

Product Information Sheet for NR-3048

Genomic DNA from Escherichia coli. Strain BDMS 770

Catalog No. NR-3048

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Product Description:

Genomic DNA was isolated from a preparation of Escherichia coli (E. coli), strain BDMS 770, serotype O157:H7.

The enterohemorrhagic E. coli (EHEC) strain BDMS 770 was isolated in Maryland in 1994. E. coli BDMS 770 and many other EHEC strains encode potent toxins, similar to those of Shigella dysenteriae, which can cause severe intestinal, kidney, and central nervous system disease.

NR-3048 has been qualified for PCR applications by amplification of approximately 1500 bp of the 16S ribosomal RNA gene as well as three virulence markers on the chromosome. The presence of plasmid pO157 has been confirmed by PCR amplification of approximately 3200 bp sequence.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains 4 to 6 µg of bacterial genomic DNA in TE buffer (10 mM Tris-HCl and 1 mM EDTA, pH 7.4). The concentration is shown on the Certificate of Analysis. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-3048 was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic cryovials. The product is provided frozen on dry ice and should be stored at -20°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be minimized.

Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through the NIH Biodefense and Emerging Infections Research Resources Repository, NIAID, NIH: Genomic DNA from Escherichia coli, Strain BDMS 770, NR-3048."

Biosafety Level: 2

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