Saliva DNA Isolation Kit

Norgen’s Saliva DNA Isolation Kit provides a fast and simple procedure for isolating genomic DNA from saliva samples collected and preserved using Norgen’s Saliva DNA Collection and Preservation Devices, as well as fresh saliva. Human genomic DNA extracted from buccal epithelial cells and white blood cells found in saliva can be used in various applications in diagnostics. The isolated DNA can be used for the detection of biomarkers to diagnose a disease, follow the diseases progress or monitor the effects of a particular treatment. Saliva DNA can also be used to diagnose particular types of infections. Isolation of DNA from saliva has become an attractive alternative to isolation from blood or tissue due to the fact that sample collection is non-invasive, the samples can be collected by individuals with little training, and no special equipment is required. Saliva DNA purified using Norgen’s kit is of the highest quality, and is compatible with a number of downstream research applications including PCR, Southern Blot analysis, sequencing and microarray analysis.

### Kit Specifications

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<td>Maximum Saliva Input</td>
<td>500 μL preserved saliva</td>
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<td>250 μL fresh saliva</td>
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<td>Average Purity (OD 260/280)</td>
<td>1.7 - 2.1</td>
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<td>Average Yield from 0.25 mL of Saliva*</td>
<td>3 - 7 μg</td>
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<td>Time to Complete 10 Purifications</td>
<td>30 minutes</td>
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* Average yield will depend on the donor

### Saliva DNA Isolation Kit Benefits

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<td>Fast and easy processing</td>
<td>Rapid spin-column format allows for the processing of 10 samples in 30 minutes.</td>
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<td>Compatible with Norgen’s collection and preservation products</td>
<td>This product allows for the isolation of DNA from samples collected and preserved using Norgen’s Saliva DNA Collection and Preservation Devices.</td>
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<td>Sample collection is non-invasive and painless</td>
<td>Saliva offers an attractive alternative to blood or tissue for the isolation of human DNA samples for use in diagnostic applications.</td>
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<td>Recovered DNA is suitable for various downstream applications</td>
<td>Purified saliva DNA can be used in a number of downstream applications including PCR, Southern Blot analysis, sequencing and microarray analysis.</td>
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Figure 1. High Quality and Yield of DNA from Saliva Samples. Total DNA was isolated from 250 µL of eight different saliva samples using Norgen’s Saliva DNA Isolation Kit (Lanes 1-8). For evaluation, 20 µL of each 100 µL DNA elution was run on a 1.0% agarose gel. Note the high yield and quality of the DNA in all lanes. Lane M: Norgen’s HighRanger 1kb DNA Ladder.

Saliva DNA Isolation Kit Contents
1. Lysis Buffer F
2. Proteinase K
3. Binding Buffer B
4. Wash Solution A
5. Elution Buffer B
6. Spin Columns
7. Collection Tubes
8. Elution tubes (1.7 mL)
9. Product Insert

Storage Conditions
The kit contains ready-to-use Proteinase K which is dissolved in a specially prepared storage buffer. The Proteinase K should be stored at room temperature or 4°C. All other solutions should be kept tightly sealed and stored at room temperature (15 – 25 °C). These reagents should remain stable for at least 2 years in their unopened containers.

Figure 2. Detection of the Human 5S Gene using SYBR Green Real-Time PCR
Saliva DNA isolated from a 250 µL saliva sample using Norgen’s Saliva DNA Isolation Kit was used as the template in a SYBR Green real-time PCR reaction to detect the human 5S gene. The DNA could be successfully amplified without any inhibition when 1, 3, 6 and 9 µL of saliva DNA was used as the template, indicating the excellent quality of the purified DNA for use in downstream applications.

Customer-Supplied Reagents and Equipment
- Benchtop microcentrifuge
- Micropipettors
- Water (for rinsing of mouth)
- Norgen’s Saliva DNA Collection and Preservation Devices (optional)
- Isopropanol
- 55°C incubator

Shipping Conditions
The Saliva DNA Isolation Kit is shipped at room temperature.

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