

**foodproof® Sample Preparation Kit I**

Order No. S 400 04

**Quick Reference Procedure**  
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**A. Kit Content**

All solutions except foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Lysis Buffer (vial 1) are clear, and should not be used when precipitates have formed. If precipitates have formed, warm the solutions at 15 – 25 °C or in a 37 °C water bath until the precipitates have dissolved. Store all reagents at 15 to 25 °C.

**B. Chemical Hazard**

The foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Binding Buffer (vial 2) contains irritating compounds that are harmful when brought in contact with skin, inhaled, or swallowed. Always store and use this buffer away from food for humans and animals. Always wear gloves, and follow standard safety precautions during handling.

**C. Number of Preparations**

100 isolations

**D. Storage and Stability**

- Store the kit at 15 °C to 25 °C through the expiration date printed on the label.
- Once the kit is opened, store the kit components as described in the following Kit Contents table:

**Note:** Inappropriate storage at 2–8 °C (refrigerator) or -15 to -25 °C (freezer) will adversely impact nucleic acid purification when precipitates form in the solutions.

Vial / Cap Color	Label	Contents / Function
1 red cap	foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Lysis Buffer	• 20 ml • For lysis of cells and extraction of DNA.
2 green cap	foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Binding Buffer	• 30 ml • For binding of DNA to glass fiber fleece.
3 blue cap	foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Wash Buffer	• 20 ml, add 80 ml absolute ethanol. • For removing impurities.
4 colorless cap	foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Elution Buffer	• 40 ml • For elution of DNA.
5	foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Filter Tubes	• 2 bags with 50 polypropylene tubes with two layers of glass fiber fleece. • For use with up to 700 µl sample volume.
6	Collection Tubes	• 2 bags with 50 polypropylene tubes (2 ml).

**E. Additional Equipment and Reagents Required**

- Ethanol, absolute
- Standard tabletop microcentrifuge capable of a 13,000 × g centrifugal force (e.g., Eppendorf 5415C or equivalent)
- Microcentrifuge tubes, 1.5 ml, sterile
- Heating Unit

### F. Before you Begin

In addition to the ready-to-use solutions supplied with the kit, you will need the following working solutions; preparation of working solutions is required:

Bottle / Cap Color	Content	Preparation of working solution	Storage and stability
3 blue	foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Wash Buffer	Add 80 ml absolute ethanol to foodproof Sample Preparation I Wash Buffer. Note: Label and date bottle after ethanol is added.	Store at 15 – 25 °C. Stable until the expiration date printed on kit label.

### G. Procedure

The following protocol describes the DNA isolation from 1 ml enrichment culture.

Step	Action	Volume	Time/g /Time/Temp.
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shake the enrichment culture gently and let settle.</li> <li>Transfer the sample (supernatant) to a 1.5 ml reaction tube.</li> </ul>	1 ml	5 – 10 min
2	Centrifuge		5 min at 8,000 × g
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remove the supernatant with a pipette, discard and inactivate appropriately.</li> <li>Resuspend the pellet in foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Lysis Buffer (bottle 1, red cap), mixing the foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Lysis Buffer well while pipetting.</li> <li>Incubate Note: Ensure that the reaction tube is firmly shut.</li> <li>Mix the lysate by vortexing.</li> <li>Centrifuge</li> </ul>	200 µl	95 °C for 10 min 2 s 1 min at 12,000 × g
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Binding Buffer (bottle 2, green cap), to a new 1.5 ml reaction tube.</li> </ul>	300 µl	
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Transfer the entire supernatant (from step 3) to the reaction tube with the foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Binding Buffer (step 4).</li> <li>Mix well by pipetting up and down.</li> </ul>	approx. 200 µl	
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pipet the entire mixture into the upper reservoir of a combined Sample Preparation Filter Tube-Collection Tube assembly.</li> </ul>	approx. 500 µl	
7	Centrifuge		1 min at 5,000 × g
8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discard the flow-through.</li> <li>Add foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Wash Buffer working solution (bottle 3, blue cap) to the upper reservoir.</li> <li>Centrifuge</li> </ul>	450 µl	1 min at 5,000 × g
9	Repeat step 8.		
10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discard the flow-through.</li> <li>Centrifuge to remove residual foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Wash Buffer.</li> </ul>		10 s at max. speed (13,000 × g)
11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Insert filter tube in a clean 1.5 ml reaction tube.</li> <li>Add pre-warmed (70 °C) foodproof Sample Preparation Kit I Elution Buffer (bottle 4, colorless cap) onto the glass fiber fleece.</li> <li>Incubate</li> </ul>	50 µl	15 – 25 °C for 1 – 2 min
12	Centrifuge Result: The reaction tube now contains the eluted DNA.		1 min at 5,000 × g

**Note:** For further information please refer to: [www.bc-diagnostics.com/?cid=1195722740&lang=1](http://www.bc-diagnostics.com/?cid=1195722740&lang=1)

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