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# DNA extraction from mouthwash samples

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QIAGEN - DNeasy PowerSoil Pro Kit

Ice

Vortex

BeadBeater

Centrifuge

Liquid N2

Set centrifuge to 4°C

Keep CD2 solution on ice


Prepare and label collection tubes, microcentrifuge tubes, and MB spin columns

1 Thaw mouthwash samples on ice for 00:30:00

30m

1.1 Transfer desired volume into 1.5 mL or 2 mL eppendorfs

 **1-2 mL**

2 Centrifuge transferred samples at maximum speed at 4 °C for  **00:10:00**

10m


3 Discard the supernatant carefully without disturbing the pellet

3.1 Repeat step 1.1 if more volume is needed to see a pellet or a high yield of DNA is required

4 Add  **800 µL** CD1 and vortex to resuspend pellet

4.1 Spin down briefly

5 Transfer entire eppendorf content to PowerBead Pro tubes

6 Secure PowerBead Pro tubes onto the bead beater and run at maximum speed for  **00:05:00**

5m

7 Centrifuge the PowerBead Pro tubes at maximum speed for  **00:01:30**




1m 30s

8 Transfer the supernatant carefully without disturbing the pellet, into a clean 2 mL microcentrifuge tube

9 Add  **200 µL** CD2 into the 2 mL microcentrifuge tube and vortex for  **00:00:10**

10s

- 10 Centrifuge the 2 mL microcentrifuge tube at maximum speed for 🕒00:01:30 <sup>1m 30s</sup>
- 11 Transfer the supernatant carefully without disturbing the pellet, into a clean 2 mL microcentrifuge tube
- 12 Add 🧴600 µL CD3 into the 2 mL microcentrifuge tube and vortex for 🕒00:00:10 <sup>10s</sup>
- 13 Load 🧴650 µL of the lysate onto MB spin columns and centrifuge at maximum speed for <sup>1m 30s</sup>  
🕒00:01:30
- 13.1 Discard flow-through and repeat step 13 to consume all the lysate
- 14 Place spin column onto new collection tube, add 🧴500 µL EA, and centrifuge at maximum <sup>1m 30s</sup>  
speed for 🕒00:01:30
- 15 Discard flow-through and place spin column back into the collection tube
- 16 Add 🧴500 µL C5 onto spin columns and centrifuge at maximum speed for <sup>1m 30s</sup>  
🕒00:01:30
- 17 Discard flow-through and place spin column back into the collection tube
- 18 Centrifuge at maximum speed for 🕒00:02:00 and place spin column into 1.5 mL eppendorf <sup>2m</sup>  
(elution) tube

- 19 Add  **50-100  $\mu$ L** nuclease-free water to the center of the spin column and leave at room<sup>5m</sup> temperature for around  **00:05:00**
- 20 Centrifuge at maximum speed for  **00:01:00** , quantify using Qubit, flash freeze, and store at<sup>1m</sup> -20/80 °C