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## 2-step PCR mixture and conditions (Barcoded-head primers for seqs pooling)

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1 Wear glove, clean up the working bench w. 1% bleach

For 1' PCR head-primers


- 2 Prepare 1' PCR master mixutre for **head-primers** (prepare 1.2X of solutions for pipetting error if needed)

PCR mixture for head-primers for each reaction



A	B	C	D
Component	Volume	Volume (1.2X)	Final conc.
Forward Primer (10 µM)	1.6 µl	1.9 µl	1 µM
Reverse Primer (10 µM)	1.6 µl	1.9 µl	1 µM
2X Supergreen PCR Master Mix	7.8 µl	9.4 µl	-
ddH2O	4.1 µl	4.9 µl	-
Total volume	15 µl	18 µl	-

Negative control ALWAYS NEEDED! For example, if you have 5 PCR reactions to run, prepare master mixture for 6 reactions (5 DNA template + 1 negative control).

- 3 Mix the 1' PCR master mixture gently by pippeting. Quick spin the tube.

- 4 Transfer  15 µL 1' PCR master mixutre in 8-strip PCR tubes.

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Add  0.6 µL DNA template in 8-strip PCR tubes, resulting in a  15.6 µL reaction mixture for 1' PCR.

**Negative control** contains only  15 µL master mixture but not DNA template

- 6 Mix the reaction mixture gently by tapping the tubes. Quick spin the tubes.

- 7 Carry out PCR using the following condition:

## 1' PCR condition for **head-primers**

A	B	C	D
Step	Temp	Sec	Cycle
<i>Initial denaturation</i>	95 °C	30-180 (a)	
<i>Denaturation</i>	98 °C	15	20-25 cycles
<i>Annealing</i>	64-68 °C varied (b)	15	
<i>Extension</i>	72 °C	60-180 (c)	
<i>Final extension</i>	72 °C	210	
<i>Preservation</i>	Preservation	4 °C	∞

a. Varied depend on template complexity

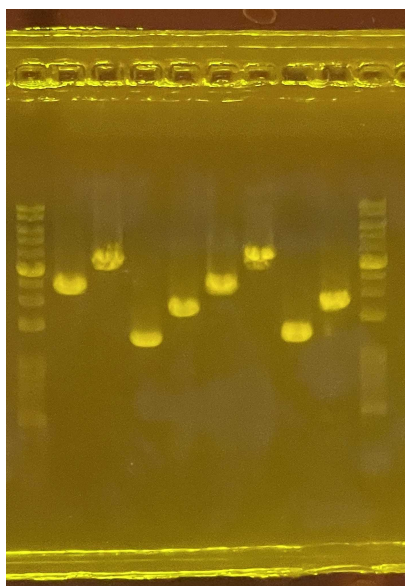
b. Annealing varied, **62-68°C** is working; Refer to 1' PCR primers for annealing temperature

c. 1kb ~ 1min extension; enough time allow full extension of sequence

## 7.1 1' hear-primers used in Huang lab

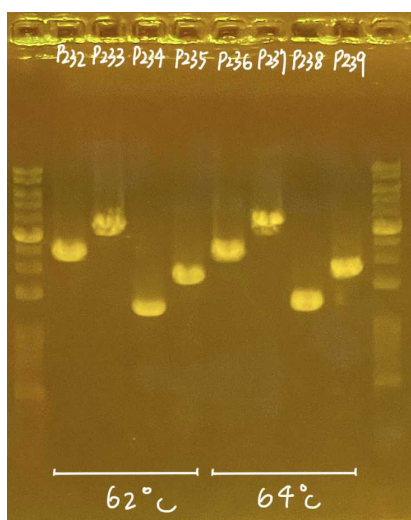
A	B	C	D
Name	Sequence	Tm°C	CG%
NS1B1ngs_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCcctngttgatctgccagt	71.7	60
ITS4ngs_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCtctscgcttattgatatgc	69	55.6
LR5_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCtctgagggaaacttcg	70.2	60.6
EF1-526F_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCgtctgtygtyatygghcaygt	71	59.3
EF1-1567R_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCachgtrccrataccacratctt	70.6	56
EF1-2218R_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCatgacaccracrgcracrgtytg	72.2	60.3
Ben2f_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCtccagactggtcagtgtgtaa	70.5	56.8
Bt2b_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCaccctcagtgtagtacccttggc	74.5	62.5
T22_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCtctggatgttgggaatcc	70.3	56.8
RPB2-3bF_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCgwggtaytyatyatyaatgg	65.6	48.7
RPB2-7cR_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCccatrgcttgytrcccat	72.3	59.7
fRPB2-11aR_H1	GCTATGCGCGAGCTGCgctggatcttrtctcsacc	71.7	60.8

## 8 Carry out **electrophoresis** for inspection of DNA products



Gel before markdown

## 9 Markdown wells and upload the pictures to the Lab Google drive



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For 2' PCR barcoded-head primers



## 10 Prepare 2' PCR master mixutre for **barcoded-primers** (prepare 1.2X of solutions for pipetting error if needed)


PCR mixture for barcoded-primers for each reaction (**NO PRIMERS at this point!!**)

A	B	C	D
Component	Volume	Volume (1.2X)	Final conc.
2X Supergreen PCR Master Mix	10.75 µL	12.9 µL	-
ddH2O	10.75 µL	12.9 µL	-
Total volume	21.5 µL	25.8 µL	-

Negative control ALWAYS NEEDED! For example, if you have 5 PCR reactions to run, prepare master mixture for 6 reactions (5 DNA template + 1 negative control).

- 11 Mix the 2' PCR master mixture gently by pipetting. Quick spin the tube.
- 12 Transfer  **21.5 µL** of the 2' PCR master mixture to 8-strip PCR tubes.
- 13 Add  **2.5 µL pre-mixed barcoded-head primers** (Forward + Reverse) to each PCR tubes.
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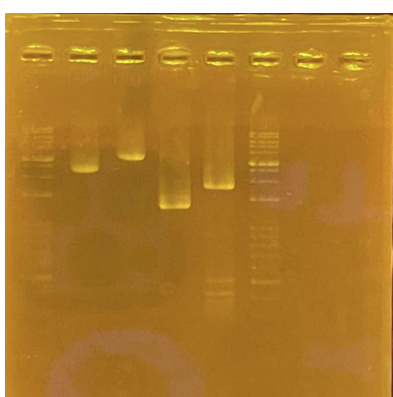
Add  **1 µL** of **1' PCR product as template**, resulting in  **25 µL** reaction mixture for 2' PCR.

**Negative control** contains only  **24 µL** master mixture and premixed barcoded-head primers but not DNA template
- 15 Mix gently by tapping the tubes. Quick spin the tubes.
- 16 Carry out 2' PCR using the following condition:  
2' PCR condition for **barcoded-head primers**

A	B	C	D
Step	Temp	Sec	Cycle
Initial denaturation	98 °C	30	
Denaturation	98 °C	15	10-15 cycles
Annealing	64-68 °C varied (a)	15	
Extension	72 °C	60 (b)	
Final extension	72 °C	210	
Preservation	Preservation	4 °C	∞

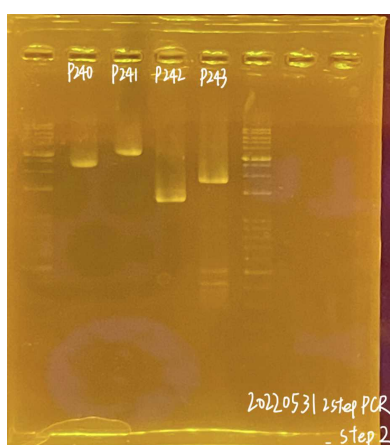
a. Annealing varied, **65 °C** is working based on test on 220531; Refer 2' PCR primers for annealing temperature  
b. 1kb ~ 1min extension; enough time allow full extension of sequence

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