dna scale-up



Mini, Midi, Maxi, and Giga prep scale DNA. Our most popular Flexible Workflow deliverable.

Sequence complexity and length can greatly impact the outcome of plasmid DNA scale-up. Work with Neo to develop customized processes for DNA scale-up, including optimized cell growth parameters and a variety of quality control tests. Ensure consistent delivery of high quality DNA materials that meet defined specifications.

Combine with other DNA services from Neo to create a **Flexible Workflow**



Specifications and TAT for DNA Scale-Up at Neo*

PREP SCALE	MEDIAN LENGTH (KB)	MEDIAN YIELD (UG)	THRESHOLD FOR REPREP (UG)	260/280	AVERAGE TAT (DAYS)⁺
Midi	6	150	40	1.8–2.0	4-6
Maxi	6	300	80	1.8–2.0	4–6
Giga	9	3500	500	1.8–2.0	4–6
Custom	Contact us to design your custom DNA deliverable				

* Data from >8,000 total **high complexity** plasmid preps performed in 2023

⁺ Rush service available, typically 3 day TAT

Sample Types

OPTION	DETAILS
DNA	Any format, plates preferred
Petri Plate	Any format, we will pick colonies from plate
Colony Water	Any format, plates preferred

DNA Delivery Options Post Scale-Up

OPTION	DETAILS
Plasmid DNA Concentration	NormalizedFull yield (Qubit or 260/280 measurement)
Labware	As requested
Layout of Samples in Labware	As requested

Cell Growth Optimization Options

OPTION	DETAILS
Media Composition	Media and supplements as requested
Strain Background	As requested
Growth Temperature	25-37°C

Add-On QA/QC to Evaluate Plasmid DNA (Pre or Post Scale-Up)

QA/QC TEST	DETAILS
Next-Generation Sequencing (Illumina)	 Perform whole plasmid sequencing before DNA scale-up to identify sequence perfect winners to move forward into scale-up Perform whole plasmid sequencing after DNA scale-up to evaluate population level sequence alterations
Sanger Sequencing	Interrogate regions of a plasmid sequence that are not amenable to NGS evaluation (e.g. polyA tracts, repetitive regions) before and/or after DNA scale-up
Tape Station	Precisely evaluate the integrity of plasmid DNA
Restriction Digestion/ Fragment Analysis	Evaluate plasmid integrity before or after scale-up via restriction enzyme digestion and check gel
Degree of Supercoiling	Determine the extent of plasmid supercoiling

Parts Repository

STORAGE TYPE	DESCRIPTION
Short-Term	Store purified DNA or glycerol stocks at Neo for short periods of time (e.g. 1–2 months) to enable rapid re-order and scale up of winners that show successful results in cell-based assays
Long-Term	Store purified DNA or glycerol stocks at Neo for long periods of time (e.g. 1–2 years) for rapid re-order and scale-up of inventoried DNA products or for disaster recovery



The Neo team has built a dynamic order portal, which makes it easy for our partners to place order requests, track progress for each project and/or sample, and reconcile invoices.



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