# TruSeq RNA Preparation with Modification for Four Rounds of Poly-A Selection

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#### **Abstract**

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Modifications: samples in PCR tubes (because a plate/seal will not be used, some numbered steps are skipped); include two rounds of poly-A selection (with two separate sets of beads); repeat clean-up step after PCR to remove additional adapters; elute with 1.5 ul less volume off of beads (to leave 1 ul behind, not 2.5 ul)

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#### **Guidelines**

#### **PCR Programs**

mRNA Denaturation: 65°C for 5 min, 4°C hold

mRNA Elution 1: 80°C for 2 min, 25°C hold

**80°C**: 80°C forever (pre-heat, then run for 2 min)

Elution 2 - Frag - Prime: 94°C for 8 min, 4°C hold

1st Strand: 25°C for 10 min, 42°C for 50 min, 70°C for 15 min, 4°C hold

**2<sup>nd</sup> Strand**: 16°C forever (pre-heat, then run for 1 hour)

**End Repair**: 30°C forever (pre-heat, then run for 30 min)

A Tail: 37°C forever (pre-heat, then run for 30 min)

**Ligate Adapters**: 30°C forever (pre-heat, then run for 10 min)

**PCR**: 98°C for 30 sec; 15 cycles: 98°C for 10 sec, 60°C for 30 sec, 72°C for 30 sec; 72°C for 5 min,

10ºC hold

#### **Protocol**

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RBP

Step 1.

Start with 50 µL total RNA

### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RBP

Step 2.

Vortex RNA Purification Beads (RPB) to resuspend

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RBP

Step 3.

Add 50 µL RPB to RNA

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RBP

Step 4.

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 1 RBP

Step 5.

Pre-heat thermal cycler lid to 100°C

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 1 RBP

Step 6.

Run the mRNA Denaturation program

#### NOTES

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# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 1 RBP

Step 7.

Remove PCR tubes when the cycler reaches 4°C

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 1 RBP

Step 8.

Incubate tubes at room temperature (RT) on the bench for 5 min

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This allows the RNA to bind to the beads

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

Step 9.

Place tubes on a magnetic stand at RT for 5 min

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This allows seperation of the poly-A RNA beads from the solution

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

Step 10.

Remove and discard the supernatant from each tube. Take care not to disturb the beads.

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

**Step 11.** 

Remove tubes from the magnetic stand

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

**Step 12.** 

Wash beads with Bead Washing Buffer (BWB)

**■** AMOUNT

200 µl Additional info:

Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

**Step 13.** 

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

Step 14.

Place tubes on a magnetic stand at RT for 5 min

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

Step 15.

Remove and discard the supernatant from each tube. Take care not to disturb the beads.

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The supernatant contains the majority of the ribosomal and other non-messenger RNA

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

**Step 16.** 

Remove tubes from the magnetic stand

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

**Step 17.** 

Add Elution Buffer (ELB) to each tube



50 μl Additional info:

Purify and Fragment mRNA - Wash RBP

**Step 18.** 

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 2 RBP

**Step 19.** 

Pre-heat the thermal cycler lid to 100°C

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 2 RBP

Step 20.

Run the mRNA Elution 1 program

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#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 2 RBP

Step 21.

Remove the tubes from the thermal cycler when it reaches 25°C

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate 2 RBP

Step 22.

Place the tubes on the benchtop at RT

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

Step 23.

Add Bead Binding Buffer (BBB) to each tube

**AMOUNT** 

50 μl Additional info:

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This allows mRNA to specifically rebind the beads, while reducing the amoung of rRNA that nonspecifically binds.

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

Step 24.

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

**Step 25.** 

Incubate the tubes at room temperature for 5 minutes

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

Step 26.

Place the tubes on a magnetic stand at RT for 5 min

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

**Step 27.** 

Remove and discard supernatant from each tube. Take care not to disturb the beads.

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

**Step 28.** 

Remove the tubes from the magnetic stand

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

Step 29.

Wash the beads with Bead Washing Buffer (BWB)

**■** AMOUNT

200 µl Additional info:

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

Step 30.

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

**Step 31.** 

Place the tubes on a magnetic stand for 5 min

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

#### **Step 32.**

Remove and discard all of the supernatant from each tube. Take care not to disturb the beads.

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The supernatant contains residual rRNA and other contaminants, and were released in the first elution and did not rebind the beads.

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

#### Step 33.

Remove the tubes from the magnetic stand

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

#### **Step 34.**

If this is the first time through the protocol: continue to repeat Poly-A Selection.

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

#### **Step 35.**

If this is the second time through the protocol: add Elute, Prime, Fragment Mix (EPF) to each tube

#### **■** AMOUNT

18 μl Additional info:

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The Elute, Prime, Fragment Mix contains random hexamers for RT priming and serves as the first strand cDNA synthesis reaction buffer.

#### Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP

#### Step 36.

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

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The Elute, Prime, Fragment Mix contains random hexamers for RT priming and serves as the first strand cDNA synthesis reaction buffer. After adding 18 uL Elute, Prime, Fragment Mix, continue to **Incubate RFP**.

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Repeat Poly-A Selection with New Beads

#### **Step 37.**

Add Elution Buffer (ELB) to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

50 µl Additional info:

Purify and Fragment mRNA - Repeat Poly-A Selection with New Beads

**Step 38.** 

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

Purify and Fragment mRNA - Repeat Poly-A Selection with New Beads **Step 39.** 

Pre-heat the thermal cycler to 80°C with the program 80°C

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Purify and Fragment mRNA - Repeat Poly-A Selection with New Beads

Step 40.

Incubate the tubes for 2 min at 80°C

Purify and Fragment mRNA - Repeat Poly-A Selection with New Beads

**Step 41.** 

Immediately transfer the tubes to the magnetic stand

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This prevents mRNA from re-binding to the beads

Purify and Fragment mRNA - Repeat Poly-A Selection with New Beads

Step 42.

Transfer supernatant to a new set of tubes immediately after the beads have aggregated on the magnetic stand

**■** AMOUNT

50 µl Additional info:

Purify and Fragment mRNA - Repeat Poly-A Selection with New Beads

Step 43.

Repeat the entire protocol from step 2 (Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RBP / Vortex RNA Purification Beads to resuspend) to step 35 (Purify and Fragment mRNA - Make RFP / Add Elute, Prime, Fragment Mix)

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate RFP (RNA Fragmentation Plate)

#### Step 44.

Pre-heat the thermal cycler lid to 100°C

# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate RFP (RNA Fragmentation Plate)

#### Step 45.

Run the program Elution 2 - Frag - Prime

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# Purify and Fragment mRNA - Incubate RFP (RNA Fragmentation Plate)

#### Step 46.

Remove the tubes from the thermal cycler when it reaches 4°C and centrifuge briefly

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Proceed immediately to Synthesize First Stand cDNA

# Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Make CDP

#### **Step 47.**

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min

#### Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Make CDP

#### Step 48.

Transfer supernatant (fragmented and primed mRNA) to new tubes



17 µl Additional info:

# Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Make CDP

#### Step 49.

Add First Strand Master Mix (FSM)/SuperScript II to each tube



8 µl Additional info:

# Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Make CDP

#### Step 50.

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

# Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Make CDP

#### **Step 51.**

Return the First Strand Master Mix/SuperScript II tube back to -20°C immediately after use

#### Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Incubate 1 CDP

#### Step 52.

Pre-heat the thermal cycler lid to 100°C

#### Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Incubate 1 CDP

#### Step 53.

Run the first strand program

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#### Synthesize First Strand cDNA - Incubate 1 CDP

#### **Step 54.**

When the thermal cycler reaches 4°C, remove the tubes and proceed immediately to Synthesize Second Strand cDNA.

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Add SSM

#### **Step 55.**

Add thawed Second Strand Master Mix (SSM) to each tube

#### **■** AMOUNT

25 µl Additional info:

Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Add SSM

#### Step 56.

Gently pipette up and down 6 times to mix thoroughly

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Incubate 2 CDP

#### Step 57.

Pre-heat the thermal cycler to 16°C with the second strand program

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#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Incubate 2 CDP

#### Step 58.

Incubate the tubes at 16°C for 1 hr

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Incubate 2 CDP

Step 59.

Remove the tubes from the thermal cycler and let stand to bring to RT

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 60.

Vortex the AMPure XP beads until they are well dispersed

# Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 61.

Add 90 µL beads to each tube containing 50 µL ds cDNA

# Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 62.

Gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 63.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 15 min

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 64.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min

# Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 65.

Remove and discard 135 µL supernatant from each tube. Take care not to disturb the beads.

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 66.

With the tubes remaining on the magnetic stand, add 80% EtOH to each tube without disturbing the beads.

**■** AMOUNT

200 µl Additional info:

### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 67.

Incubate tubes at RT for 30 sec

# Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 68.

Remove and discard the supernatant from each tube without disturbing the beads

# Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 69.

Repeat steps 66-68 for a total of two 80% EtOH washes

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

**Step 70.** 

Let the tubes stand at RT for 15 min to dry

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 71.

Remove them from the magnetic stand

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 72.

Add Resuspension Buffer (RSB) to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

61 µl Additional info:

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

**Step 73.** 

Gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 74.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 2 min

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 75.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min

#### Synthesize Second Strand cDNA - Clean Up CDP

Step 76.

Transfer 60 µL supernatant (ds cDNA) to a new set of tubes

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This is a safe stopping point for storage at -20 degrees C

Perform End Repair - Make IMP

**Step 77.** 

Add End Repair Mix (ERP) to each tube

AMOUNT

40 μl Additional info:

Perform End Repair - Make IMP

Step 78.

Adjust the pipette to 100 µL and gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Perform End Repair - Incubate 1 IMP

Step 79.

Pre-heat the thermal cycler to 30°C with the End Repair program

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# Perform End Repair - Incubate 1 IMP

Step 80.

Incubate the tubes at 30°C for 30 min

# Perform End Repair - Incubate 1 IMP

**Step 81.** 

Remove the tubes from the thermal cycler

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 82.

Vortex the AMPure XP beads until they are well dispersed

# Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 83.

Add 160  $\mu$ L beads to each tube containing 100  $\mu$ L of sample

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

# Step 84.

Adjust the pipette to 200 µL and gently pipette up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

# Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 85.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 15 min

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 86.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min or until liquid appears clear

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 87.

Remove and discard 127.5 µL of the supernatant from each tube

# Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

**Step 88.** 

Repeat step 87 once

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 89.

With the tubes remaining on the magnetic stand, add 80% freshly prepared EtOH to each tube without disturbing the beads



200 μl Additional info:

# Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

**Step 90.** 

Incubate the tubes at RT for 30 sec

# Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

**Step 91.** 

Remove and discard the supernatant from each tube without disturbing the beads

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

**Step 92.** 

Repeat steps 89-91 once, for a total of two 80% EtOH washes

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 93.

Let the tubes stand at RT for 15 min to dry

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

**Step 94.** 

Remove the tubes from the magnetic stand

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 95.

Resuspend the dried pellet in each tube in Resuspension Buffer (RSB)



18.5 µl Additional info:

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

**Step 96.** 

Gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

# Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 97.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 2 min

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

**Step 98.** 

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min, or until the liquid appears clear.

#### Perform End Repair - Clean Up IMP

Step 99.

Transfer 17.5 µL of the clear supernatant to a new set of tubes

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#### Adenylate 3' Ends - Add ATL

Step 100.

Add A-Trailing Mix (ATL) to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

12.5 µl Additional info:

#### Adenylate 3' Ends - Add ATL

Step 101.

Adjust the pipette to 30  $\mu L$  and gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Adenylate 3' Ends - Incubate 1 ATL

Step 102.

Pre-heat the thermal cycler to 37°C with the A Tail program

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Adenylate 3' Ends - Incubate 1 ATL

Step 103.

Incubate the tubes at 37°C for 30 min

Adenylate 3' Ends - Incubate 1 ATL

Step 104.

Immediately remove the tubes from the thermal cycler, and proceed immediately to Ligate Adapters

Ligate Adapters - Add LIG

Step 105.

Add Resuspension Buffer (RSB) to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

2.5 µl Additional info:

Ligate Adapters - Add LIG

Step 106.

Immediately before use, remove the Ligation Mix (LIG) tube from -20°C storage.

Ligate Adapters - Add LIG

Step 107.

Add Ligation Mix (LIG) to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

2.5 µl Additional info:

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Return the LIG back to -20 C immediately after use

Ligate Adapters - Add LIG

Step 108.

Add appropriate RNA Adapter Index to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

2.5 µl Additional info:

#### Ligate Adapters - Add LIG

Step 109.

Adjust the pipette to 37.5  $\mu L$  and gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Ligate Adapters - Incubate 2 ALP

Step 110.

Pre-heat the thermal cycler to 30°C with the Ligate Adapters program

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#### Ligate Adapters - Incubate 2 ALP

Step 111.

Incubate the tubes at 30°C for 10 min

#### Ligate Adapters - Incubate 2 ALP

Step 112.

Remove the tubes from the thermal cycler

# Ligate Adapters - Add STL

Step 113.

Add Stop Ligation Buffer (STL) to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

5 μl Additional info:

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This step inactivates ligation

# Ligate Adapters - Add STL

Step 114.

Adjust the pipette to 42.5 µL and pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 115.

Vortex the AMPure XP beads until they are well dispersed

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### Step 116.

Add beads to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

42 µl Additional info:

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### **Step 117.**

Adjust the pipette to 85  $\mu$ L, then gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly.

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

### Step 118.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 15 min

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### Step 119.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min or until the liquid appears clear

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### Step 120.

Remove and discard 79.5 µL of the supernatant from each tube

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### Step 121.

With the tubes remaining on the magnetic stand, add freshly prepared 80% EtOH to each tube without disturbing the beads.



200 µl Additional info:

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### Step 122.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 30 sec

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### Step 123.

Remove and discard the supernatant from each tube without disturbing the beads

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

#### Step 124.

Repeat steps 121-123 for a total of two 80% EtOH washes

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 125.

Let the tubes stand at RT for 15 min to dry

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 126.

Remove the tubes from the magnetic stand

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 127.

Resuspend the dried pellet in each tube in Resuspension Buffer (RSB)

**■** AMOUNT

51 µl Additional info:

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 128.

Gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 129.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 2 min

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 130.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min or until the liquid appears clear

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 131.

Transfer 50 µL of the clear supernatant to a new set of tubes

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 132.

Vortex the AMPure XP beads until they are well dispersed

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 133.

Add beads to each tube for a second clean up

**■** AMOUNT

50 μl Additional info:

### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 134.

Adjust the pipette to 100  $\mu$ L, then gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly.

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 135.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 15 min

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 136.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min or until the liquid appears clear

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 137.

Remove and discard 95 µL of the supernatant from each tube

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 138.

With the tubes remaining on the magnetic stand, add freshly prepared 80% EtOH to each tube without disturbing the beads.

**AMOUNT** 

200 µl Additional info:

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 139.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 30 sec

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 140.

Remove and discard the supernatant from each tube without disturbing the beads

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 141.

Repeat steps 138-140 for a total of two 80% EtOH washes

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 142.

Let the tubes stand at RT for 15 min to dry

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 143.

Remove the tubes from the magnetic stand

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 144.

Resuspend the dried pellet in each tube in RSB



21 µl Additional info:

# Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 145.

Gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 146.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 2 min

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 147.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min or until the liquid appears clear

#### Ligate Adapters - Clean Up ALP

Step 148.

Transfer 20 µL of the clear supernatant to a new set of tubes

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This is a safe stopping point for storage at -20 C

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Make PCR

Step 149.

Add thawed PCR Primer Cocktail (PPC) to each tube

■ AMOUNT

5 μl Additional info:

Enrich DNA Fragments - Make PCR

Step 150.

Add thawed PCR Master Mix (PMM) to each tube

**■** AMOUNT

25 µl Additional info:

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Make PCR

Step 151.

Adjust the pipette to 50  $\mu$ L then gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Amp PCR

Step 152.

Pre-heat the thermal cycler lid to 100°C

# Enrich DNA Fragments - Amp PCR

Step 153.

Run the PCR program

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#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 154.

Vortex the AMPure XP beads until they are well dispersed

# Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 155.

Add beads to each tube



50 μl Additional info:

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 156.

Adjust the pipette to 100  $\mu$ L, then gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly.

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 157.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 15 min

# Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

#### Step 158.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min or until the liquid appears clear

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 159.

Remove and discard 95 µL of the supernatant from each tube

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 160.

With the tubes remaining on the magnetic stand, add 80% freshly prepared EtOH to each tube without disturbing the beads



200 µl Additional info:

Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 161.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 30 sec

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 162.

Remove and discard the supernatant from each tube without disturbing the beads

# Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 163.

Repeat steps 160-162 for a total of two 80% EtOH washes

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 164.

Let the tubes stand at RT for 15 min to dry

# Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 165.

Remove the tubes from the magnetic stand

# Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 166.

Resuspend the dried pellet in each tube in Resuspension Buffer (RSB)



51 µl Additional info:

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

#### Step 167.

Gently pipette the entire volume up and down 10 times to mix thoroughly

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 168.

Incubate the tubes at RT for 2 min

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 169.

Place the tubes on the magnetic stand at RT for 5 min or until the liquid appears clear

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 170.

Transfer 50 µL of the clear supernatant to a new set of tubes

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 171.

Repeat steps 154-170 once. During the repeated steps, modify step 166 to add 31 ul Resuspension Buffer (RSB) and step 170 to transfer 30 ul to separate 1.5 ml Eppendorf tubes.

#### Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 172.

Take one aliquot for Qubit and one aliquot for qPCR in 1.5 mL tubes

AMOUNT

1 µl Additional info:

Enrich DNA Fragments - Clean Up PCR

Step 173.

Freeze cleaned PCR and both aliquot tubes at -20°C

# Quantitate Library with Qubit dsDNA HS Assay

Step 174.

Make Qubit working solution in a 1.5 mL Eppendorf tube by mixing 7  $\mu$ L Qubit dsDNA HS reagent (the fluorescent label) with 1393  $\mu$ L Qubit dsDNA HS buffer, and mix well.

**■** AMOUNT

1.4 ml Additional info: enough for 5 libraries and 2 standards

#### Quantitate Library with Qubit dsDNA HS Assay

Step 175.

Prepare standard 1 and standard 2 by mixing 10  $\mu$ L of each standard with 190  $\mu$ L working solution in seperate Qubit assay tubes

#### Quantitate Library with Qubit dsDNA HS Assay

#### Step 176.

Add 1 µL of each library to 199 µL working solution in seperate Qubit assay tubes (1:200 dilution)

#### Quantitate Library with Qubit dsDNA HS Assay

# Step 177.

Mix all tubes by vortexing for 2-3 sec

#### Quantitate Library with Qubit dsDNA HS Assay

#### Step 178.

Incubate tubes at RT for 2 min

#### Quantitate Library with Qubit dsDNA HS Assay

#### Step 179.

Read standards 1 and 2 on the Qubit 2.0 Fluorometer

#### Quantitate Library with Qubit dsDNA HS Assay

#### Step 180.

Read all library samples on the fluorometer and record their concentration (in ng/mL)

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip

#### Step 181.

Dilute 1 µL aliquots of each library in seperate tubes to 300 pg/µL

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Determine the appropriate dilution to achieve this concentration by dividing the Qubit concentration by 1.5. For example, if the Qubit concentration is 152 ng/mL, then the library should be diluted at 1:101 (=152/1.5) for 300 pg/uL.

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip

#### Step 182.

Allow the gel-dye mix to equilibriate to RT for 30 min before use

#### NOTES

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If gel-dye mix is not already prepared, allow the HS DNA dye concentrate (blue) and the HS DNA gel matrix (red) to equilibrate to RT for 30 minutes, add 15 uL of HS DNA dye concentrate to a HS DNA gel matrix vial, vortex well, spin down and transfer to a spin filter. Centrifuge at 2240 xg +/-20% for 10 minutes and discard the filter.

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip Step 183.

Clean the Bioanalyzer electrodes by pipetting 350  $\mu$ L nuclease-free water into a cleaning chip and placing it into the machine

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 184.**

Ensure that the chip priming station syringe clip is at the lowest position, that the base plate is in position C, and that the plunger is positioned at 1 mL.

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 185.**

Pipette gel-dye mix in the well at the third row and last column

**■** AMOUNT

9 µl Additional info:

Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 186.** 

Pop bubbles with a 30 gauge needle

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip Step 187.

Put the chip on the priming station and close it firmly until it locks into position

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 188.**

Press the plunger until it is held by the clip, wait exactly 1 minute, and release the clip.

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 189.**

Wait for at least 5 sec and slowly pull back the plunger to the 1 mL position

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 190.**

Open the priming station and remove the chip

# Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip Step 191.

Pipette gel dye mix in the remaining 3 wells of the last column

**■** AMOUNT

9 µl Additional info: Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip Step 192. Pipette marker (green) in all sample and ladder wells **■** AMOUNT 5 µl Additional info: Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip Step 193. Pipette HS DNA ladder (yellow) in the well marked with a ladder (third column, last row) **■** AMOUNT 1 μl Additional info: Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip Step 194. Pipette diluted 300 pg/µL library aliquot into wells 1-11 **■** AMOUNT 1 μl Additional info: Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip

Add marker (green) into each unused well

**■** AMOUNT

Step 195.

1 μl Additional info:

Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 196.** 

Move to the chip vortexer and vortex for 1 min at 2400 rpm

Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip **Step 197.** 

While vortexing, remove the cleaning chip and leave the Bioanalyzer open to dry the electrodes

Validate Libraries with Agilent Bioanalyzer 2100 High Sensitivity DNA Chip Step 198.

Run the chip in the Agilent 2100 Bioanalyzer within 5 min (to avoid evaporation).