

Material for small RNA sequencing

1. Sample Requirements

Sample Type	Remarks	Amount	RIN	Volume	Concentration	Purity
			(Agilent 2100TM)			(NanoDropTM/Agarose gel)
Total RNA	Strongly Recommended	$\geq 4 \mu\text{g}$	Animal ≥ 7.5 , Plant ≥ 7 , with smooth baseline	$\geq 20 \mu\text{L}$	$\geq 50 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{L}$	$\text{OD}_{260/280} \geq 2.0$;
	Required	$\geq 2 \mu\text{g}$				No degradation or DNA contamination
Exosomal RNA	Strongly Recommended	$\geq 80\text{ng}$	Peak between 25-200nt, FU>10, no peak > 2000nt	$\geq 10 \mu\text{L}$	-	$\text{OD}_{260/280} \geq 2.0$;
	Required	$\geq 40 \text{ ng}$				No degradation or DNA contamination

2. Sequencing parameters

Platform	Illumina Novaseq 6000
Read length	Single-end 50
Recommended Sequencing Depth	≥ 10 million read pair per sample
Data quality	Guaranteed $\geq 85\%$ bases with Q30 or higher
Turnaround time	Within 22 working days from project verification to data releasing without bioinformatic analysis

Note: For sequencing depth, the sequencing depth could be customized according to the project needs. Please contact us for more detail information.

3. Data analysis Contents

Standard Analysis (miRNA)
Data Quality Control: Filtering reads containing adapter or uncertain nucleotides or of low quality, and statistic summary of data quality
Summary of Length Distribution

Common and Specific Sequence Summary	
Mapping Clean Reads to Reference Genome	
Functional Classification and Annotation of small RNA	Identification Known miRNA
	Non-coding Transcripts Annotation
	Repeat Sequence Annotation
	(Annotation of the reference genome should be provided)
	Exon and Intron Annotation
	Novel miRNA Prediction
miRNA Base Edit	
miRNA Family Analysis	
miRNA Expression Quantification	
Correlation Analysis Between Groups (Only for Samples with biological replicates)	
Differential Expression Analysis (Only for Grouping with control samples)	
Target Gene Prediction of Known and Novel miRNA	
Functional Analysis of Differentially Expressed Genes (Only for Grouping with control samples)	Gene Ontology (GO) Enrichment Analysis
	Kyoto Encyclopedia of Genes and Genomes (KEGG) Pathway Enrichment Analysis
Advanced Analysis between mRNA and miRNA	
(mRNA-seq for corresponding samples is needed simultaneously.)	
Conjunction Analysis of Differentially Expressed mRNA and Differentially Expressed miRNA Downstream Targeting genes	Cluster Analysis
	GO Enrichment Analysis
	KEGG Enrichment Analysis
	Protein Protein Interaction Analysis
Advanced Analysis (piRNA)	
Data Quality Control: Filtering reads containing adapter or uncertain nucleotides or of low quality, and statistic summary of data quality	
Summary of Length Distribution	
Mapping Clean Reads to Reference Genome	
piRNA Analysis	Identification of piRNA

	piRNA Base Bias Analysis
	Quantification Analysis
	Chromosome Distribution Analysis
	Source Gene Analysis
	Functional Enrichment Analysis
piRNA Cluster Analysis	Quantification Analysis
	Chromosome Distribution Analysis
	Differential Expression Analysis
	Adjacent Gene Analysis

Standard Analysis (siRNA) (only for samples with virus infection)
Data Quality Control: Filtering reads containing adapter or uncertain nucleotides or of low quality, and statistic summary of data quality
Summary of Length Distribution
Sequence Assembly
Contig Classification and Annotation
Mapping Clean Reads to Reference (Host Genome, Nr Database, Nt Database, Virus ReSeq Database)
Summary of Virus Species Candidate