

Individual Report

QCMD 2018 Legionella pneumophila DNA EQA Programme



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Intended Results / Panel Composition

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships ^[1]	Detection Frequency ^[2]	Sample Status ^[3]	Percentage Correct (All) ^[4]	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA 18S-01	L. pneumophila sg6	TM	DS2_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	100.0	153
LPDNA 18S-02	L. pneumophila sg6	TM	DS2_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.3	153
LPDNA 18S-03	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST62)	TM	DS4_2	Detected	CORE	92.8	153
LPDNA 18S-04	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST62)	TM	DS4_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.3	153
LPDNA 18S-05	L. pneumophila sg2-14	TM	DS1_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.0	153
LPDNA 18S-06	L. pneumophila sg2-14	TM	DS1_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.7	153
LPDNA 18S-07	Negative	TM		Negative	CORE	98.0	153
LPDNA 18S-08	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST47)	TM	DS3_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.7	153
LPDNA 18S-09	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST47)	TM	DS3_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	96.1	153
LPDNA 18S-10	L. longbeachae	TM		Negative	EDUCATIONAL	91.5	153


[1] **Sample Relationships:** Indicates the relationships of the samples within this challenge. Dilution series are indicated by 'DS1' with each panel member in the dilution series represented by a number in order of titre, where DS1_1 represents the highest titre within that dilution series. Further dilution series are indicated by 'DS2' 'DS3' etc. If one duplicate pair is present this is indicated by 'D1'. Further duplicate pairs are indicated by 'D2', 'D3' etc.

[2] **Detection Frequency:** To aid qualitative analysis each panel member is assigned a frequency of detection. This is based on the peer group consensus of all qualitative results returned from participants within the EQA challenge / distribution.

[3] **Sample Status:** EQA samples are defined as "CORE" or "EDUCATIONAL". Core proficiency samples are reviewed by the QCMD Scientific Expert(s). This is on the basis of scientific information, clinical relevance, current literature and, where appropriate, professional clinical guidelines. Participating laboratories are expected to report core proficiency samples correctly within the EQA challenge / distribution.

[4] **Percentage Correct (All):** Percentage of datasets (%) reporting the correct qualitative result and the total number of datasets (n) reported for each panel member.

For further details please refer to the current participant manual.

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Your Summary Results

EQA Assessment Group ^[1]	Commercial
Core Panel Detection (Qualitative) Score ^[2]	0

Core Panel Members Results

Sample Code	Qualitative Results			Your Quantitative Data (for information only) ^[3]		
	Percentage Correct (All) ^[4]	Your Result ^[5]	Detection Score ^[6]	Reported Value	Unitage	Cycle Threshold
LPDNA 18S-01	100.0	Positive	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-02	99.3	Positive	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-03	92.8	Positive	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-04	99.3	Positive	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-05	98.0	Positive	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-06	98.7	Positive	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-07	98.0	Negative	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-08	98.7	Positive	0		N/A	-
LPDNA 18S-09	96.1	Positive	0		N/A	-

[1] EQA Assessment Group: To aid data analysis, participant results are grouped according to the molecular amplification/detection method specified within their molecular workflow for this challenge / distribution. For further details refer to the *Additional Information: Individual Panel Member Analysis* section of this report.

[2] Core Panel Detection (Qualitative) Score: An overall core panel detection score provided per challenge / distribution.


[3] Quantitative Data (for information only): This is the quantitative value, unitage and cycle threshold you provided when you submitted your results. For qualitative programmes this information is not used as part of your formal EQA assessment.

[4] Percentage Correct (All): Percentage of datasets (%) reporting the correct qualitative results for each panel member.

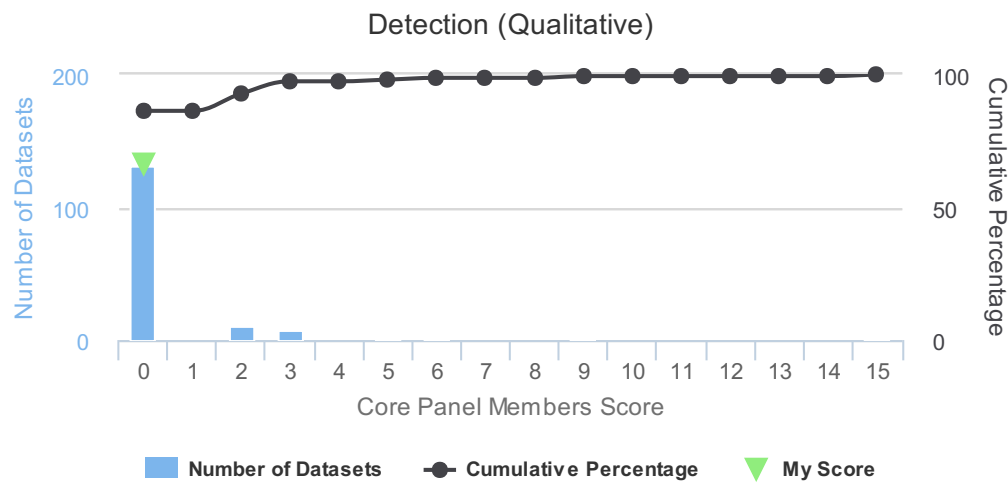
[5] Your Result: The qualitative result you reported for each sample within this EQA challenge / distribution.

[6] Detection Score: Your detection (qualitative) scores are based on the assigned detection frequency of each panel members, where 0 (zero) is "highly satisfactory" and 3 (three) is "highly unsatisfactory". Scores are provided for individual panel members.

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Core Panel Member Score Breakdown






Core Panel Member Score Breakdown - Detection: This figure gives you a breakdown of the qualitative detection scores for all qualitative datasets returned within this EQA challenge / distribution independent of the EQA assessment group. Panel detection scores are generated from only those panel members that are defined as “CORE”.

For further details please refer to the current participant manual.

My Workflow Details

The details of the workflow(s) used to submit your results for this challenge.

Name	GeneProof Legionella pneumophila PCR Kit-croBEE (v2)
Description	
Targets	B Legionella pneumophila
Assays	<ul style="list-style-type: none">  Extraction - GeneProof - croBEE NA16 Nucleic Acid Extraction System <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Commercial <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Kit Manufacturer: <i>GeneProof</i> ○ Kit Type: <i>croBEE 201A Nucleic Acid Extraction Kit</i>  Amplification - GeneProof - croBEE Real-Time PCR System <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Commercial <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Kit Manufacturer: <i>GeneProof</i> ○ Kit Type: <i>GeneProof Legionella pneumophila PCR Kit</i> ○ Kit Version: <i>ISEX</i>

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Educational Panel Members Results

Sample Code	Qualitative Results			Your Quantitative Data (for information only) [1]		
	Percentage Correct (All) [2]	Your Result [3]	Detection Score [4]	Reported Value	Unitage	Cycle Threshold
LPDNA18S-10	91.5	Negative	0		N/A	-

[1] **Quantitative Data (for information only):** This is the quantitative value, unitage and cycle threshold you provided when you submitted your results. For qualitative programmes this information is not used as part of your formal EQA assessment.

[2] **Percentage Correct (All):** Percentage of datasets (%) reporting the correct qualitative results for each panel member.

[3] **Your Result:** The qualitative result you reported for each sample within this EQA challenge / distribution.

[4] **Detection Score:** Your detection (qualitative) scores are based on the assigned detection frequency of each panel members, where 0 (zero) is "highly satisfactory" and 3 (three) is "highly unsatisfactory". Scores are provided for individual panel members.

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Further Programme Details

Number of Participants	144
Number of Countries	33
Number of Respondents	136
Number of Datasets Submitted	153
Qualitative Results Returned	153 (100.0%)


EQA Programme Aims

To assess proficiency of laboratories in the detection of *Legionella pneumophila*.

Feedback and Enquiries

Participants are encouraged to read the QCMD Participants' Manual, which can be downloaded from the QCMD website.

Any queries about this report should be addressed to the QCMD Neutral Office (neutraloffice@qcmd.org).

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Panel member analysis is separated into CORE samples followed by EDUCATIONAL samples.

Additional Core Samples Information

The following section has been categorised as shown below:


Core ► Qualitative

Individual Panel Member Analysis (Qualitative)

Qualitative analysis for each panel member is provided in relation to your EQA assessment group. EQA assessment groups are established using the molecular workflow information reported by all participants within this EQA challenge / distribution. The principal level of assessment is at the individual method level which is defined based on your reported “amplification/detection method” and other laboratories using the same or similar amplification/detection methods.

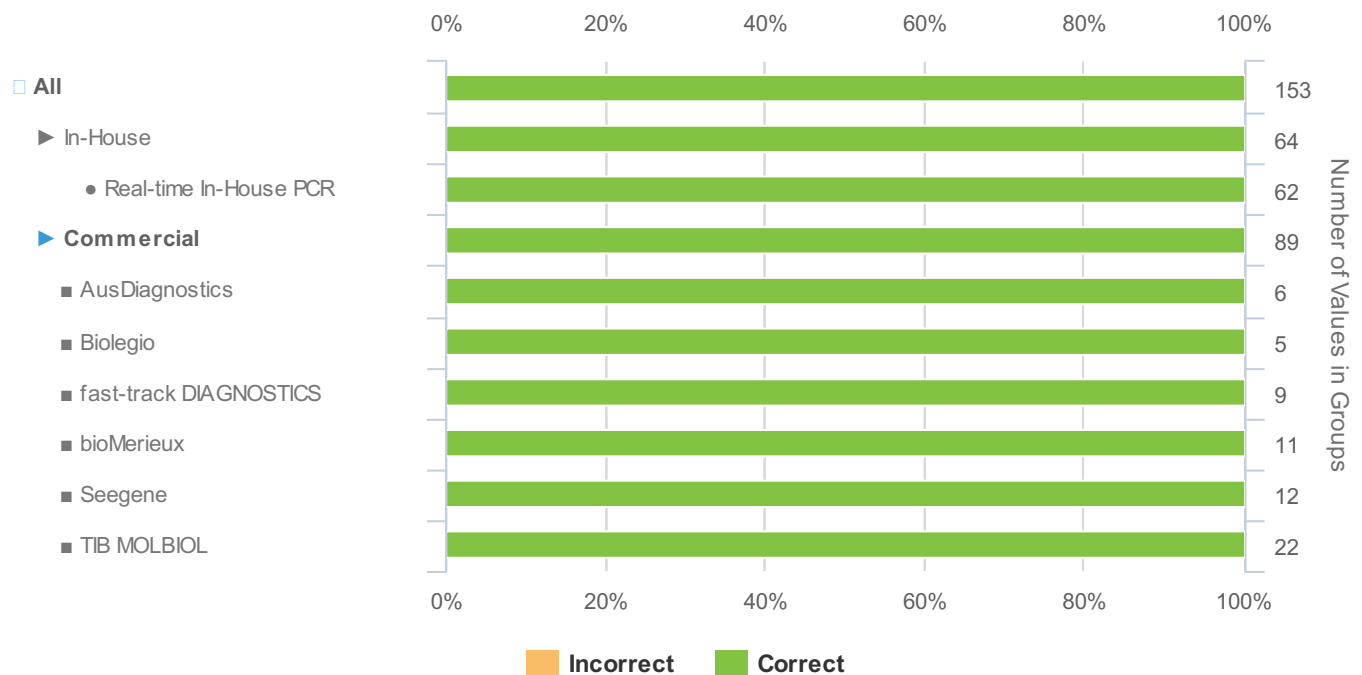
To allow meaningful assessment at the individual method level the EQA assessment group must consist of 5 or more datasets. If there are not sufficient datasets at the individual method level then your results will be included within a higher EQA assessment group based on whether it is a commercial or in house technology/method. The highest level assessment grouping is “All” participant reported qualitative results.

A breakdown of qualitative results reported by participants on each of the panel members within this EQA challenge / distribution is provided below. You can compare your results to those within your EQA assessment group and those obtained within other EQA assessment groups or to the overall consensus for each sample within this EQA challenge / distribution.

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LPDNA18S-01 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA18S-01	L. pneumophila sg6	TM	DS2_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	100.0	153



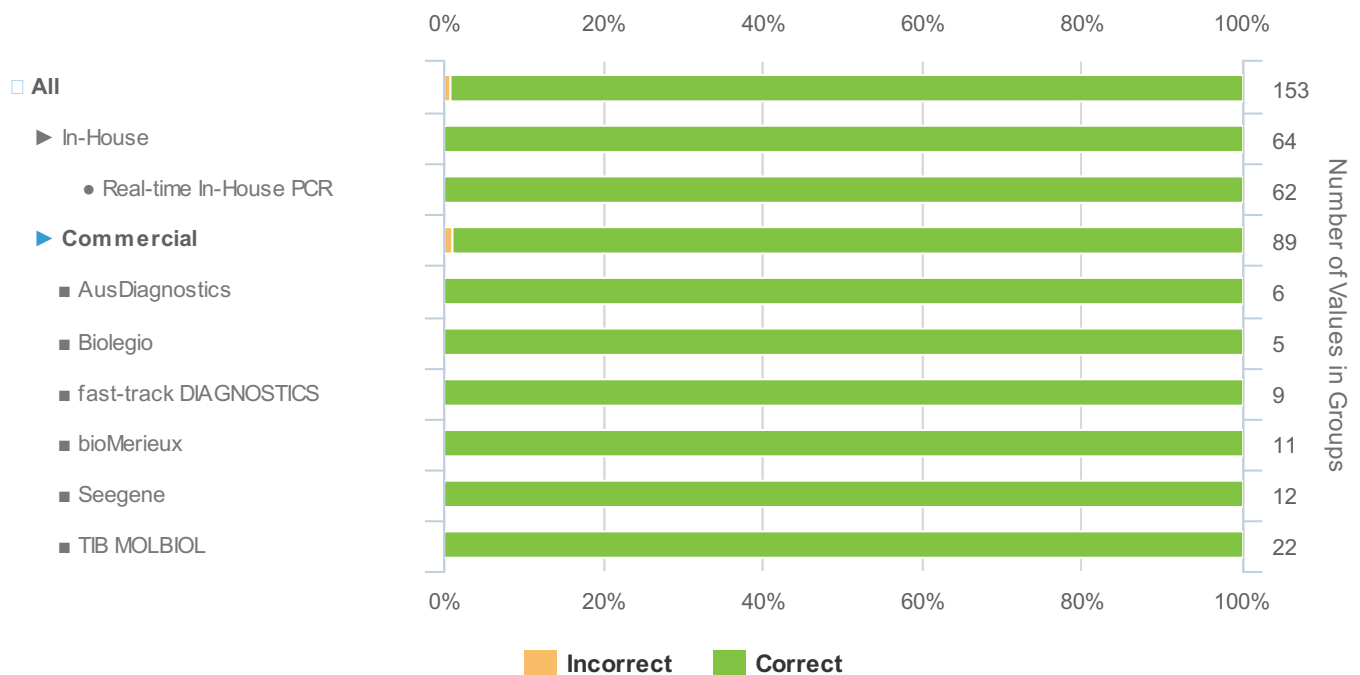
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Groups Rolled Up: AusDiagnostics - AusDiagnostics Easy-Plex (n=6), Biolegio - Biolegio ReadyMax (n=5), fast-track DIAGNOSTICS - FTD real time PCR (n=9), bioMerieux - bioMerieux R-gene Kit (n=11), Seegene - Seegene Real Time PCR (n=12), TIB MOLBIOL - TIB-MolBiol LightMix (n=22)

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LPDNA18S-02 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA 18S-02	L. pneumophila sg6	TM	DS2_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.3	153



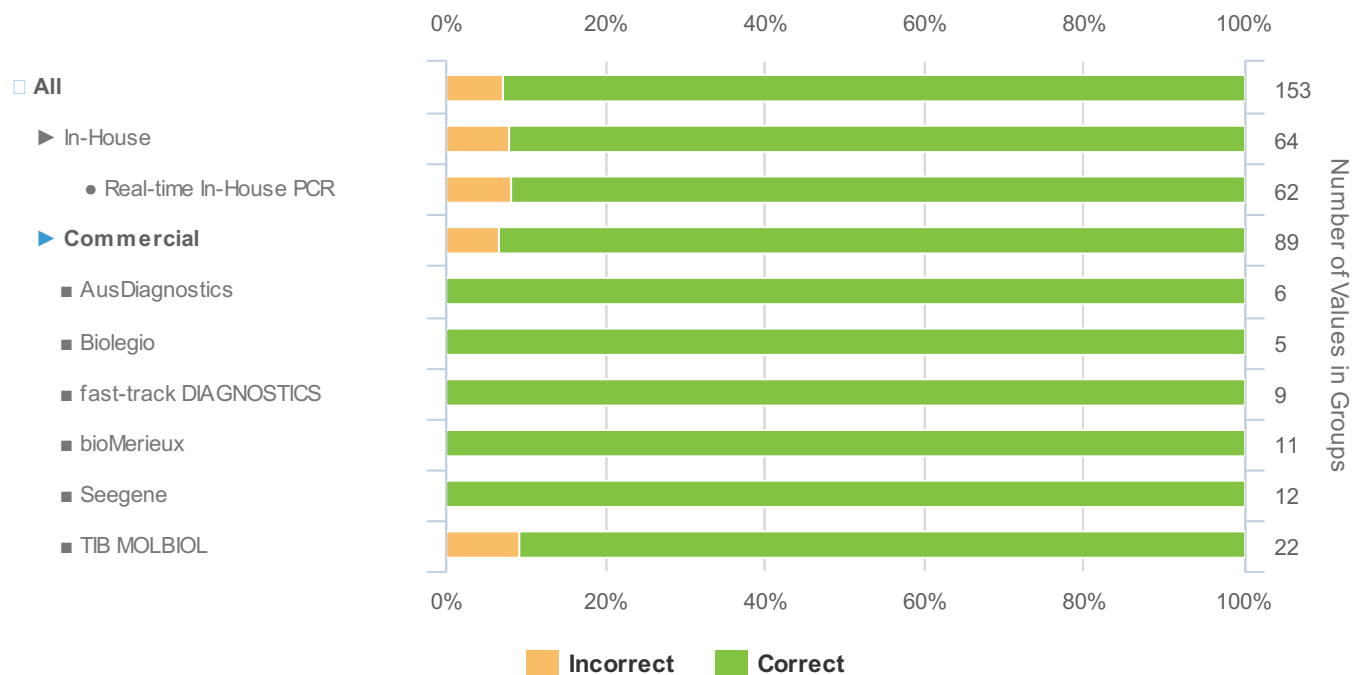
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Groups Rolled Up: AusDiagnostics - AusDiagnostics Easy-Plex (n=6), Biolegio - Biolegio ReadyMax (n=5), fast-track DIAGNOSTICS - FTD real time PCR (n=9), bioMerieux - bioMerieux R-gene Kit (n=11), Seegene - Seegene Real Time PCR (n=12), TIB MOLBIOL - TIB-MolBiol LightMix (n=22)

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LPDNA18S-03 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA 18S-03	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST62)	TM	DS4_2	Detected	CORE	92.8	153



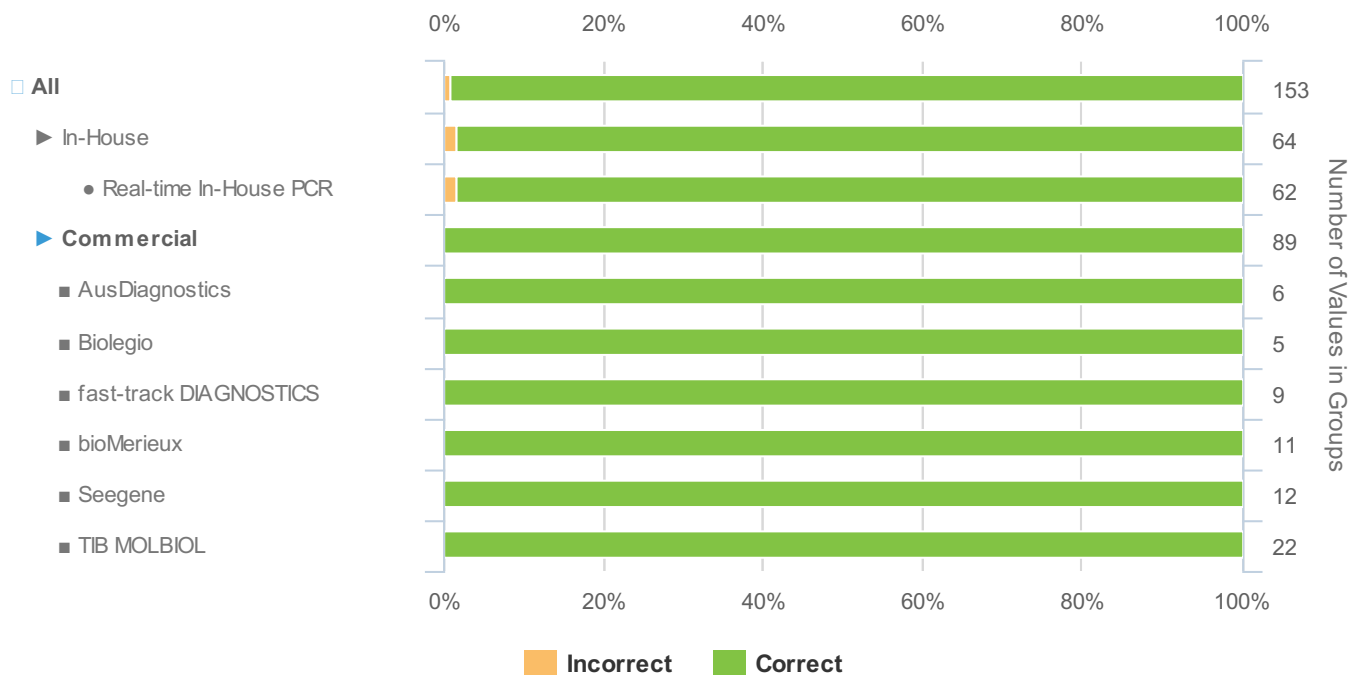
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Groups Rolled Up: AusDiagnostics - AusDiagnostics Easy-Plex (n=6), Biolegio - Biolegio ReadyMax (n=5), fast-track DIAGNOSTICS - FTD real time PCR (n=9), bioMerieux - bioMerieux R-gene Kit (n=11), Seegene - Seegene Real Time PCR (n=12), TIB MOLBIOL - TIB-MolBiol LightMix (n=22)

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LPDNA18S-04 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA18S-04	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST62)	TM	DS4_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.3	153



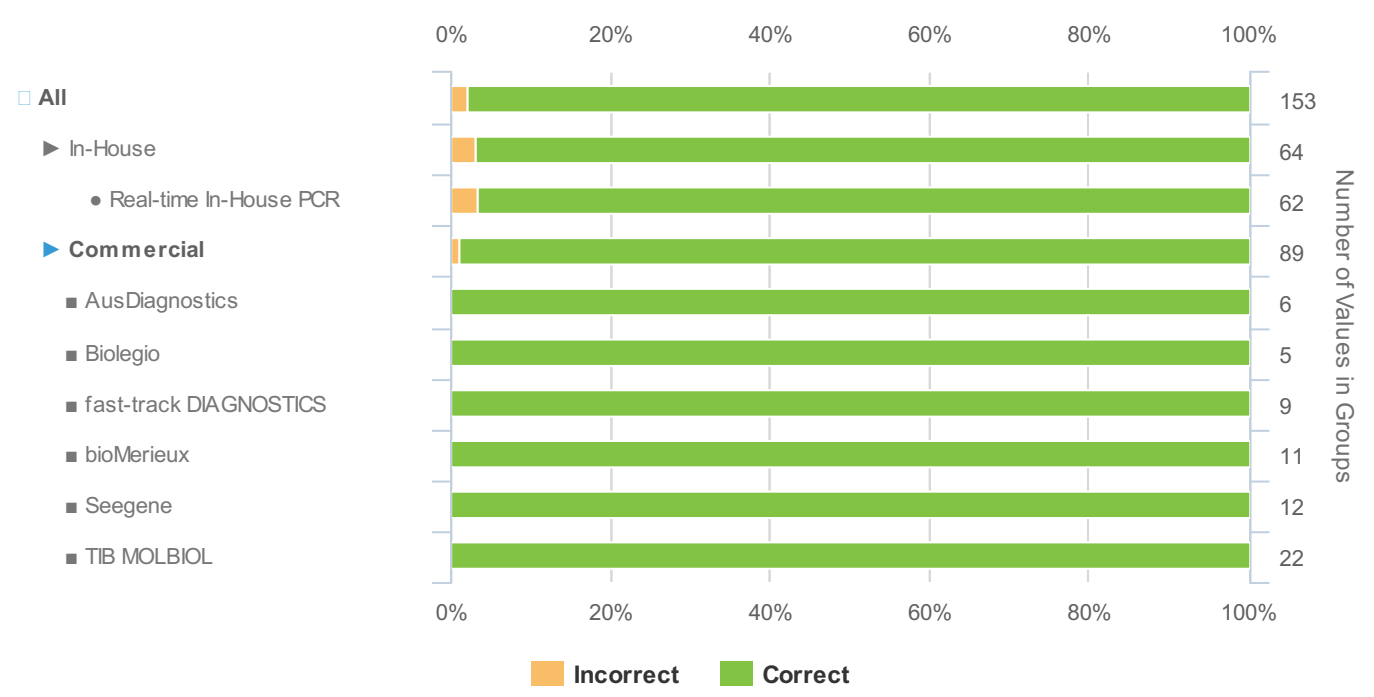
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Groups Rolled Up: AusDiagnostics - AusDiagnostics Easy-Plex (n=6), Biolegio - Biolegio ReadyMax (n=5), fast-track DIAGNOSTICS - FTD real time PCR (n=9), bioMerieux - bioMerieux R-gene Kit (n=11), Seegene - Seegene Real Time PCR (n=12), TIB MOLBIOL - TIB-MolBiol LightMix (n=22)

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LPDNA18S-05 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
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LPDNA18S-05	L. pneumophila sg2-14	TM	DS1_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.0	153



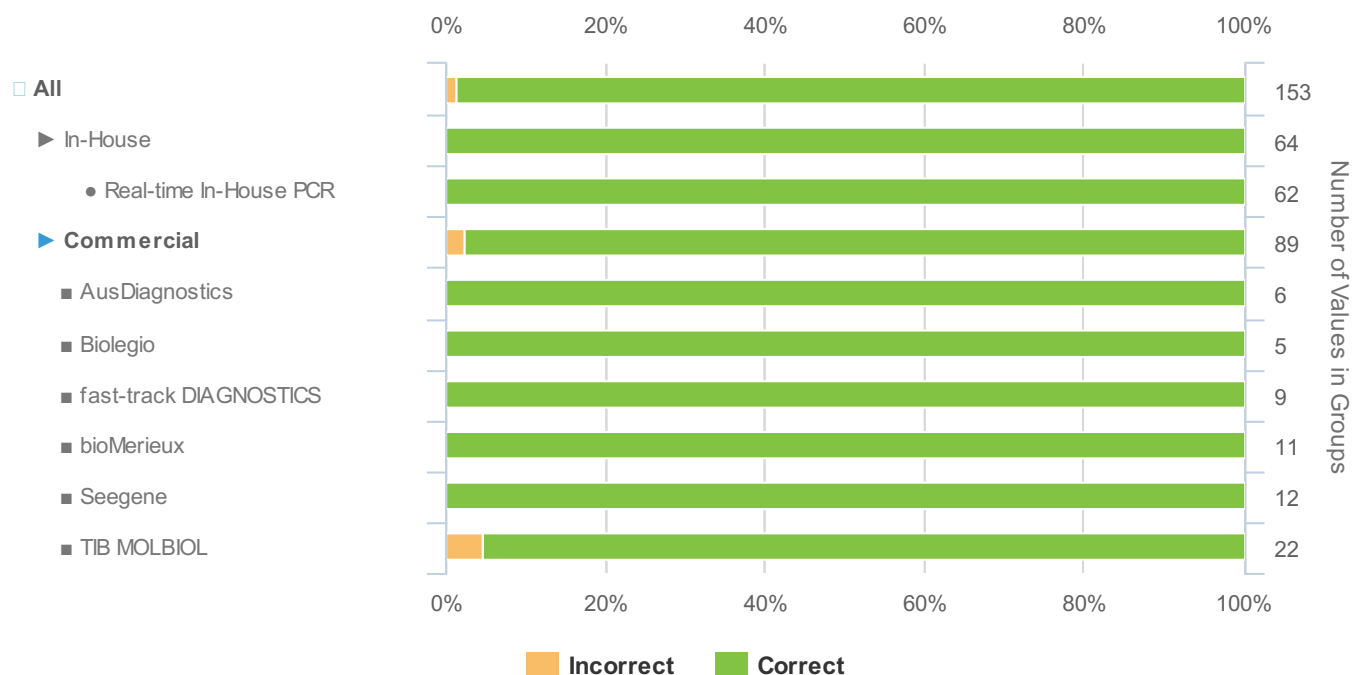
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Groups Rolled Up: AusDiagnostics - AusDiagnostics Easy-Plex (n=6), Biolegio - Biolegio ReadyMax (n=5), fast-track DIAGNOSTICS - FTD real time PCR (n=9), bioMerieux - bioMerieux R-gene Kit (n=11), Seegene - Seegene Real Time PCR (n=12), TIB MOLBIOL - TIB-MolBiol LightMix (n=22)

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LPDNA18S-06 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA 18S-06	L. pneumophila sg2-14	TM	DS1_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.7	153

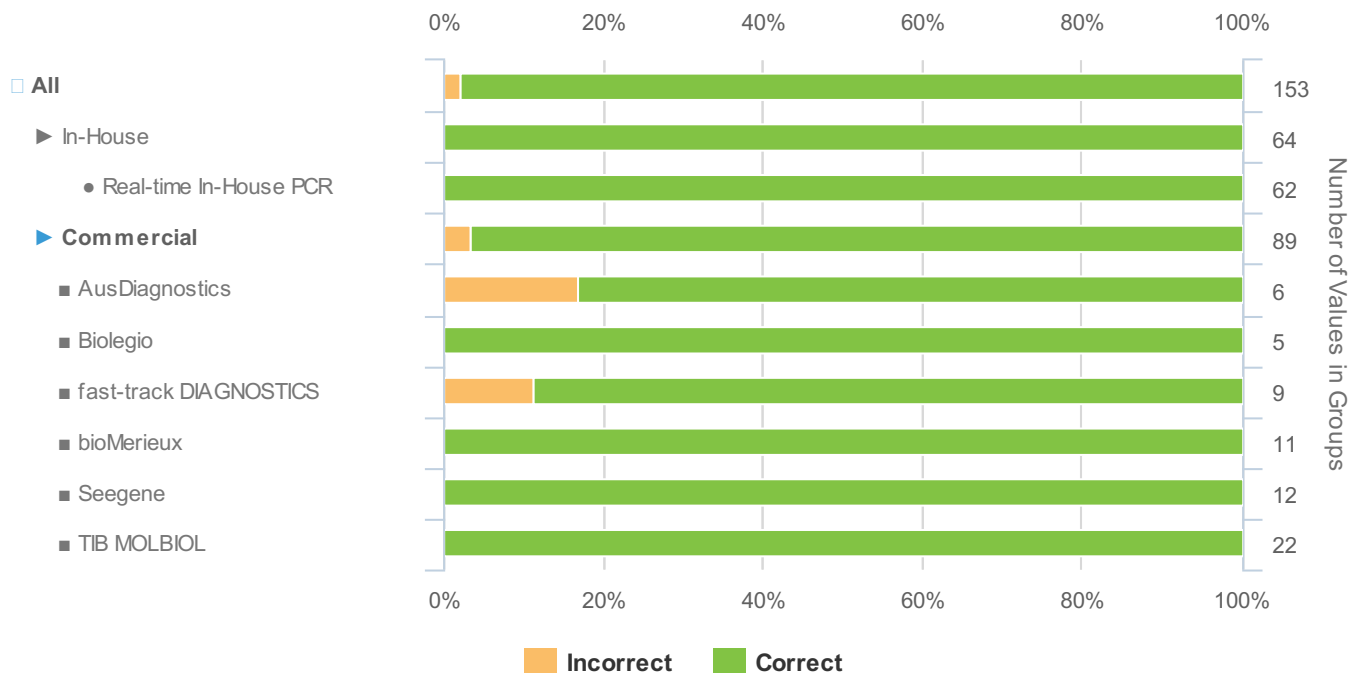


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LPDNA18S-07 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA18S-07	Negative	TM		Negative	CORE	98.0	153



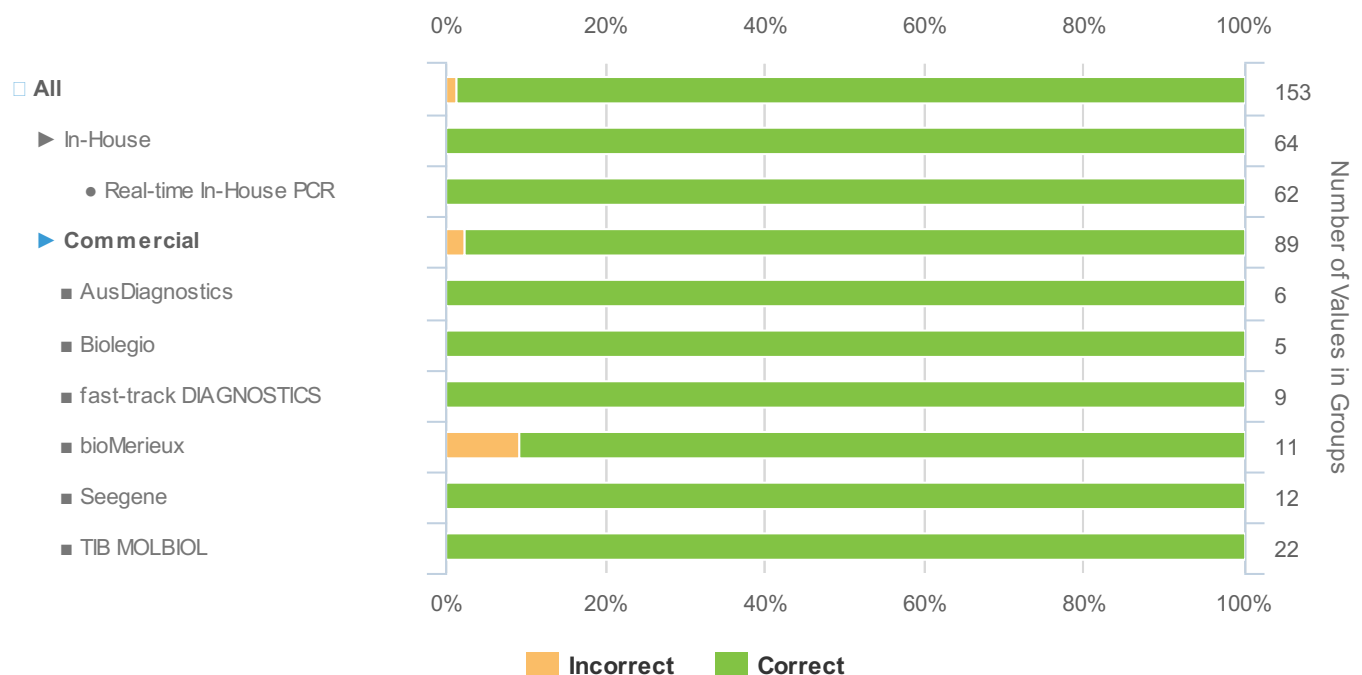
Groups below n=5: In-House - Conventional In-House PCR (n=2), ELITech Group (n=2), ELITech Group - Elitech Alert Real Time Q-PCR (n=2), BioGX (n=2), BioGX - BioGX Sample-Ready (n=2), Vitassay (n=2), Vitassay - Vitassay Real-Time PCR (n=2), GenMark Dx (n=1), GenMark Dx - GenMark DX ePlex (n=1), AmpliSens (n=1), AmpliSens - AmpliSens Real Time PCR (n=1), Luminex (n=1), Luminex - Luminex xTAG (n=1), Certest (n=2), Certest - Certest Real Time PCR (n=2), Diagenode (n=3), Diagenode - Diagenode Real Time kit (n=3), PrimerDesign (n=2), PrimerDesign - PrimerDesign Genesisig (n=2), R-Biopharm (n=4), R-Biopharm - R-Biopharm RIDA Gene (n=4), GeneProof (n=4), GeneProof - GeneProof Real Time PCR kit (n=4)

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LPDNA18S-08 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA 18S-08	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST47)	TM	DS3_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.7	153

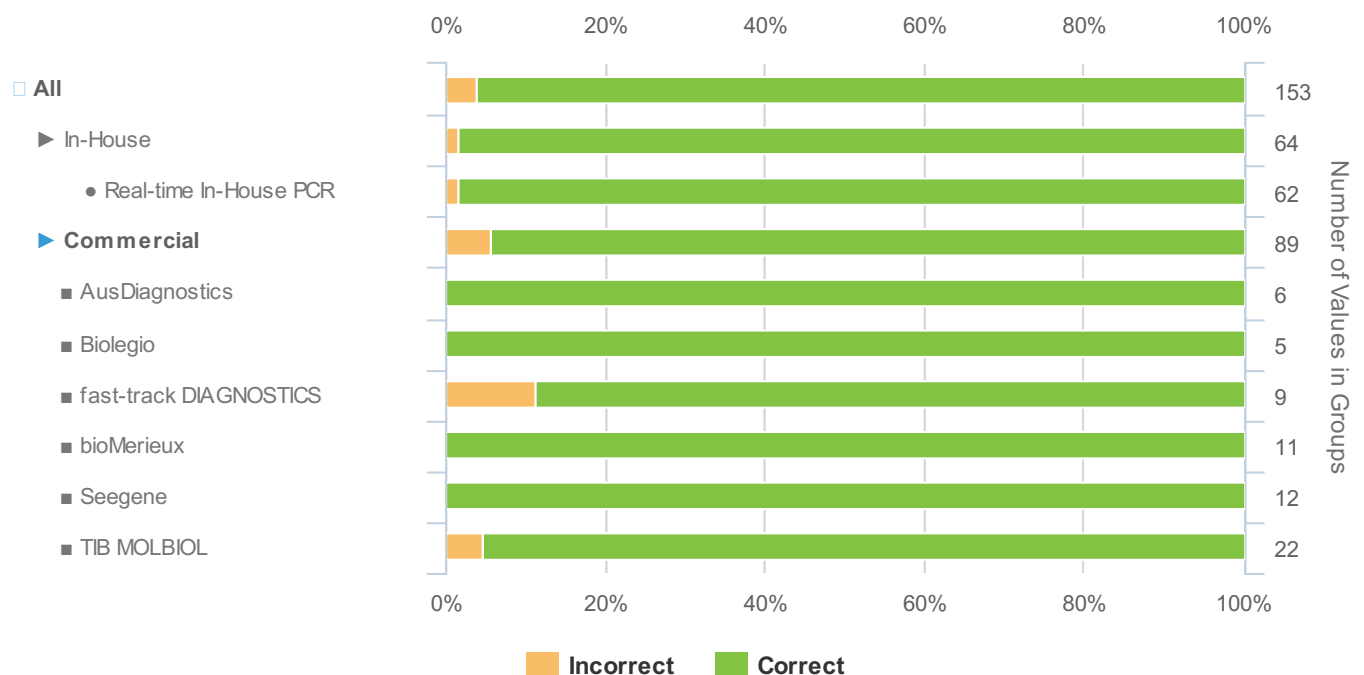


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Groups Rolled Up: AusDiagnostics - AusDiagnostics Easy-Plex (n=6), Biolegio - Biolegio ReadyMax (n=5), fast-track DIAGNOSTICS - FTD real time PCR (n=9), bioMerieux - bioMerieux R-gene Kit (n=11), Seegene - Seegene Real Time PCR (n=12), TIB MOLBIOL - TIB-MolBiol LightMix (n=22)


LPDNA18S-09 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA18S-09	L. pneumophila sg1 (ST47)	TM	DS3_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	96.1	153



Groups below n=5: In-House - Conventional In-House PCR (n=2), ELITech Group (n=2), ELITech Group - Elitech Alert Real Time Q-PCR (n=2), BioGX (n=2), BioGX - BioGX Sample-Ready (n=2), Vitassay (n=2), Vitassay - Vitassay Real-Time PCR (n=2), GenMark Dx (n=1), GenMark Dx - GenMark DX ePlex (n=1), AmpliSens (n=1), AmpliSens - AmpliSens Real Time PCR (n=1), Luminex (n=1), Luminex - Luminex xTAG (n=1), Certest (n=2), Certest - Certest Real Time PCR (n=2), Diagenode (n=3), Diagenode - Diagenode Real Time kit (n=3), PrimerDesign (n=2), PrimerDesign - PrimerDesign Genesisig (n=2), R-Biopharm (n=4), R-Biopharm - R-Biopharm RIDA Gene (n=4), GeneProof (n=4), GeneProof - GeneProof Real Time PCR kit (n=4)

Groups Rolled Up: AusDiagnostics - AusDiagnostics Easy-Plex (n=6), Biolegio - Biolegio ReadyMax (n=5), fast-track DIAGNOSTICS - FTD real time PCR (n=9), bioMerieux - bioMerieux R-gene Kit (n=11), Seegene - Seegene Real Time PCR (n=12), TIB MOLBIOL - TIB-MolBiol LightMix (n=22)

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Additional Educational Samples Information

The following section has been categorised as shown below:

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Individual Panel Member Analysis (Qualitative)

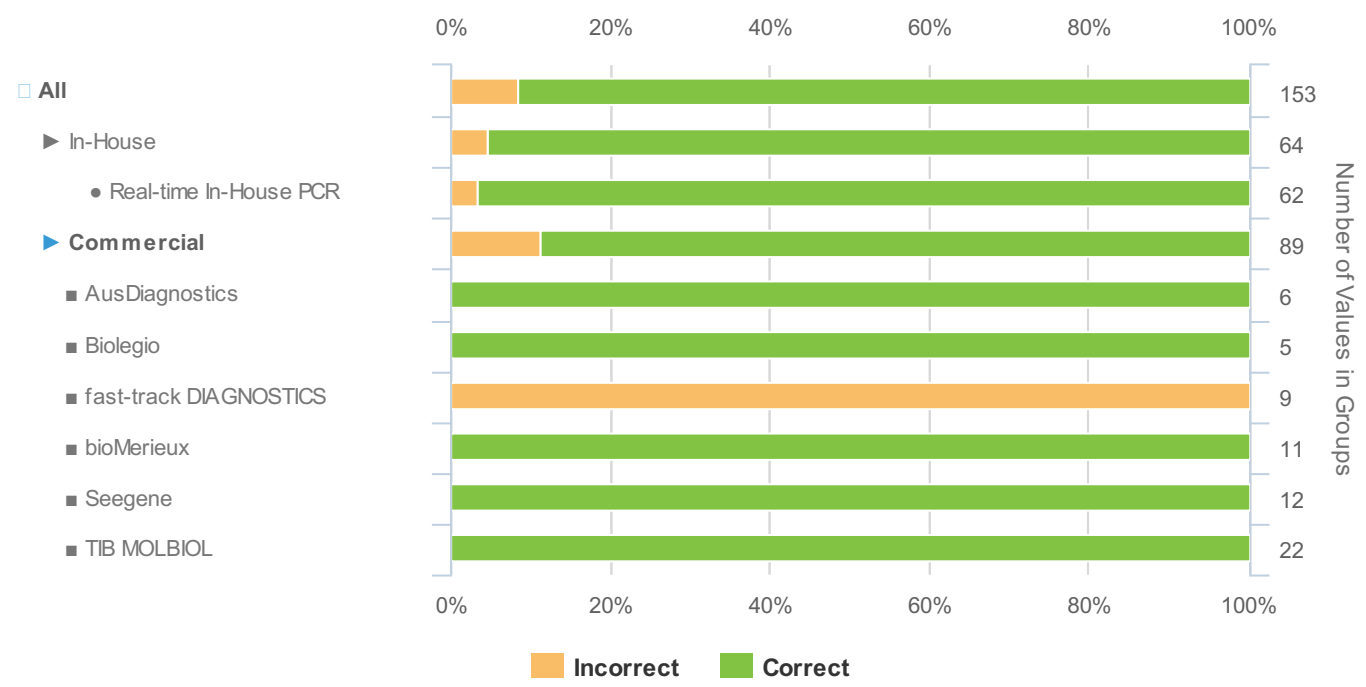
Qualitative analysis for each panel member is provided in relation to your EQA assessment group. EQA assessment groups are established using the molecular workflow information reported by all participants within this EQA challenge / distribution. The principal level of assessment is at the individual method level which is defined based on your reported “amplification/detection method” and other laboratories using the same or similar amplification/detection methods.

To allow meaningful assessment at the individual method level the EQA assessment group must consist of 5 or more datasets. If there are not sufficient datasets at the individual method level then your results will be included within a higher EQA assessment group based on whether it is a commercial or in house technology/method. The highest level assessment grouping is “All” participant reported qualitative results.

A breakdown of qualitative results reported by participants on each of the panel members within this EQA challenge / distribution is provided below. You can compare your results to those within your EQA assessment group and those obtained within other EQA assessment groups or to the overall consensus for each sample within this EQA challenge / distribution.


LPDNA18S-10 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)
LPDNA 18S-10	L. longbeachae	TM		Negative	EDUCATIONAL	91.5	153



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