

Supplementary Information

Parasite-derived circulating microRNAs as biomarkers for the detection of human *Schistosoma japonicum* infection

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Supplementary Tables

Supplementary Table 1. Twenty-one miRNAs selected based on studies of schistosome circulating and extracellular vesicles/exosomes associated miRNAs.

Target miRNA	Sequence [#]	Ref
bantam	TGAGATCGCGATTAAAGCTGGT	(Cheng <i>et al.</i> , 2013; Hoy <i>et al.</i> , 2014; Meningher <i>et al.</i> , 2017; Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-277	TAAATGCATTTCTGGCCCGT	(Cai <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Hoy <i>et al.</i> , 2014; Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-3479-3p	TATTGCACTTACCTTCGCCCTG	(Cai <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Cheng <i>et al.</i> , 2013; Hoy <i>et al.</i> , 2014; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-125b	TCCCTGAGACTGATAATTGCTC	(Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a)
miR-125a	TCCCTGAGACCCTTGATTGCC	(Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018)
miR-61	TGACTAGAAAGTGCACTCACCTC	(Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-2b-5p	CGTCTCAAAGGACTGTGAGCC	(Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a)
miR-2162-3p	TATTATGCAACGTTCACTCT	(Hoy <i>et al.</i> , 2014; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
let-7	GGAGGTAGTCGTTGTGTTG	(Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a)
miR-36-3p	CCACCGGGTAGACATTCAATTGCG	(Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-3489	GCCACAAACAGTTCGAGGACG	(Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a)
miR-2d-3p	TATCACAGTCCTGCTTAGGTGACG	(Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-3487	TCCTCGAACTGTTGTGGCC	(Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a)
miR-2c-5p	ACCCTTGTTCGACTGTGATGT	(Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a)
miR-2a-3p	TCACAGCCAGTATTGATGAAC	(Hoy <i>et al.</i> , 2014; Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-71a	TGAAAAGACGATGGTAGTGAGATG	(Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-3488	GCTCCGGTAGCTTAGTTGGT	(Meningher <i>et al.</i> , 2017; Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015)
miR-3492	ATCCGTGCTGAGATTCGTCT	(Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018)
miR-71b-5p	TGAAAGACTTGAGTAGTGAGACG	(Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018)
miR-307	TCACAACCTACTTGATTGAGGGG	(Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016b)
miR-10-5p	AACCCTGTAGACCCGAGTTGG	(Cheng <i>et al.</i> , 2013; Hoy <i>et al.</i> , 2014; Nowacki <i>et al.</i> , 2015; Samoil <i>et al.</i> , 2018; Zhu <i>et al.</i> , 2016a)

[#] Sequences from *S. japonicum* are shown

Supplementary Table 2. Primers and probe used in this study.

	Target miRNA	Sequence (5'-3')
Universal RT primer used in the Poly(A) method		CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTTVN
	ath-miR-159a	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTAGAGCT
	sja-miR-277	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTACGGG
	sja-miR-3479-3p	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTCAAGGC
	sja-miR-125a	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTGGCAAT
	sja-miR-61	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTGAAGTG
	sja-miR-2b-5p	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTGGCTCA
RT primer pool used in the S-Poly(T) method	sja-miR-2162-3p	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTAGAGTG
	sja-miR-36-3p	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTGCGAAT
	sja-miR-3489	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTCGTCCT
	sja-miR-3487	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTGGCCA
	sja-miR-2c-5p	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTACATCA
	sja-miR-2a-3p	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTGTTCAT
	sja-miR-10	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAAGGCCACCTGGCAATTTTTTTCCAAAC
	ath-miR-159a	TGGTGGATTGAAGGGAG
	sja-bantam	GGTGAGATCGCGATTAAAGC
	sja-miR-277	CGGTAAATGCATTTCTGGCC
	sja-miR-3479-3p	GGTATTGCACTTACCTTCGC
	sja-miR-125b	CGGTCCCTGAGACTGATAATT
	sja-miR-125a	TGTCCCTGAGACCCTTGAT
Forward primer used in singleplex assays	sja-miR-61	GGTACTAGAAAGTCACTC
	sja-miR-2b-5p	TGCGTCTCAAAGGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-2162-3p	CGGTATTATGCAACGTTCAC
	sja-let-7	TGGGAGGTAGTCGTTGTGT
	sja-miR-36-3p	TTCCACGGGTAGACATTCA
	sja-miR-3489	TTGCCACAACAGTCGAGGA
	sja-miR-2d-3p	GGTATCACAGTCCTGCTTAG

	sja-miR-3487	TTTCCTCGAACTGTTGTGGC
	sja-miR-2c-5p	TGACCCCTGTTCGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-2a-3p	GGTCACAGCCAGTATTGATG
	sja-miR-71a	GGTGAAGACGATGGTAGTG
	sja-miR-3488	TTGCTCCGGTAGCTTAGTTG
	sja-miR-3492	TGATCCGTGCTGAGATTCG
	sja-miR-71b-5p	CGGTGAAGACTTGAGTAGTG
	sja-miR-307	CGGTACAAACCTACTGATTG
	sja-miR-10	TTAACCTGTAGACCCGAGT
Forward primers used in the duplex assay 2P	sja-miR-2b-5p	TGCGTCTCAAAGGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-2c-5p	TGACCCCTGTTCGACTGTGA
Forward primers used in the multiplex assay 3P	sja-miR-2b-5p	TGCGTCTCAAAGGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-36-3p	TTCCACCGGGTAGACATTCA
	sja-miR-2c-5p	TGACCCCTGTTCGACTGTGA
Forward primers used in the multiplex assay 5P	sja-miR-125a	TGTCCCTGAGACCCTTGAT
	sja-miR-2b-5p	TGCGTCTCAAAGGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-36-3p	TTCCACCGGGTAGACATTCA
	sja-miR-2c-5p	TGACCCCTGTTCGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-2a-3p	GGTCACAGCCAGTATTGATG
Forward primers used in the multiplex assay 6P	sja-miR-277	CGGTAAATGCATTTCTGGCC
	sja-miR-125a	TGTCCCTGAGACCCTTGAT
	sja-miR-2b-5p	TGCGTCTCAAAGGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-36-3p	TTCCACCGGGTAGACATTCA
	sja-miR-2c-5p	TGACCCCTGTTCGACTGTGA
	sja-miR-2a-3p	GGTCACAGCCAGTATTGATG
Universal reverse primer		CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGT
Universal double-quenched probe		56-FAM/CAGAGCCAC/ZEN/CTGGGCAATT/3IABkFQ

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