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# 🌐 Qiagen DNeasy 96 blood & tissue protocol for bee guts

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1 Works for me

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## ABSTRACT

Tissue protocol for bee guts.

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Day 1 1h 6m 22s

- 1 UV sterilize supplies for 2 96 well plates worth of extractions: 1 50mL centrifuge tube, 1 15mL centrifuge tube, 1 box 1,000uL pipette tips, 2 boxes 200uL pipette tips, 24 elution microtube strip caps, steel beads, zirconia beads, and 1 reagent reservoir
- 2 Combine [Buffer ATL \(tissue lysis buffer\)](#) **36 mL** [Qiagen Catalog #19076](#) and [Proteinase K \(2000 µL ml\)](#) **4000 µL** [Qiagen Catalog #19131](#) in 50mL centrifuge tube, invert gently to mix
- 3 Add **200 µL** ATL + Proteinase K solution to each sample
- 4 Add ~ **100 µL** zirconia beads and 2 steel beads to each sample
- 5 Place plates in tissue lyser and run at **30 Hz** for **00:02:30**, then rotate plates 180 degrees and lyse at **30 Hz** for an additional **00:02:30** <sup>5m</sup>

TissueLyser II  
Bead Mill

QIAGEN 85300 [Link](#)

TissueLyser Adapter Set 2 x 96  
Adapter set

Qiagen 69984 [Link](#)

- 6 Centrifuge on "short" for ⌚00:00:07 then shake by hand for ⌚00:00:15 22s

Eppendorf™ 5810R Centrifuge  
Centrifuge

Eppendorf 02-262-8187 [↗](#)










- 7 Incubate 🌡56 °C for ⌚01:00:00 with weight on top of plate 1h  
Note: remove from incubator carefully with weight on top so that caps do not pop off

- 8 Place plates in tissue lyser and run at 🗲30 Hz for ⌚00:01:00 1m

- 9 Incubate 🌡56 °C overnight with weight on top of plate

Day 2 53m 44s

- 10 UV sterilize supplies: 4 reagent reservoirs, 24 elution microtube strip caps (clear), 2 boxes 1,000uL tips (plus some extra), 6 boxes 200uL tips (plus some extra), 2 s-blocks, 2 elution microtube plates (dark blue) and 24 strip caps (white), and 6 96 well microplates (for aliquotting final product). Label 6 foil microplate lids for aliquots
- 11 Carefully remove plates from incubator, leaving the weight on top, and allow to sit at room temperature for a few minutes before carefully removing weight to ensure strip caps do not pop off
- 12 Shake plates by hand for ⌚00:00:15 , rotating plates halfway through 15s

- 13 Centrifuge on "short" for  00:00:07 7s
- 14 Add  410  $\mu\text{L}$  ALE to each sample
- 15 Seal with new caps and shake by hand for  00:00:15 , rotating plates halfway through 15s
- 16 Centrifuge on "short" for  00:00:07 7s
- 17 Place DNeasy filter plates on top of s-blocks
- 18 Transfer lysate to DNeasy filter plate and seal with AirPore tape
- 19 Centrifuge  3486 x g, 00:13:00 . Discard flowthrough 13m
- 20  Buffer  
Add  500  $\mu\text{L}$  AW1 Qiagen Catalog #19081 to each sample, seal with AirPore tape
-  Buffer AW1 contains guanidine salt - do not mix with bleach
- 21 Centrifuge  3486 x g, 00:08:00 . Discard flowthrough 8m

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 BufferAdd  **500 µL** [AW2 Qiagen Catalog #19072](#), do not seal

Manage and dispose of buffer AW2 as hazardous waste

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Centrifuge  **3486 x g, 00:20:00**. Discard flowthrough

20m

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Repeat steps 22 and 23

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Place DNeasy filter plate on top of elution microtube plate (dark blue)

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 BufferAdd  **55 µL** [AE Qiagen Catalog #19077](#) to each sample

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Incubate at room temperature for  **00:01:00**


1m

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Centrifuge  **3486 x g, 00:05:00**




5m

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Aliquot entirety of product into 3 96 well microplates per DNA plate, seal with labeled foil lids and store at  **-20 °C**

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 BufferFor a second backup elution, add  **50 µL** [AE Qiagen Catalog #19077](#) to each sample

- 31 Incubate at room temperature for  **00:01:00** 1m
- 32 Centrifuge  **3486 x g, 00:05:00** 5m
- 33 Seal with white strip caps
- 34 Store at  **-20 °C**