



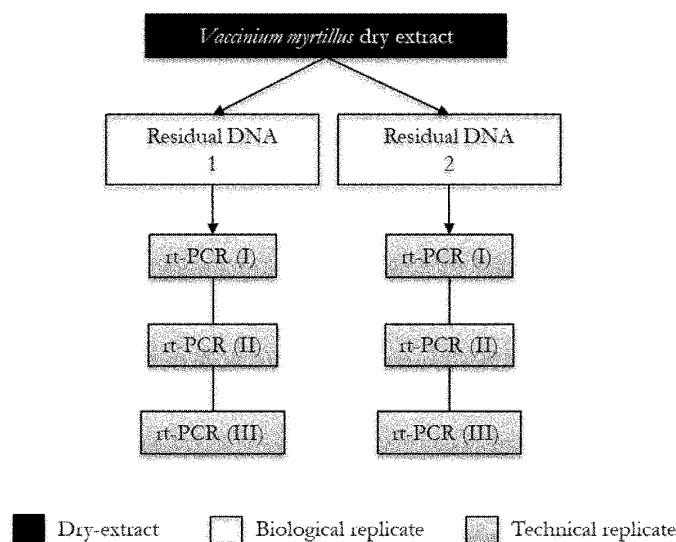
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(54) **Title:** METHOD AND KIT FOR THE IDENTIFICATION OF VACCINIUM MYRTILLUS

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(57) **Abstract:** The invention provides a method for the identification of *Vaccinium myrtillus* in a botanical composition and a kit specifically designed for its implementation. The method of invention is based on the detection, using PCR amplification, of nucleic acid fragments within a genomic region of *Vaccinium myrtillus*, namely the genomic region within the internal transcribed spacer 1, 5.8S ribosomal RNA genomic region and the internal transcribed spacer 2.

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