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Summary sheet of validation data for a diagnostic test

The EPPO Standard PM 7/98 *Specific requirements for laboratories preparing accreditation for a plant pest diagnostic activity* describes how validation should be conducted. It also includes definitions of performance criteria.

Target Organism	Globodera pallida Globodera rostochiensis	
Short description	Identification of Globodera pallida and G. rostochiensis by species specific PCR (Vejl 2002)	
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Date and reference of the validation report	13/07/2010 - Validation report ref. 10/03	
Validation process according to EPPO Standard PM 7/98:	Yes	
Reference of the test description	N/R PM7/40, but not listed in the protocol Vejl et al. (2002). Identification of PCN species (Globodera rostochiensis, G. pallida) by using of ITS-1 region's polymorphism. Rostlinna Vyroba 48, 486-489.	
Is the test the same as described in the EPPO DP?	No not included in PM7/40	
Is the lab accredited for this test?	No	
Plant species tested (if relevant)		
Matrices tested (if relevant)		
List of methods used		
Method for extraction / isolation / baiting of target organism from matrix		
Molecular methods, e.g. hybridization, PCR and real time PCR	X	Species specific PCR
Serological methods: IF, ELISA, Direct Tissue Blot Immuno Assay		
Plating methods: selective isolation		
Bioassay methods: selective enrichment in host plants, baiting, plant test and grafting.		
Pathogenicity test		

Fingerprint methods: protein profiling, fatty acid profiling & DNA profiling		
Morphological and morphometrical methods intended for identification		
Biochemical methods: e.g. enzyme electrophoresis, protein profiling		
Other		
Analytical sensitivity (= limit of detection)		
What is smallest amount of target that can be detected reliably?	1 J2	
Diagnostic sensitivity		
Proportion of infected/infested samples tested positive compared to results from the standard test , see appendix 2 of PM 7/98		
Specify the standard test		
Analytical specificity		
Specificity value	100% for <i>G. pallida</i> and 78% for <i>G. rostochiensis</i> (4 non target species populations among 18 identified as <i>G. rostochiensis</i>)	
Number of strains/populations of target organisms tested	11 <i>G. pallida</i> populations 4 <i>G. rostochiensis</i> populations for details see annex 2 from validation report	
Number of non-target organisms tested	7 nematode species populations different from <i>G. pallida</i> or <i>G. rostochiensis</i> (see Annex 2 from validation report)	
Cross reacts with (specify the species)	<i>Globodera tabacum</i> (all groups/ sub-species) detected as <i>G. rostochiensis</i>	
Diagnostic Specificity		
Proportion of uninfected/uninfested samples (true negatives) testing negative compared to results from a standard test		
Specify the standard test		
Reproducibility		
Provide the calculated % of agreement for a given level of the pest (see PM 7/98)	100% for <i>G. pallida</i> (1 J2) 83% for <i>G. rostochiensis</i> (1 J2)	
Repeatability		
Provide the calculated % of agreement for a given level of the pest (see PM 7/98)	100% for <i>G. pallida</i> (1 J2) 87.5% for <i>G. rostochiensis</i> (1 J2)	
Test performance study		
Test performance study?	No	
Include brief details of the test performance study and its output.It		

available, provide a link to published article/report	
Other information	
Any other information considered useful e.g. robustness, ease of performing the test, etc.	The full report is available upon request to the laboratory.