

# High-Q<sup>™</sup> Spin-Column Buccal Swab Genomic DNA Purification Kit

## Ordering info

TBK0140, 3 reactions (sample)

TBK0141, 50 reactions

TBK0142, 200 reactions

## Description

High-Q<sup>™</sup>-Spin-Column Buccal Swab Genomic DNA Purification Kit provides a noninvasive method for obtaining genomic DNA. It is a silica-membrane-based DNA purification kit to obtain total DNA from mucosal epithelial cells with high quality and purity. Suitable for DNA extraction from buccal, nasal and vaginal swabs.

#### **Features**

- High yield and purity, 0.5 5 μg, A260/A280 ~1.8-2.0,
   A260/A230 ~ 2.0-2.2.
- No phenol extraction.
- Fast and easy protocol.
- Versatile, freshly collected samples or preserved samples can be used.

## **Applications**

DNA obtained is suitable for downstream molecular biology applications such as PCR, enzymatic digestion for cloning or Southern, genotyping, etc.

## **Quality Control**

DNA isolation from buccal swab sample is checked by: integrity (agarose gel electrophoresis), quantity and quality.

## **Kit Components**

Components	TBK0141	TBK0142
High-Q™ Spin Column with Collection Tubes	50	200
PBS 1x pH7.4	1 pouch (1 L)	1 pouch (1 L)
BS Buffer	15 mL	45 mL
Proteinase K	30 mg <sup>a</sup>	3 x 30 mg <sup>a</sup>
Proteinase K Resuspension Buffer	1.5 mL	3 x 1.5 mL
WB1 Buffer	12 mL <sup>b</sup>	48 mL <sup>c</sup>
WB2 Buffer	8 mL <sup>d</sup>	25 mL <sup>e</sup>
Elution Buffer	15 mL	25 mL

**Order Info Kit Components:** High-Q<sup>™</sup> Spin Column with Collection Tubes (TBM0010) | PBS 1x pH7.4 (TBB0600) | BS Buffer (TBB0505) | Proteinase K (TBZ0303) | Proteinase K Resuspension Buffer (TBB0546) | WB1 Buffer (TBB0511) | WB2 Buffer (TBB0512) | Elution Buffer (TBB0510).

#### Before its use:

- <sup>a</sup> To prepare a 20 mg/mL solution, spin Proteinase K tube and add 1.5 mL Proteinase K Resuspension Buffer.
- <sup>b</sup> Add 18 mL absolute ethanol and mix well.
- <sup>c</sup> Add 72 mL absolute ethanol and mix well.
- <sup>d</sup> Add 32 mL absolute ethanol and mix well.
- <sup>e</sup> Add 100 mL absolute ethanol and mix well.

### Storage

Store the kit at room temperature (15-25 $^{\circ}$ C).

Store Proteinase K at -20°C.

#### **Required Material** (not supplied)

- Buccal Swab.
- RNase A (CAS 9001-99-4).
- Ethanol (CAS 64-17-5).



#### **PROTOCOL**

#### I. SAMPLES

**Freshly Collected Buccal Swab:** Not eat or drink 1 hour before sample collection. Wash the buccal cavity with water or saline solution.

- 1. In a 2 mL tube, add 1 mL Cold PBS 1x, pH 7.4.
- 2. Introduce a buccal swab in the mouth and rub the inside of the cheek between 10-20 times.
- **3.** Place the swab in the tube prepared at step 1. Rotate 5-6 times.
- 4. Centrifuge at 13,000 g for 2 minutes. Remove the supernatant.

**Freshly Collected Nasal/ Vaginal Swab:** Introduce the swab in the nasal or vaginal cavity and proceed like for buccal swab sample collection.

**Samples Preserved in Preservation Solution:** Samples preserved in our Buccal Swab Sample Collection & Preservation Kit (*TBKo307-0309*) have been tested with this kit with excellent results.

#### **II. DNA PURIFICATION**

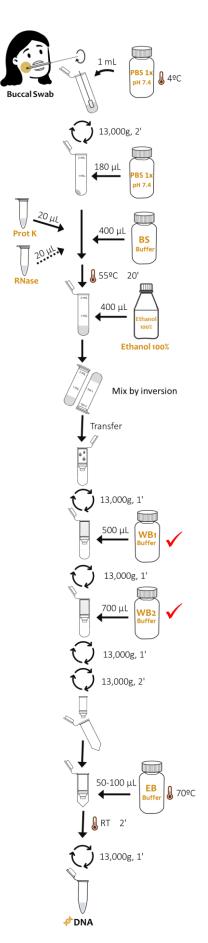
- 1. If your buccal swab sample is freshly collected, add 400 μL of BS Buffer. If your sample has been preserved in the Buccal Swab Preservation Solution (*TBK*0307-9), transfer 700 μL of the preserved sample to a clean microcentrifuge tube.
- 2. Optional, if RNA-free preparation is required: Add 20 μL RNase A (10 mg/mL).
- 3. Add 20 μL Proteinase K. Mix thoroughly by pipetting until a homogenous solution is observed. Incubate at 55°C for 20 minutes.
- **4.** Transfer the mix to High-Q<sup>™</sup> Spin Column placed into a Collection Tube.
- **5.** Centrifuge at 13,000 g for 1 minute and discard the flow-through. Repeat steps 5 and 6 with the remaining mixture.
- Place the High-Q<sup>™</sup> Spin Column into the Collection Tube, add 500 μL WB1 Buffer.

Check absolute ethanol has been added to WB1 Buffer ( $\checkmark$ ).

- **7.** Centrifuge at 13,000 g for 1 minute and discard the flow-through.
- Place the High-Q<sup>™</sup> Spin Column into the Collection Tube, add 700 µL WB2
  Buffer.

Check absolute ethanol has been added to WB2 Buffer ( $\checkmark$ ).

- **9.** Centrifuge at 13,000 g for 1 minute and discard the flow-through.
- **10.** To dry High-Q<sup>™</sup> Spin Column, place the Spin Column into the Collection Tube and centrifuge again at 13,000 g for 2 minutes.





- 11. Place the Spin Column into a clean 1.5 mL Tube.
- 12. Add 50-100 μL prewarmed Elution Buffer or Water, Molecular Biology Grade (pre-warmed at 70°C) and incubate 2 minutes at room temperature.
- 13. Centrifuge at 13,000 g for 1 minute.
- **14.** Check DNA quality on agarose electrophoresis gel and quantity by spectrophotometry.
- **15.** Store at -20°C.