

[Cat. No.] **K-6817**

### Introduction

AccuPower® Staphylococcus epidermidis Real-Time PCR Kit is a product that can specifically detect *Staphylococcus epidermidis* (*S. epidermidis*) by real-time PCR.

*S. epidermidis* is a gram-positive bacterium, one of 40 species belonging to *Staphylococcus*. Patients with compromised immune systems are at risk of infection caused by *S. epidermidis*.

*S. epidermidis* infection can be a risk for patients using surgical implants due to defective heart valves. When the infection occurs, a biofilm is formed on the implanted device. Antibiotics are rarely effective at removing the biofilm formed by *S. epidermidis*, and the most common method of treatment is removal or replacement of the infected device.

This product contains all Real-time PCR components specific to *S. epidermidis*, 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

Components	Amount
2X Master Mix	625 µl x 2 ea
Oligo Mix	500 µl
DEPC-D.W.	1.8 ml
Positive Control (1x10 <sup>8</sup> 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	Taq DNA Polymerase	2.5 U
	dNTPs (dATP, dCTP, dGTP, dTTP)	Each 300 µM
	Reaction buffer with 2 mM MgCl <sub>2</sub>	1X
Oligo Mix	<i>S. epidermidis</i> Forward primer	0.4 µM
	<i>S. epidermidis</i> Reverse primer	0.4 µM
	<i>S. epidermidis</i> Probe (FAM)	0.4 µM
	ROX dye	1X

### Specifications

Taq 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



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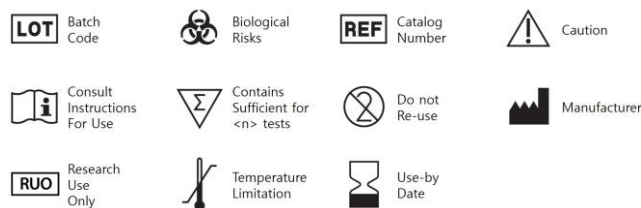
### Ordering Information

Description	Cat. No.
AccuPower® Staphylococcus epidermidis Real-Time PCR Kit, 1.25 ml of 2X Master Mix solution, 100 tests	K-6817




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### Explanation of Symbols



**Experimental Procedures**

Steps		Procedure Details															
1	 <b>Preparation of reaction mixture</b>	<p>1. Thaw all components of <i>AccuPower</i>® Staphylococcus epidermidis Real-Time PCR Kit on ice and mix thoroughly before use. Then, briefly spin down all components.</p>															
2	 <b>Composition of reaction mixture</b>	<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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