CeliaSCAN

A host genetic HLA-DQ assay for Celiac Disease susceptibility

CeliaSCAN is an easy to use multiplex real-time PCR Assay and Melting Curve Analysis for the in vitro detection of strongly Celiac Disease-associated human leukocyte antigen (HLA)-DQ2.5, HLA-DQ2.2, and HLA-DQ8.



Unique features

- Fast and accurate assay with a turnaround time of 90 minutes
- Sensitivity and specificity of ~100%
- Distinction can be made between HLA DQ2.2 and HLA DQ2.5.
- Distinction between HLA DQ2.5 homozygotes from HLA DQ2.5 heterozygotes.
- Online software tool for the analysis of the results in seconds, therefore manual interpretation of results is no longer necessary, however manual interpretation possible following the IFU
- · 32 tests per kit
- CE-IVDD since 2017, CE-IVDR expected in May 2024, Indian FDA expected in September 2024

CeliaSCAN workflow



Collect a sample



Isolate DNA



Perform PCR & Melting-curve analysis



Online report in seconds



Follow up

Celiac Disease

Celiac Disease is an autoimmune disease caused by an inappropriate immune response to dietary gluten. 90% of patients with celiac disease express the HLA-DQ2.5 heterodimer. Of the remaining 10% most carry the HLA-DQ8 or HLA-DQ2.2 heterodimers. Absence of these heterodimers is a very strong negative predictor of celiac disease.

The worldwide diagnostic prevalence of celiac disease is approximately 1%, however most CD remains undetected and therefore the expected worldwide prevalence is expected to be around 8%.

HLA facts

90% of patients with celiac disease express the HLA-DQA1*05, HLA-DQB1*02 heterodimer (HLA-DQ2.5). Of the remaining 10% most carry the HLA-DQA1*03, HLA-DQB1*03:02 heterodimer (HLA-DQ8). Some of the patients with celiac disease express the HLA-DQA1*02, HLA-DQB1*02 heterodimer (HLA-DQ2.2).

Absence of these haplotypes is a strong negative predictor of celiac disease. Individuals homozygous for HLA-DQ2.5 have the highest genetic risk for developing celiac disease.

Experience

CeliaSCAN has been developed by a team of experts with more than 30 years of experience in Celiac Disease research, HLA-DQ genotyping and patient care under supervision of Prof. A. Salvador Peña who was bestowed a medal to become "Knight of the Order of the Netherlands Lion" in September, 2000 on his merits of his dedication in Celiac disease research and patient care.

More information

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