

**SATREPS**

**The Project for Control of tuberculosis and glanders:**

# **Study on Zoonotic tuberculosis**

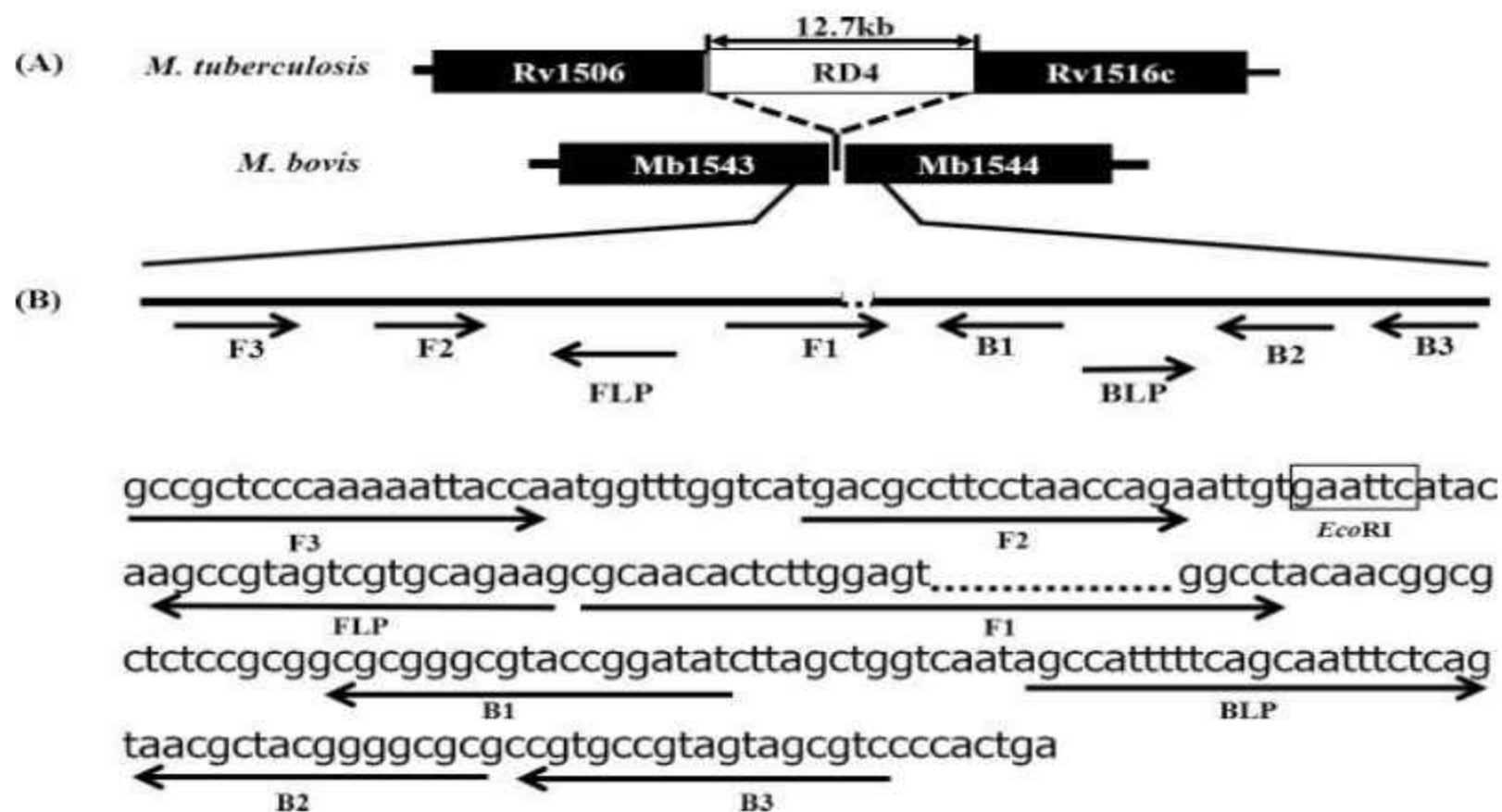
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# Development of LAMP method method for the detection of bovine tuberculosis

## Primers used for LAMP

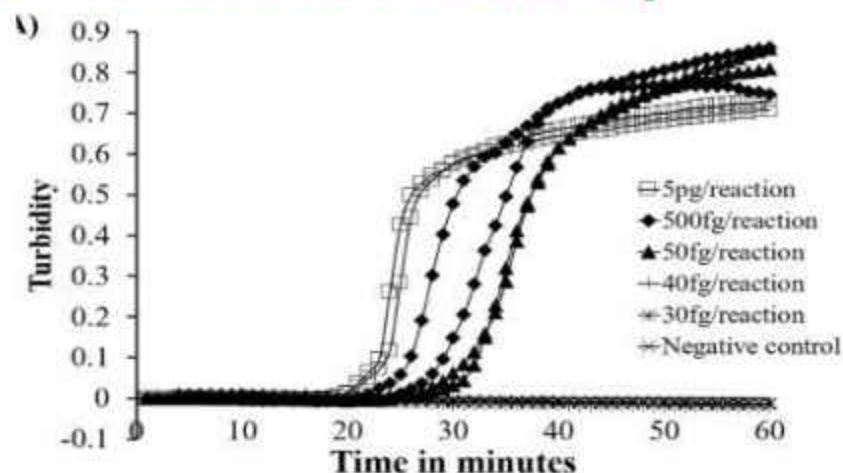


→ Primer sets were designed targeting Region of Difference 4 which is specifically deleted in *M. bovis*

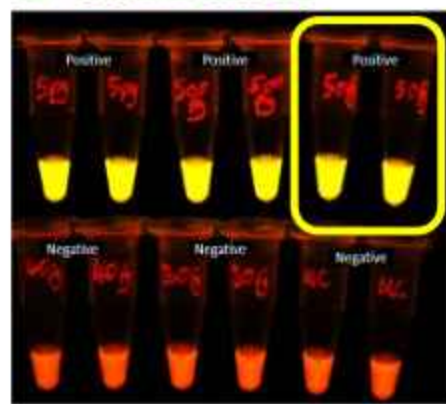


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## A. Trend of turbidity



## B Results

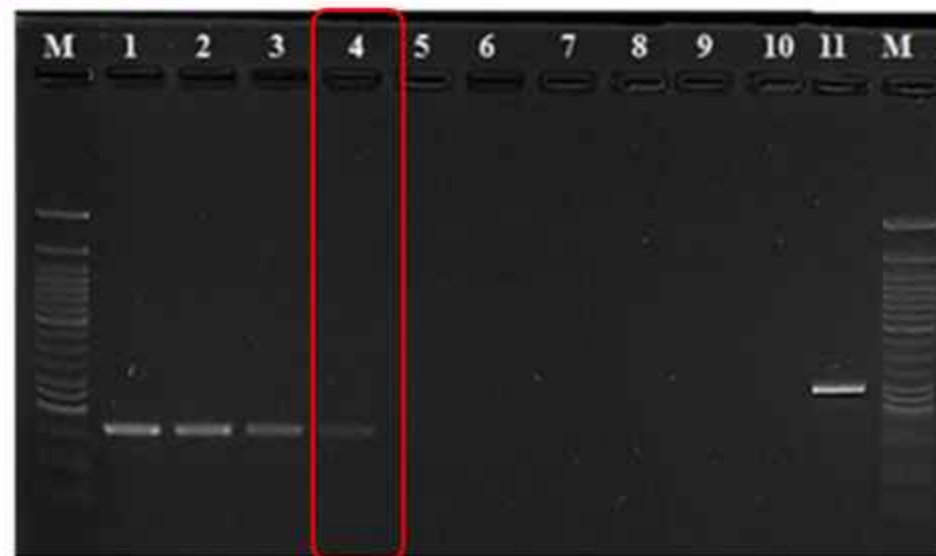


Under LED lamp



Under day light

## C. PCR



Lane M, 50bp DNA marker; lanes 1 – 9, *M. bovis* BCG Tokyo 172 genomic DNA 500pg, 50pg, 20pg, 5pg, 500fg, 50fg, 40fg, 30fg, 20fg/reaction; lane 10, Negative Control; lane 11, *M. tuberculosis* H37Rv. (Bakshi et al., 2005)

→ This method can detect up to 50 fg of DNA (equivalent to 10 *M. bovis*), which is about 100 times more sensitive than the conventional method (PCR).

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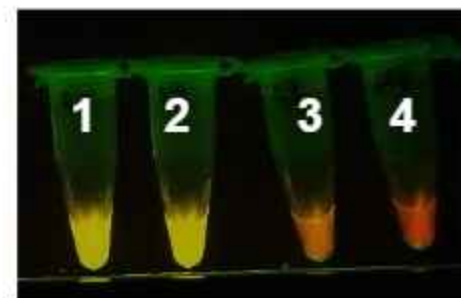
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Automated



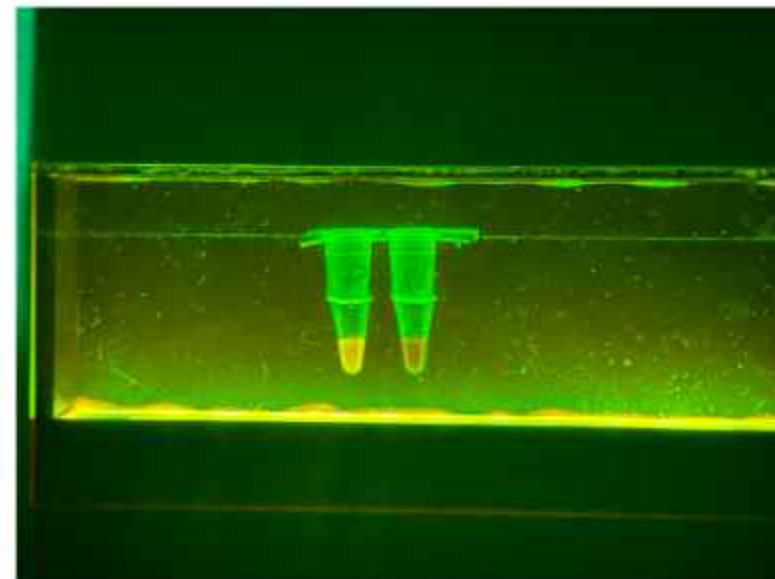
Technique for automated production of dried LAMP kit for *M. bovis* detection was transferred to two trainee from IVM at IIZC (Dec, 2023).



1, 2: Pos, 3, 4: Neg

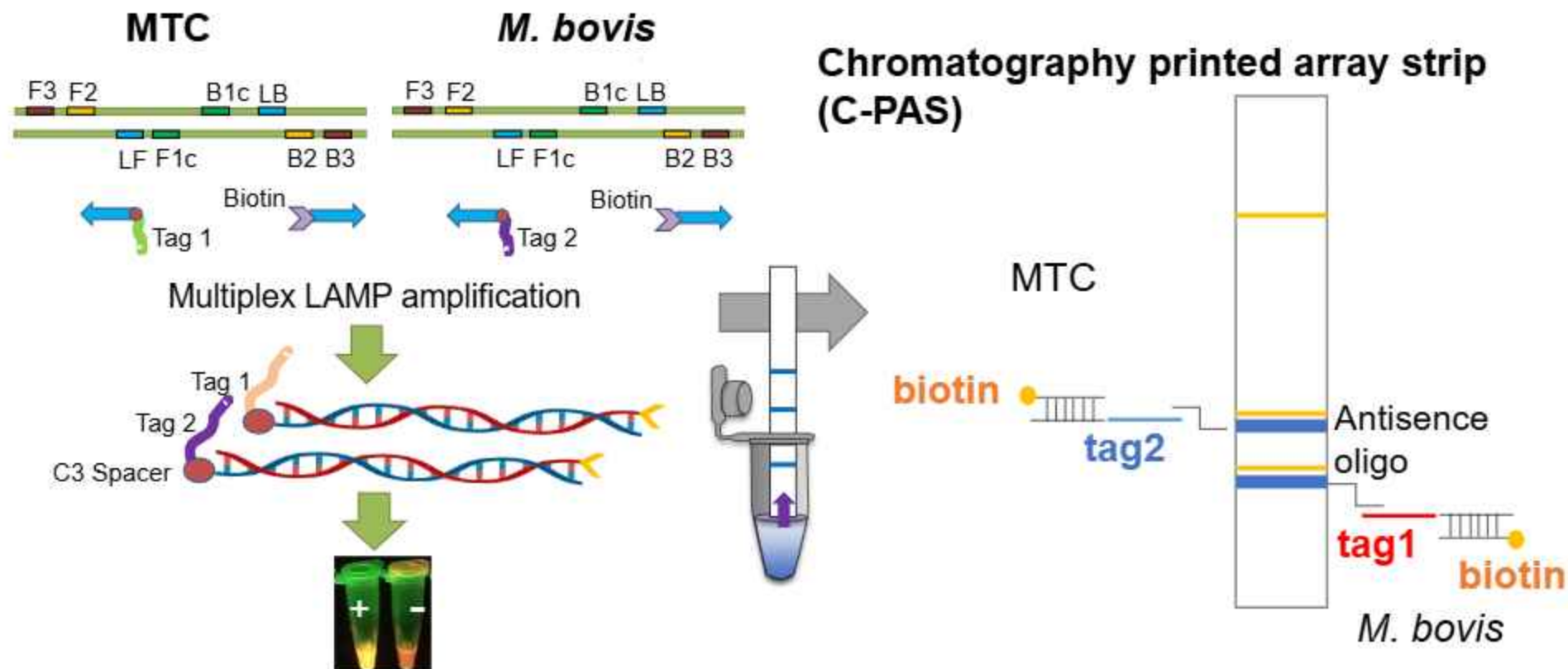


# MTBC LAMP training



Training for the detection of *M. bovis* by dry LAMP method was held at IVM (August 8, 2023)

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➤ Multiplex amplicons **indistinguishable by fluorescence**

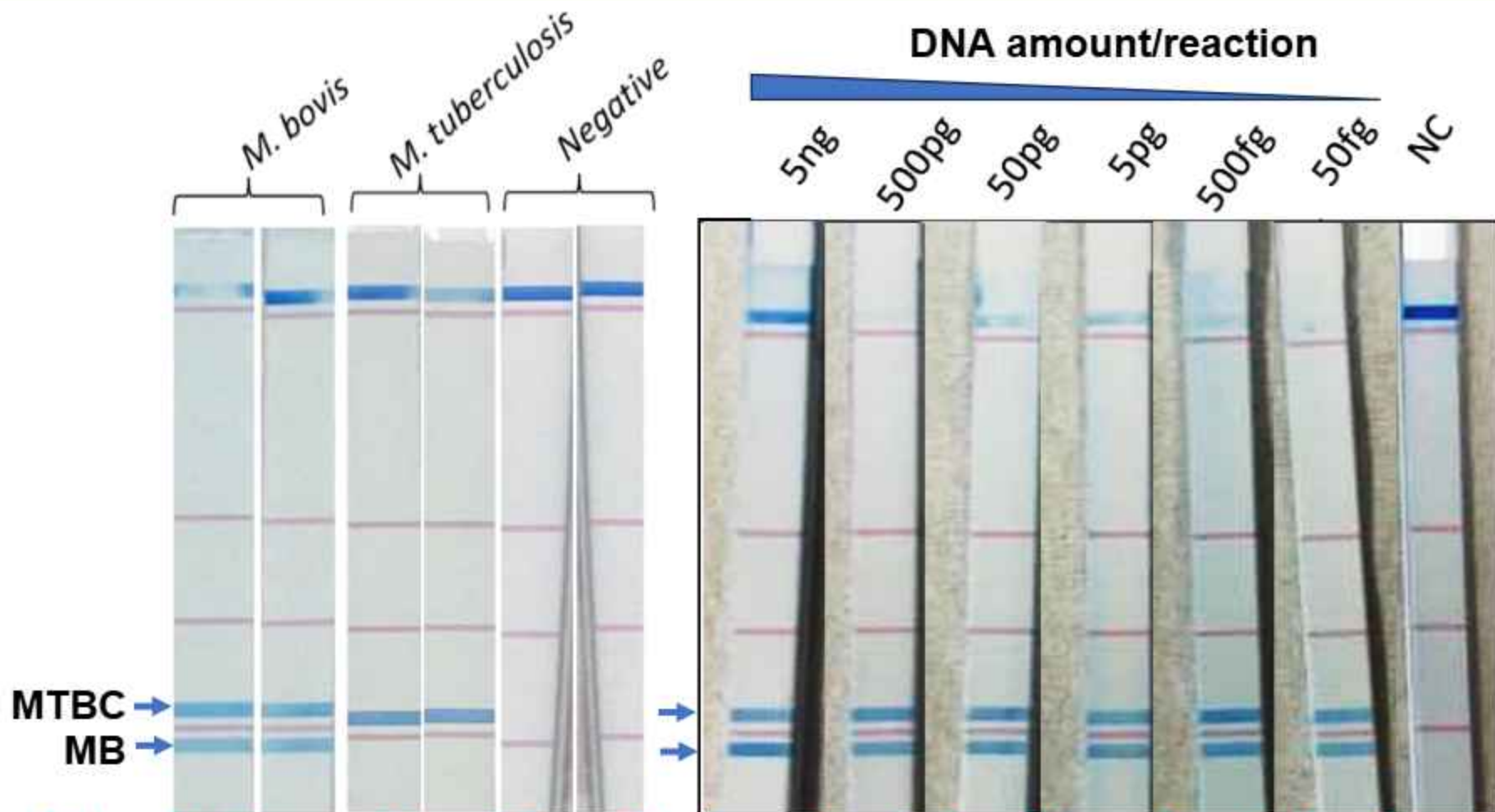
➤ **Simultaneous identification of multiplexed amplicons**

➤ Simple with limited materials

→ **Method for the differentiation of *M. bovis* from other MTC by LAMP-DNA chromatography was designed.**



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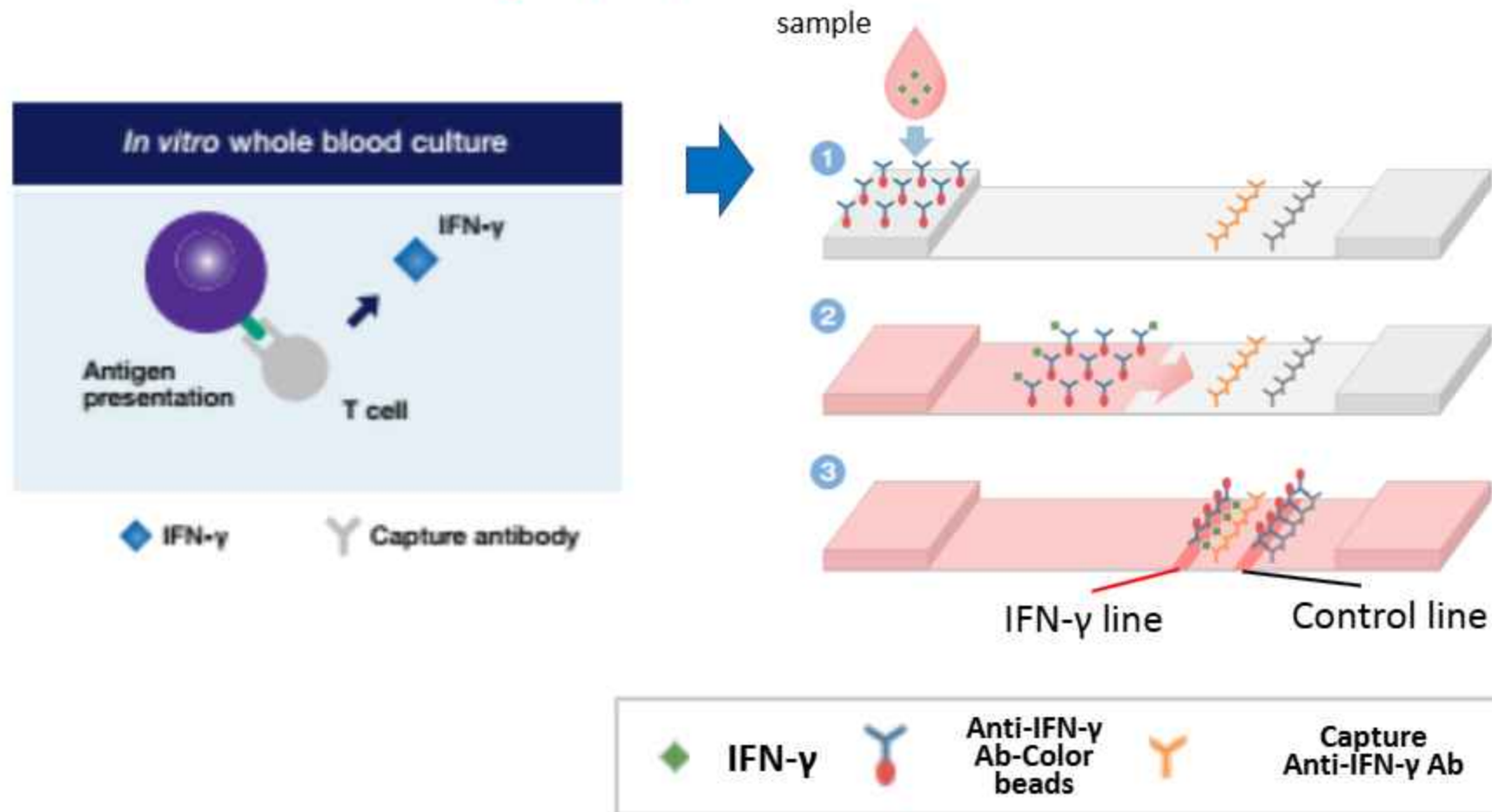


**Dipstick method for *M. bovis* detection to detect 10 bacilli/reaction was successfully established and packed into contamination safe cassette.**



# Development of immunological methods for bovine tuberculosis diagnosis

→ Final goal is Development of semi-quantitative IFN- $\gamma$  immunochromatography



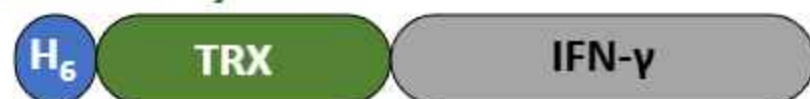
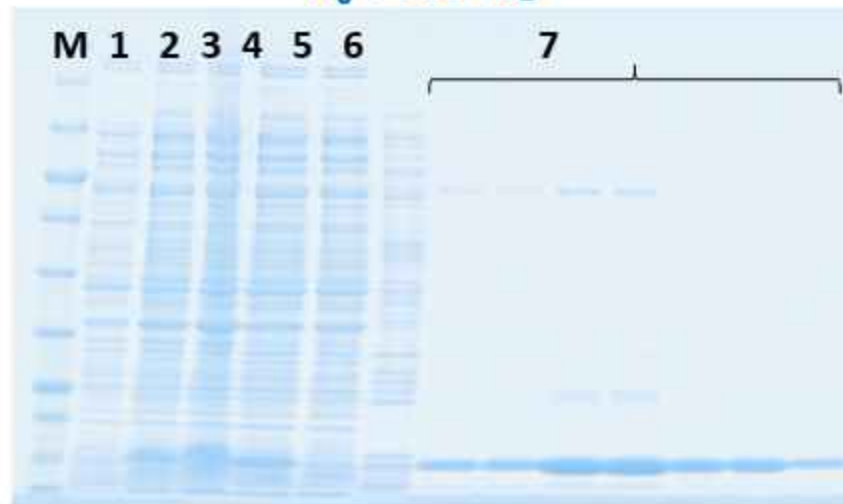


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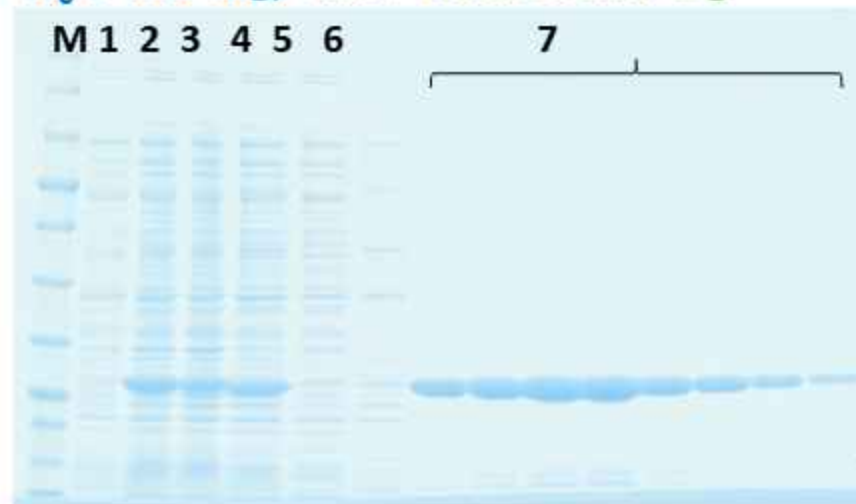
Expression and purification of recombinant IFN- $\gamma$  using *E. coli* expression system



H<sub>6</sub> : His-tag



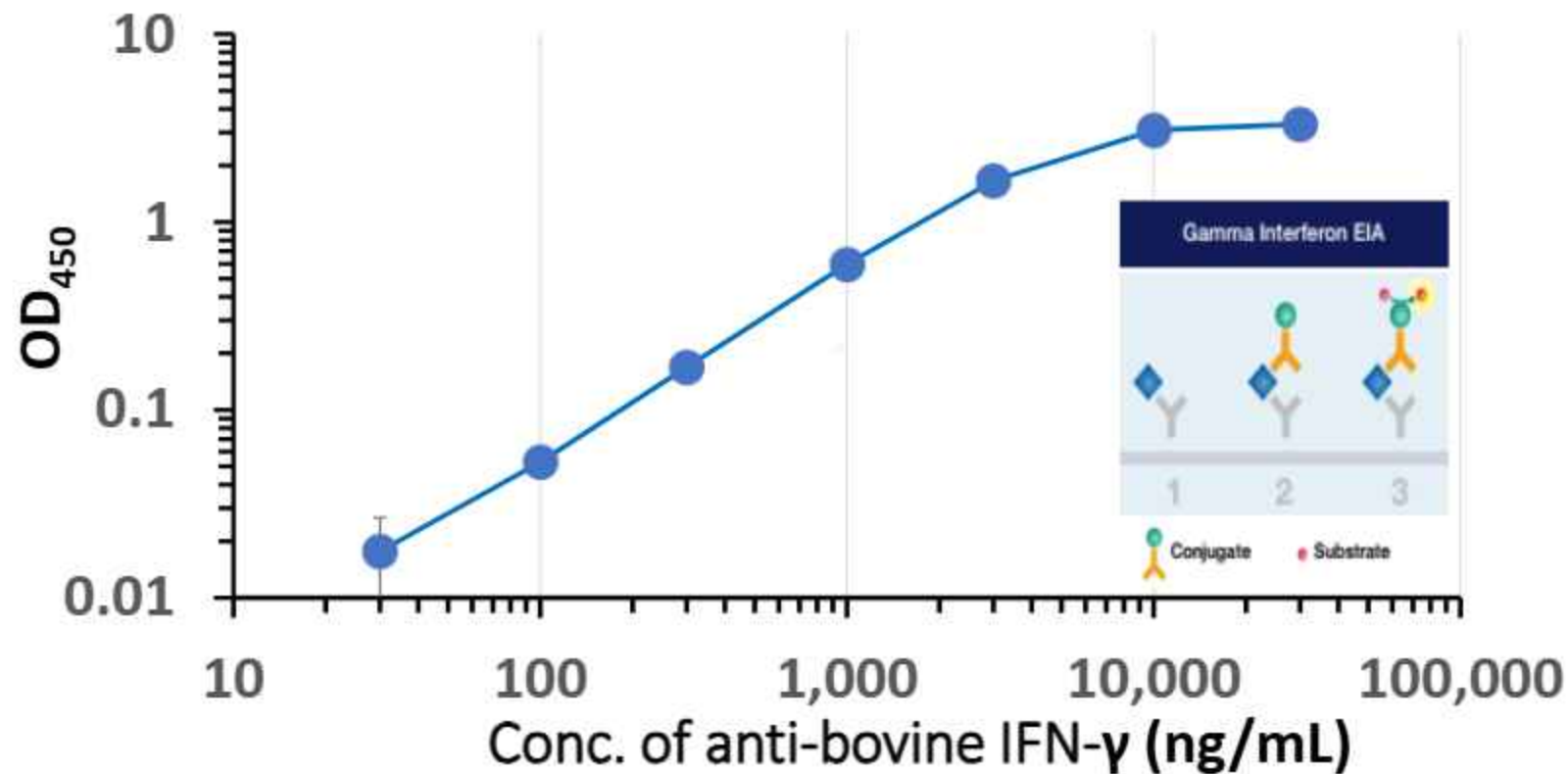
H<sub>6</sub> : His-tag, TRX : thioredoxin-tag



M:MW marker , 1 : IPTG(-) , 2 : IPTG(+) , 3: sup after sonication and centrifugation, 5 : pellet after sonication and centrifugation, 6 : Ni-column pass, 7 : imidasol eluates

→ We succeeded mass production and purification of two types of recombinant cattle, sheep, goat and camel IFN- $\gamma$  with different tags. Preparation of antiserum is in progress.

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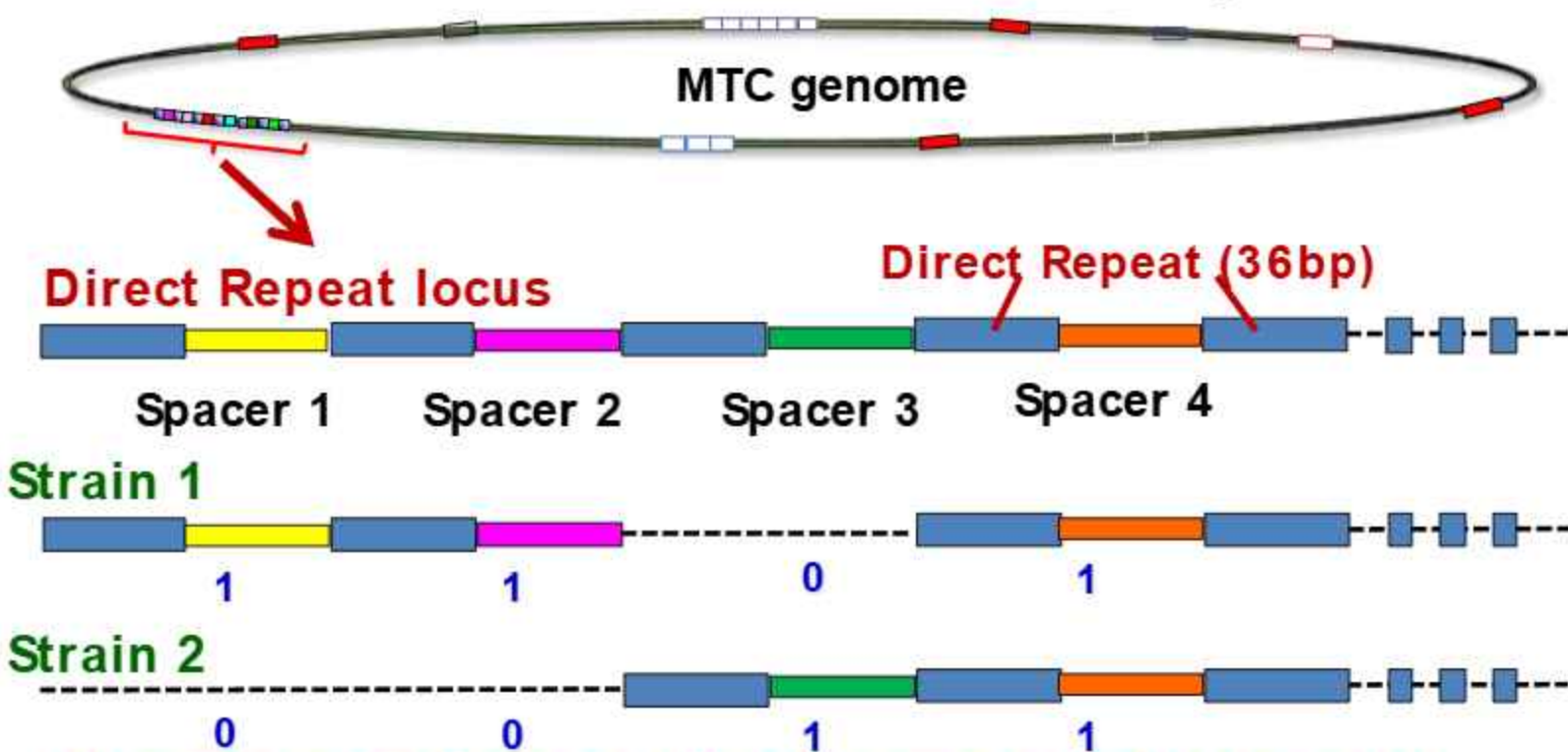


→ The IFN- $\gamma$  assay sensitive as low as 100 ng/mL by utilizing anti-cattle IFN- $\gamma$  antibody affinity purified from sera of rabbit immunized by recombinant His-tagged anti-bovine-IFN- $\gamma$  is ready for use.



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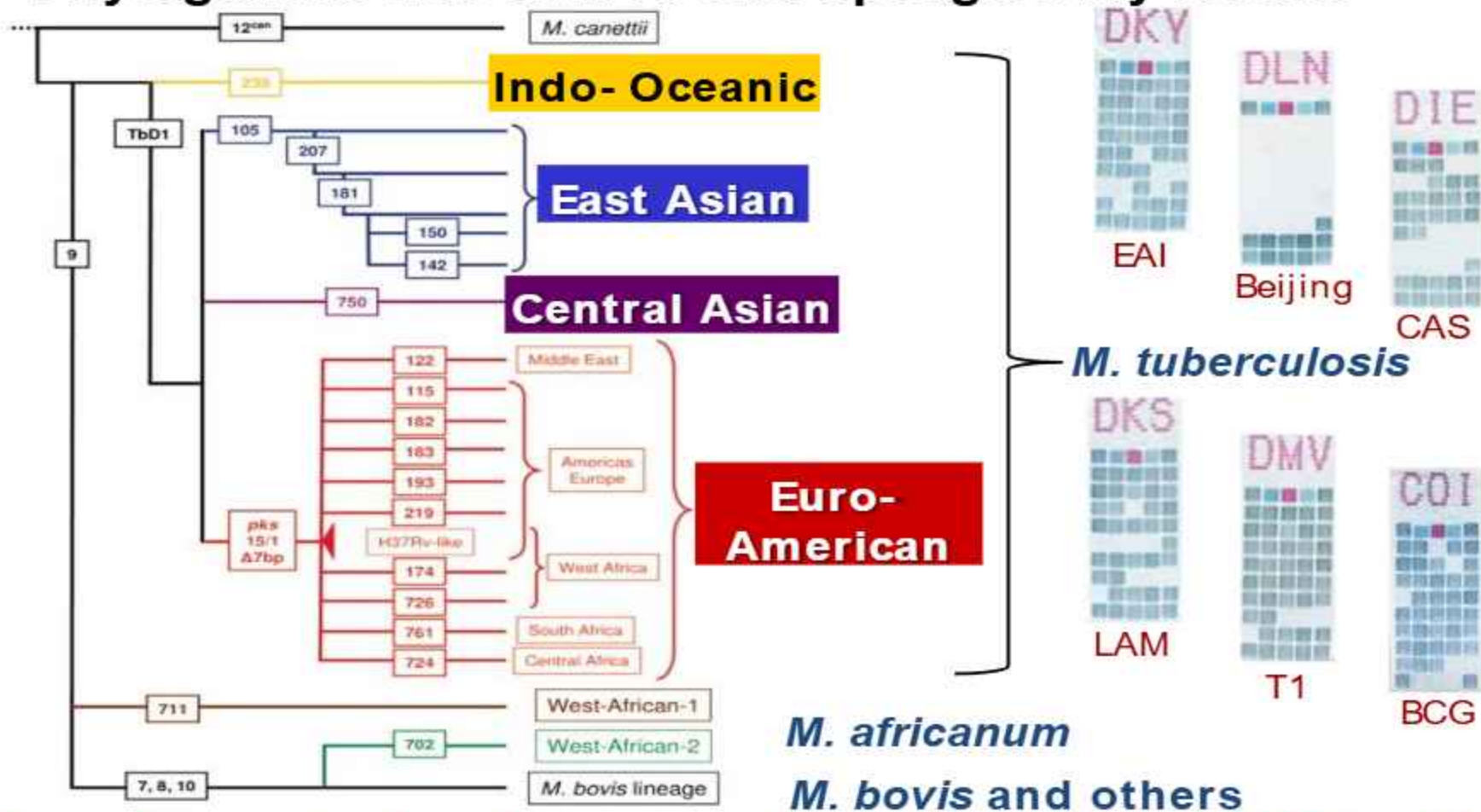
**Characterization of direct repeat loci can give digitalized genotype**





# Introduction of simple and low cost genotyping method of *M. tuberculosis* complex

## Phylogenetic tree of MTC and SpoligoArray results



SPoligo Array technology was transferred to IVM for the genotyping of Mongolian MTBC isolates

**Thank you very much**

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