# Certificate of Analysis



## **SMARTer® Human TCR a/b Profiling Kit Components**

Catalog No. Amount **Lot Number** 

96 rxns

635019 (Not sold separately) Sold as a part of 635016

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## **Description**

The SMARTer Human TCR a/b Profiling Kit Components are part of the SMARTer Human TCR a/b Profiling Kit, which enables users to analyze T-cell receptor (TCR) diversity from RNA input samples. The full kit is designed to work with a range of RNA input amounts depending on the sample type and has been shown to generate high-quality libraries from as little as 10 ng-3 µg of total RNA obtained from peripheral blood leukocytes, or from 50-10,000 purified T cells. As the name suggests, the kit can be used to generate data for both alpha- and beta-chain diversity, either in the same experiment or separately.

The full kit leverages SMART® (Switching Mechanism at 5' end of RNA Template) technology and employs a 5' RACE-like approach to capture complete V(D)J variable regions of TCR transcripts. Included in the full kit are primers that incorporate Illumina®-specific adaptor sequences during cDNA amplification. The protocol generates indexed libraries that are ready for sequencing on Illumina platforms.

#### **Package Contents**

### Package 1:

5 µ1 Control RNA (1 µg/µl)

#### Package 2:

96 µl	SMART-Seq® v4 Oligonucleotide (48 μM)
192 μ1	TCR dT Primer (12 μM)
384 µl	5X Ultra® Low First-Strand Buffer
192 µl	SMARTScribe <sup>TM</sup> Reverse Transcriptase (100 U/μl)
4 ml	Nuclease-Free Water
$240~\mu l$	RNase Inhibitor (40 U/μl)
1.85 ml	10X Lysis Buffer
4 x 1.7 ml	Elution Buffer (10 mM Tris-Cl, pH 8.5)
96 µl	TCRa Human Primer 1 (12 μM)
96 µl	TCRb Human Primer 1 (12 μM)
96 µl	SMART Primer 1 (12 μM)

#### **Storage Conditions**

- Store Control RNA at -70°C.
- Store 10X Lysis Buffer at -20°C. Once thawed, the buffer can be stored at 4°C.
- Store Elution Buffer at -20°C. Once thawed, the buffer can be stored at room temperature.
- Store all other reagents at -20°C.

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### **Shipping Conditions**

Dry ice

#### **Product Documents**

Documents for our products are available for download at <u>takarabio.com/manuals</u> The following documents apply to this product:

• SMARTer Human TCR a/b Profiling Kit User Manual

## **Quality Control Data**

A sample kit from each lot was tested as follows: 10 ng of Control RNA (human blood, peripheral leukocytes total RNA) was subjected to first-strand cDNA synthesis as described in the SMARTer Human TCR a/b Profiling Kit User Manual. The first-strand cDNA was then used as a template for 21 cycles of PCR. 1 µl of the resulting double-stranded cDNA was amplified by nested PCR for 20 additional cycles. The final sequencing library was purified twice with an Agencourt AMPure XP Kit (Beckman Coulter, Part No. A63880 or A63881), and resuspended in 17 µl of Elution Buffer. 1 µl of the sequencing library was analyzed with an Agilent 2100 Bioanalyzer and a DNA 1000 Kit (Agilent Cat No. 5067-1504). The analysis indicated that the TCR library profile produced a broad peak spanning 650–1,100 bp, with the peak maximum at approximately 700 bp. The area containing the peak was manually integrated from 600 bp–1,200 bp, and the concentration of this region in nmol/L (nM) was determined by the Bioanalyzer software. Final library outputs were greater than 2 nmol/L (nM).

It is certified that this product meets the above specifications, as reviewed and approved by the Quality Department.

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