Methylation Specific Bisulfite-Seq Library Prep Kit (illumina platform)

Catalog No.	30103A	30103F	30103S	30103L
Index type	unique dual index	unique dual index	unique dual index	unique dual index
Reactions	24	48	96	96X2

Description

The **Methylation Specific Bisulfite-Seq (MSBS) Library Prep Kit** (illumina platform) was developed for construction of NGS libraries for methylated CpG sites using bisulfite treated DNA (20 ng - 500 ng) as input. The kit enriches methylated CpG regions, thus significantly reduce the sequencing cost. The kit estimates the whole genome methylation patterns at the single base level since it is based on a bisulfite-seq technology.

	dsDNA synthesis	Adaptor addition	Pre-PCR purification	Methylated CpG enrichment PCR	Post-PCR purification
Hands-on time	1 min	1 min	2 min	2 min	3 min
Walk-away time	22 min	20 min	6 min	10-20 min	7 min

It is known that bisulfite treatment of completed NGS libraries causes tremendous damage to the libraries. By using bisulfite treated DNA as input, the kit overcomes the significant library loss due to the bisulfite conversion. The kit contains a mixture of PCR polymerases that have high-fidelity amplification and uracil tolerance which is ideal for bisulfite treated DNA.

Comparison of NGS technologies for Epigenetics

	MSBS (BioDynami)	WGBS	RRBS	MeDIP-Seq
Technology	methylation specific bisulfite sequencing	whole genome bisulfite sequencing	reduced representation bisulfite sequencing	methylated DNA immunoprecipitation sequencing
Feature	enrichment of methylated CpG sites	whole genome is sequenced including non-methylated regions	DNA fragments from restirction enzyme digestion is used	antibody based methylated cytosine capture
Bisulfite sequencing	yes	yes	yes	no
Single base resolution	yes	yes	yes	no (150-200 bases)
Low cost	yes	no	yes	yes
Whole methylated CpG coverage	yes	yes	no (only 10%)	yes

Library multiplexing up to 96 samples is possible with Unique Dual Indexes (UDI). We have developed a **4-Base Difference Index System**. The system allows us to make indexes that have at least 4 bases different from each other in the 8-base index length. Our unique dual indexing primers remove sequencing errors such as index hopping, index cross-contamination, mis-assignment of reads, amplification errors, and de-multiplexing errors. The primer set includes 96 pre-mixed unique pairs of i5 and i7 index primers in a 96-well plate.

Features

- Enrichment of methylated CpG sites
- Single-base resolution
- Low cost for sequencing
- Fast
  - Total time: 1.5 hrs
  - Hands-on time: 10 min
- Simple workflow
- Less magnetic beads required: Reduced more than 50%
- Bisulfite treated DNA input: From 20 ng to 500 ng

Component

Catalog No.	30103A	30103F	30103S	30103L
MS1 Buffer	72 ul	144 ul	288 ul	576 ul
MS1 Enzyme	48 ul	96 ul	192 ul	384 ul
MS2 Buffer	336 ul	672 ul	1344 ul	2688 ul
MS2 Enzyme	24 ul	48 ul	96 ul	192 ul
UDI Primers	5 ul X24	5 ul X48	5 ul X96	10 ul X96
Sodium Chloride (2.12 M)*	720 ul	1440 ul	2880 ul	5760 ul
PCR mix	600 ul	1200 ul	2400 ul	4800 ul

Storage Condition

- Store kit at -20°C, stable up to 12 months.

Reagent & Equipment Needed (not provided in this kit)

- Magnetic particle concentrator
- PCR thermal cycler
- 96-well PCR plate
- 80% ethanol (prepare before use)
- Sodium Chloride Solution (2.12 M)*
- Magnetic Beads (BioDynami Cat.# 40051) or equivalent

*Sometimes the tube of Sodium Chloride (2.12 M) may crack during dry ice shipping. Customers need to prepare Sodium Chloride (2.12 M) in this case.

Library and Index Information

Sequence of the final library with index locations:

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5′AATGATACGGCGACCACCGAGATCTACACNNNNNNNNACACTCTTTCCCTACACGACGCTCTTCCGATCT-insert-
3′TTACTATGCCGCTGGTGGCTCTAGATGTGNNNNNNNNTGTGAGAAAGGGATGTGCTGCGAGAAGGCTAGA-insert-

        -insert-AGATCGGAAGAGCACACGTCTGAACTCCAGTCACNNNNNNNNNATCTCGTATGCCGTCTTCTGCTTG 3′
        -insert-TCTAGCCTTCTCGTGTGCAGACTTGAGGTCAGTGNNNNNNNNNTAGAGCATACGGCAGAAGACGAAC 5′
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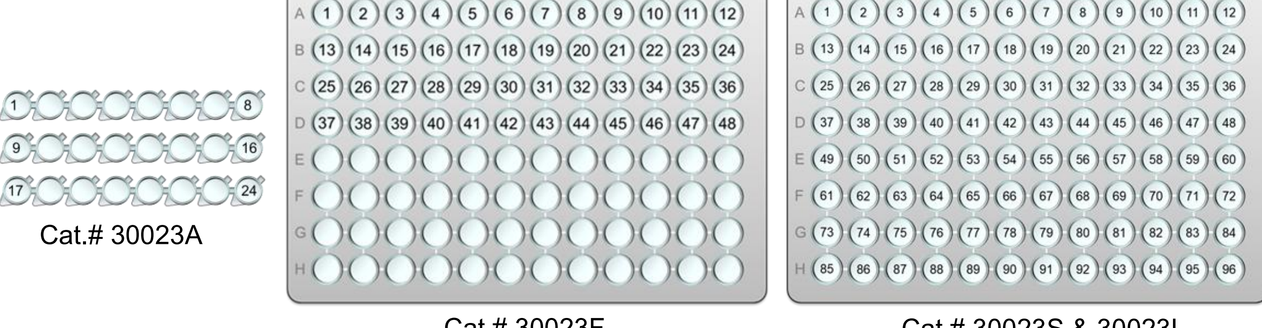
Note: i5 index: NNNNNNN (in yellow) is the index sequence, 5' to 3' direction.
I7 index: NNNNNNN (in red) is the index sequence, 5' to 3' direction.

List of indexes can be downloaded from:
https://www.biodynami.com/documents/BioDynami-Unique-Dual-Index.xls

For Cat.# 30023A, UDI primers will be shipped in 8-stripe PCR tubes with index labels at both ends as shown below. For Cat.# 30023F, 30023S, and 30023L, primers will be shipped in 96-well plates. Below is the index layout.



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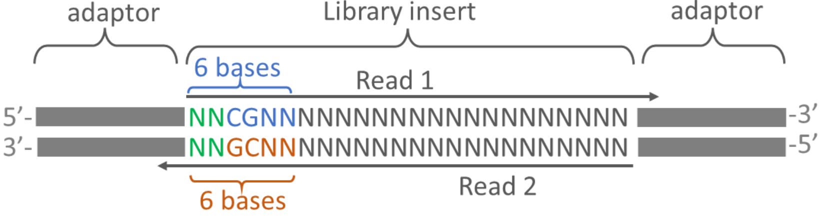
Attention to Data Analysis

The methylated CpG sites are mainly located at the beginning of read 1 (figure below). To maximize the alignment rate, we suggest doing the following:

1) Trim adaptor sequences

2) Scan the first six bases of read 1. If a CpG exists within the first 6 bases, trim the bases before the CpG (for example, trim NN in the figure below, top strand).

3) Scan the last six bases of read 2. If a CpG exists within the last 6 bases, trim the bases after the CpG (for example, trim NN in the figure below, bottom strand).



Protocol

Step 1: dsDNA synthesis

1) Add the following to one well of a 96-well PCR plate:

Bisulfite treated DNA	25 ul (20 ng ~ 500 ng)
MS1 Buffer	3 ul
MS1 Enzyme	2 ul
Total	30 ul

2) Mix by pipetting ten times.
3) Incubate at 50°C for 2 min, 30°C for 20 min. Proceed immediately to step 2.

Step 2: Adaptor addition

1) Add the following to Step 1 reaction mixture. Slow pipetting of the viscous MS2 Buffer is needed for precise aliquot.

MS2 Buffer	14 ul
MS2 Enzyme	1 ul
Total	15 ul

2) Mix by pipetting ten times.
3) Incubate at 20°C for 20 min.
4) Add Sodium Chloride (2.12 M) 30 ul to the reaction mixture. Proceed immediately to step 3.

Pre-PCR purification

1) Resuspend Magnetic Beads and transfer 40 ul to the above reaction mixture, mix by pipetting and incubate for 3 min.
2) Load the plate on a magnet, incubate for 2 min, and discard the supernatant carefully. Remove all residual supernatant without disturbing the beads.
3) Add 180 ul of 80% ethanol, incubate for 30 sec, and discard the supernatant carefully. Remove all residual ethanol without disturbing the beads.
4) Remove the plate from the magnet, resuspend the beads in 22 ul of water.
5) Load the plate on the magnet, incubate for 1 min, and transfer 20 ul supernatant (containing library) to a new tube without disturbing the beads.

Step 4: PCR

1) Mix the following in a PCR plate:

Library	20 ul
UDI Primers	5 ul
PCR mix	25 ul
Total	50 ul

2) Put PCR plate on a thermal cycler, start PCR with the following condition:

Step	Temperature	Time	Cycles
Initial Denaturation	95°C	2 minutes	1
Denaturation	95°C	30 seconds	10-14 cycles*
Annealing	60°C	30 seconds	
Extension	68°C	45 seconds	
Final Extension	68°C	2 minutes	1
Hold	4°C		

* As a reference:
13-14 cycles for 20-50 ng input;
12-13 cycles for 50-100 ng input;
11-12 cycles for 100-200 ng input;
10-11 cycles for 200-500 ng input;

Step 5: Post-PCR purification

1) Resuspend Magnetic Beads and transfer 40 ul to the above reaction mixture, mix by pipetting and incubate for 3 min.
2) Load the plate on a magnet, incubate for 2 min, and discard the supernatant carefully.
3) Add 180 ul of 80% ethanol, incubate for 30 sec, and discard the supernatant carefully. Remove all residual ethanol without disturbing the beads.
4) Remove the plate from the magnet, resuspend the beads in 22 ul of water or Tris-HCl (10 mM).
5) Load the plate on the magnet, incubate for 1 min, and transfer 20 ul supernatant (containing library) to a new tube without disturbing the beads.

Quality Control

Kit components passed stringent functional quality test.

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