

Validation Summary of ResHCD™ Plasmid DNA Quantitation Kit

■ INTRODUCTION

This report summarizes the analytical performance of ResHCD™ Plasmid DNA Quantitation Kit. The data presented herein are intended for reference purposes only. To demonstrate suitability for a specific intended purpose, appropriate validation or qualification study should be conducted with actual biological samples.

Parameters that may be evaluated for method validation are linearity, range, quantitation limit (QL), specificity, precision, accuracy, and robustness, etc.

The application of this report to actual biological samples should be assessed on a case-by-case basis. Users are encouraged to perform sample-specific suitability test, such as verification of QL and specificity and where necessary, additional validation activities to ensure compliance with relevant regulatory requirements.

The product described herein is intended for research use only and is not for use in diagnostic procedures or for therapeutic purposes in humans or animals.

■ MATERIALS & METHODS

1. Materials

ResHCD™ Plasmid DNA Quantitation Kit, Product No. 1101120.

SHENTEK® Residual Host Cell DNA Sample Preparation Kit (Fast), Product No. 1104201.

2. Methods

All reagents, materials, and standard operation procedures(SOPs) used in this study were developed and/or manufactured by Huzhou Shenke Biotechnology Co., Ltd.

The manufacturing processes for the kits are conducted in accordance with the quality management system requirements of ISO 13485.

■ RESULTS

1. Linearity and range

A DNA Control was serially diluted to five concentration levels and tested in triplicate. The study was repeated across three independent experiments.

The assay demonstrated a linear response over the range of $4.97\text{E}+05$ to $4.97\text{E}+01$ copies/ μL (equivalent to $4.97\text{E}+06$ to $4.97\text{E}+02$ copies/reaction).

- Standard curve performance:
 - ✧ Test 1: $R^2 = 0.99986$; Efficiency (E) = 96.0%
 - ✧ Test 2: $R^2 = 0.99978$; E = 100.4%
 - ✧ Test 3: $R^2 = 0.99992$; E = 97.8%
- Acceptance criteria:
 - ✧ $R^2 \geq 0.990$
 - ✧ $90\% \leq E \leq 110\%$

All concentration levels met the predefined acceptance criteria, confirming acceptable linearity and analytical range.

2. Quantitation limit (QL)

The quantitation limit (QL) of the assay was established at $4.97\text{E}+01$ copies/ μL ($4.97\text{E}+02$ copies/reaction).

- Mean measured value: $5.11\text{E}+01$ copies/ μL
- Coefficient of variation (CV): 4.7%
- Relative bias: 2.8%
- Acceptance criteria:
 - ✧ $CV \leq 20\%$
 - ✧ Relative bias within $\pm 20\%$

The QL met all acceptance criteria.

3. Specificity

Potential interference from HEK293 genomic DNA was evaluated at a concentration of 300 pg/ μL (3 ng/reaction).

- Mean measured value: 3.70 copies/ μL

Measured value was below the assay quantitation limit.

- Acceptance criterion:
 - ✧ Mean measured value below the assay QL

The assay demonstrated high specificity with no detectable cross-reactivity.

4. Repeatability

Repeatability was assessed using samples at three concentration levels. Each sample was independently prepared and analyzed.

- Observed CV values ranged from 7.5% to 9.9%
- Acceptance criterion:
 - ✧ $CV \leq 30\%$

All results met the acceptance criterion, indicating good repeatability.

5. Intermediate precision and Accuracy

Intermediate precision and accuracy were evaluated using samples at high, medium, and low concentration levels. Samples were prepared using the SHENTEK® Residual Host Cell DNA Sample Preparation Kit (Fast) and analyzed by three different operators, with each condition tested in triplicate.

- CV range: 4.8% – 12.5%
- Recovery range: 95.4% – 110.8%
- Acceptance criteria:
 - ✧ $CV \leq 30\%$
 - ✧ Recovery between 50% and 150%

All results met the predefined criteria, demonstrating acceptable intermediate precision and accuracy.

6. Robustness

Robustness was evaluated across multiple qPCR platforms, including SHENTEK-96H, ABI 7500, and LightCycler® 480 II.

- R^2 range: 0.99951 – 0.99992
- Efficiency range: 90.4% – 103.0%
- CV range: 4.7% – 15.7%
- Relative bias range: 2.8% – 14.1%
- Acceptance criteria:
 - ✧ $R^2 \geq 0.990$; $90\% \leq E \leq 110\%$
 - ✧ $CV \leq 20\%$; Relative bias within $\pm 20\%$

■ CONCLUSION

The ResHCD™ Plasmid DNA Quantitation Kit was systematically evaluated for key analytical performance characteristics, including linearity, range, quantitation limit, specificity, precision, accuracy, and robustness.

All assessed parameters met the predefined acceptance criteria, demonstrating that the assay provides reliable, accurate, and reproducible quantitation of residual plasmid DNA under the tested conditions.

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