

Circular RNA Sequencing

1. Sample Requirements

Sample Type	Amount	Volume	Concentration	*RIN (Agilent 2100™)	Purity (NanoDrop™)
Total RNA	≥ 2 μg	≥ 25 μL	≥ 50 ng/μL	Animal ≥ 7.0, Plant/Fungus ≥ 6.5, with smooth baseline	OD260/280 ≥ 2.0; OD260/230 ≥ 2.0 no degradation or contamination

^{*}RIN: RNA Integrity Number

2. Sequencing Parameters

Platform	Illumina NovaSeq 6000		
Read length	Paired-end 150 bp		
Recommended sequencing depth	≥ 8G per sample		
Data quality	Guaranteed ≥ 85% bases with Q30 or higher		
**Turnaround time	Within 5 weeks from project verification to data releasing without bioinformatic analysis		

^{**}Turnaround time varies depending on the project volume.

3. Data Analysis Contents

Standard Analysis					
Data Quality Control: Filtering reads containing adapter or uncertain nucleotides or of low quality, and statistic summary of data quality					
Mapping Clean Reads to Reference Genome					
	Length Distribution of circRNAs				
circRNA Identification	Sources of circRNAs				
	Distribution of circRNA on the Chromosomes				
Transcript Expression Quantification					
Correlation Analysis Between Groups (Only for Samples with biological replicates)					
Differential Expression Analysis (Only for Compared Groupings)					
Functional Analysis of Differentially Expressed circRNA	Gene Ontology (GO) Enrichment Analysis				
Source Genes (Only for Compared Groupings)	Kyoto Encyclopedia of Genes and Genomes (KEGG) Pathway Enrichment Analysis				
CircRNA Target Gene Prediction					