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HTTM: DNA Extraction V.1

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ABSTRACT

Part two of the HTTM protocol. A low-cost and high-throughput Tn-seq protocol. This part cover the DNA extraction from cell pellets of transposon insertion mutants and subsequent silica columns regeneration.

MATERIALS

Homemade DNA lysis Buffer :

A	В
Component	Amount for 1000 ml of solution
CTAB 2%	20 g
1.5 M Guanidine HCl	143.2 g
10 mM Tris HCl	1.57 g

Mix well and adjust volume to 1 I with water and adjust pH to 8.0.

■ Homemade wash solution:

A	В
Component	Amount for 1000 ml of solution
Ethanol 100%	800 ml
Tris HCl 1 M pH 8.0	10 ml
NaCl 4 M	25 ml
EDTA 0.5 M	2 ml

Mix well and adjust volume to 1 I with water and adjust pH to 8.0.

■ Elution Buffer (Low TE Buffer): 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.0) + 0.1 mM EDTA

Solutions for plate regeneration, from this protocol:

(1)https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ab.2008.10.021.

■ NaOH 1N + Triton X-100 0.15% (v/v)

A	В
Component	Amount for 1000 ml of solution
Water	960 ml
NaOH	40 g
Triton X-100	1.5 ml

Mix well and store in a base resistant container.

■ HCl 1.5N + Triton X-100 0.15% (v/v)

A	В
Component	Amount for 1000 ml of solution
Water	873.5 ml
HCI Stock (37%)	125 ml
Triton X-100	1.5 ml

Mix well and store in an acid resistant container.

Silica columns array come from the following commercially available kit : 96-Well Plate Bacteria Genomic DNA Miniprep Kit from Biobasic. CAT#: SK1295

DNA extraction Prepare the lysis solution by adding Δ 165 μL of proteinase K to Δ 66 mL of homemade lysis buffer and mix well. Add Δ 600 μL of lysis solution to each well of the deep-well plate and resuspend the pellet.

4 While still warm, add \perp 260 μ L of ethanol 100%, without overmixing.

Note

Overmixing will result in DNA agglomeration and difficulty with the extraction.

- 5 Transfer immediately to a deep-well plate fitted with an array of silica columns.

10m

- 7 Discard flowthrough and add \angle 500 μ L of wash solution.
- 8 Centrifuge at 3000 x g, 00:10:00

10m

- **8.1** Repeat steps 7 and 8.
- 9 Discard flowthrough.

Centrifuge at 3000 x g, 00:10:00 to eliminate traces of wash solution.

10m

- **11** Discard flowthrough.
- 12 Add a collector plate between the silica column array and the deep-well plate.
- Add Δ 50 μ L of low TE to the silica matrix in each well.
- Cover with an adhesive aluminum foil and incubate at 8 55 °C for © 00:15:00

15m

15 Centrifuge at 3000 x g, 00:10:00

10m

Silica array regeneration (Optional)

1h 5m

Put the contaminated silica array on an empty deep-well plate. Add \perp 150 μ L of 1N NaOH + 0.15%(v/v) Triton X-100 to each well.

17 Incubate at 8 Room temperature for © 00:05:00

5m

18 Centrifuge 3000 x g, 00:05:00

5m

- Add \pm 200 µL of 1.5N HCl+ 0.15% (v/v) Triton X-100 to each well.
- 20 Incubate at 8 Room temperature for 00:30:00

30m

21 Centrifuge 3000 x g, 00:05:00

5m

- 22 Add \perp 150 μ L of 1N NaOH + 0.15%(v/v) Triton X-100 to each well.
- 23 Incubate at Room temperature for 00:05:00

5m

24 Centrifuge 3000 x g, 00:05:00

- 5m
- 24.1 Collect the flowthrough in a beaker. Neutralize pH if needed and dispose of the flow through.

- 25 Add $\underline{\mathbb{Z}}$ 200 μL of ddH₂O to each well.
- 26 Centrifuge 😝 3000 x g, 00:05:00

5m

- **26.1** Repeat steps 25 and 26.
- 27 Silica columns array are ready to be reused.