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UNIQUE IDENTIFIER FOR BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES

Title (de)

EINZIGARTIGER IDENTIFIZIERER FÜR BIOLOGISCHE PROBEN

Title (fr)

IDENTIFICATEUR UNIQUE POUR ECHANTILLONS BIOLOGIQUES

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[origin: WO9943855A1] The present invention provides a method for internal labelling of a biological sample by which the sample is identifiably linked to its source and other relevant information, based on the polymorphisms inherent in the sample itself. A set of polymorphisms in the sample is detected, and the resulting data is used as a unique identifier which is then used to identify the sample. This unique identifier can also be used to identify the source of the sample, and any other relevant information.

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