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mostly followed the protocol from the handbook (starting on page 14)

- 1. Harvest cells by centrifugation at 6,000 x g for 15 mins at 4°C
 - a. Did 3,500 rpm for 15 mins
- 2. Resuspend the pellet in 10 mL buffer P1
 - a. If you split the culture to spin, DO NOT FORGET to combine them again (add 5 mL to each tube then combine).
- 3. Add 10 mL P2, invert the tube 4-6 times, then incubate at RT for 5 mins
- 4. Prepare QIAfilter Cartridge by screwing the cap onto the outlet.
- 5. Add 10 mL chilled P3, invert the tube 4-6 times.
- 6. Pour lysate into the cartridge barrel, incubate at RT for 10 min.
- 7. Remove cap, then insert plunger and filter lysate into 50mL tube
- 8. Add 2.5 mL Buffer ER, mix by inverting approx. 10 times, incubate on ice for 30 minutes.
- 9. Equilibrate tip by applying 10 mL buffer QBT and allowing the column to empty
- 10. Apply filtered lysate to tip, allow to flow through via gravity
- 11. Wash 2x with 30 mL Buffer QC
- 12. Elute DNA with 15 mL Buffer QN into a 30 mL tube
- 13. Precipitate by adding 10.5 mL RT isopropanol, centrifuge at >15,000 g for 30 min at 4°C, decant supernatant
 - a. pellet appears small and fairly transparent
- 14. Wash with 5 mL 70% ethanol and centrifuge at 15,000 g for 10 min, decant the supernatant
- 15. Air dry pellet for 5-10 minutes and redissolve DNA in Buffer TE (used 50 uL).

Let me know if you need anything else! -Maggie