

EGFR Mutation Analysis

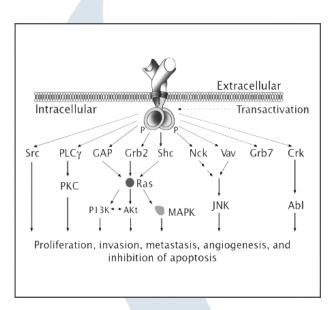
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EGFR Mutations and Cancer

Epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) is a membrane protein that plays a central role in transmitting signals that promote cell growth and proliferation. Its tyrosine kinase (TK) domain activates several downstream effectors that lead to activation of the Ras-Raf-MAPK pathway. Overexpression and oncogenic mutations that constitutively activate the TK domain of EGFR have been found in various solid tumors. Additionally, excessive activation of EGFR has been shown to be associated with advanced stages of cancer and a poor prognosis.

Testing Procedure

EntroGen's EGFR mutation analysis kit is a real-time polymerase chain reaction (PCR)-based assay that uses mutant-specific primers to identify the presence of EGFR mutations. The testing procedure involves three (3) simple steps, which can be completed in approximately 2 hours from isolation of DNA to test results:



- Isolation of DNA from tumor biopsies, paraffin-embedded sections (FFPE), or fresh frozen tumors
- PCR setup with reagents included in the kit
- Amplification (8 reactions per sample) and detection using a real-time PCR instrument

Specifications

EntroGen's EGFR mutation analysis kit detects the following EGFR mutations:

Exon 18	Exon 19 (continued)	Exon 19 (continued)
G719A - 2156G>C	2238-2252>GCA del 15	2237-2253>TTGCT
G719S - 2155G>A	2233-2247 del 15	2237-2256>TC
G719C - 2155G>T	2234-2248 del 15	2237-2256>TT
G719D - 2156G>A	2235-2246 del 12	2237-2257>TCT
	2235-2248>AATTC	2238-2252 del 15
Exon 20	2235-2251>AATTC	2239-2252>CA
T790M - 2369C>T	2235-2252>AAT	2239-2253 del 15
S768I - 2303G>T	2236-2248>AGAC	2239-2256>CAA
2307-2308 ins GCCAGCGTG	2236-2248>CAAC	2239-2257>T
2319-2320 ins CAC	2236-2256 del 21	2239-2262 del 24
2310-2311 ins GGT	2237_2251>TTC	2246-2260 del 15
	2237-2252>T	2248-2273>CC
Exon 19	2239-2247 del 9	2252-2275 del 24
2235-2249 del 15	2239-2256 del 18	2252-2276>A
2235-2252>AAT del 18	2239-2248>C del 10	2252-2277>AT
2236-2253 del 18	2239-2258>CA del 20	2253-2276 del 24
2237-2251 del 15	2240-2251 del 12	2254-2277 del 24
2237-2254 del 18	2240-2257 del 18	
2237-2255>T del 19	2240-2254 del 15	Exon 21
2236-2250 del 15	2239-2251>C del 13	L858R - 2573T>G
2238-2255 del 18	2237-2253>TC	L861Q - 2582T>A
2238-2248>GC del 11	2237-2253>TTCCT	

^{*} Expansion kit available for E709, L858M, and L861R mutations.



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Limitations

EntroGen's EGFR mutation analysis kit requires 40-80 nanograms of genomic DNA (5-10 nanograms per reaction) and can detect a mutation load of less than 1%. This sensitivity greatly depends on the extent of fragmentation and quality of the isolated DNA.

Equipment and Materials

EntroGen's EGFR mutation analysis kit requires a real-time PCR instrument capable of detecting FAM and VIC fluorescent probes.

This test includes reagents required for the PCR amplification/detection, as well as validated reaction controls. Columns and reagents for DNA isolation are not included.

Intended Use

EntroGen's EGFR mutation analysis kits are available for Research Use Only (RUO) in the United States and for In Vitro Diagnostic use (CE-IVD) in Europe.

Ordering Information

Product Name		Cat. No.
EGFR 59 Mutation Detection Kit for Real-Time PCR - 52 Reactions		EGFR-RT52
EGFR Expansion Kit		EGFRX-RT52