

COST OF TEST (vat incl.)

Routine DNA Profile:	R235 – South Africa Parentage verification is performed at no additional cost. Both parents must be profiled for parentage verification and their profiles must be available on the VGL database.
Special DNA Profile:	Bone samples: R1000

COLLECTION AND DISPATCH OF SAMPLES

For blood samples: Collect 1 sample from each horse. Please use EDTA (purple stopper tubes) and label clearly with the horse name as indicated on the form.

For hair samples: Locate the coarsest hairs you can find (preferably mane or tail). Hold the hairs close to the skin and pull. Important: **DO NOT CUT HAIRS**. Visually inspect the hairs for intact roots. Enclose at least 20-40 strands of dry hair in an envelope. Label each individual envelope with the name of the animal sampled.

Please note: Test results will only be made available after receipt of all relevant samples and full payment. To ensure confidentiality the laboratory will not provide results by phone. One copy of the results will be sent to the owner as named in the upper left hand corner. Please indicate the preferred method for sending results.

An International DNA typing certificate can be issued at the request of the appropriate registering authority and may be subject to an additional charge of **R80**.

Samples should be sent in by the most rapid means possible. Avoid sending samples late in the week or prior to statutory holidays. Samples can be sent by:

Courier to: Veterinary Genetics Laboratory
Faculty of Veterinary Science
University of Pretoria
Soutpan Road
Onderstepoort

Speed Service to: Veterinary Genetics Laboratory
Private Bag x04
Onderstepoort
0110

NO TESTING WILL BE DONE UNTIL FULL PAYMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED. Please ensure that the proof of payment is attached to the request form when submitting samples!

Include a cheque payable to the University of Pretoria for the applicable amount or deposit in the following account:

Bank: ABSA
Account number: 2140000038
Branch: 335545 (Hatfield)
Reference: Owner's name and AB916
Fax deposit slip to (012) 529 8310