

Genomic DNA from Adult Male and Female *Schistosoma haematobium*, Egyptian Strain

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Product Description:

Genomic DNA was extracted from pooled adult male and female *Schistosoma haematobium* (*S. haematobium*), Egyptian strain.¹ The Egyptian strain of *S. haematobium* was originally isolated circa 1950 from an unknown location in Egypt. The laboratory stock of the Egyptian strain of *S. haematobium* was later mixed with an isolate that was thought to be obtained from Arawash (Cairo) by the Naval Medical Research Unit III, in 1977. The current Egyptian strain of *S. haematobium* was produced when the 1977 stock was mixed with another Egyptian isolate obtained in the 1980s.¹ *S. haematobium* is a species of trematode worm which causes the chronic parasitic disease Schistosomiasis.

Material Provided:

Each vial of NR-31682 contains 10 µg to 100 µg of genomic DNA in TE buffer (10 mM Tris, 0.1 mM EDTA, pH ~ 8). The concentration is shown on the Certificate of Analysis. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-31682 was packaged in cryovials. The product is provided frozen and should be stored at -20°C or colder upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be minimized.

Citation:

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1. M. S. Tucker, Personal Communication.

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