-use premix for PCR that can be used to detect *E. coli* in livestock by specifically amplifying the *E. coli* attachment effacement (*EAE*) gene.

*E. coli* enters the organs of animals and causes lesions. It is also a source of many infections such as acute urinary tract infections, peritonitis, hepatitis, sepsis, and meningitis. *E. coli* can be classified into various categories: enteropathogenic *E. coli* (EPEC), enterotoxigenic *E. coli* (ETEC), enteroinvasive *E. coli* (EIEC), enterohemorrhagic *E. coli* (EHEC), etc. Among those, intimin, the product of *EAE* gene, causes EPEC adhesion to intestinal epithelial cells, which may develop into microvilli atrophy, polar actin, etc. Furthermore, intimin protein can also induce pathogenic characteristics to EHEC and EPEC by inducing bacterial adhesion, which develops into A/E lesions.

This product contains vacuum-dried components specific to *EAE* gene including DNA polymerase, primers, dNTPs, and reaction buffer required for PCR. This ready-to-use kit simplifies preparation of PCR mixture as the user only has to add template DNA and nuclease-free water. After the reaction, since tracking dye is included, the samples can be applied directly on agarose gel for analysis without adding extra solution.

## **Features & Benefits**

- Convenience & Reproducibility: All reactants necessary for PCR including primers are lyophilized in each PCR tube, providing reproducible results in a convenient way.
- Sensitivity: By applying the patented PyroHotStart (Enzymemediated HotStart) technology that minimizes non-specific reactions and maximizes reaction efficiency, only the target gene can be effectively amplified even with a trace amount of template DNA.
- Stability: Included stabilizer in the PCR reaction mixture provides increased stability compared to solution-type products.

#### Composition

Composition	20 µl reaction
Top DNA Polymerase	1 U
dNTPs (dATP, dCTP, dGTP, dTTP)	Each 250 µM
Reaction buffer with 1.5 mM $MgCl_2$	1X
Stabilizer and tracking dye	0
EAE Forward primer	0.5 µM
EAE Reverse primer	0.5 µM

\* Note: For research use only. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## Specifications

Top DNA Polymerase				
5' $\rightarrow$ 3' exonuclease activity	No			
$3' \rightarrow 5'$ exonuclease activity	No			
3'–A overhang	Yes			
Fragment size	790 bp			

#### Storage

Store at -20°C. If stored in the recommended temperature, this product will be stable until the expiration date printed out on the label.

### **Online Resources**



Visit our product page for additional information and protocols

### **Ordering Information**

Description	Cat. No.
AccuPower <sup>®</sup> EAE PCR Kit, 0.2 ml thin-wall 8-tube strips with attached cap / 96 tubes	K-2905

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# **Explanation of Symbols**



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# **Experimental Procedures**

Steps		Procedure Details				
1	Add template DNA	1. After preparing the template DNA and nuclease-free water, add the template DNA to the <i>AccuPower</i> <sup>®</sup> EAE PCR Kit.				
2	Preparation of reaction mixture	<ol> <li>Add nuclease-free water into PCR tubes to make a total volume of 20 µl. (Do not include the volume of the dried premix in the PCR tubes.)</li> <li>Completely dissolve the vacuum-dried pellet by vortexing, and briefly spin down.</li> </ol>				
		<ul><li>4. Place PCR tubes on the thermal cycler.</li><li>5. Perform the reaction under the following conditions.</li></ul>				
	Print Print	Step	Temperature	Time	Cycles	
		Pre-denaturation	94°C	15 min	1 cycle	
3		Denaturation	94°C	30 sec		
		Annealing	55°C	30 sec	40 cycles	
	Incubate reactions in a thermal cycler	Extension	72°C	60 sec		
		Final extension	72°C	10 min	1 cycle	
		* Note: Users can adjust the protocol according to their instrument and template sequences to get optimal results.				
4	Analyze with gel electrophoresis	<ul> <li>6. After the reaction, maintain the reaction mixture at 4-8°C.</li> <li>7. Load samples on agarose gel without adding a loading-dye mixture, and perform gel electrophoresis for analysis.</li> </ul>				

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