

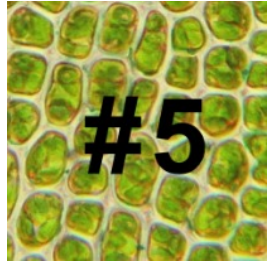
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Protocol status: Working

These protocols were used for RNA extraction from plant tissues in order to support the One Thousand Plants initiative's work to produce RNA-Seq transcriptomes from a diverse collection of plant samples.

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Abstract

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This protocol is part of a collection of eighteen protocols used to isolate total RNA from plant tissue. (RNA Isolation from Plant Tissue Collection: <https://www.protocols.io/view/rna-isolation-from-plant-tissue-439gyr6>)

Attachments



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Materials






Reagents

- 5 M NaCl
- Chloroform
- Isopropyl alcohol
- 75 % ethanol (DEPC treated)
- pBIOZOL Reagent (Beijing Bai billion New Technology Co., Beijing, China)
- RNase-free water

Safety warnings






 Please see SDS (Safety Data Sheet) for hazards and safety warnings.




- 1 Grind tissue to a powder in liquid nitrogen.
- 2 Add  1.3 mL of cold ( 4 °C) pBIOZOL Reagent for up to  100 mg of frozen, ground tissue.
- 2.1 Mix by briefly vortexing or flicking the bottom of the tube until the sample is thoroughly suspended.
- 3 Incubate the tube for  00:05:00 at  20 °C .

Note

Lay the tube down horizontally to maximize surface area during RNA extraction.

- 4 Centrifuge for  00:02:00 at  12000 x g .
- 4.1 Transfer the supernatant to an RNase-free tube.
- 5 Add  100 µL of  5 Molarity (M) NaCl to the extract.
- 5.1 Tap tube to mix.
- 6 Add  300 µL of chloroform.
- 6.1 Mix thoroughly by inversion.



7 Centrifuge the sample at  4 °C for  00:10:00 at  12000 x g to separate the phases.

7.1 Transfer the top aqueous phase to an RNase-free tube.

8 Add to the aqueous phase an equal volume of isopropyl alcohol.

8.1 Mix.

8.2 Let stand at  20 °C for  00:10:00 .




9 Centrifuge the sample at  4 °C for  00:10:00 at  12000 x g .

10 Decant the supernatant, taking care not to lose the pellet.



10.1 Add  1 mL of chilled 75 % ethanol to the pellet.

Note




Pellet may be difficult to see.

11 Centrifuge at  Room temperature for  00:05:00 at  12000 x g .



- 11.1 Decant the liquid carefully, taking care not to lose the pellet.
- 11.2 Briefly centrifuge to collect the residual liquid and remove it with a pipette.
- 12 Add  10 μL –  30 μL RNase-free water to dissolve the RNA.
- 12.1 Pipette the water up and down over the pellet to dissolve the RNA.

Note

If any cloudiness is observed, centrifuge the solution at  Room temperature for  00:01:00 at  12000 x g and transfer the supernatant to a fresh tube.