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Analysis Type: Qualitative **Dataset:** 513573

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Intended Results / Panel Composition

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	x Sample Relationships ^[1]	Detection Frequency ^[2]	Sample Status [3]	Percentage Correct (All) [4]	
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-01	MRSA N315	МНВ	DS1_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.0	98
MRSADNA21S-02	MRSA N315 + MSSA 29213	МНВ	-	Frequently Detected	CORE	95.9	98
MRSADNA21S-03	MSSA 29213 + MRCoNS 634	МНВ	-	Negative	EDUCATIONAL	65.3	98
MRSADNA21S-04	MRSA ST398	МНВ	DS2_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	96.9	98
MRSADNA21S-05	MRSA N315	МНВ	DS1_3	Detected	EDUCATIONAL	85.7	98
MRSADNA21S-06	MRSA N315 + MRCoNS 634	МНВ	-	Detected	CORE	91.8	98
MRSADNA21S-07	MRSA Negative	MHB	-	Negative	CORE	98.0	98
MRSADNA21S-08	MRSA mecC	МНВ	-	Detected	CORE	76.5	98
MRSADNA21S-09	MRSA N315	MHB	DS1_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.0	98
MRSADNA21S-10	MRSA ST398	MHB	DS2_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.0	98

[1] **Sample Relationships:** Indicates the relationships of the samples within this challenge. The highest titre member of dilution series DS1 is indicated by DS1_1 and further members of the series as DS1_2, DS1_3 etc. in order of reducing titre. Additional dilution series are indicated by DS2 (e.g DS2_1, DS2_2 etc.), DS3 (e.g. DS3_1, DS3_2 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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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	Detection Score	Reported Value	Unitage	Cycle Threshold
MRSADNA21S-01	99.0	Positive	0		N/A	29.78
MRSADNA21S-02	95.9	Positive	0		N/A	29.64
MRSADNA21S-04	96.9	Positive	0		N/A	31.67
MRSADNA21S-06	91.8	Positive	0		N/A	29.86
MRSADNA21S-07	98.0	Negative	0		N/A	-
MRSADNA21S-08	76.5	Positive	0		N/A	33.18
MRSADNA21S-09	98.0	Positive	0		N/A	25.63
MRSADNA21S-10	99.0	Positive	0		N/A	27.91

- [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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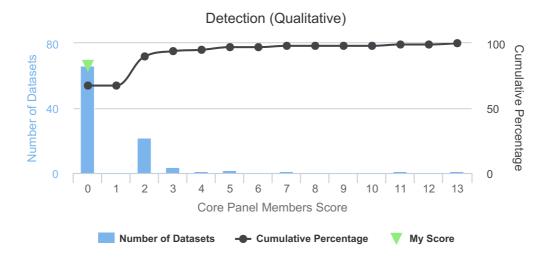


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Core Panel Member Score Breakdown



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 MRSA PCR Kit (v3)
Description	MRSA
Targets	B Staphylococcus aureus
Assays	 Extraction - Manual Extraction Process Commercial Kit Manufacturer: GeneProof Kit Type: PathogenFree DNA Isolation Kit Amplification - GeneProof - croBEE Real-Time PCR System Commercial Kit Manufacturer: GeneProof Kit Type: GeneProof MRSA PCR Kit Kit Version: ISEX

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Educational Panel Members Results

Sample Code	ample Code Qualitative Results				Your Quantitative Data (for information only) [1]			
	Percentage Correct (All) [2]	Your Result	Detection Score [4]	Reported Value	Unitage	Cycle Threshold		
MRSADNA21S-03	65.3	Negative	0		N/A	-		
MRSADNA21S-05	85.7	Positive	0		N/A	33.55		

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Further Programme Details

Number of Participants	103
Number of Countries	25
Number of Respondents	87
Number of Datasets Submitted	98
Qualitative Results Returned	98 (100.0%)

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Comments

The mecC resistance gene was first identified in mecA negative isolates from humans and cattle. In recent years, while the frequency of the mecC resistance mechanism remains low, the reported prevalence in both clinical and non-clinical samples has been increasing across Europe and as far afield as Australasia.

Although a clinical laboratory employing traditional methods such as antibiotic susceptibility testing would generally establish phenotypic methicillin resistance in mecC containing isolates, these isolates typically give negative results when conventional molecular methods targeting only the mecA gene are used. This can potentially hinder the diagnosis of MRSA infections.

As a result, an increasing number of molecular assays now incorporate primer / probe combinations that allow them to detect both mecA and mecC. This enables the laboratory to detect both resistance mechanisms as well as differentiate between mecA and mecC which can provide important epidemiological information.

Within the 2021 MRSA EQA Programme, panel member MRSADNA21S-08 contained mecC. Due to the importance of this emerging resistance gene in MRSA diagnostics, this panel member was considered by the EQA programme Scientific Expert group to be a 'core' panel member and will be scored as such within this and future EQA programmes.

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EQA Programme Aims

To assess the performance of laboratories in the detection of Methicillin Resistant Staphylococcus aureus.

Feedback and Enquiries

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

Any enquiries should be submitted through the 'Contact Us' form that you can find in the 'Help' section of your QCMD (ITEMS) Participant Profile Area.

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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)

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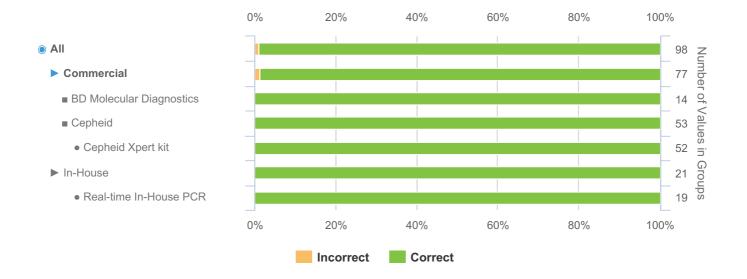
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MRSADNA21S-01 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage (All)	Correct
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-01	MRSA N315	МНВ	DS1_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.0	98

Qualitative



Groups below n=5: Abacus Diagnostica (n=1), Abacus Diagnostica - Abacus GenomeEra (n=1), Cepheid - Cepheid Xpert SCV2/FLU/RSV (n=1), Certest (n=1), Certest - Certest Real Time PCR (n=1), ELITech Group (n=1), ELITech Group - Elitech Elite Real Time kit (n=1), GeneProof (n=1), GeneProof - GeneProof Real Time PCR kit (n=1), Immundiagnostik (n=1), Immundiagnostik - Immundiagnostik MutaPLEX (n=1), Progenie Molecular (n=1), Progenie Molecular - Progenie Molecular RealCycler (n=1), R-Biopharm (n=3), R-Biopharm - R-Biopharm RIDA Gene (n=3), Vitassay (n=1), Vitassay - Vitassay Real-Time PCR (n=1), In-House - Conventional In-House PCR (n=2)

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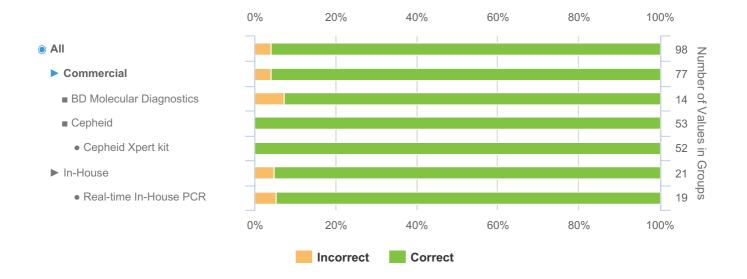
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MRSADNA21S-02 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (Al	
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-02	MRSA N315 + MSSA 29213	МНВ	-	Frequently Detected	CORE	95.9	98



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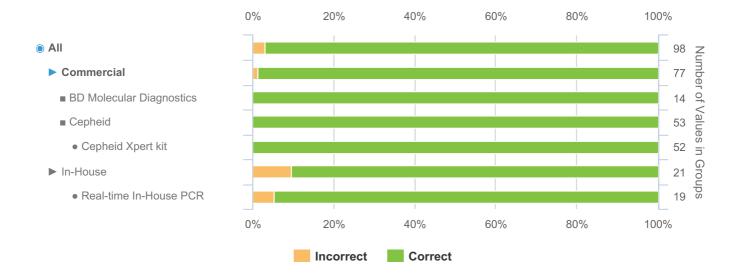
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MRSADNA21S-04 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage (All)	Correct
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-04	MRSA ST398	MHB	DS2_2	Frequently Detected	CORE	96.9	98



Groups below n=5: Abacus Diagnostica (n=1), Abacus Diagnostica - Abacus GenomeEra (n=1), Cepheid - Cepheid Xpert SCV2/FLU/RSV (n=1), Certest (n=1), Certest (n=1), Certest - Certest Real Time PCR (n=1), ELITech Group (n=1), ELITech Group - Elitech Elite Real Time kit (n=1), GeneProof (n=1), GeneProof - GeneProof Real Time PCR kit (n=1), Immundiagnostik (n=1), Immundiagnostik - Immundiagnostik MutaPLEX (n=1), Progenie Molecular (n=1), Progenie Molecular - Progenie Molecular RealCycler (n=1), R-Biopharm (n=3), R-Biopharm - R-Biopharm RIDA Gene (n=3), Vitassay - Vitassay - Vitassay Real-Time PCR (n=1), In-House - Conventional In-House PCR (n=2)

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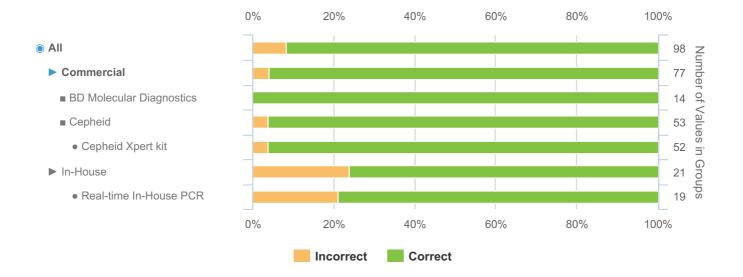
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MRSADNA21S-06 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentag Correct (A	
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-06	MRSA N315 + MRCoNS 634	МНВ	-	Detected	CORE	91.8	98



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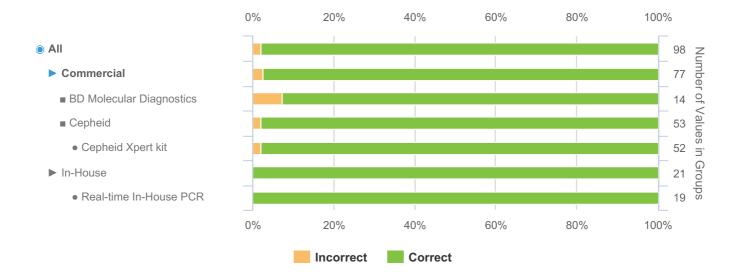
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MRSADNA21S-07 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Ships Frequency		Percentage (All)	Correct
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-07	MRSA Negative	MHB	-	Negative	CORE	98.0	98



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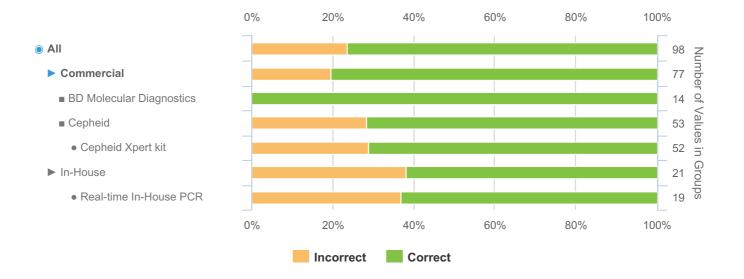
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MRSADNA21S-08 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage (All)	Correct
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-08	MRSA mecC	МНВ	-	Detected	CORE	76.5	98



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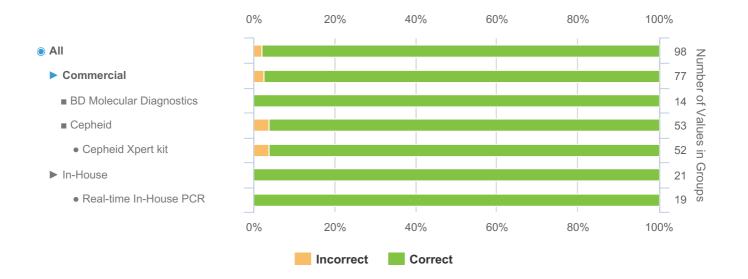
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MRSADNA21S-09 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status		
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-09	MRSA N315	МНВ	DS1_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	98.0	98



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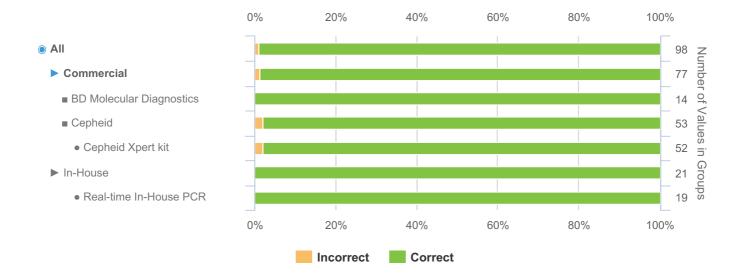
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MRSADNA21S-10 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status	Percentage Correct (AII)	
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-10	MRSA ST398	МНВ	DS2_1	Frequently Detected	CORE	99.0	98



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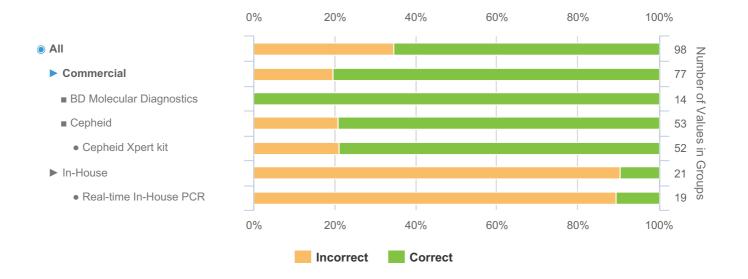
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MRSADNA21S-03 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency	Sample Status		Percentage Correct (All)	
						(%)	(n)	
MRSADNA21S-03	MSSA 29213 + MRCoNS 634	МНВ	-	Negative	EDUCATIONAL	65.3	98	



Groups below n=5: Abacus Diagnostica (n=1), Abacus Diagnostica - Abacus GenomeEra (n=1), Cepheid - Cepheid Xpert SCV2/FLU/RSV (n=1), Certest (n=1), Certest (n=1), Certest - Certest Real Time PCR (n=1), ELITech Group (n=1), ELITech Group - Elitech Elite Real Time kit (n=1), GeneProof (n=1), GeneProof - GeneProof Real Time PCR kit (n=1), Immundiagnostik (n=1), Immundiagnostik - Immundiagnostik MutaPLEX (n=1), Progenie Molecular (n=1), Progenie Molecular - Progenie Molecular RealCycler (n=1), R-Biopharm (n=3), R-Biopharm - R-Biopharm RIDA Gene (n=3), Vitassay - Vitassay - Vitassay Real-Time PCR (n=1), In-House - Conventional In-House PCR (n=2)

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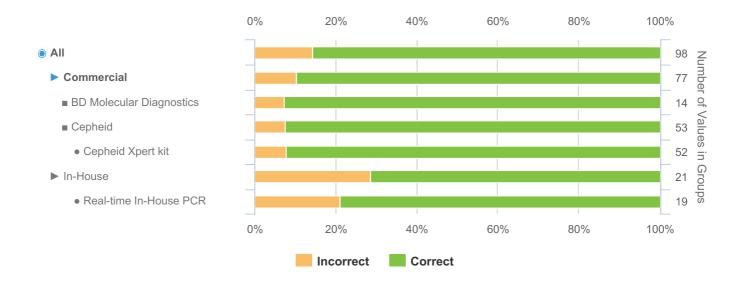
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MRSADNA21S-05 - Qualitative Results Breakdown

Sample Code	Sample Content	Matrix	Sample Relationships	Detection Frequency		Percentage Correct (A	
						(%)	(n)
MRSADNA21S-05	MRSA N315	МНВ	DS1_3	Detected	EDUCATIONAL	85.7	98



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Groups Rolled Up: BD Molecular Diagnostics - BD MAX (n=14)

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