iSWAB™ VET

Non-invasive device for collection and stabilization of long-fragment, double stranded DNA from animals

Collect - Concentrate - Transport - Extract - Store: All in a Single Tube

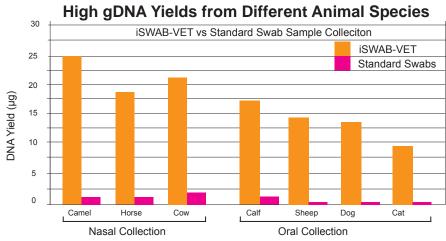
Non-invasive collection methods such as oral/nasal swabs and hair pulls are well established methods to obtain DNA from animals, but samples obtained from these procedures are tedious and time consuming to process in the lab. High bacterial content can potentially compromise the integrity of the sample, resulting in low sample output and suboptimal DNA quality for downstream applications. This can become a major issue when precious samples collected from a rare breed or exotic animal return from the lab with failed results and essentially no options for resampling.

The iSWAB-VET device is a non-invasive collection system that maintains the integrity of the DNA at the point of collection for samples collected in the field. Unlike existing swab-based methods, the swabs are discarded after collection and not sent back to the lab so processing time, effort, and cost is significantly reduced. Most importantly the iSWAB is designed to enable safe and humane sample collection, reduce the incidence of failed samples, and decrease overall workflow time and costs



Features & Benefits

- Collect Concentrate Transport Extract Analyze Store: All in a Single Tube
- Up to 20µg of animal genomic DNA: High quality DNA (double-stranded, long fragment) that is ideal for direct PCR, microarray, or NGS
- Achieve less than 1% bacterial genomic DNA content: Low bacterial genomic DNA content in collected samples
- Field collection in less than 2 minutes: Simple, easy fast and convienant sample collection
- Swab-free sample transport: Decrease sample processing time and costs without compromising sample integrity
- Room temperature stable: Reduce sample storage and transport costs by eliminating cold chain requirements. iSWAB kits and collected samples are room temperature stable for several years
- Traceable and reliable chain of custody: LIMS compatible unique bar-codes included on each iSWAB device for efficient traceability and storage purposes
- Scalable and easy to process: Manual and automation friendly sample processing. Small vial footprint reduces storage space requirements
- Accommodates sample collection from various animal species: Can be performed using oral or nasal swabs for small and large animals where blood sample collection may be problematic collection can be problematic



Ordering information: Part No. ISWAB-VD-1200C

iSWAB Veterinary DNA Collection Kit, 1.0 ml

Average yields are from two standard swabs or single iSWAB collected/animal (n=10)

