

NZY Tissue gDNA Isolation kit

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Support protocol for isolating genomic DNA from stool

I. Sample preparation

- Add 250 mg of feces to 1 mL TE buffer (10 mM Tris/HCl; 1 mM EDTA, pH 8.0).
 Resuspend the sample by vigorous vortexing.
- Centrifuge the sample for 15 min at 4,000 xg. Remove supernatant and resuspend the pellet in 0.2-1 mL buffer NT1. Use as much buffer as necessary for good resuspension of the sample. [Additional NT1 Buffer (MB35601) may be purchased separately].
- 3. Transfer 200 μ L of the resuspended sample to a new microcentrifuge tube.

Notes: Human cells, bacterial cells, and cells of pathogens in the stool lyse during the incubation step at 56 °C with Proteinase K with different efficiency. An additional incubation at increased temperature (up to 95 °C; 5–10 min) can be beneficial for cells that are difficult to lyse (e.g., some bacteria and parasites).

Proceed with step 2 of the standard protocol with addition of Proteinase K.