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Development of targeted GBS panels for breeding and parentage applications in dogs

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Background

- We recognize that there is a need for a robust, repeatable, and unambiguous workflow needed for canine parentage and genetic trait testing.
- We developed two targeted sequencing panels, one for canine parentage/ID verification and one for canine genetic defect/trait identification.
 - The AgriSeq Canine SNP Parentage & ID Panel
 - The AgriSeq Canine Traits & Disorders Panel
- Utilizes the AgriSeq workflow

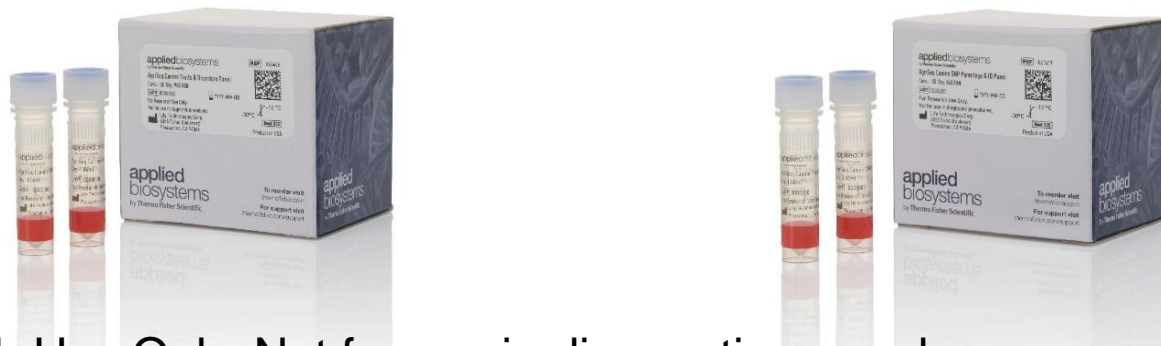
Panels

- Evaluated performance of two panels:
 - 1. **AgriSeq Canine SNP Parentage and ID Panel*** (A43407)- 381 markers

Panel	SNPs	MNPs	Insertions	Deletions
Parentage & ID	379	0	0	2

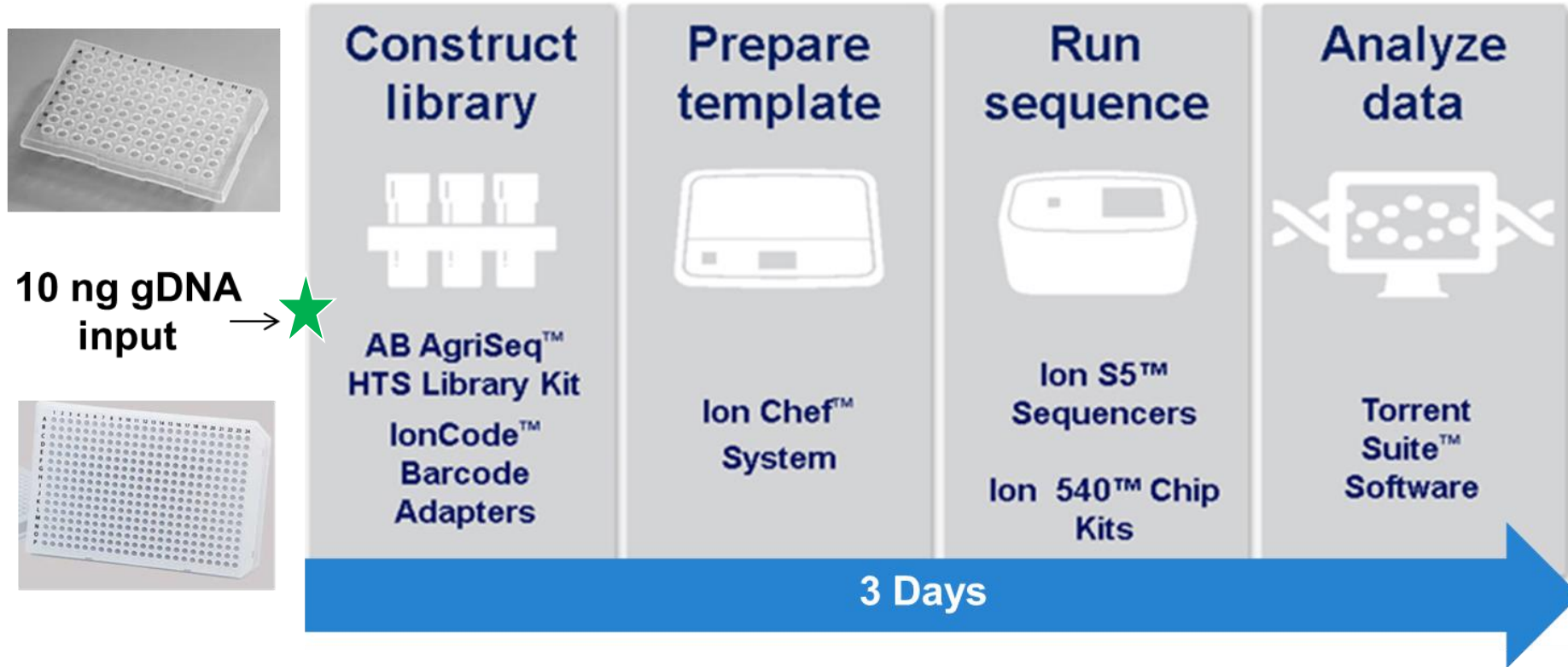
- 2. **AgriSeq Canine Traits and Disorders Panel*** (A43406)- 154 markers

Panel	SNPs	MNPs	Insertions	Deletions
Traits & Disorders	97	6	13	38



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AgriSeq Sequencing Workflow



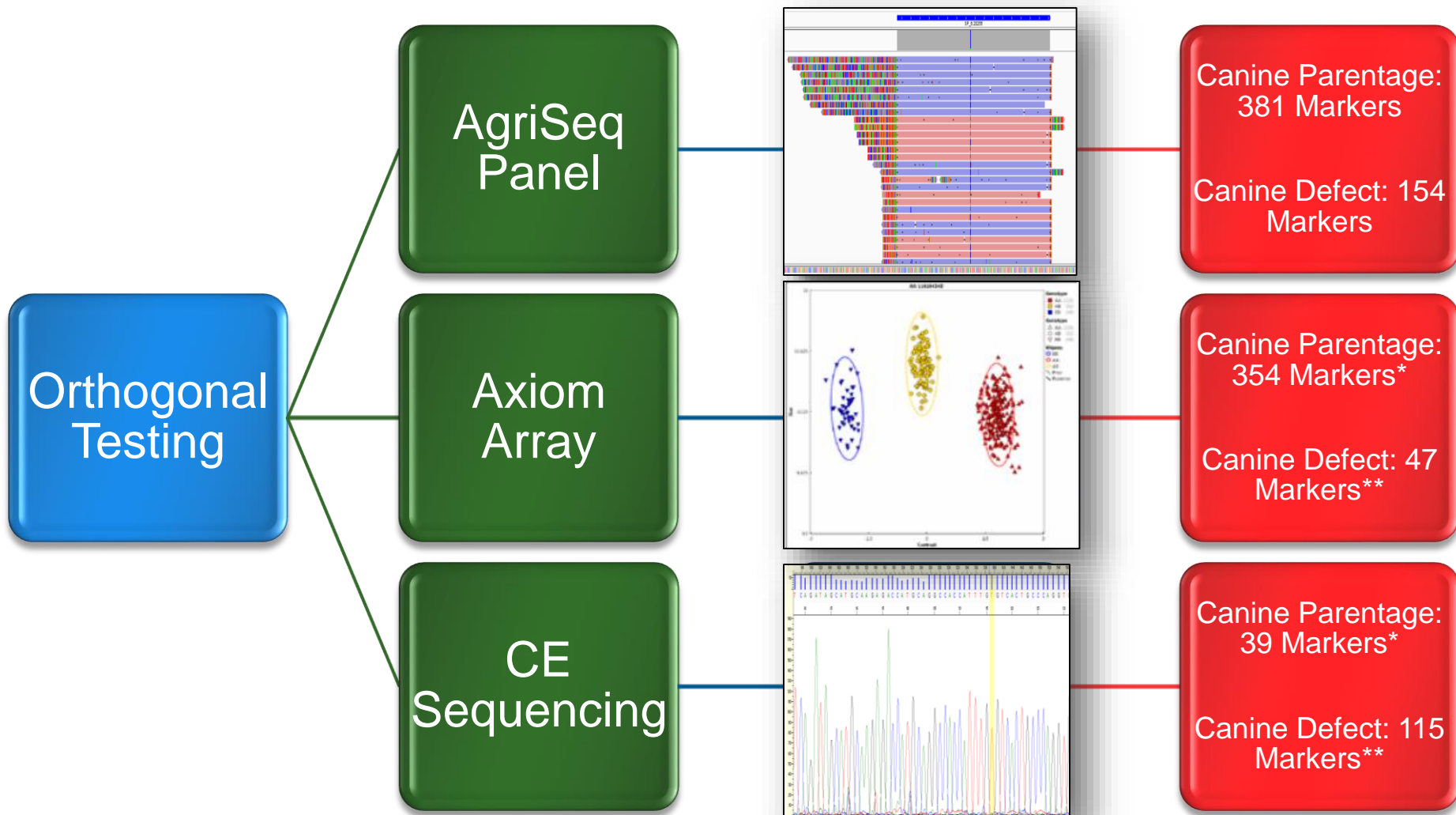
★ AgriSeq Canine SNP Parentage & ID Panel and/or AgriSeq Canine Traits & Disorders Panel addition.

- Three general experiments were performed to validate performance of each of the canine panels.
 - 1. Orthogonal Testing ⇒ Evaluation of panel accuracy.
 - 2. Robustness Testing ⇒ Evaluation of panel consistency.
 - 3. Field Sample Testing ⇒ Evaluation of panel performance.

Experiment 1: Orthogonal Testing

- Purpose: To confirm that genotypes generated with the AgriSeq workflow were accurate by testing with a separate, orthogonal technology.

Orthogonal Testing Workflow- Canine Parentage & ID



Canine Parentage: *12 markers were tested with both the Axiom Array and CE Sequencing.

Canine Defect: **8 markers were tested with both the Axiom Array and CE Sequencing.

Canine Parentage and ID Orthogonal Testing

- Of the 381 markers tested, >99% of genotype calls were concordant with AgriSeq calls.
- *3 discordant markers by Array were tested by CE. CE Results for these markers matched AgriSeq results.

Orthogonal Method	# Concordant Markers to GBS	# Discordant Markers to GBS	# No Calls	Concordance
CE Sequencing	36	0	3	>99%
Axiom Array	349	3*	2	

Canine Traits & Disorders Orthogonal Testing

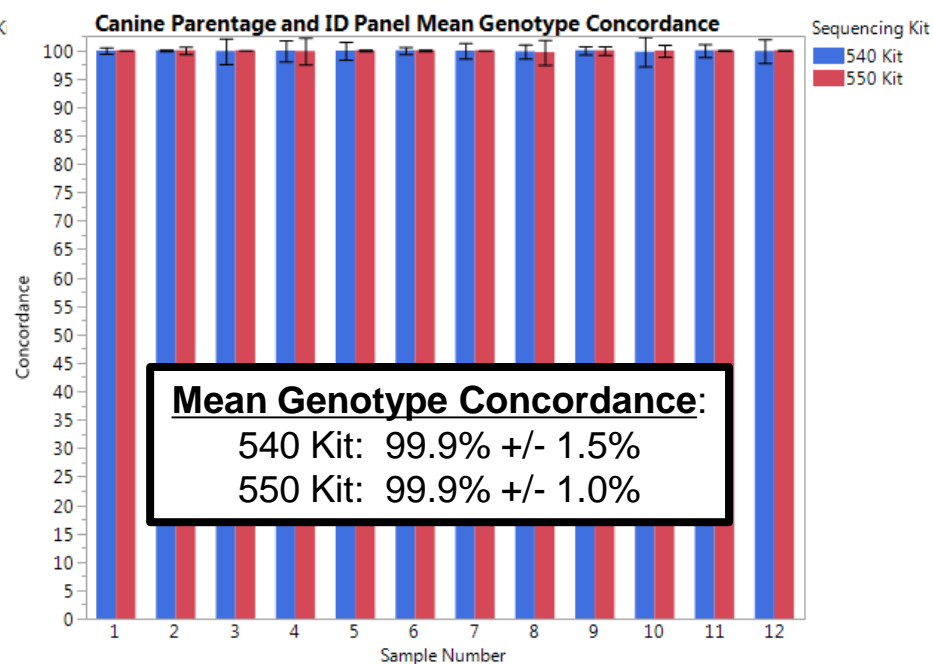
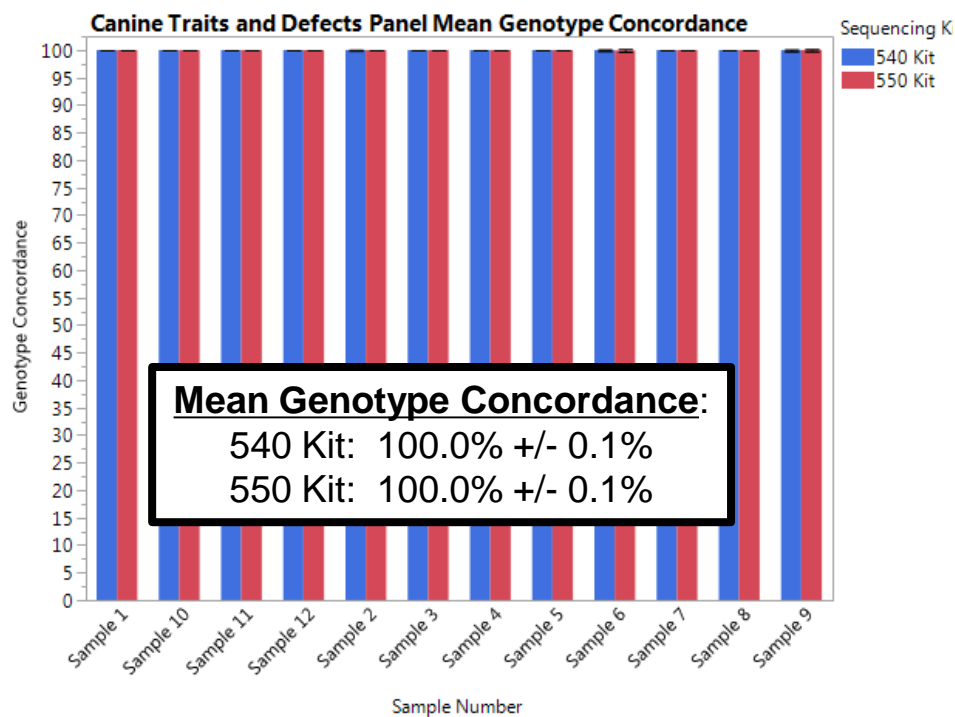
- 5 markers that were unable to be genotyped by CE testing due to poor sequencing quality and were omitted from calculations
- Of the 149 markers that were able to be genotyped by an orthogonal method, concordance to the AgriSeq workflow was 100%.

Orthogonal Method	# Concordant Markers to GBS	# Discordant Markers to GBS	# No Calls	Concordance
CE Sequencing Only	102	0	5	100%
Axiom Array Only	39	0	0	
Both CE and Array	8	0	0	

- Purpose: To test workflow robustness and genotype call consistency through multiple replicate reactions of a panel of samples.
 - 12 DNA samples were tested in replicates of $n=64$ using the AgriSeq workflow for a total of 768 barcoded libraries.
 - Each library pool was sequenced twice on a 540 and 550 chip.

Repeatability and Reproducibility

- Replicate genotype concordance was calculated.
- Both panels had $\geq 99.9\%$ replicate concordance for all sequencing chips.

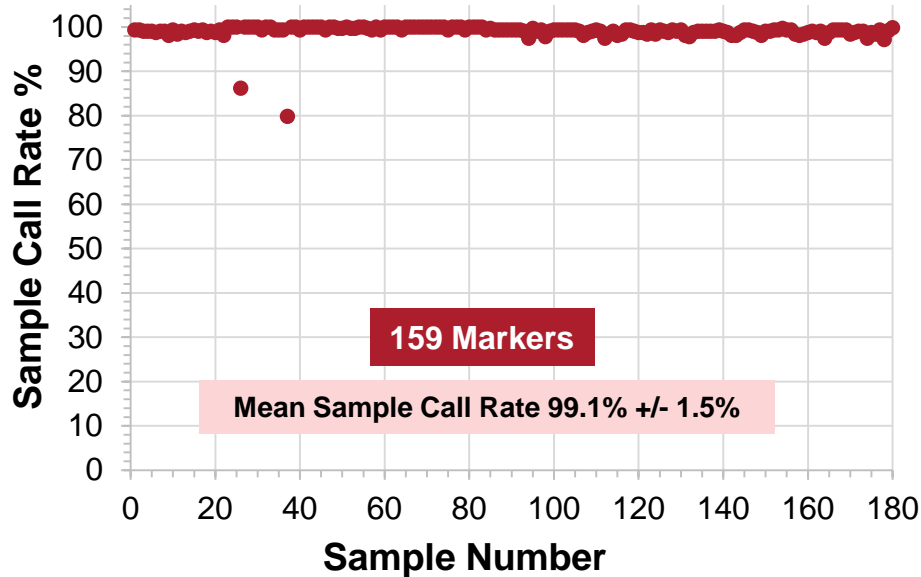


- Purpose: To determine panel performance with a diverse set of sample.
 - Tested panel of 180 samples (oral swabs) in replicates (n=2) with each panel of the AgriSeq workflow.
 - 1ng/rxn DNA was input into library prep.

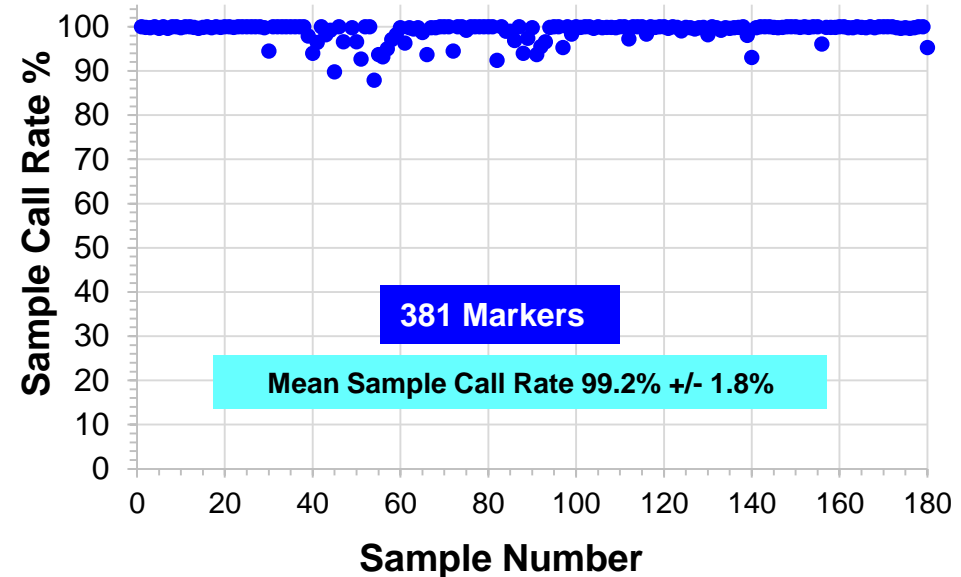
Sample Call Rates

- ≥ 180 diverse canine oral swab DNA field samples with the AgriSeq workflow.
- The mean call rate for the Canine Trait/Disorders panel was 99.1% and the mean call rate for the Canine Parentage panel was 99.2%.

**Canine Traits/Disorder
Field Sample Call Rate**

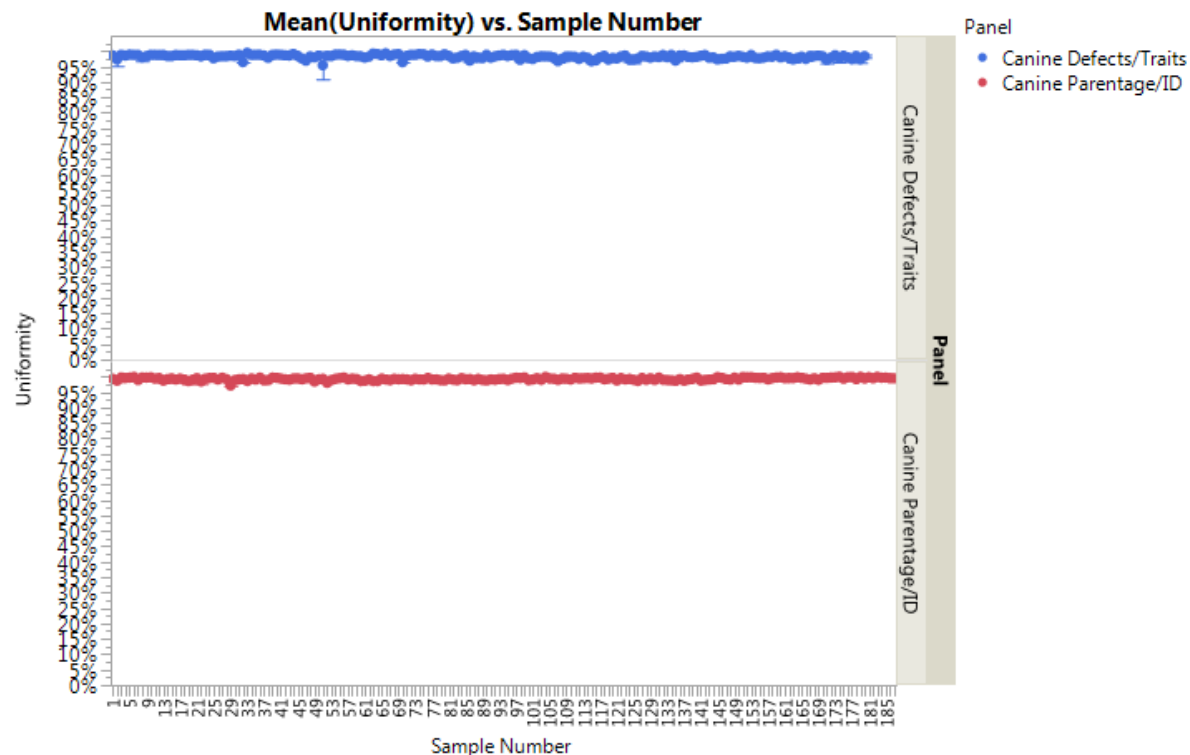


**Canine Parentage ID
Field Sample Call Rate**



Read Uniformity

- Read uniformity measures how evenly you are covering target amplicons with reads.
- Low uniformity (<90%) can lead to marker drop-off and poor call rates.
- The mean read uniformity for both panels was excellent, even when testing a set of very diverse field samples (>98%).



Panel	Mean Uniformity	stdev
Canine Parentage/ID	99.3%	0.4%
Canine Trait/Defect	98.2%	0.7%

Conclusions

- AgriSeq library prep kit and canine GBS panels combine into a robust and efficient workflow for canine genotyping applications.
- Orthogonal Concordance ≥ 99.9
- Mean Field Sample Call Rate $\geq 99\%$
- Replicate Genotype Concordance $\geq 99.9\%$



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