

Product Information		
eQo 1-Step ToughMix		
Part Number	95301-100	
Number of Reactions	100 reactions	
Reaction Size	20 μL	
Storage Temperature	2°C - 8°C	
Lot Number	D0925002	
<b>Expiration Date</b>	08AUG2028	

### **Product Description:**

eQo 1-step ToughMix is a lyophilized reagent system for reverse transcription quantitative PCR (RT-qPCR) of RNA templates using hybridization probe detection chemistries such as TagMan® 5'-hydrolysis probes on systems that do not require a passive reference dye. It is supplied with a proprietary rehydration buffer that produces a stabilized 4X concentrated master mix that contains a thermolabile UDG for amplicon carryover elimination, an enhanced warm start reverse transcriptase (RT) and all other required components for 1-step RT-qPCR except RNA template and primer/probe(s). This robust 1-step ToughMix has been processed and dried into small, stable beads, packaged into tubes, and sealed in pouches with desiccant packets to provide maximal stability for room-temperature shipping and storage. Upon receipt the sealed packets should be stored refrigerated at 2 – 8°C. Once a sealed packet is opened, the dried beads must be immediately dissolved using the provided rehydration buffer. This buffer contains components that improve detection of GC-rich targets and additional stabilizers that allow for up to 1 year storage at -20°C of the 4X concentrated liquid ToughMix).

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## **Component Part Numbers:**

312984 eQo MasterMix Pouch, 100 reaction packet 312973 eQo Rehydration Buffer, 0.55 mL

Product Specification			
Assay	eQo 1-step ToughMix Functional Assay	DNase	RNase
Result	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.

**eQo 1-Step ToughMix Functional Assay:** Must have detection of CDKN1B from 100 pg to 100,000 pg of UHR total RNA. Must have detection of  $\beta$  actin, GAPDH, and TUBA from 1 pg to 100,000 pg of UHR total RNA. Cq standard curve analysis for each targeted sequence must have a coefficient of determination ( $R^2$ )  $\geq$  0.990 with a slope between -3.20 and -3.65.

#### **Limitations of Use**

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