

by partial digestion.

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- (3) complete digestion is avoided because it generates fragments that are too heterogeneous in size.
- (4) The fragments produced in partial digest with enzyme having 4-base recognition sites are more likely to be in appropriate size for cloning.
- (5) Single or mixed digestions with the enzymes AluI ($\text{A}^1\text{T}^1\text{C}^1\text{T}$), HaeIII ($\text{G}^1\text{G}^1\text{C}^1\text{C}$) or SmaI ($\text{G}^1\text{A}^1\text{C}^1\text{A}^1\text{T}^1\text{C}$) have been used for construction of genomic libraries.
- (6) Use of restriction enzyme has advantage that the same sets of fragments are obtained from a DNA, each time specific enzyme is used.
- (7) The partial digests of genomic DNA are subjected to agarose gel electrophoresis or sucrose gradient centrifugation for separation.
- (8) Then mixture of the suitable fragments inserted into a suitable vectors.
- (9) The shotgun approach to gene cloning
- (10) Any vector most commonly used for DNA insert of 23-25 kb in λ vector and cosmid. or high capacity vectors like BAC, PAC, YACs can be used.

- (11) Recombinant genomic DNA libraries construction (3) is used for transfection/transformation and multiplied in the host field plaques or clones.
- (12) which are then stored in the amplified genomic library.

* cDNA library :-

(1) cDNA library is a population of bacterial transformants or phage lysate in which each mRNA isolated from an organism is inserted in a plasmid or a phage vector.

(2) For this, the total mRNA extracted from a suitable organism/tissue.

(3) chromatography, on poly U-sepharose, enriches the preparation with mRNA of all kinds.

(4) Density gradient centrifugation is also used.

(5) protein produced by gene purified by specific antibodies.

* Preparation of cDNA library :-

(1) cDNA is complementary DNA produced by using mRNA as a template.

(2) copies is produced with the help of enzyme reverse transcriptase.

(3) Eukaryotic mRNA used as template, a poly T-oligonucleotide is used as primer.

(4) These mRNA has poly(A) tail @ 3' end.

- ⑤ A poly(A) tail may added @ 3' end by enzyme ④
 poly(A) polymerase
- ⑥ Reverse transcriptase extends 3' ends of mRNA.
- ⑦ Appropriate oligonucleotide primer is annealed with mRNA
- ⑧ This primer ~~using~~ will be base paired by using mRNA molecule as a template. This produces DNA-RNA hybrid molecules
- ⑨ RNA strand is digested by RNase H or alkaline hydrolysis
- ⑩ cDNA cloned in phage vector, afford high efficiency packaging *in vitro* as a result, gives large nos. of cDNA clones.

⑪ $10^5 - 10^6$ cDNA clones are sufficient for isolation.

Properties of cDNA & cDNA library:-

- 1] Eukaryotic cDNA are free from intron sequences.
- 2] cDNA are smaller in size than corresponding genes.
- 3] A comparison of cDNA sequence with the corresponding genome sequence permits delineation of intron/ exon boundaries.
- 4] cDNA library from a single organism will vary widely depending on developmental stage & cell type.
- 5] cDNA library will be enriched for abundant mRNA, but may contain only a few or no clones representing rare mRNAs.

* Application of cDNA library :-

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Use of cDNA absolutely essential when the expression of an eukaryotic gene is required in a prokaryote.

- ① Detection of clone
- ② polypeptide products may be the primary objective of cloning.
- ③ Eukaryotic genes have intron, must be removed from transcript to yield mature mRNA
- ④ Bacteria does not possess intron.

* Screening of Recombinants :-

When Recombinant DNA is constructed and used for transformation of E. coli cells,

- ① Majority of the cells are non-transformed.
- ② a proportion of ~~untransformed~~ the transformed cells, unaltered vector.
- ③ Remainder cells have recombinant DNA

A mixture of cells plated on suitable medium.

A clone containing a recombinant DNA molecule is called recombinant clone.

The two steps direct selection methods are

- ① Reporter gene
- ② Elimination of Non-transformed cells.

Reporter gene:-

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- A marker gene or Reporter gene produces a phenotype, which permits easy selection or quick identification of cells.
- Marker gene is either selectable or scorable
 - A selectable marker governs a feature, which enables only such cells that possess it to survive under the selective conditions
- eg. genes conferring resistance to antimetabolites like kanamycin - are good selectable markers. Those cells having resistant gene survive & form colonies.
- Scorable Markers:- produce distinct phenotypes which allow easy identification of the cells. Such as gus (β -galactosidase - produce blue color in the presence of appropriate substrate)
lux (luciferase produce fluorescence)
oc (octopine synthase)
nos (nopaline synthase! Both oc & nos produce specific nitrogen compd called opines)
GFP (green fluorescence proteins - green fluorescence on illumination).
- Scorable markers do not allow selective multiplication of cells having them.
- they only enable their easy identification.

Ideatification of Recombinant DNAs:

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Two steps consist of ideatification and isolation of those clones transformed by recombinant DNA this may be achieved by several ways:

- ① Vector with 2 selectable markers eg. pBR322 DNA insert placed in one of the amp^r gene. Tet^r are used for elimination of non-transformed cells.
- ② A vector contain gene or a part of gene complements a function missing in their host cells. eg. gene lacZ⁻ - PUC vector, such as lacZ⁻ E. coli strains in which lacZ⁻ is deleted.
- ③ ~~Recombinant~~ ^{Insert} DNA disrupts functⁿ of lacZ⁻ in the recombinant DNA.
- ④ DNA insert code for a gene product - defective in auxotrophic host cells. - a direct selection for recombinant vector is possible.
Hosts cells grow - on medium lacking auxotrophic host.
recombinant vector containing colonies grow only.
- ⑤ selection by suppression of nonsense mutation presents in the host - also permit direct selection.
- ⑥ λ - retain lysogenic function as well eg. λ gt10 DNA insert placed in λ lysis repressor gene CI - recombinant become CI⁻.

Selection of clone containing a specific DNA insert! -

Steps to identify clones - has DNA insert. Identification has to be highly precise and extremely sensitive to allow accurate detection.

Library screening strategies - (1) sequence dependent screening - Nucleic acid in colony hybridization / PCR / chromosome walking / jumping.

(2) protein based screening - differential electrophoretic mobility.

(3) Immunological screening

In hybridization probing! - suitably labelled DNA/RNA probe used for hybridization

Result: Hence we find A², A³, A⁴, A⁵ for the matrix

with recombinant clones in genomic library.

48764	67445	86126
30282	41883	53484
21041	29102	37163

ans =

>> A\5

Sequence dependent screening :-

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① Colony hybridization :-

efficient & rapid strategies for identification of a clones having desired insert use technique of colony hybridization.

From reference the biological molecule adsorbs on membrane immobilised.

1943 2687 3431
2796 3867 4938
4502 6227 7952

ans =

Transfer of ^{molecules} Blot from gel to membrane is called blot.

>> A^4

179 248 317
258 357 456
416 575 734

ans =

Southern (DNA) Blotting

Nucleic acid hybridization.

detectⁿ of a specific DNA seq.

>> A^3

17 23 29
24 33 42
38 53 68

Genome → Specific DNA sequence

ans =

Digestion - R.E.

DNA fragments

>> A^2

1 2 3
2 3 4
4 5 6

DNA gel electrophoresis

A =

separated along mol. wt.

>> A = [1 2 3; 2 3 4; 4 5 6]

ds DNA

MATLAB Programme:

denatured by mild alkali
ss DNA

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 4 & 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Aim: To find A^2, A^3, A^4, A^5 for the matrix

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Blotting!

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DNA-DNA-hybridization, - that forms its basis.
Sample of DNA with different size is subjected to electrophoresis.

DNA may be subjected to restriction digestion in order to generate the fragments.

Agarose gel is useful in separating DNA fragments of few hundred to 20 kb in size. Very large fragments 1000-2000 kb separated in agarose gel electrophoresis.

- Restriction fragments of DNA in agarose gel denatured into single stranded form by alkali treatment.

- Then transferred onto nitrocellulose filter membrane done by placing the gel on top of buffer saturated filter paper,

laying nitrocellulose filter membrane on the top of gel.

Finally some dry filter papers on the top of membrane. buffer moves due to capillary action.

DNA become trapped in nitrocellulose paper as buffer passes through it.

relative position of nitrocellulose is not disturbed.

DNA on nitrocellulose paper is immobilised by baking it at 80°C. in vacuo.

- ssDNA has high affinity for nitrocellulose membrane.

- Support (glass plate)
- Blotting paper
- well
- Nylon membrane
- thick stacks of blotting papers
- paper towels
- weight

Transfer Buffer.
Capillary Action.

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>> Result AB#BA
2 2 7
2 1 5
16 7 33
ans =
>> B*A
2 14 7
2 13 5
4 25 3
ans =
>> A*B
0 0 1
0 1 0
1 6 0
ans =
>> B=[1 6 0; 0 1 0; 0 0 1]
2 2 7
2 1 5
4 1 3
ans =
MATLAB Program:
A=[ 4 1 3
    2 1 5
    2 2 7 ]
B=[ 0 1 0
    0 1 0
    1 6 0 ]
Aim: To find AB and BA for the given matrices.
    
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S₁-mapping:-

- (9) And if high concⁿ is used, obreaks can occur in the DNA duplex.
- (10) The use of labelled probe make it a rather complicated procedure
- (11) Nuclease S₁ is used when the probe is a DNA molecule whereas S₁ is used when the probe is RNA. S₁ is used when the probe is single stranded specific ribonuclease.

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DNA Fingerprinting:-

Report assay :-

S₁ Mapping :-

- ① Method used to locate 5' end of a transcript in a mixture of RNA using nuclease S₁
- ② S₁ Nuclease mapping is a nuclease protection assay using Nuclease S₁.
- ③ This technique is used to quantify and map RNA transcripts.
- ④ It is capable to identify individual RNAs in a mixture of RNA sample of known sequence.
- ⑤ It can particularly map introns and 5' and 3' ends of transcribed gene regions.
- ⑥ As it is capable of quantifying the amount of mRNA, it can therefore identify the level of transcription of the gene in the cells.
- ⑦ Apart from this, it can also determine RNA interference since it can detect the presence of double stranded RNA.
- ⑧ The disadvantage though with S₁ nuclease mapping is its limitation of the size of initial probe because the destruction of the non-hybridized RNA during nuclease digestion.

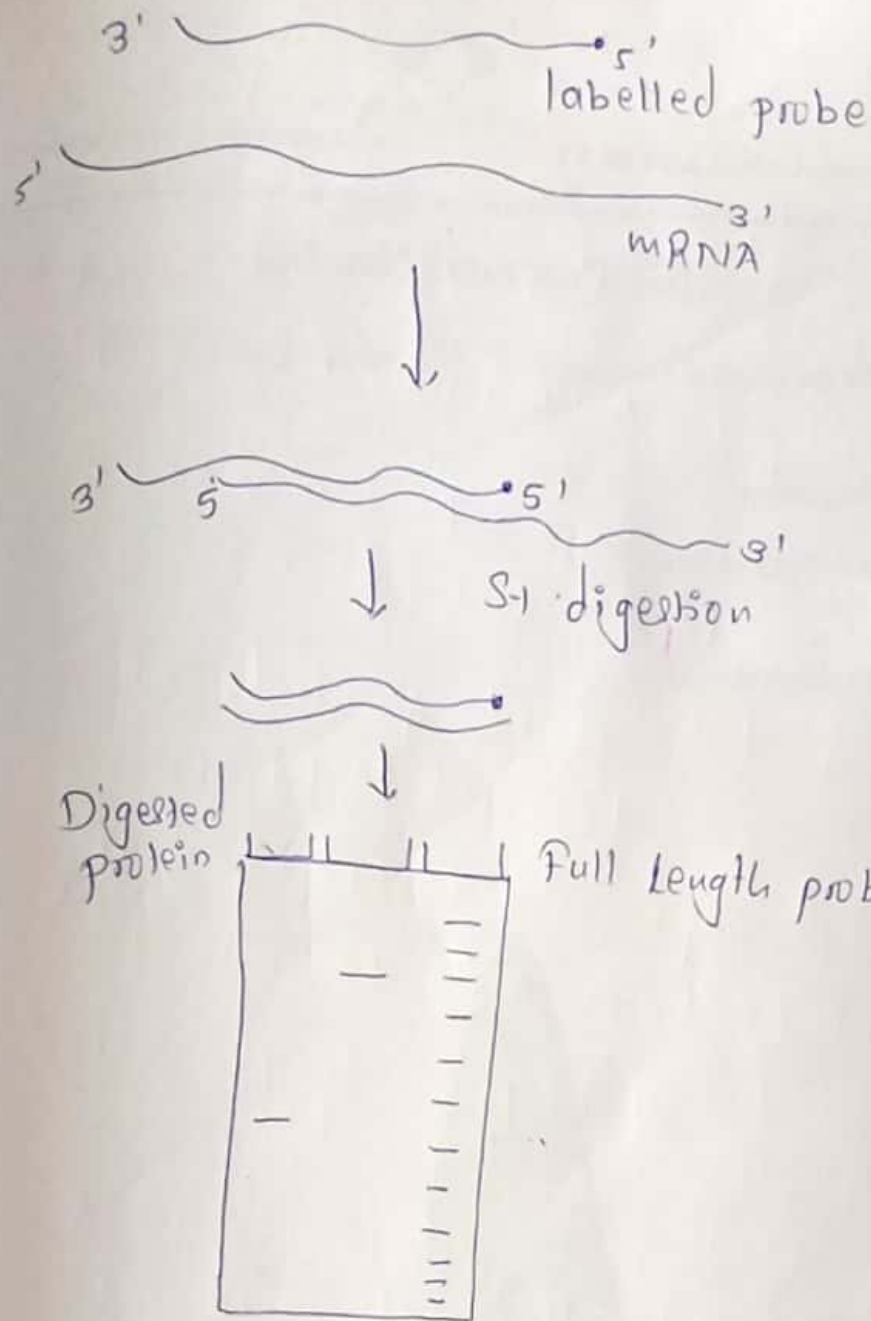


Fig: - S-1 mapping.

people were working on structure of eukaryotic genes searched for splicing of cellular RNAs. Within a very short time after the discovery of adenovirus splicing, the coding sequence of β -globin, ovalbumin, and immunoglobulin genes were also interrupted by non-coding DNA.

Chromosomal genes were spliced. come initially
electron microscopy.

The size and location of these introns were
then estimated by a technique called S1 nuclease
mapping.

Nucleic Acid: →

* In the mid 1960s - Sanger had stopped sequencing of protein procedure and turned his attention to working out fast, simple procedures for sequencing long stretches of RNA.

Advent of method allowed sequencing of fragments of DNA of from 100-500bps

Sanger devised first of these direct DNA sequencing methods,

It is based on elongation of DNA chain with DNA polymerase.

With this technique 5386 bps sequence of the small DNA phage ϕ X174 was quickly determined.

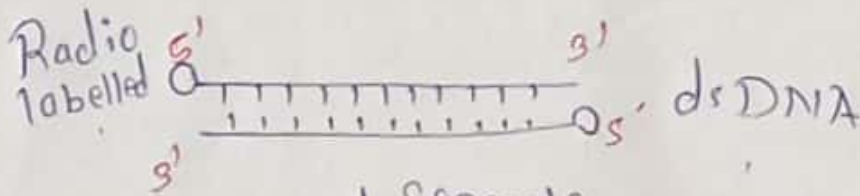
He devised second method for sequencing DNA and again, he used enzymatic rather than chemical, technique.

Specific terminators of DNA chain elongation 2',3' dideoxynucleoside triphosphate - were synthesized.

These dNTPs incorporated normally into growing chain of DNA through their 5'-triphosphate groups.

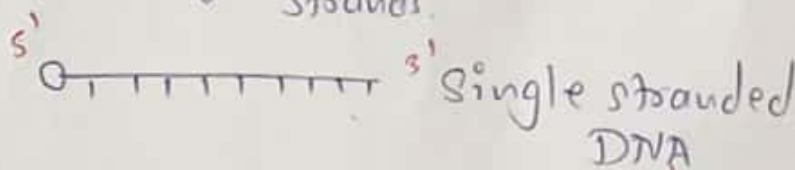
Next incoming deoxynucleotide triphosphate (dNTP)

When small amount of a specific didoxy (NTP_i) is included along with the four deoxy NTPs.



32P - Radiolabelled

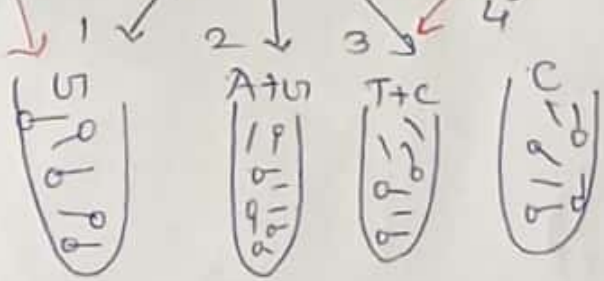
Separate Strands



make a preparation of one strand

dNTP
ATP
GTP
TTP

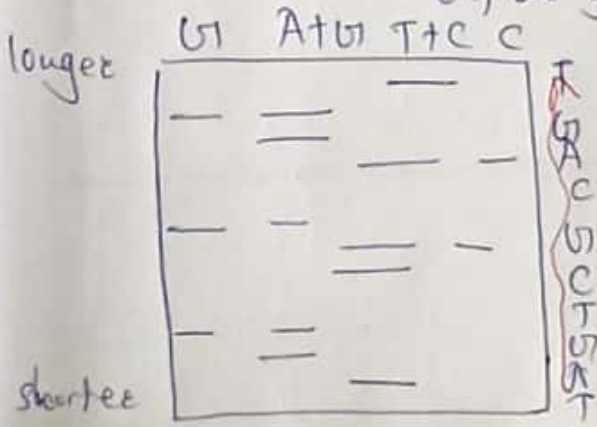
Add
CTA-
TTP
CTP
ATP
GTP
T
A
G
C



selectively destroy specific bases and cleave fragments at damaged site

Separate fragments by gel electrophoresis

Expose gel to X-ray film



Bands on film corresponds to fragments cleaved at each damaged base

TAAT CTTCTAAT
ATEA TCTCA

Sequence of complementary strands

The maxam and Gilbert DNA sequencing procedure segments of DNA is labelled at one end with ^{32}P .

The labelled DNA is divided into four samples and each sample is treated with chemical that specifically destroys one or more of the four bases in the DNA.

The conditions of the reaction are controlled so that only a few sites are nicked in any one DNA molecule.

When these nicked molecules are treated with piperidine, the DNA backbone is broken at site at which the base had been destroyed.

This generates the series of labelled fragments the lengths of which depend on the distance of the destroyed base from the labelled.