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# ssDNA2.0: Klenow mix

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#### **ABSTRACT**

Protocol for the preparation of Klenow mix for automated single-stranded DNA library preparation using the ssDNA2.0 method (Gansauge et al. 2020).

#### References

Gansauge, M.-T., Aximu-Petri, A., Nagel, S., & Meyer, M. (2020). Manual and automated preparation of single-stranded DNA libraries for the sequencing of DNA from ancient biological remains and other sources of highly degraded DNA. Nature Protocols, 15, 2279-2300.



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#### Note

The volume of Klenow mix suffices for one 96-well library preparation plate (96 + 20 reactions to account for dead volumes and loss of reagent). It is advisable to prepare 10-20 mixes at once.

#### **Materials**

Reagent/Consumable	Supplier	Catalogue number	Decontamination*	
Reagents				
Water, HPLC-grade	Sigma Aldrich/Merck	1153332500	UV	
Tween-20 †	Thermo Fisher Scientific	11417160	UV	
Klenow reaction buffer	Thermo Fisher Scientific	EP0052	-	
Consumables				
5 ml screw cab tubes (rack 2d Lp W / barcode)	VWR	NUNC374320-BR	-	

<sup>\*</sup> Decontamination of reagents should be performed as detailed in the Appendix.

# **Equipment**

■ Label printer (e.g. Brady M611, cat. no. M611-EU-LABS) and tube labels (e.g. Labels for TLS2200/TLS PC Link/Polyester, cat. no. PTL-82-499)

# **Protocol**

1. Prepare the Klenow mix in a 5 ml screw-cap tube by combining the following reagents. Mix thoroughly by vortexing. Spin tube briefly in a microcentrifuge.

	Reagent	Volume (μl)	Final concentration in reaction
	Water	945	
ſ	Klenow reaction buffer (10x)	140	1x

<sup>†</sup> Use to prepare a 2% (vol/vol) solution in water. NOTE: Tween-20 is highly viscous, pipette slowly and with care.

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Reagent	Volume (μΙ)	Final concentration in reaction
2% Tween-20 (v/v)	35	0.05%
sum	1120	

# Note

# [Labeling]

Prepare tube labels using Brady printer including name of the mix, date (dd.mm.yyyy) and the name of the person who prepared the Klenow Mix.

2. Freeze at -20 °C until used.

# Note

# [Documentation]

Note the lot/batch numbers of the reagents used for master mix preparation in Labfolder (orange fields).

# **Appendix**

