

Handbook for
■ DNA micro

TOTAL DNA PURIFICATION KIT



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KIT CONTENTS

Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro		
Cat. No.	118-050	
Components	Quantity	Storage
Size	micro	
No. of preparation	50	Room temperature (15~25°C)
Column Type Micro S (with collection tube)	50	
Collection tube	100	
Buffer CL	25 ml	
Buffer BL	25 ml	
Buffer BW (concentrate) *	30 ml	
Buffer TW (concentrate) *	50 ml	
Buffer AE **	15 ml	
Carrier RNA	60 µg	
Proteinase K †	24 mg	
PK Storage buffer †	1.2 ml	
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* Before the first use, add the appropriate amount of absolute ethanol (ACS grade quality or higher) to Buffer BW, TW as indicated on the bottle.

** 10 mM Tris-HCl, pH 9.0, 0.5 mM EDTA

† Proteinase K solution is stable at 4°C. For long term stability, store it at -20°C.
Refer to the instruction of storage condition on page 5.

Precautions and Disclaimer

Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit is for research use only, and should not be used for drug, household or other unintended uses. All due care and attention should be taken in every procedure in this handbook. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for information regarding hazard and safe handling practices.

Storage Condition

All components of Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit should be stored at room temperature (15~25°C). After reconstitution of Proteinase K with Storage buffer, it should be stored under 4°C for conservation of activity. It can be stored at 4°C for 1 year without significant decrease in activity. But for prolonged preservation of activity, storing under -20°C is recommended.

Under cool ambient condition, a precipitate can be formed in Buffer CL and/or BL. In such a case, heat the bottle above 56°C to dissolve completely. Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit is guaranteed until the expiration date printed on the product label.

Quality Control

All components in Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit is manufactured in strictly clean condition, and its degree of cleanness is monitored periodically. Restriction enzyme assay, PCR amplification assay and spectrophotometric assay as quality control are carried out from lot-to-lot thoroughly, and only the qualified is approved to be delivered.

Safety Information

Buffer BL and BW contain irritant which is harmful when in contact with skin or eyes, or when inhaled or swallowed. Care should be taken during handling. Always wear gloves and eye protector, and follow standard safety precautions.

General handling

When working with small-size samples, microbiological aseptic technique should be always used for prevention of contamination by microbe and other contaminants.

Always wear disposable gloves while handling reagents and samples. Also, we recommend the use of sterile tip, tube and other instruments.

Carrier RNA

This kit is provided with Carrier RNA, which can be added to Buffer BL if required. Carrier RNA enhances binding of DNA to the micro column membrane, especially if there are very few target molecules in the sample.

For purification of DNA from very small amounts of sample, we recommend adding Carrier RNA to Buffer BL. To obtain a solution of 1 $\mu\text{g}/\mu\text{l}$, add 60 μl of Buffer AE to the tube containing 60 μg lyophilized Carrier RNA. Dissolve the Carrier RNA thoroughly, divide it into conveniently sized aliquots, and store at -20°C . Don't freeze-thaw the aliquots of Carrier RNA more than 3 times. For one DNA preparation, 1 μl of dissolved Carrier RNA is required.

Additional equipments or materials to be supplied by user

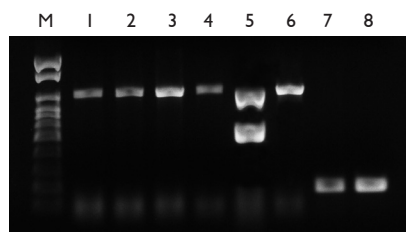
- Sterile microcentrifuge tube
- Centrifuge
- Water bath or heating block
- Ethanol (99~100%)
- 1 M Dithiothreitol (DTT)
- SPEX Freezer Mill[®] or metal blender for bones and teeth
- Other general lab equipments

Product Description

The Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit provides fast and easy methods for the micro scale purification of total (genomic and mitochondrial) DNA from various biological samples. Purified DNA can be used directly for PCR, quantitative PCR, genotyping such as STR analysis and other downstream applications.

Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit utilizes the advanced silica-binding technology to purify total DNA sufficiently pure for many applications. Various samples are lysed in optimized buffer containing detergents and lytic enzyme. Under high salt condition, DNA in the lysate bind to silica membrane and impurities pass through membrane into a collection tube. The membranes are washed with a series of alcohol-containing buffer to remove any traces of proteins, cellular debris and salts. Finally pure DNA is released into a clean collection tube with deionized water or low ionic strength buffer.

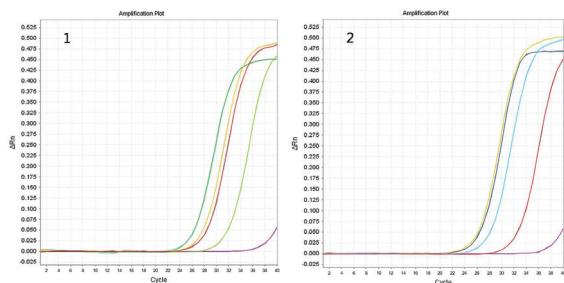
PCR Amplification



PCR reaction was performed with purified DNA using Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit. Template was isolated from whole blood (Lane 1), dried blood spot (Lane 2), hair root (Lane 3), chewing gum (Lane 4), animal tissue (Lane 5), urine (Lane 6), bone (Lane 7) and hair shaft (Lane 8).

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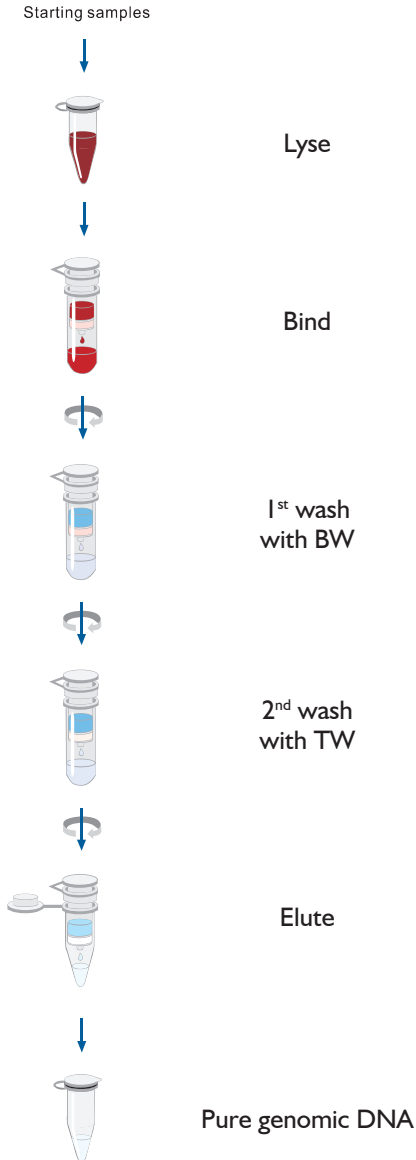
Real-time PCR Amplification



Real-time PCR was performed with purified DNA using Exgene™ Genomic DNA micro kit. The DNA was extracted from whole blood, stains, swab and hair root (Panel 1), nail clippings, chewing gum, tooth brush and urine (Panel 2). Real-time PCR was carried out with human GAPDH primer sets, and detected by SYBR® Green.

KIT PROCEDURES

in microcentrifuges



A.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Small Volumes of Blood

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

- 1. Pipet 10 μ l of Proteinase K solution into the bottom of a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**
- 2. Transfer 1 ~ 100 μ l of whole blood to the tube.**

If the whole blood volume is less than 100 μ l, adjust the volume to 100 μ l with Buffer CL.
- 3. Add 100 μ l of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Incubate the tube at 56°C for 10 min. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.
If the volume of blood is lower than 10 μ l, recommend adding Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.
- 4. Add 100 μ l of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.



- 5. Transfer the mixture to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 500 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.

B.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Swab (blood, saliva or sperm)

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath



- 1. Place the swab in a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**
- 2. Add 300 μ l of Buffer CL and 20 μ l of Proteinase K. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Incubate the tube at 56°C for 1 h. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**


If processing semen swab, add 20 μ l of 1 M DTT as well.

For efficient lysis, mix the sample completely. To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube every 10 min during the incubation.
- 3. Add 300 μ l of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.

If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.
- 4. Add 300 μ l of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.

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- 5. Transfer the mixture to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture is remained, apply the mixture twice; apply 700 μ l of the mixture, spin down, discard the pass-through, re-insert empty collection tube, and repeat this step again until all of the mixture has applied to the micro column.

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 600 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.

C.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Body Fluid Stains (blood, saliva or semen)

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature


Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

- 1. Place 0.5 cm² of punched-out circles from stained materials into a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**
- 2. Add 200 µl of Buffer CL and 20 µl of Proteinase K. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Incubate the tube at 56°C for 1 h. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

If processing semen stains, add 20 µl of 1 M DTT as well.
For efficient lysis, mix the sample completely. To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube every 10 min during the incubation.
- 3. Add 200 µl of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.
If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.
- 4. Add 200 µl of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.

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- 5. Transfer the supernatant to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 600 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.

D.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Hair and Nail Clippings

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

- 1. Collect hair (root or shaft) or nail clippings sample in a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**
- 2. Add 200 μ l of Buffer CL, 20 μ l of Proteinase K and 20 μ l of 1 M DTT, vortex to mix and incubate the tube at 56°C for at least 1 h until the sample is dissolved. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**


For efficient lysis, mix the sample completely. To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube every 10 min during the incubation.

For nail clippings, it is recommended to incubate overnight incubation at 56°C.

- 3. Add 200 μ l of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.

If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.

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- 4. Add 200 μ l of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.

- 5. Transfer the supernatant to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 600 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.

E.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Bones and Teeth

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

I. Disrupt the bones or teeth using one of the described methods.

- The use of the SPEX Freezer Mill®


Transfer the small fragment of bones or teeth and the ball into a grinding vial. Put the vial into Freezer Mill then pour liquid nitrogen. Grind the bone or teeth until the sample is pulverized completely.

- The use of the metal blender

Crush the bones or teeth into small fragment. Grind to a fine powder using a metal blender half-filled with liquid nitrogen.

- The use of EDTA

Transfer the bones or teeth into centrifuge tube. Pour the 0.5 M EDTA to sink the sample. Incubate the sample for decalcification at room temperature until the sample become flexible (for several days or even weeks, depending on the size of the bones or teeth). Change the EDTA occasionally during incubation. Cut the sample as small as possible with a microtome or blade.

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2. **Place up to 100 mg of bones or teeth into a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**
 3. **Add 300 μ l of Buffer CL and 20 μ l of Proteinase K, vortex to mix. Incubate overnight at 56°C. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

For efficient lysis, recommend to lyse using rotator within incubator.

4. **Add 300 μ l of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.

If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.

5. **Centrifuge the tube at full speed for 1 min, and carefully transfer the supernatant to a new 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**

6. **Add 300 μ l of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.

7. **Transfer the mixture to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture is remained, apply the mixture twice; apply 700 μ l of the mixture, spin down, discard the pass-through, re-insert empty collection tube, and repeat this step again until all of the mixture has applied to the micro column.

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

8. **Add 600 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 9. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 10. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 11. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.



F.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Cigarette Butts

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C and 70°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

- 1. Cut out a 1 cm² piece of outer paper from the end of the cigarette or filter. Cut this piece into 6 smaller pieces. Transfer the pieces to a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**

Wear gloves and use sterile scissors or scalpel.

- 2. Add 300 µl of Buffer CL and 20 µl of Proteinase K, vortex to mix. Incubate the tube at 56°C for 1 h. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

For efficient lysis, mix the sample completely. To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube every 10 min during the incubation.

- 3. Add 300 µl of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Incubate the tube at 70°C for 10 min. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.

If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.

- 4. Add 300 µl of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.



- 5. Transfer the supernatant to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture is remained, apply the mixture twice; apply 700 μ l of the mixture, spin down, discard the pass-through, re-insert empty collection tube, and repeat this step again until all of the mixture has applied to the micro column.

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 500 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.

G.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Tooth Brush

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C and 70°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

1. Collect bristles on tooth brush in a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.

Alternatively, rinse the tooth brush with 10 ml of 1 X PBS. Collect the buccal cells by centrifugation.

2. Add 200 µl of Buffer CL and 20 µl of Proteinase K, vortex to mix. Incubate the tube at 56°C for 1 h. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.

For efficient lysis, mix the sample completely. To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube every 10 min during the incubation.

3. Add 200 µl of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Incubate the tube at 70°C for 10 min. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result. If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.

4. Add 200 µl of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.



- 5. Transfer the supernatant to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 500 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.

H.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Tissue

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

- 1. Transfer less than 10 mg of a tissue sample to a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**
- 2. Add 200 μ l of Buffer CL and 20 μ l of Proteinase K. Mix completely by vortexing or pipetting. Incubate the tube at 56°C until the sample is completely lysed. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the components completely for proper lysis. The lysate should become translucent without any particles after complete lysis.

To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube occasionally (2~3 times per hour) during the incubation.

- 3. Add 200 μ l of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.

If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.

- 4. Add 200 μ l of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.

- 5. Transfer the mixture to the column carefully, centrifuge for 2 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 600 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 2 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 2 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.



I.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Urine

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

- 1. Transfer up to 1 ml urine to a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube and centrifuge for 2 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm).**
- 2. Discard the supernatant. Add 200 µl of 1 X PBS then vortex the tube for 5 sec.**
- 3. Centrifuge for 2 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Then discard the supernatant.**
- 4. Add 200 µl of Buffer CL and 20 µl of Proteinase K. Vortex to mix. Incubate the tube at 56°C for 1 h. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

Since urine can contain sperm cells, add 20 µl of 1 M DTT as well.

For efficient lysis, mix the sample completely. To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube every 10 min during the incubation.

- 5. Add 200 μ l of Buffer BL and 200 μ l of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample, Buffer BL and ethanol completely for good result. If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.

- 6. Transfer the mixture to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Add 500 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 9. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 10. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.

J.

PROTOCOL FOR.

Chewing Gum

Before experiment

Prepare the water bath 56°C and 70°C

Prepare absolute ethanol

Prepare 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube

Equilibrate Buffer AE to room temperature

All centrifugation should be performed at room temperature

Buffer BL and CL may precipitate at cool ambient temperature. If so, dissolve it in 56°C water bath

- 1. Cut up to 30 mg of chewing gum into small pieces and them to a 1.5 ml microcentrifuge tube.**

Wear gloves and use sterile blade or scalpel.

- 2. Add 300 µl of Buffer CL and 20 µl of Proteinase K. Mix completely by vortexing or pipetting. Incubate the tube at 56°C for 3 h. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

For efficient lysis, mix the sample completely. To help the efficient lysis, vortex the tube every 30 min during the incubation.

- 3. Add 300 µl of Buffer BL to the tube. Vortex the tube to mix thoroughly. Incubate the tube at 70°C for 10 min. Spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is essential to mix the sample and Buffer BL thoroughly for good result.

If Carrier RNA is required, add the dissolved Carrier RNA to Buffer BL.

- 4. Add 300 µl of absolute ethanol (not provided) to the sample, pulse vortex to mix the sample thoroughly, and spin down briefly to remove any drops from inside of the lid.**

It is important to mix the sample and ethanol completely for good result.

- 5. Transfer the supernatant to the column carefully, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm), and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

If the mixture remain, apply the mixture twice; apply 700 μ l of the mixture, spin down, discard the pass-through, re-insert empty collection tube, and repeat this step again until all of the mixture has applied to the micro column.

If the mixture has not passed completely through the membrane, centrifuge again at full speed (> 13,000 x g) until all of the solution has passed through.

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 6. Add 500 μ l of Buffer BW, centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm) and replace the collection tube with new one (provided).**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 7. Apply 700 μ l of Buffer TW. Centrifuge for 1 min at 6,000 x g above (>8,000 rpm). Discard the pass-through and reinsert the column back into the collection tube.**

Centrifugation at full speed will not affect DNA recovery.

- 8. Centrifuge at full speed for 3 min to remove residual wash buffer. Place the column in a fresh 1.5 ml tube (not provided).**

Care must be taken at this step for eliminating the carryover of Buffer TW. If carryover of Buffer TW still occurs, centrifuge again for 3 min at full speed with the collection tube before transferring to a new 1.5 ml tube. Centrifugation must be performed at full speed (13,000~20,000 x g).

- 9. Add 20~50 μ l of Buffer AE or sterilized water. Incubate for 1 min at room temperature. Centrifuge at full speed for 1 min.**

Ensure that the Buffer AE or sterilized water is dispensed directly onto the center of column membrane for optimal elution of DNA.



Troubleshooting Guide

Facts	Possible Causes	Suggestions
Low or no yield	Starting material is too old or mis-stored	Best yield will be obtained from fresh sample. DNA yield is dependent on the type, size, age and storage of starting material. Lower yield will be obtained from material that has been inappropriately stored. For example, blood samples that have been stored at 4°C for more than 5 days may bring about reduced yield.
	Inefficient or insufficient lysis	Inefficient lysis may be due to several causes; - Insufficient mixing with Buffer BL - Degenerated Proteinase K After addition of Buffer BL in protocol, vortex the mixture vigorously and immediately to mix completely. Proteinase K should be stored under 4°C for maintenance of proper activity. However, it is recommended to store in small aliquots at -20°C for prolonged preservation of its activity.
	Improper eluent	As user's need, elution buffer other than Buffer AE can be used. However, the condition of optimal elution should be low salt concentration with alkaline pH ($7 < \text{pH} < 9$). When water or other buffer was used as eluent, ensure that condition.
	Cell clumps present in the lysate	Cell clumps will remain until cells are completely lysed. Incomplete lysis of cells will bring about poor yield. To lyse completely the cells in the clumps, incubate sample at 56°C with periodic mixing until the solution is homogeneous.

Facts	Possible Causes	Suggestions
DNA floats out of well while loading of agarose gel	Residual ethanol from Buffer TW remains in eluate	Ensure that the TW wash step in protocol has been performed correctly. Micro column membrane should be completely dried via additional centrifugation or air-drying. Refer the annotation of TW washing step.
Enzymatic reaction is not performed well with purified DNA	Residual ethanol remains in eluate	Determine the maximum volume of eluate suitable for your amplification reaction. Reduce or increase the volume of eluate added to the amplification reaction accordingly. The elution volume can be adjusted proportionally.
	High salt concentration in eluate	Ensure that all washing steps were performed just in accordance with the protocols. Alternatively, carry out additional washing step with Buffer TW. It may help remove high salt in eluate.
Column clogging	Inefficient lysis	Inefficient lysis may lead to column clogging. About inefficient lysis, check 'Inefficient lysis' at "Low or no yield"
Precipitate in Buffer CL or BL	Buffer stored in cool ambient condition	For proper DNA purification, any precipitate in Buffer CL/BL should be dissolved by incubating the buffer at 56°C or above until it disappears.

Ordering Information

Products	Scale	Size	Cat. No.	Type
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GeneAll® Hybrid-Q™ for rapid preparation of plasmid DNA

Plasmid Rapidprep	mini	50	100-150	spin
		200	100-102	

GeneAll® Exprep™ for preparation of plasmid DNA

Plasmid SV	mini	50	101-150	spin /
		200	101-102	vacuum
	midi	26	101-226	spin /
		50	101-250	
		100	101-201	

GeneAll® Exfection™ for preparation of transfection-grade plasmid DNA

Plasmid LE (Low Endotoxin)	mini	50	111-150	spin /
		200	111-102	vacuum
	midi	26	111-226	spin /
100		111-201	vacuum	
Plasmid EF (Endotoxin Free)	midi	20	121-220	spin
		100	121-201	

GeneAll® Expin™ for purification of fragment DNA

Gel SV	mini	50	102-150	spin /
		200	102-102	vacuum
PCR SV	mini	50	103-150	spin /
		200	103-102	vacuum
CleanUp SV	mini	50	113-150	spin /
		200	113-102	vacuum
Combo GP	mini	50	112-150	spin /
		200	112-102	vacuum

GeneAll® Exgene™ for isolation of total DNA

Tissue SV	mini	100	104-101	spin /
		250	104-152	vacuum
	midi	26	104-226	spin /
		100	104-201	vacuum
	maxi	10	104-310	spin /
		26	104-326	vacuum
Tissue Plus SV	mini	100	109-101	spin /
		250	109-152	vacuum
	midi	26	109-226	spin /
		100	109-201	vacuum
	maxi	10	109-310	spin /
		26	109-326	vacuum

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GeneAll® Exgene™ for isolation of total DNA

Blood SV	mini	100	105-101	spin /	
		250	105-152	vacuum	
	midi	26	105-226	spin /	
		100	105-201	vacuum	
	maxi	10	105-310	spin /	
		26	105-326	vacuum	
Cell SV	mini	100	106-101	spin /	
		250	106-152	vacuum	
	maxi	10	106-310	spin /	
		26	106-326	vacuum	
	Clinic SV	mini	100	108-101	spin /
			250	108-152	vacuum
midi		26	108-226	spin /	
		100	108-201	vacuum	
maxi	10	108-310	spin /		
	26	108-326	vacuum		
Genomic DNA micro		50	118-050	spin	
Plant SV	mini	100	117-101	spin /	
		250	117-152	vacuum	
	midi	26	117-226	spin /	
		100	117-201	vacuum	
	maxi	10	117-310	spin /	
		26	117-326	vacuum	
Soil DNA mini	mini	50	114-150	spin	
Stool DNA mini	mini	50	115-150	spin	
Stool-Bead DNA mini	mini	50	115-151	spin	
Viral DNA/RNA	mini	50	128-150	spin	
FFPE Tissue DNA	mini	50	138-150	spin	
		250	138-152		

GeneAll® GenEx™ for isolation of total DNA without spin column

GenEx™ Blood	Sx	100	220-101	solution
		500	220-105	
	Lx	100	220-301	solution
GenEx™ Cell	Sx	100	221-101	solution
		500	221-105	
	Lx	100	221-301	solution
GenEx™ Tissue	Sx	100	222-101	solution
		500	222-105	
	Lx	100	222-301	solution

Products	Scale	Size	Cat. No.	Type
GeneAll® GenEx™ <i>for isolation of total DNA without spin column</i>				
GenEx™ Plant	Sx	100	227-101	solution
	Mx	100	227-201	
	Lx	100	227-301	
GenEx™ Plant Plus	Sx	100	228-101	solution
	Mx	50	228-250	
	Lx	20	228-320	

GeneAll® DirEx™ series <i>for preparation of PCR-template without extraction</i>				
DirEx™		100	250-101	solution
DirEx™ Fast-Tissue		96 T	260-011	solution
DirEx™ Fast-Cultured cell		96 T	260-021	solution
DirEx™ Fast-Whole blood		96 T	260-031	solution
DirEx™ Fast-Blood stain		96 T	260-041	solution
DirEx™ Fast-Hair		96 T	260-051	solution
DirEx™ Fast-Buccal swab		96 T	260-061	solution
DirEx™ Fast-Cigarette		96 T	260-071	solution

GeneAll® RNA series <i>for preparation of total RNA</i>				
RiboEx™	mini	100	301-001	solution
		200	301-002	
Hybrid-R™	mini	100	305-101	spin
Hybrid-R™ Blood RNA	mini	50	315-150	spin
Hybrid-R™ miRNA	mini	50	325-150	spin
RiboEx™ LS	mini	100	302-001	solution
		200	302-002	
Riboclear™	mini	50	303-150	spin
Riboclear™ Plus	mini	50	313-150	spin
Ribospin™	mini	50	304-150	spin
Ribospin™ II	mini	50	314-150	spin
		300	314-103	
Ribospin™ vRD	mini	50	302-150	spin
Ribospin™ vRD Plus	mini	50	312-150	spin
Ribospin™ vRD II	mini	50	322-150	spin
Ribospin™ Plant	mini	50	307-150	spin
Ribospin™ Seed/Fruit	mini	50	317-150	spin
Ribospin™ Pathogen/TNA	mini	50	314-150	spin
		250	314-152	
Allspin™	mini	50	306-150	spin
RiboSaver™	mini	100	351-001	solution

Products	Scale	Size	Cat. No.	Type
GeneAll® AmpONE™ <i>for PCR amplification</i>				
Taq DNA polymerase		250 U	501-025	(2.5 U/μl)
		500 U	501-050	
		1,000 U	501-100	
Taq Premix		20 μl x 96 tubes	526-200	solution
		50 μl x 96 tubes	526-500	

GeneAll® AmpMaster™ <i>for PCR amplification</i>				
Taq Master mix		0.5 ml x 2 tubes	541-010	solution
		0.5 ml x 10 tubes	541-050	solution

GeneAll® HyperScript™ <i>for Reverse Transcription</i>				
Reverse Transcriptase		10,000 U	601-100	solution
RT Master mix		0.5 ml x 2 tubes	601-710	solution
One-step RT-PCR Master mix		0.5 ml x 2 tubes	602-110	solution
One-step RT-PCR Premix		20 μl x 96 tubes	602-102	solution

GeneAll® RealAmp™ <i>for qPCR amplification</i>				
SYBR qPCR Master mix (2X, Low ROX)		200 rxn 2 ml	801-020	solution
		500 rxn 5 ml	801-050	
SYBR qPCR Master mix (2X, High ROX)		200 rxn 2 ml	801-021	solution
		500 rxn 5 ml	801-051	

GeneAll® Protein series				
ProteinEx™ Animal cell/tissue		100 ml	701-001	solution
PAGESTA™ Reducing 5X SDS-PAGE Sample Buffer		1 ml x 10 tubes	751-001	solution

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GeneAll® GENTi™ ADVANCED ^{3E} *Newly designed automated extraction system*

Automatic extraction equipment		GTI032A	system
Genomic DNA	48	901-048A	tube
	96	901-096A	plate
Viral DNA/RNA	48	902-048A	tube
	96	902-096A	plate
Blood DNA	48	903-048A	tube
	96	903-096A	plate
Plant DNA/RNA	48	904-048A	tube
	96	904-096A	plate
LMO	48	906-048A	tube
	96	906-096A	plate
Fecal DNA/RNA	48	913-048A	tube
	96	913-096A	plate

GeneAll® ALLEx*64 *Compact yet Comprehensive automated extraction system*

Automatic extraction equipment		AEX064	system
Genomic DNA	48	931-048A	tube
	96	931-096A	plate
Viral DNA/RNA	48	934-048A	tube
	96	934-096A	plate
Blood DNA	48	935-048A	tube
	96	935-096A	plate
Plant DNA/RNA	48	937-048A	tube
	96	937-096A	plate
Fecal DNA/RNA	48	948-048A	tube
	96	948-096A	plate



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