

Agarose Gel DNA extraction and purification magnetic beads kit

Data Sheet

Catalog Number: EP10010 Size: 100T

Kit Components included:

Si-Mag magnetic beads 5ml

• Gel solvent buffer 50 ml . For purification of DNA from Agarose gel

• Wash Solution 25 ml (add 25 mL of Isopropanol)

Elution Buffer 5 ml

Materials needed but not provided with the

• 80% Ethanol

• Si-Mag Magnet (sold separately)

• Isopropanol (ACS grade)

Applications: This kit provides a simple, rapid and efficient method for the recovery and purification of

DNA directly from Agarose gel (100 bp to 50 kb) with typical recovery efficiency up to

85%.

Storage: Magnetic beads should be stored at 2-8°C but other kit reagents need to be stored at room

temperature.

Introduction

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The kit will work with a 96 well round bottom plates if a special magnetic frame is used. The kit can also be used with a variety of automatic nucleic acid extraction instruments and workstation.

Precautions

- 1. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles and centrifugation which could damage the beads.
- 2. Be sure to mix well before using magnetic beads, can be vortexed about 10 seconds.
- 3. Vortex samples for about 10 seconds before adding
- 4. Elute DNA from the beads completely.

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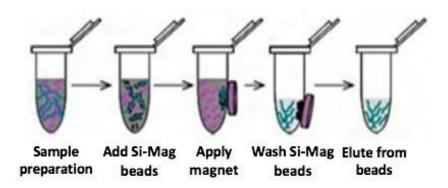
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Principle of Assay:

Procedure for purification of DNA from agarose gel:

- 1. **Sample preparation.** Add **500 ul** of gel solvent buffer and a gel slice of up to **400mg** into a clean Eppendorf tube. For a gel slice larger than 400mg, add at least 800 ul of gel solvent buffer. Incubate at **65**°C for 10 min or until the gel is completely dissolved. Vortex the tube periodically to ensure complete dissolving.
- 2. **Transfer** all content to an Eppendorf tube and then add **50 ul** of magnetic beads, mix well and incubate 3-5 min at RT. Put Eppendorf tube onto the Si-Mag magnet rack for 20 seconds. NOTE: The estimated recovery of DNA is bout 2 ug per 50 ul of beads
- 3. **Remove** supernatant by holding the magnet rack upside down or by pipetting.
- 4. **Wash** the beads with **500 ul** of Wash Solution. *Make sure the beads get completely resuspended by vortexing and then repeat step 3.*
- 5. Wash the beads with 500μL of 80% ethanol.
- 6. **Make Sure** the beads get completely resuspended by vortexing and the repeating step 3.
- 7. **Dry** the beads at 55°C for 8 min leaving the tube open. **Do not over-dry the beads.**
- 8. **Elute** the DNA from beads with **35 ul** of elution buffer, incubate for at least 2 min and then vortex at full speed for 1 min. **Alternatively**, incubation at 60°C for 2 min may improve the recovery for DNA larger than 3 kb.
- 9. **Remove beads** by using magnet rack, pipette DNA out and transfer to a clean tube.
- 10. **Store purified** DNA at -20°C for long-term storage.



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