

Software Name: _____

This form documents the evaluation of computer software to determine the necessity for validation studies or software tests.

For software modifications, the software developer's release notes, if available, should be used to determine if the modification is a minor revision and be retained with this evaluation form

I. Software Type:

(Select one)

_____ New software

Has it been developmentally validated? _____

_____ New module(s):

Has it been developmentally validated? _____

_____ Modification (e.g., upgrade)

Current software version: _____

Major/Minor revision: _____

II. Software Function:

(select all that apply)

_____ This software will be used as a component of instrumentation
(e.g., Genetic analyzer data collection software, Quantitation software, etc.)

_____ This software will be used for analysis and/or interpretation of DNA data (e.g., STRmix, PopStats, YHRD, AX)

_____ This software will be used for statistical calculations

(e.g., STRmix, PopStats, YHRD, AX)

_____ This software does not impact analytical process, interpretation, or statistics without PopStats)

Internal
Validation:

QAS 8.8.2/ 8.8.3	Functional Testing	Reliability Testing	Precision/ Accuracy	Sensitivity	Specificity
Component of Interpretation	X	X			
DNA analysis/ interpretation	X	X	X (if applicable)	X (if applicable)	X (if applicable)
Statistical Calculations	X	X	X (if applicable)		
Other Software	X				
Minor Revisions	X				

III. Evaluation:

Evaluation will include
discussion of which studies
are applicable to software
type (QAS Stds
8.8.2/8.8.3)

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g., GMID-X, STRmix)

al calculations (e.g., FA, CODIS

Regression Testing (Revisions)
X
X
X

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