

COST OF TEST (vat incl.) (Please note the price difference depending on the sample type):

Routine DNA Profile:	R195 (Hair sample) or R225 (Blood sample) Parentage verification is performed at no additional cost. Both parents must be profiled for parentage verification and their profiles must be available on the OPVGL database. Previously profiled animals need not be retested.
Re sample:	R195 when samples were submitted where we are not able to obtain a profile from the sample, hair samples submitted without hair roots.
Special case:	R300 – to determine unknown parent / parents /unknown horse
Special DNA Profile:	Bone samples: R1000

COLLECTION OF SAMPLES:

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.

Hair samples (Preferred sample): 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. One copy of the results will be sent to the owner as indicated above.

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**.

BREED DETAILS:

BREED	Do you require details to be sent to registering authority? Yes/No If yes, please complete the permission section below.
Breed Registry Details	

PERMISSION (to provide information to a registering body):

I, _____ (Name in full) agree to allow the Veterinary Genetics Laboratory to provide DNA numbers and parentage results, pertaining to (Name of horse /s) _____, to the registering body for the breed specified.

Signed: _____ on _____.

ACCOUNT INFORMATION:

Owner/ Company _____

Address: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____ Cell: _____

E-mail: _____

VAT number: _____

NO TESTING WILL BE DONE UNTIL FULL PAYMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED.

PLEASE EMAIL PROOF OF PAYMENT TO: vglpayments@gmail.com

Direct deposits may be made into the following account (Please send the proof of payment with the samples or via email – the samples will not be tested without proof of payment):

Bank:	ABSA
Account number:	2140000038
Branch:	335545 (Hatfield)
Reference:	Owner's name and AB916

Stored samples: The samples will be stored indefinitely in the reference library of the VGL. Every effort will be made to ensure that the samples are maintained in the condition submitted. All samples are kept on behalf of the "owner" as specified in the space provided. Samples will only be used as specified by the "owner" on this form unless ceded to the VGL or other party in writing by the owner. If a request for use of the samples arises in the future or the owner requests further testing, this request must be made in writing and the permission of the "owner" obtained.

DISPATCH OF SAMPLES:

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
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