



Hot Start TTx (DNA) Kit

HSTTX-101 250U
Store at -20°C

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CAUTION

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[1] Introduction

Description

Hot Start TTx (DNA) Kit is PCR reagent based on our original polymerase, TTx DNA Polymerase. TTx DNA Polymerase has higher amplification efficiency than Taq DNA Polymerase, which is a general-purpose enzyme, and enables amplification using fast cycle condition and amplification from a crude sample containing PCR inhibitors.

In addition, TTx DNA Polymerase has a 5' - 3' exonuclease activity, so it can be used for real-time PCR using probe assays such as TaqMan[®] assay. This enzyme contains neutralizing antibodies, thus allowing for Hot start PCR.

Features

-Excellent DNA Amplification Efficiency

The reaction composition is optimized based on TTx DNA Polymerase. TTx DNA Polymerase has higher elongation capacity than general-purpose enzymes such as Taq DNA Polymerase and Tth DNA Polymerase, TTx DNA Polymerase enable efficient PCR even fast cycle condition.

- Tolerant of PCR Inhibitors

This kit is effective for amplification from crude samples (*e.g.*, biological samples, foodstuffs, soil extract, etc.). In the case of amplification from whole blood, sufficient amplification can be achieved by adding it directly to the reaction solution without purification of nucleic acid.

- Utilization of dUTP

This kit contains dUTP instead of dTTP in 2x Buffer for rTth/ TTx (DNA). Therefore, the rate of false-positive detection can be reduced by adding uracil-N-glycosylase (UNG).

*UNG is not supplied with this kit.

[2] Components

This kit includes the following components for 250 reactions, 20 μ L total reaction volume. All reagents should be stored at -20°C.

2x Buffer for rTth/ TTx (DNA)	1.25 mL x 2
Hot Start TTx DNA Polymerase (4U/ μ L)	62.5 μ L

Note:

-2x Reaction Buffer contains essential components for the reaction (buffer, salts, Mg²⁺, dATP, dCTP, dGTP, and dUTP, etc.). Add template DNA, primers, and attached Hot Start TTx DNA Polymerase, and adjust to 1x concentration with sterile water etc.

-DNA Polymerase is a mixture of TTx DNA polymerase and hot start antibodies. Its concentration is 4U/ μ L.

-This kit doesn't contain a passive reference dye (ROX). When using a passive reference dye to compensate fluorescence intensity and dispensing error between wells, please use the separately sold 50x ROX reference dye (Code No. ROX-101).

[3] Protocol

1. Standard reaction setup

Before preparing the mixture, all components should be completely thawed, except for the enzyme solution.

Components	Volume	Final Concentration
PCR grade water	X μ L	
2x Buffer for rTth/ TTx (DNA)	10 μ L	1x
10 μ M Primer #1	0.6 μ L	0.3 μ M
10 μ M Primer #2	0.6 μ L	0.3 μ M
TaqMan [®] Probe(10 μ M)	0.4 μ L	0.2 μ M
Hot Start TTx DNA Polymerase	0.25 μ L	1U
Template DNA (Sample)	Y μ L	
Total reaction volume	20 μ L	

Notes:

-The recommended amount of primer should be 0.2-0.6 μ M, and the amount of TaqMan[®] probe should be 0.05-0.3 μ M. If amplification efficiency is not good, performance may be improved by increasing the addition amount, but if it is added too much, it may cause non-specific reaction and detection sensitivity may be lowered.

2. Cycling conditions

The following cycle is recommended.

	Temperature	Time	
Predenature :	95°C	1 min.	
Denature :	95°C	15 sec.	} 40~50 cycles
Annealing/extension :	60°C	30 sec.	

Notes:

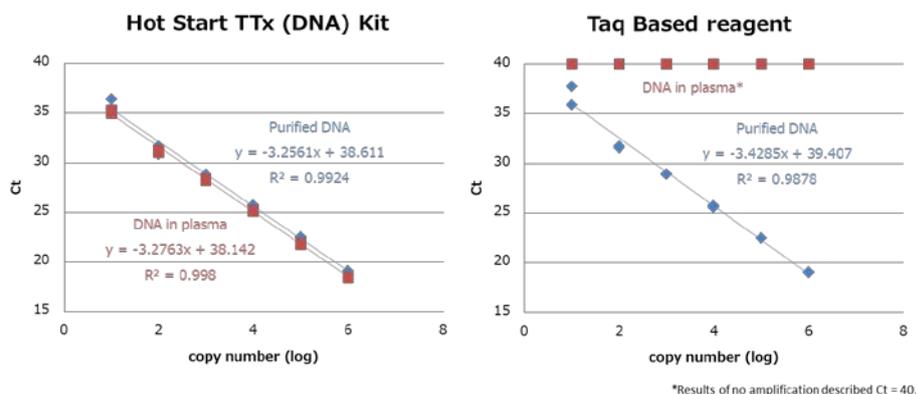
[Optional] The uracil-N-glycosylase (UNG) treatment step should be added before predenature step. The indicated temperature and time are typical conditions for UNG. The conditions can be optimized according to the particular instruction manual from the supplier of UNG.

- If sensitivity is not good, it may be improved by changing annealing/ extension temperature between 55 ~ 65°C.

[4] Example

Detection of african swine fever virus

African swine fever virus DNA was detected using TaqMan® probes. As a result of performing in 20 µL reaction mixture with and without 2.5 µL of plasma, Taq DNA Polymerase-based reagent was inhibited by plasma and the amplification could not be confirmed. On the other hand, Hot Start TTx (DNA) Kit was able to detect african swine fever virus DNA even adding plasma.



[5] Related products

Product name	Package	Code No.
<High efficient DNA Polymerase for PCR and RT-PCR>	10,000 U	HSTTX-129
Hot Start TTx DNA Polymerase	100,000 U	HSTTX-159
<Reaction Buffer (containg Mg ²⁺) for DNA amplification>	100 mL	QRZ-1B1
2x Buffer for rTth/ TTx (DNA)	250 mL	QRZ-1B2
	1,000 mL	QRZ-1B4
<Passive reference dye>	5 mL	ROX-101
50x ROX reference dye		
<High efficient DNA Polymerase for PCR and RT-PCR>	10,000 U	HSTTH-329
Hot Start rTth DNA Polymerase		
< Reaction Buffer (not containing Mg ²⁺ and Mg ²⁺)>	40 mL	QRT-1B1
5x Buffer for rTth/ Ttx (DNA/ RNA)	400 mL	QRT-1B2
<Mn solution for RNA amplification>	5mL	QRT-MN1
50 mM Mn (OAc)₂		
<Mg solution for DNA amplification>	40 mL	TAP-2S1
25 mM MgCl₂		

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