



Product Description:

PerfeCTa Multiplex qPCR SuperMix is a 2X concentrated, ready-touse reaction cocktail that contains all the necessary components except: primers, probe(s), and DNA template for highlymultiplexed, real-time quantitative PCR. This reagent formulation pushes the boundary of multiplex qPCR by enabling unbiased amplification of up to 5 targets in a single amplification reaction. Suppression of low abundance targets by high abundance reference targets during co-amplification is a common problem in multiplex PCR in which individual assay sensitivity can be significantly compromised. PerfeCTa Multiplex qPCR SuperMix, Low ROX delivers assay performance with exceptionally broad, linear detection and limit-of-detection (LOD) sensitivity to multiplexed qPCR that is comparable single-plex assay performance without the need for rigorous titration of individual primer assays. A key component of this SuperMix is ultra-pure AccuStart™ hot start Taq DNA polymerase that is completely arrested prior to the initial PCR denaturation step. Upon heat activation at 95°C, the antibodies are rapidly and irreversibly denatured, releasing a fully active high-

yielding Taq DNA polymerase mutant. This enables specific and efficient primer extension with the convenience of ambient room-temperature reaction assembly.

Component Part Numbers:

84186 Multiplex qPCR S-Mix, Low ROX 1.25 mL

Product Specifications				
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Assay	Multiplex qPCR Functional Assay	High Biased, Multiplex qPCR	DNase	RNase
Result	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

Quality Control Analysis and Specifications:

Nuclease Assay:

DNase: DNase activity must be below the detectable limits of 100 pg DNase I equivalent as assayed using a fluorogenic substrate following a 1 hour incubation at 37°C with each kit component at 1X concentration.

RNase: RNase activity must be below the detectable limits of 1 pg RNase A equivalent as assayed using a fluorogenic substrate following a 1 hour incubation at 37°C with each kit component at 1X concentration.

Multiplex qPCR: 4-color multiplex qPCR is performed in triplicate reactions on 10-fold serial dilutions of an equal copy mixture of four plasmid DNAs (10 copies to 1×10^7 copies). Cq standard curve analysis for each targeted sequence must have a coefficient of determination (r^2) ≥ 0.990 with a slope between -3.25 and -3.65. Control reactions lacking template DNA (NTC) must remain below fluorescence threshold through 45 PCR cycles.

High Biased, Multiplex qPCR: 4-color multiplex qPCR of a 10-fold serial dilution of a FAM probe specific plasmid DNA (10 copies to 1 x 10^7 copies) in a fixed background of 3 different plasmid targets at $1x10^8$ copies (each) must have an LOD of 10 copies. Cq standard curve analysis must have a coefficient of determination (r^2) ≥0.990 with a slope between −3.25 and −3.65. No template controls (NTC) must be below threshold on at least 2 of the 4 copies. Each high copy target gene, ACTBD, IL1B, and TUBA is detected.

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