

[Cat. No.] **K-2976**

Introduction

AccuPower® Streptococcus equi Real-Time PCR Kit is a product that can detect *Streptococcus equi* (*S. equi*), which causes horse strangles, by real-time PCR.

S. equi is a gram-positive bacterium that is primarily pathogenic to horses. Infectious purulent abscesses are formed in the lymph nodes and mucous membranes of the cheeks. Main symptoms, such as fever, runny nose, and anorexia, appear in horses affected by the disease. *S. equi* is also spread through direct contact with the purulent rhinorrhea of infected horses or indirectly through contaminated water, pasture, or feed. In order to prevent the introduction of disease, it is necessary to isolate and vaccinate affected horses.

This product contains all Real-time PCR components specific to *S. equi*, including DNA polymerase, dNTPs, and reaction buffer. The users can easily prepare reaction mixture simply by adding template DNA, Oligo Mix and DEPC-D.W.

Features & Benefits

- Convenience: All necessary reactants for real-time PCR are included in a tube (i.e., Master Mix Type), allowing the users to perform reaction simply by adding template DNA, Oligo Mix, and DEPC-D.W.
- Sensitivity: By using BIONEER's HotStart *Taq* DNA Polymerase 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.

Components

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2X Master Mix	625 µl x 2
Oligo Mix	500 µl
DEPC-D.W.	1.8 ml
Positive Control (1x10 ⁸ copies/µl)	50 µl

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

Composition

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2X Master Mix	<i>Taq</i> DNA Polymerase 2 U dNTPs (dATP, dCTP, dGTP, dTTP) Each 300 µM Reaction buffer with 2 mM MgCl ₂ 1X
Oligo Mix	<i>S. equi</i> Forward primer 0.4 µM <i>S. equi</i> Reverse primer 0.4 µM <i>S. equi</i> Probe (FAM) 0.4 µM ROX dye 1X

Specifications

<i>Taq</i> DNA Polymerase	
5'→3' exonuclease activity	Yes
3'→5' exonuclease activity	No
3'-A overhang	Yes

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

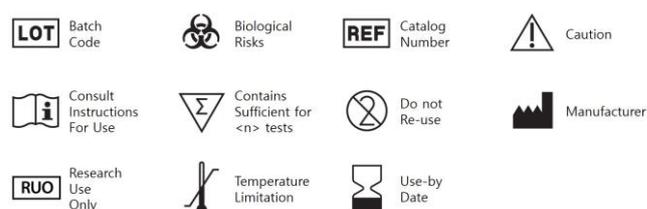
Ordering Information

Description	Cat. No.
AccuPower® Streptococcus equi Real-Time PCR Kit, 1.25 ml of 2X Master Mix solution, 100 tests	K-2976

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Explanation of Symbols



Experimental Procedures

Steps		Procedure Details															
1	 Preparation of reaction mixture	<p>1. Thaw all components of <i>AccuPower</i>® Streptococcus equi Real-Time PCR Kit on ice and mix thoroughly before use. Then, briefly spin down all components.</p>															
2	 Composition of reaction mixture	<p>2. Add all components into PCR tubes (not provided) or a plate (not provided) referring to the following list of components (Based on 1 test).</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Components</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Amount</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2X Master Mix</td> <td>12.5 µl</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Oligo Mix</td> <td>5 µl</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Template DNA</td> <td>1-5 µl</td> </tr> <tr> <td>DEPC-D.W.</td> <td>Variable</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total volume</td> <td>25 µl</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Components	Amount	2X Master Mix	12.5 µl	Oligo Mix	5 µl	Template DNA	1-5 µl	DEPC-D.W.	Variable	Total volume	25 µl			
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