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We use this protocol and it's working

🌐 qPCR: Bacterial SSU rRNA 338F-516P-805R V.3

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ABSTRACT

Universal 16S rRNA probe-based-qPCR assay for bacteria.

The primers and probe are taken from [Yu et al. \(2005\)](#).

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Primers and probe

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Name	Type	Sequence	Target region
BAC338F	Forward	ACT CCT ACG GGA GGC AG	338-354
BAC516P ²	Probe	TGC CAG CAG CCG CGG TAA TA	516-536
BAC805R	Reverse	GAC TAC CAG GGT ATC TAA TC	785-805

1. Relative to *E. coli* SSU rRNA gene
2. The probe must be dual-labelled either with 5'-6-FAM, 3'-BHQ1 or any other valid combination

qPCR mixture

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Reagent	Final concentration	1 tube (20 µl)	plate (20 µl x 100)
PCR H ₂ O		4.6	460
iQ™ Supermix	1x	10	1000
MgCl ₂ (25 mM)	4.0 mM	0.8 ¹	80
BSA (20 µg µl ⁻¹)	0.2 µg µl ⁻¹	0.2	20
338F (10 µM)	0.5 µM	1.0	100

805R (10 µM)	0.5 µM	1.0	100
516P (10 µM)	0.2 µM	0.4	40
Template		2	2 x 100

1 Buffer contains MgCl₂ at final conc. of 3.0 mM

Thermocycler programme

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1. 95 °C for 00:05:00
2. x 40 {
 - 2.1 95 °C for 00:00:30
 - 2.2 62 °C for 00:00:30 take snapshot
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