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HLA B51 ToolSet[™] for LightCycler[™] (Morbus Behçet)

Lyophilized ToolSet for PCR using the LightCycler™ Instrument.

Order#: HLA B51

1 ToolSet for 16 reactions

Store at 4°C, protected from light. Exposure to light may especially damage the Oligotool ™ tube (vial with red cap).

For use with LightCycler Fast Start DNA Master SYBR Green, 10 x conc. (Roche Cat.No.: 03003230001)

1. ToolSet contents

Vial	Label	Content	Quantity
			HLA B51
1, Red cap	OligoTool	 Iyophilized oligos for PCR contains a primer set for HLA B51 	For 16 tests
		and a primer set for HLA-H as	Dissolved:
		amplification control	50 μL
2 A–B, Green caps	2 Controls	- A : lyophilized HLA B51 positive DNA	Dissolved:
		- B : lyophilized HLA B51 negative DNA	20 μL
3, Blue cap	Solvent	- to dissolve OligoTool / Control	1000 μ L of Solvent

Additional equipment and reagents required but not supplied : LightCycler DNA Master SYBR Green, 10 x conc.Cat.No.: 03003230001, including 25mM MgCl₂; LightCycler instrument, LightCycler capillaries, DNA extraction materials

2. Introduction

2.1. Product overview

ToolSet description	This ToolSet is specifically designed for detecting presence of the HLA B51 allele of the human HLA B locus by LightCycler PCR with Melting Curve Analysis. Co-amplification of a sequence of the human HLA-H gene serves as internal positive control. The two primer pairs have been optimized for specific amplification of HLA B51 (positive if present, yielding a 205 bp segment) and HLA-H (yielding a 390 bp segment in absence of HLA B51, but suppressed in presence of HLA B51).
Control material	- A : HLA B51 positive DNA, - B : HLA B51 negative DNA, both lyophilized.
Storage of ToolSet and Solutions	Store at +4°C when lyophilized, protected from light. The unopened lyophilized ToolSet is stable at +4°C for 24 months from date of manufacture if protected from light. When dissolved store at +4°C for a maximum of 4 weeks, or at -20°C for longer periods (months), protected from light. Avoid freezing and thawing.

3. Preparation for LightCycler PCR

Toolset	Dissolve the content of the OligoTool tube (Red Cap) with 50 μl of Solvent .
preparation	Dissolve the content of the Control tube (Green Cap) with 20 μl of Solvent .
	 Before opening tubes, centrifuge them quickly. Add Solvent into OligoTool tube and Control tube as above. Recap tubes, vortex gently. Before opening tubes, centrifuge them quickly. Proceed to Reaction Mix preparation.
Primers ?	You don't have to add extra primers, they are already contained in the OligoTool.
Probes ?	You don't have to add probes, this setup does not require probes.
Reaction Mix	For 1 (One) reaction, prepare the Reaction Mix as shown in the following table :

Reaction Mix Preparation

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Reagent	μL
OligoTool HLA B51, dissolved	2.8
Solvent HLA B51	10.4
MgCl ₂ 25 mM	0.8 (final 2 mM)
Fast Start DNA Master SYBR Green 10x	2
Total Reaction Mix	16
+ Your DNA or Controls HLA B51	4
Grand Total	20

Use Fast Start DNA Master SYBR Green 10x and MgCl₂ 25 mM from Roche LightCycler DNA Master SYBR Green, 10 x conc. (Roche Cat.No.: 03003230001, including 25mM MgCl₂). For multiple reactions, multiply the indicated volumes appropriately.

- **Positive Control** Always run positive controls with the samples. Use the dissolved Controls **A** : **HLA B51 positive DNA** and **B** : **HLA B51 negative DNA** Both contained in the ToolSet (Green Caps).
- **Negative control** Always run a negative control with the samples. To prepare a negative control, replace the template DNA with Solvent (Blue Cap).
- **Extraction of genomic DNA** You can use different Kits for DNA isolation, either with a manual method or with an automated system. The elution buffers should be salt-free. Example : Roche High Pure PCR Template Preparation Kit (Cat.No. 1 796 828)
- ApplicationThe HLA B51 ToolSet™ for LightCycler™ allows the detection of the B51 allele
of the HLA-B locus. HLA B51 is strongly associated with e.g. Aphthosis, Uveitis
and Iritis (Morbus Behçet) and related inflammatory conditions.

Note : This ToolSet was developed for use in life science research only.

4. LightCycler Settings and Experimental Protocol

Fast Start Enzyme Activation and DNA Denaturation

Cycle Program Data	Value
Cycles	1
Analysis Mode	None
Temperature Targets	Segment 1
Target Temperature (°C)	95
Incubation time (s)	600
Temperature Transition Rate (°/s)	20
Secondary Target Temperature (°C)	0
Step Size (°C)	0
Step Delay (Cycles)	0
Acquisition Mode	None

Amplification

Cycle Program Data	Value		
Cycles	40		
Analysis Mode	None		
Temperature Targets	Segment 1	Segment 2	
Target Temperature (°C)	95	71	
Incubation time (s)	10	30	
Temperature Transition Rate (°/s)	20	20	
Secondary Target Temperature (°C)	0	0	
Step Size (°C)	0	0	
Step Delay (Cycles)	0	0	
Acquisition Mode	None	Single	

Melting Curve Analysis

Cycle Program Data	Value		
Cycles	1		
Analysis Mode	Melting Curves		
Temperature Targets	Segment 1	Segment 2	Segment 3
Target Temperature (°C)	95	70	99
Incubation time (s)	30	30	0
Temperature Transition Rate (°/s)	20	20	0.1
Secondary Target Temperature (°C)	0	0	0
Step Size (°C)	0	0	0
Step Delay (Cycles)	0	0	0
Acquisition Mode	None	None	Continuous

Cooling

Cycle Program Data	Value
Cycles	1
Analysis Mode	None
Temperature Targets	Segment 1
Target Temperature (°C)	40
Incubation time (s)	30
Temperature Transition Rate (°/s)	20
Secondary Target Temperature (°C)	0
Step Size (°C)	0
Step Delay (Cycles)	0
Acquisition Mode	None

LC Program Version and Fluorescence Display Mode

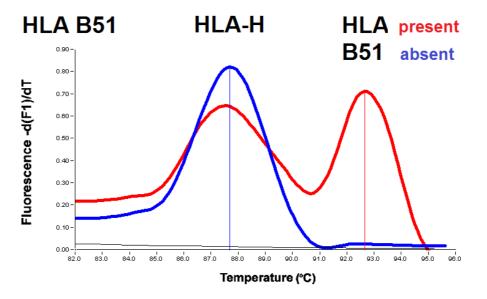
Developed with LC Program Version 3.5.

For readout use channel F1(Fluorescein).

5. Typical results

Introduction

Use the Melting Curve program to genotype the human genomic DNA research samples. The melting peaks allow discrimination between presence or absence of the HLA B51 allele with the HLA-H amplicon peak serving as positive control. The Figure shows a typical result obtained with the HLA B51 ToolSet[™] for LightCycler[™] :



Melting curve analysis of HLA B51 and HLA-H amplicons.

BLUE :	HLA B51 negative Control with HLA-H amplicon present
RED :	HLA B51 positive Control with HLA-H amplicon suppressed.
BLACK :	No DNA Control.

Blue Cursor (HLA-H): $T_m = 87.5 \ ^{\circ}C$, **Red Cursor** (HLA B51): $T_m = 92.5 \ ^{\circ}C$.

In presence of HLA B51, amplification of HLA-H is variably suppressed. Note :

Conditions : LC program version 3.5 with automatic gain setting, No Color compensation, Digital Filter enabled, Calculation Method : Polynomial, Degrees to average : 6.

Note : The values for the respective melting temperatures may vary for +/- 2.5 °C between different experiments. The Delta T between the melting peaks for different genotypes may vary +/- 1.0 °C. The HLA B51 ToolSet[™] has been developed for and validated with the LightCycler[™] and its original accessory materials and reagents. Performance of the ToolSet with other instruments, accessories and reagents has not been validated by ratiogen.

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