

# **SARTORIUS SMB95 Microsart Calibration Reagent Instruction Manual**

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### **SARTORIUS SMB95 Microsart Calibration Reagent**

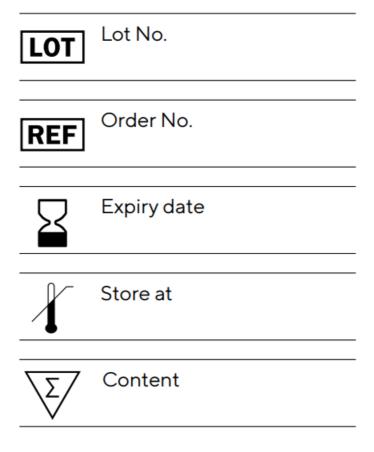


#### For Mollicutes and other bacteria species

- Prod. No. SMB95-2021 Mycoplasma arginini
- Prod. No. SMB95-2022 Mycoplasma orale
- Prod. No. SMB95-2023 Mycoplasma gallisepticum
- Prod. No. SMB95-2024 Mycoplasma pneumoniae
- Prod. No. SMB95-2025 Mycoplasma synoviae
- Prod. No. SMB95-2026 Mycoplasma fermentans
- Prod. No. SMB95-2027 Mycoplasma hyorhinis
- Prod. No. SMB95-2028 Acholeplasma laidlawii
- Prod. No. SMB95-2029 Spiroplasma citri
- Prod. No. SMB95-2030 Bacillus subtilis
- Prod. No. SMB95-2031 Pseudomonas aeruginosa
- Prod. No. SMB95-2032 Kocuria rhizophila
- Prod. No. SMB95-2033 Clostridium sporogenes
- Prod. No. SMB95-2034 Bacteroides vulgatus
- Prod. No. SMB95-2035 Staphylococcus aureus
- Prod. No. SMB95-2036 Mycoplasma salivarium

For use in research and quality control

#### **Symbols**



#### **Intended Use**

Microsart® Calibration Reagent is titrated genomic DNA and can be used as amplification and sensitivity control for endpoint PCR (gel-based evaluation). If quantitative PCR is required, titrated genomic DNA can be serially

diluted and used as PCR templates to create standard curves. The software will generate a standard curve from the known DNA dilutions and use it to determine the DNA concentration of the unknown samples.

#### **Explanation of the Product**

This product provides isolated genomic DNA of a specific species. An early passage strain of the specific microorganism is inoculated in a suitable culture medium and harvested at the end of the logarithmic growth phase by repeated washing and centrifugation. Following extraction, the DNA concentration is quantified photometrically (OD260/280) and with a double-stranded DNA (dsDNA)-specific ultrasensitive fluorescent dye, calibrated with weight reference standards and controlled by qPCR (compared to exactly quantified calibrator plasmids). The DNA concentration was adjusted with a TE80 buffer.

#### The following species are available:

- Mycoplasma arginini ATCC 23838; NCTC 10129
- Mycoplasma orale ATCC 23714; NCTC 10112; DSM 25590
- Mycoplasma gallisepticum ATCC 19610; NCTC 10115; DSM 19817
- Mycoplasma pneumoniae ATCC 15531; NCTC 10119; DSM 22911
- Mycoplasma synoviae ATCC 25204; NCTC 10124; DSM 21430
- Mycoplasma fermentans ATCC 19989; NCTC 10117
- Mycoplasma hyorhinis ATCC 17981; NCTC 10130; DSM 25591
- Acholeplasma laidlawii ATCC 23206; NCTC 10116; DSM 23060
- Spiroplasma citri ATCC 27556; NCTC 10164; DSM 21846
- Bacillus subtilis ATCC 6633; NCTC 10400; DSM 347
- Pseudomonas aeruginosa ATCC 9027; DSM 1128
- Kocuria rhizophila ATCC 9341; DSM 348
- Clostridium sporogenes ATCC 19404; NCTC 532; DSM 1664
- Bacteroides vulgatus ATCC 8482; DSM 1447
- Staphylococcus aureus ATCC 6538; NCTC 10788; DSM 799

#### **Principle**

Each vial contains 1×108 copies of the complete bacterial genome. The genomic DNA material can be used directly for PCR and cannot be used for culture methods. Please note: For process validation, alternatively the corresponding Microsart® Validation Standards can be used (see Related Products).

#### **Notes on the Procedure**

- 1. For in vitro use in research and quality control. This kit should be used only by trained staff.
- 2. This kit does not contain hazardous substances and may be disposed of according to local regulations.
- 3. This leaflet must be fully understood in order to successfully use the Microsart®Calibration Reagent. The reagents supplied should not be mixed with reagents from different lots and used as an integral unit. The reagents of the kit should not be used beyond their shelf life.
- 4. Any deviation from the described method can affect the results.
- 5. For each test setup, at least one negative control should be added. Participation in external quality control programs, such as those offered by Minerva Biolabs GmbH (<a href="https://www.minerva-biolabs.com">www.minerva-biolabs.com</a>), is recommended.

#### Reagents

Each kit contains 1 vial of bacterial DNA (1×108 genome copies) and 3 vials of buffer for the preparation of dilutions and negative controls. Samples are lyophilized for product stability reasons. The material has been inactivated prior to lyophilization and can be considered as non-infectious. The expiry date of the unopened product is specified on the package label. The kit components are stored at +2 to +8 °C upon arrival, at low humidity conditions. Lyophilized components must be stored ≤ -18 °C after rehydration.

Component Label Information	Order No.	Quantity	Cap Color
Calibration Reagent	SMB95-2021-	$1 \times lyophilized$	green
Buffer	SMB95-2036	3 × 2.0 ml	white

The lot specific Certificates of Analysis can be downloaded from the MySartorius portal (<a href="https://my.sartorius.com">https://my.sartorius.com</a>).

#### Needed but not included

Microsart® Calibration Reagent contains all necessary positive and negative material. General industrial supplies and reagents, usually available in PCR laboratories are not included:

#### **Consumables**

- Laboratory gloves
- DNA-free pipette filter tips (Biosphere® filter tips from Sarstedt are recommended: 0.5-20 μl, Prod. No. 70.1116.210; 2-100 μl, Prod. No. 70.760.212; 20-300 μl, Prod. No. 70.765.210; 100-1000 μl. Prod. No. 70.762.211)
- 1.5 ml reaction tubes, DNA- and RNA-free

#### **Equipment**

Microcentrifuge for 1.5 ml reaction tubes Vortex Pipettes (Sartorius)

- · mechanical
  - 0.5 10 μl Sartorius Prod. No. LH-729020
  - 10 100 μl Sartorius Prod. No. LH-729050
  - 100 1000 μl Sartorius Prod. No. LH-729070
- · or electrical
  - 0.2 10 μl Sartorius Prod. No. 735021
  - 10 300 μl Sartorius Prod. No. 735061
  - 50 1000 μl Sartorius Prod. No. 735081

#### Rack for 1.5 ml tubes

For PCR analysis, a bacteria- or mycoplasma-specific DNA detection system is required.

- For bacterial DNA, we recommend the Microsart® ATMP Bacteria kit (Sartorius Prod. No. SMB95-1008), Microsart® ATMP Sterile Release kit (Sartorius Prod. No. SMB95- 1007), or the Microsart® Research Bacteria kit (Sartorius Prod. No. SMB95-1009).
- For detection of mycoplasma DNA, we recommend the Microsart® ATMP Mycoplasma (Sartorius Prod. No. SMB95-1003/1004), Microsart® AMP Mycoplasma (Sartorius Prod. No. SMB95-1001/1002), or Microsart® Research Mycoplasma (Sartorius Prod. No. SMB95-1005/1006).

#### **Test Procedure**

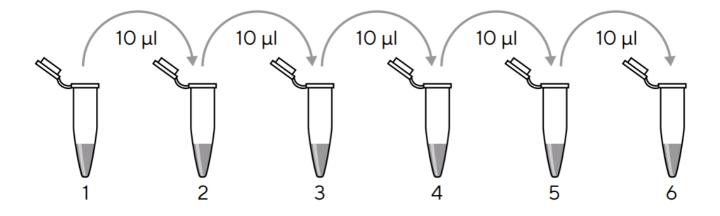
#### Rehydration of the reagents

All reagents must be equilibrated to room temperature prior to use.

- 1. Centrifuge the vial containing the Calibration Reagent (green cap) briefly to collect the lyophilized material at the bottom.
- 2. Add 100 μl Buffer (white cap) to obtain a concentration of 1×106 genomes/ μl.
- 3. Incubate 5 min at room temperature.
- 4. Vortex for 10 sec and spin for 5 sec with the "pulse" option or at  $5000 \times g$ .
- 5. Aliquot the vial content in DNA-free tubes and freeze at ≤–18 °C or directly proceed to step 7.2.

#### Preparation of the dilutions

- 1. Thaw the resuspended Calibration Reagent if applicable.
- 2. Label six 1.5 ml reaction tubes as in the figure below and fill each with 90 µl of Buffer (white cap).
- 3. Vortex Calibration Reagent briefly (at least 5 sec) at medium speed.
- 4. Add 10 µl of the Calibration Reagent to reaction tube no. 1, close the tube and vortex briefly at medium speed.
- 5. Add 10 µl of the content of reaction tube no. 1 to reaction tube no. 2.
- 6. Close the tube and vortex briefly at medium speed.
- 7. Proceed with the following reaction tubes of the dilution series in the same way.



#### **PCR**

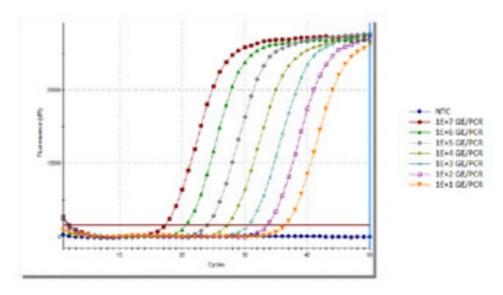
Please follow the instructions given in the manual of the specific PCR kit. The volume used as a template for PCR defines the number of genome copies per reaction:

Reaction t ube	2 μl sample volume	10 μl sample volume	50 μl sample volume
1.	2×105 genome copies	1×106 genome copies	5×106 genome copies
2.	2×104 genome copies	1×105 genome copies	5×105 genome copies
3.	2×103 genome copies	1×104 genome copies	5×104 genome copies
4.	200 genome copies	1000 genome copies	5000 genome copies
5.	20 genome copies	100 genome copies	500 genome copies
6.	2 genome copies	10 genome copies	50 genome copies

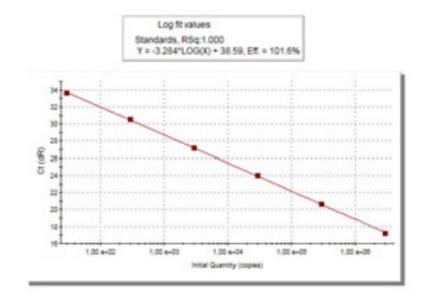
#### **Evaluation**

In qPCR, the Ct values should decrease linearly with increasing DNA concentrations per reaction when a suitable PCR assay is used. The software of the qPCR device builds a standard curve and calculates the slope using the DNA concentrations provided by the user and the obtained Ct values. Also, the unknown sample DNA concentrations are automatically determined by the interpolation of the Ct values obtained for these samples on the standard curve. The following results represent an example of such evaluation and were generated using the Mx3005P<sup>TM</sup> instrument.

• Fig. 1: Amplification curves of a dilution series from 1×107 to 10 genome copies/reaction (GE/PCR).



• Fig. 2: Standard curve generated with the Mx3005P™ instrument using second derivative maximum method and the data from Fig. 1



## **Related Products**

## **Detection Kits for qPCR**

DNA Extraction		
SMB95-2001 SMB95-2003 SMB95-4000	Microsart® ATMP Extraction (for bacteria and fungi) Microsart® AMP Extraction (for mycoplasma) Microsart® Proteinase K	50 extractions 50 extractions 50 extractions
Vivaspin®		
VS0641 VS0642 VS2041 VS2042	Vivaspin® 6 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO Vivaspin® 6 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO Vivaspin® 20 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO Vivaspin® 20 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO	25 units 100 units 12 units 48 units
Cleaning Spray		
SMB95-5001 SMB95-5002	DNA Decontamination Reagent, spray bottle DNA Decontamination Reagent, refill canister	250 ml 5 l
Cleaning Wipes		
SMB95-5003 SMB95-5004	DNA Decontamination Reagent, Wipes DNA Decontamination Reagent, refill sachets	50 wipes 5 × 50 wipes

## Detection Kits for qPCR

SMB95-1001/1002	Microsart® AMP Mycoplasma	25/100 tests
SMB95-1003/1004	Microsart® ATMP Mycoplasma	25/100 tests
SMB95-1005/1006	Microsart® Research Mycoplasma	25/100 tests
SMB95-1007	Microsart® ATMP Sterile Release	10 samples
SMB95-1008	Microsart® ATMP Bacteria	100 tests
SMB95-1009	Microsart® Research Bacteria	25 tests
SMB95-1012	Microsart® ATMP Fungi	100 tests
SMB95-1014/1013	Microsart® Research Fungi	25/100 tests

# Microsart® Calibration Reagent, 10<sup>6</sup> genomes / vial, 1 vial (fungi)

SMB95-2044	Candida albicans
SMB95-2045	Aspergillus brasiliensis
SMB95-2046	Aspergillus fumigatus
SMB95-2047	Penicillium chrysogenum
SMB95-2048	Candida glabrata
SMB95-2049	Candida krusei
SMB95-2050	Candida tropicalis

# Microsart® Validation Standard, 10 CFU / vial, 3 vials each (Mollicutes)

Mycoplasma arginini
Mycoplasma orale
Mycoplasma gallisepticum
Mycoplasma pneumoniae
Mycoplasma synoviae
Mycoplasma fermentans
Mycoplasma hyorhinis
Acholeplasma laidlawii
Spiroplasma citri
Mycoplasma salivarium

## Microsart® Validation Standard, 100 CFU / vial, 3 vials each (Mollicutes)

SMB95-2051	Mycoplasma orale
SMB95-2052	Mycoplasma pneumoniae

# Microsart® Validation Standard, 99 CFU / vial, 6 vials each (bacteria\* and fungi)

SMB95-2005	Bacillus subtilis
SMB95-2006	Pseudomonas aeruginosa
SMB95-2007	Kocuria rhizophila
SMB95-2008	Clostridium sporogenes
SMB95-2009	Bacteroides vulgatus
SMB95-2010	Staphylococcus aureus
SMB95-2037	Candida albicans
SMB95-2038	Aspergillus brasiliensis
SMB95-2039	Aspergillus fumigatus

SMB95-2040	Penicillium chrysogenum
SMB95-2041	Candida glabrata
SMB95-2042	Candida krusei
SMB95-2043	Candida tropicalis

<sup>\*</sup> except for Mollicutes

#### **DNA Extraction**

SMB95-2001 SMB95-2003 SMB95-4000	Microsart® ATMP Extraction (for bacteria and fungi) Microsart® AMP Extraction (for mycoplasma) Microsart® Proteinase K	50 extractions 50 extractions 50 extractions
Vivaspin®		
VS0641 VS0642 VS2041 VS2042	Vivaspin® 6 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO Vivaspin® 6 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO Vivaspin® 20 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO Vivaspin® 20 Polyethesulfone 100,000 MWCO	25 units 100 units 12 units 48 units
Cleaning Spray		
SMB95-5001 SMB95-5002	DNA Decontamination Reagent, spray bottle DNA Decontamination Reagent, refill canister	250 ml 5 l
Cleaning Wipes		
SMB95-5003 SMB95-5004	DNA Decontamination Reagent, Wipes DNA Decontamination Reagent, refill sachets	50 wipes 5 × 50 wipes

### **Limited Product Warranty**

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#### **FAQ**

- Q: Can this product be used for clinical diagnostics?
  - A: No, this product is intended for research and quality control purposes only.
- Q: How should I store the product?
  - A: Store the product at the specified conditions mentioned in the manual to maintain its integrity.

#### **Documents / Resources**



SARTORIUS SMB95 Microsart Calibration Reagent [pdf] Instruction Manual SMB95-2021, SMB95-2022, SMB95-2023, SMB95-2024, SMB95-2025, SMB95-2026, SMB95-2027, SMB95-2028, SMB95-2029, SMB95-2030, SMB95-2031, SMB95-2032, SMB95-2033, SMB95-2034, SMB95-2035, SMB95-2036, SMB95 Microsart Calibration Reagent, Microsart Calibration Reagent, Calibration Reagent

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