

# PCR Purification

## Aim

To purify PCR products.

## Procedure

Before use, ethanol must be added to the PE buffer (see instructions on the bottle) and 1:250 pH indicator must be added to the PB buffer. The yellow color of the PB buffer mixed with pH indicator indicates a  $\text{pH} \leq 7.5$  and is required to obtain an efficient binding of DNA to the membrane.

1. Add 5 volumes of PB buffer to the sample. Transfer the mixture to a clean spin column and centrifuge for 30 sec, 13 000 rpm.
2. Pour the mixture into the spin column again, centrifuge for 30 sec, 13 000 rpm. Repeat this step 5 times.
3. Add 750 $\mu\text{l}$  of PE washing buffer to the spin column. Centrifuge for 30 sec, 13 000 rpm. Discard flow-through.
4. Centrifuge for 30 sec, 13 000 rpm.
5. Place the spin column in a clean Eppendorf tube. Elute the DNA by adding 30 $\mu\text{l}$   $\text{dH}_2\text{O}$ . Let stand for 5 min and centrifuge for 1 min.

## Note!

This protocol is originally distributed by QIAGEN and have been modified with the aim to achieve higher yield. This protocol is for purification of up to 10 $\mu\text{g}$  of

**Lab protocol**

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PCR products, 100 bp-10 kb in size.

## Sources

<https://www.qiagen.com/ie/resources/resourcedetail?id=3987caa6-ef28-4abd-927e-d5759d986658&lang=en>

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