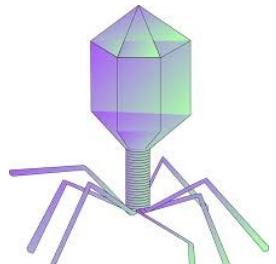


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## Bacteriophage Cryopreservation

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### Abstract

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## Materials

### STEP MATERIALS

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## Preparation

- 1 Vortex a freshly lysed culture for 10 sec  
 00:00:10
- 2 Add 1 mL of phage into each cryogenic vial  
 1 mL
- 3 Add 1 mL of 20% glycerol to each vial with phage  
 1 mL  
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- 4 Invert tubes several times
- 5 Place immediately in a -80°C freezer

## Transferring frozen virus particles

- 6 Remove cryogenic vials one at a time from the freezer
- 7 Using a sterile pipette tip, scrape a small amount of frozen virus particles into a 20 mL mid-log culture
- 8 Place cryogenic vials immediately back into the freezer
- 9 Allow to incubate and lyse culture under constant light conditions appropriate for your specific culture