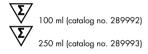
virotype® Tissue Lysis Reagent Handbook



Tissue Lysis Reagent for fast lysis of various sample types

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Kit Contents

<i>virotype</i> Tissue Lysis Reagent		
Catalog no.	289992	289993
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Intended Use

virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent is an extraction reagent for the fast preparation of various sample types without nucleic acid extraction procedures. The virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent is designed and has been validated for fresh or dried ear tissue sample preparation from cattle (size of ear tissue Ø 2–3 mm) and for tracheal swabs (individual and pooled samples) from chicken and turkey. The lysis of other samples types may be possible but need to be validated by the customer.

Storage

The *virotype* Tissue Lysis Reagent should be stored at -15 to -30°C and is stable until the expiration date stated on the label. Freeze the components in aliquots if only used intermittently.

Symbols



Legal manufacturer

Lot number

Use by date

Temperature limitations for storage

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REF Catalog number

MAT Material number

Protect from light

Safety Information

When working with chemicals, always wear a suitable lab coat, disposable gloves, and protective goggles. For more information, please consult the appropriate safety data sheets (SDSs). These are available online in convenient and compact PDF format at www.qiagen.com/safety where you can find, view, and print the SDS for each QIAGEN kit and kit component.

All sample residues and objects which have come into contact with samples must be decontaminated or disposed of as potentially infective material.

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In accordance with QIAGEN's ISO-certified Quality Management System, each lot of *virotype* Tissue Lysis Reagent is tested against predetermined specifications to ensure consistent product quality.

Protocol 1: Lysis of ear tissue samples

Attention:

This protocol has only been validated for ear tissue samples from cattle (2–3mm diameter) and the subsequent downstream application using *virotype* BVDV RT-PCR Kit*.

Procedure

- Bring virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent to room temperature (18-25°C) before use. Calculate and take the volume needed and freeze the remaining lysis buffer.
- Add 200 µl virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent to each ear tissue sample (Ø 2–3 mm) directly into the sampling device.
- Close the tubes with the corresponding caps or with aluminum sealing foil, appropriate for heat incubations.
- 4. Incubate the sample as shown in Table 1.

Table 1. Incubation times

Step	Temperature	Time
1	65°C†‡	30 min
2	98°C†	15 min

[†] Perform incubation in drying oven or sterilizing oven. Heating blocks are recommended for well-fitting reaction tubes only.

[‡] Incubation time can be extended up to 10 minutes.

^{*} Not available in the USA or Canada.

- Allow the sample to cool down for 5 min at 2-8°C (e.g., on ice).
- Process lysates quickly. Lysates which will not be tested immediately can be stored up to 12 h at 2-8°C or up to 6 months at -15 to -30°C.

Pooling

After lysis of individual ear tissue samples is completed, pool equal volumes (at least 10 μ l) of the lysates and mix (e.g., pools of 20: pool 10 μ l of 20 lysates respectively [200 μ l total pool sample volume]).

Real-time RT-PCR

virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent has only been validated in combination with virotype BVDV RT-PCR Kit.

5 μl of each pool/lysate is tested directly with *virotype* BVDV RT-PCR Kit. In rare cases, depending on sample quality, testing of lysates of individual samples can result in invalid tests as a consequence of PCR inhibition (neither FAM fluorescence nor HEX fluorescence is detected). In such cases it is recommended to mix 2.5 μl of lysate with 2.5 μl RNase-free water and to retest.

Thaw frozen lysates at room temperature and gently mix the sample by drawing the sample into a pipet tip and expelling back into the sampling device and repeating the process once or twice before use.

Protocol 2: Lysis from avian swabs

Procedure

- Bring virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent to room temperature (18-25°C) before use. Calculate and take the volume needed and freeze the remaining lysis buffer.
- Dilute virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent 1:5 in nuclease freewater or phosphate buffered saline. Alternatively, virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent can be used undiluted.
- Place the swab in a suitable, disposable reaction tube (see Table 2).
- Add virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent to each reaction tube. Ensure all swabs are completely covered by the virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent (Table 2).

Table 2. Swab types

			Pools	
	Single sample	Thin swab	Thick sv	vab
Reaction tube	2 ml	2 ml	15 ml bottome	
Swabs	1	2–5	2–3	4–5
Lysis buffer	500 µl	500 µl	1000 µl	1 <i>5</i> 00 µl

- Close the reaction tubes with the corresponding cap and briefly vortex.
- 6. Incubate the sample as shown in Table 3.

Table 3. Incubation times

Step	Temperature	Time
1	65°C* [†]	30 min
2	98°C*	15 min

^{*} Perform incubation in drying oven or sterilizing oven. Heating blocks are recommended for well-fitting reaction tubes only.

- Allow the sample to cool down for 5 min at 2–8°C (e.g., on ice).
- Process lysates quickly. Lysates which will not be tested immediately can be stored up to 5 days at 2-8°C or up to 6 months at -15 to -30°C.

Pooling

For testing pools of up to 10 swabs, take equal volumes of the lysates after completed lysis and mix them well (at least 10 μ l of each lysate).

Real-time PCR

5 μl of each lysate/pool is tested directly with bactotype Mycoplasma Mg/Ms PCR Kit[‡]. In rare cases, depending on sample quality, testing of lysates of individual samples can result in invalid tests as a consequence of PCR inhibition (no fluorescence is detected). In such cases it is recommended to mix 2.5 μl of lysate with 2.5 μl nuclease-free water and to retest. Thaw frozen lysates at room temperature and briefly vortex the samples.

[†] Incubation time can be extended up to 10 minutes.

[‡] Not available in the USA or Canada.

Troubleshooting Guide

The scientists in QIAGEN Technical Services are always happy to answer any questions you may have about either the information and/or protocols in this handbook or sample and assay technologies (for contact information, see back cover or visit www.qiagen.com).

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virotype Tissue Lysis Reagent (100 ml)	100 ml Tissue Lysis Reagent	289992
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Related produ	octs	
virotype BVDV RT- PCR Kit (96)*†	For 96 reactions: PCR Mix, Enzyme Mix, Positive Control, Negative Control	280375
bactotype Mycoplasma Mg/Ms PCR Kit (96)*†	For 96 reactions: Master Mix, Positive Control, Negative Control	288105

^{*}Not available in the USA or Canada.

[†] Other kit sizes are available; see www.qiagen.com.

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