

GeneChip® Expression 3'-Amplification Reagents Two-Cycle cDNA Synthesis Kit

P/N 900432 (30 eukaryotic reactions) Manufactured by Invitrogen for Affymetrix.

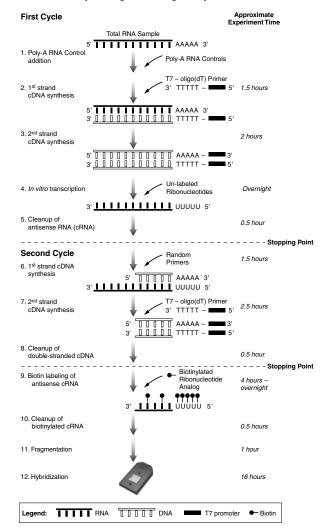
INTRODUCTION	

The Two-Cycle cDNA Synthesis Kit is optimized specifically for GeneChip® eukaryotic target preparation. It contains sufficient reagents to carry out two cycles of cDNA synthesis (not including the intermediate *in vitro* transcription (IVT) amplification reactions) from 10 to 100 ng of total RNA. Sufficient quantity of double-stranded cDNA can be obtained and purified, and is used as a template in the second IVT reaction to generate biotin-labeled complementary RNA (cRNA). The biotinylated cRNA targets are then cleaned up, fragmented, and hybridized to GeneChip brand expression arrays.

Detailed procedure for this assay is described in the *GeneChip® Expression Analysis Technical Manual*; the latest update is available at www.affymetrix.com.

For starting material higher than 1 μg of total RNA, the GeneChip One-Cycle cDNA Synthesis Kit (P/N 900431) can be used.

Two-Cycle Target Labeling Assay



OTHER NECESSARY REAGENTS NOT PROVIDED WITH THE KIT

The following GeneChip brand reagents are necessary for performing the Two-Cycle Target Labeling Assay, some of which need to be ordered separately from the Two-Cycle cDNA Synthesis Kit.

Kit Name	P/N	Steps the kit is used for in the assay	Size
Eukaryotic Poly-A RNA Control Kit*	900433	Step 1	~ 100 rxns
Two-Cycle cDNA Synthesis Kit	900432	Steps 2, 3, 6, and 7	30 rxns
Sample Cleanup Module*	900371	Steps 5, 8, 10, and 11	15 rxns
GeneChip® IVT Labeling Kit*	900449	Step 9	30 rxns
Hybridization Controls*	900454 and 900457	Step 12	30 rxns and 150 rxns

^{*} Reagents that need to be ordered separately

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Volume	Component
120 µL	T7-Oligo(dT) Primer, 50 μM
180 μL	5X 1st Strand Rxn Mix
90 μL	DTT, 0.1M
200 μL	dNTP, 10 mM
45 μL	RNase Inhibitor
60 μL	SuperScript™ II
900 μL	5X 2nd Strand Rxn Mix
200 μL	E. coli DNA Polymerase I
60 μL	MgCl ₂ , 1M
55 μL	RNase H
60 μL	Random Primers
60 μL	T4 DNA Polymerase
9.5 mL	RNase-free Water

STORAGE _

Kit should be kept at -20°C in a non-frost-free freezer. Performance of the kit has been shown to be unaffected for up to twenty freeze-thaw cycles.

FUNCTIONAL TESTING __

GeneChip Array Functional Testing

Each lot is functionally tested in the GeneChip expression assay following the recommended protocol.

SAFETY INFORMATION _

An MSDS is available from Affymetrix. The chemical, physical, and toxicological properties of these components have not been thoroughly investigated.

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PATENTS_

Use of this Kit in accordance with these instructions in preparing targets for GeneChip® probe arrays may be covered by U.S. Patent numbers 5,545,522; 5,716,785; 5,891,636 and 6,291,170. Those who do not use this Kit to prepare targets for GeneChip® probe arrays may be required to obtain a license under these patents.

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