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Application

BioChek Salmonella qPCR Reagents provide NPIP-authorized laboratories a validated Real-Time PCR method for accurately detecting and monitoring the presence of DNA from Salmonella species in house environmental samples, cloacal swabs and hatchery samples. In addition, its AFNOR ISO 16140-2 validation allows testing of poultry slaughter operations, poultry meat and egg products.

BioChek qPCR Reagents provide an approved and cost-efficient rapid alternative testing method, allowing laboratories to:

- Effectively help feed mills, broiler breeder farms, layer breeders, commercial layers/broilers, hatcheries
 and processing plants to closely monitor, control and react to emerging Salmonella in poultry and poultry
 products.
- Meet regulatory requirements.
- Support streamlining operational processes.

BioChek Real-Time PCR Benefits

Flexibility

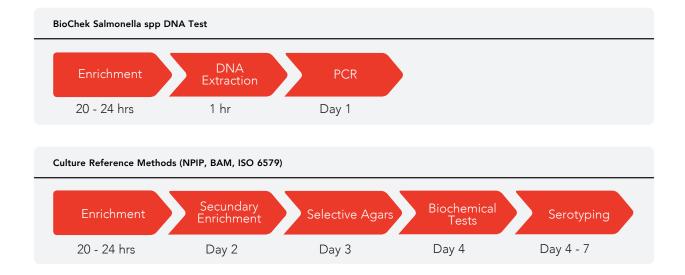
Adapt to changing conditions and requirements, using existing resources.

- Broad instrument compatibility: Bio-Rad CFX96[™], Applied Biosystems® 7500, Stratagene Mx3005P[™], Roche LightCycler® 480, and any other detecting FAM and HEX (VIC).
- DNA extraction and Real-Time PCR for low- to high-throughput testing.
- Run multiple assays (e.g. Salmonella and Campylobacter) simultaneously, using a single thermal protocol.

Operational Productivity

Quick workflow improves performance and minimizes cost of microbiology testing.

- Ready-to-use reagents for DNA extraction and Real-Time PCR.
- Quick workflow protocol (<2.5 h), with limited hands-on time (< 30 min).
- Easy and efficient genomic DNA extraction (lysis): no spin columns, no magnetic beads, limited equipment and consumables.
- Early phase real-time detection of positive samples for rapid follow-up and timely intervention.
- Rapid screening: high-negative predictive value, early release of food animals and food products, without further testing.













Confidence

High-quality results, using proven technology.

- Accurate results avoid unnecessary delays, and reduce cost of risk management.
- Stable reagents for reliable and reproducible results.
- Use of internal PCR control to prevent false negative results due to inhibition.
- Negative and positive controls to safeguard PCR assay validity.
- 100% specificity for Salmonella spp, motile and non-motile strains.
- High sensitivity detecting down to 1.5 CFU/25 gr sample.
- Approved method, excellent agreement with NPIP and ISO-6579-1 culture methods.

Method	NPIP Culture Method (+)	NPIP Culture Method (-)	Total
qPCR Reagents (+)	PA = 128	PD = 1	129
qPCR Reagents (-)	ND = 0	NA = 239	239
Total	128	240	368

^{*}PA – Positive Agreement, PD – Positive Deviation, NA – Negative Agreement, ND – Negative Deviation

Statistical evaluation indicates excellent assay performance for BioChek Salmonella qPCR Reagents against the NPIP method:

- Diagnostic sensitivity 100%
- Positive predictive value 99.2%
- Diagnostic specificity 99.6%
- Negative predictive value 100%

Standardized Data

BioChek Diagnostic Software for efficient management of sample and test data.

- Paperless workflow: assay layout, reagent calculation, sample matrix assignment.
- Consolidate sample data and test results.
- Auto-validation of assay and samples, minimizing error and placing non-valid test results and corresponding sample sources in quarantine.
- Auto-reporting of multiple flock testing per assay, with corresponding reports for each flock.
- Easy cloud access to historical data for laboratory and veterinarian to efficiently monitor flocks and production environment.

Expertise

Dedicated laboratory service and support.

- Over 20 years of specialist experience in poultry health and testing.
- Same day technical support. Dedicated Real-Time PCR application support.
- Leading supplier in poultry industry: a broad range of ELISA and PCR tests, reference controls and standards, software, lab automation.

Ordering information

BioChek Salmonella qPCR Reagents for NPIP will be provided in separate, eco-friendly paper packaging. For ordering convenience, a set of combined reagents is available.

Catalogue #	Description
DNA Extraction	
BP900	Lysis Buffer A, 100 reactions
Lysis Buffer A (BP900) must be used only with BioChek qPCR Reagents	

Salmonella qPCR Reagents		
BP300	DNA Mastermix, 2x 675 µl, 100 reactions	
MP304	Salmonella qPCR PPIC (Primer Probe – Internal Control), 2x 412.5 μl, 100 reactions	
MP404	Salmonella qPCR Controls, 2x 60 μl Positive Control, 2x 60 μl Negative Control	
MP504	Salmonella qPCR Reagents Set, 1x BP300, 1x MP304, 1x MP404	

Visit www.biochek.com/npip for more detailed information, or contact your local BioChek representative.

More information on working together on animal health and food safety?

Don't hesitate to contact us. After all, reliable veterinary diagnostics start with BioChek! For more information, visit our website:

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