

# Irys NLRS DNA labeling and Data collection

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## Abstract

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## Protocol

Nicking (10  $\mu$ L / ~2.5 hours)

### Step 1.

Equilibrate DNA 30 min at room temp. Pipet mix 3x with wide bore tip.

🕒 DURATION

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Nicking (10  $\mu$ L / ~2.5 hours)

### Step 2.

#### Prepare nicking master mix

One 10 $\mu$ L rxn: 1 $\mu$ L buffer + DNA + enzyme in 200 $\mu$ L thin-wall PCR tube.

Blood BspQI: 5-7u (BNG3)

Cell line BspQI: 3-5u (BNG3)

Other BspQI: 5-10u (BNG3)

BbvCI: 4-8u (BNG2)

Q+C: 3/2, 6/4, 9/6u (BNG2)

Nicking (10  $\mu$ L / ~2.5 hours)

**Step 3.**

Mix 4x with Xplorer Plus Pipettor set to 8 $\mu$ L at lowest speed. Pulse spin 2sec.

Nicking (10  $\mu$ L / ~2.5 hours)

**Step 4.**

Incubate in a thermal cycler for 2 hrs at 37°C with heated-lid.

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Labeling (15  $\mu$ L / ~1.25 hours)

**Step 5.**

**(For the rest of the protocol, protect from light)**

Prepare the Labeling Master Mix.

reagent	amount
10x labeling buffer	1.5 $\mu$ L
10x labeling mix	1.5 $\mu$ L
Taq 5u/ $\mu$ L	1 $\mu$ L
H <sub>2</sub> O	1 $\mu$ L

Labeling (15  $\mu$ L / ~1.25 hours)

**Step 6.**

Add 5 $\mu$ L Labeling Master Mix.

**Step 7.**

Mix 4x with Xplorer Plus Pipettor set to 13 $\mu$ L at lowest speed. Pulse spin 2sec.

Labeling (15  $\mu$ L / ~1.25 hours)

**Step 8.**

Incubate in a thermal cycler for 60 min at 72°C with heated-lid."

 DURATION

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Repair (20  $\mu$ L / ~45 minutes)

**Step 9.**

Prepare the Repair Master Mix.

reagent	amount
10x Thermo Pol	0.5 $\mu$ L
50x Repair Mix	0.4 $\mu$ L
50mM NAD <sup>+</sup>	0.4 $\mu$ L
Taq DNA ligase	1 $\mu$ L
H <sub>2</sub> O	2.7 $\mu$ L

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Repair (20  $\mu$ L / ~45 minutes)

### Step 10.

Add 5 $\mu$ L of the Repair Master Mix.

Repair (20  $\mu$ L / ~45 minutes)

### Step 11.

Mix 4x with Xplorer Plus Pipettor set to 18 $\mu$ L at lowest speed. Pulse spin 2sec.

Repair (20  $\mu$ L / ~45 minutes)

### Step 12.

Incubate in a thermal cycler for 30 min at 37°C with heated-lid.

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Repair (20  $\mu$ L / ~45 minutes)

### Step 13.

Place NLR reaction on ice. Add 1 $\mu$ L Stop Solution. Mix by gently stirring 5 times with the pipet tip. Pulse spin 2sec."

Staining NLR (60  $\mu$ L / ~16 hours)

### Step 14.

Equilibrate Staining Master Mix components to room temp.

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Staining NLR (60  $\mu$ L / ~16 hours)

### Step 15.

Prepare the Staining Master Mix.

reagent	amount
4x flow buffer	15 $\mu$ L
1M DTT	12 $\mu$ L
DNA stain	1.5 $\mu$ L
H <sub>2</sub> O	11.5 $\mu$ L

Staining NLR (60  $\mu$ L / ~16 hours)

### Step 16.

Aliquot 40µL of the Staining Master Mix into a 0.6mL amber tube.

Staining NLR (60 µL / ~16 hours)

**Step 17.**

Transfer NLR to Staining Mix with standard tip. Pulse spin 2 sec.

Staining NLR (60 µL / ~16 hours)

**Step 18.**

Gently mix NLRS DNA 5x with wide bore tip set to 50µL. Pulse spin 2 sec.

Staining NLR (60 µL / ~16 hours)

**Step 19.**

Place staining reactions at 4°C overnight to ensure uniform DNA staining.

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NLRS DNA Conc.(6µL, ~0.5 hours)

**Step 20.**

Equilibrate NLRS to room temp for 30 min.

 **DURATION**

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NLRS DNA Conc.(6µL, ~0.5 hours)

**Step 21.**

Gently mix DNA 3x with wide bore tip set to 50µL. Pulse spin 2 sec.

NLRS DNA Conc.(6µL, ~0.5 hours)

**Step 22.**

Remove 2µL aliquots from the Top, Middle and Bottom to separate Qubit Assay tubes. Add 18uL of Qubit HS Buffer.

NLRS DNA Conc.(6µL, ~0.5 hours)

**Step 23.**

Sonicate 10 min in a bath sonicator.

 **DURATION**

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NLRS DNA Conc.(6µL, ~0.5 hours)

**Step 24.**

Add 180µL Qubit reagent mix. Vortex 5 seconds. Pulse spin 2 sec.

NLRS DNA Conc.(6µL, ~0.5 hours)

**Step 25.**

Incubate at least 2 min at room temp. Quantitate with Qubit 2.0 Fluorimeter.

NLRS DNA conc: 3-10ng/μL. CV < 25%.'

 DURATION

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Chip loading and data collection

### Step 26.

Load sample into Irys chip and start data collection with a 30-cycle run on irys system