

PCR-Products and GEL/DNA Purification Kit

Description

Materials Provided:

Component	100 Preps	5 Preps
	40 ml (add 20 ml of 96-	2 ml (add
*DNA Cleanup Binding Buffer	100% Isopropanol)	Isopropanol
	10 ml (add 40 ml of 96-	0.5 ml (a
**DNA Wash Buffer	100% ethanol)	100% eth
DNA Elution Buffer	10ml	1 ml
Mini Columns	100	5
Tubes as column inserts	100	5

Additional requirements: microcentrifuge Tubes , (96-100%) absolute ethanol , (96-100%) isopropanol

Note:

*Add 96-100% isopropanol to DNA Cleanup Binding buffer as written on the bottle before using.

**Add 96-100% of ethanol to DNA Wash buffer as written on the bottle before using.

***You can use either Isopropanol or Ethanol in binding buffer but preference should be given to Isopropanol as it gives better results.**

Procedure:

1. Add 95% ethanol to DNA Wash Buffer prior to use in the ratio of 4: 1 (i.e. 4 volumes of 95% ethanol and one volume of DNA Wash
2. Dilute sample with DNA Cleanup Binding Buffer in specific ratio of sample: binding buffer depending the size of the

For example:

ssDNA (cDNA), sample to binding buffer ratio 1:6 dsDNA (< 2.5 kb), sample to binding buffer ratio 1:5
dsDNA (> 1.5 kb), sample to binding buffer ratio 1:2

For purifying DNA from gel slice:

Take 25 to 50 mg of gel slice into a clean microfuge tube. Add 500 µl binding buffer (containing Isopropanol) and warm the tube at 55°C for 15 minutes or more until the gel slice dissolves. Proceed to the next step – loading directly into the spin column.

3. Mix well by pipetting up and down or by tapping the tube. Do not vortex.
4. Insert column into collection tube and load up to 600 µl sample into the column. Spin for 1 minute at 16,000 x g or at maximum speed in micro centrifuge. Discard the flow-through. Repeat this step if volume is more than 600 µl.
5. Re-insert column into collection tube. Add 250 µl of DNA Wash Buffer and spin for 1 minute at maximum speed.
6. Transfer column to a clean 5 ml microfuge tube and spin for 1 minute to ensure the removal of traces of salt and ethanol, so that they are not carried over to next step. Discard the microfuge tube and save the column for next step.
7. Place the Column in a clean 5 ml microfuge tube and add 10–20 µl of DNA Elution Buffer to the center of the column. In order to obtain maximum elution, make sure the Elution buffer is in direct contact with membrane in the center rather than sticking to the wall of the column.
8. Wait for 1 minute, and then spin at maximum speed for 1 minute to elute.

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