xGen[™] HIV Amplicon Panel

The xGen Amplicon HIV Panel includes a premixed target-specific multiplex PCR primer pool designed to cover 99.3% of the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) genome.

To construct next generation sequencing (NGS) libraries for the Illumina[®] sequencing platform, this panel must be purchased with the xGen Amplicon Core Kit and xGen Amplicon indexing primers of choice. For more information, see the xGen HIV Amplicon Panel webpage.

Features	Specifications	
Panel information	Primers designed to target the HIV genome	
Input material	HIV 1st or 2nd strand cDNA, or dsDNA plasmid	
	minimum of 1,000 double-stranded copies	
Multiplexing capability	Up to 1536 UDIs	
Recommended read depth	500,000 reads per library, PE150 or PE250	
Time required	~2.5 hours	
Number of amplicons	107	

Protocol modifications

Please use the xGen Amplicon Panels for viral genome sequencing Protocol for the full description of the procedures. The following thermal cycler conditions and SPRI ratios have been specially optimized for this panel:

Temperature (°C)	Time	Number of cycles
98	30 sec	1
98	10 sec	
65	5 min	4
65	1 min	
98	10 sec	- 24
64	1 min	
65	1 min	1
4	∞	

^{*}Confirm lid heating is turned ON and is set to 105°C. Allow the block to reach 98°C before loading samples.

Temperature (°C)	Time	Number of cycles
37	20 min	1
98	30 sec	1
98	10 sec	
60	30 sec	9
66	1 min	
4	∞	

^{*} Confirm lid heating is turned ON and is set to 105°C. Allow the block to reach 37°C before loading samples.

Proceed to post indexing PCR SPRI Cleanup: 0.65X (32.5 µL PEG-NaCl).

If samples contain a low number of viral copies, see Appendix C: Low Viral Load Recommendations in the xGen Amplicon Panels for viral genome sequencing Protocol to adjust PCR cycles and increase library yield.



Important: Multiplex PCR reactions must be assembled on ice and then placed in a pre-heated thermal cycler. Failure to do so will reduce yields and performance.

For more information, go to: www.idtdna.com/ContactUs

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