

# AUTOMATED SOLUTIONS FOR EPIGENETICS

IP-Star<sup>®</sup> Compact Automated System

High resolution ChIP-seq and MeDIP-seq profiles
Automated library preparation for Next-Generation Sequencing
Reduces hands on time to just 30 minutes
Reduces variability between operators and labs
Ideal for low sample starting amounts

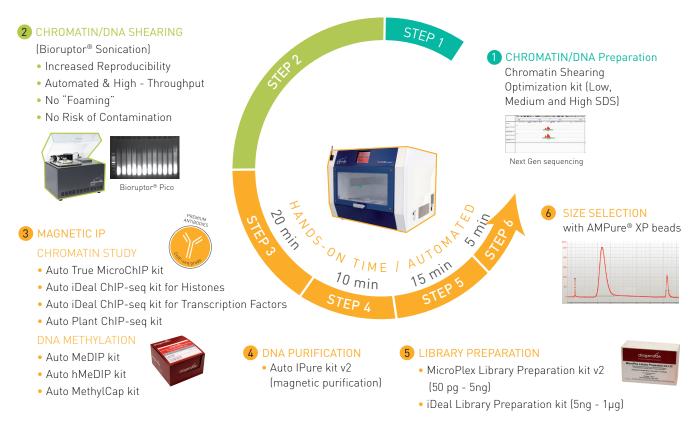


# Standardize and streamline your epigenetic research

## Diagenode IP-Star® Compact automates immunoprecipitation assays with increased reproducibility

Diagenode, the leading provider of complete solutions for epigenetic research, offers a variety of end-to-end systems to streamline DNA methylation and chromatin immunoprecipitation workflows. Central to this full offering is Diagenode's IP-Star<sup>®</sup> Compact, a simple yet robust automated bench-top instrument that standardizes different epigenetic applications (i.e. ChIP, MeDIP or MethylCap). Diagenode designed these automation assays to make epigenetic research accessible, reproducible, and consistent in every experiment.

The IP-Star<sup>®</sup> Compact replaces the numerous manual, error-prone steps of complex epigenetic applications with a reliable, highly consistent and automated process that requires minimal operator intervention. In addition, the IP-Star<sup>®</sup> Compact minimizes sample carryover, data variability, and costly errors. The platform offers full workflow support for epigenetic research, utilizing our complete kits and laboratory-validated protocols to rapidly deliver high-quality and consistent data.



## Figure 1. Diagenode provides a full suite of automated solutions for ChIP experiments.

For Step 1, we offer products to isolate nuclei and chromatin. Step 2 describes reproducible sample shearing with the Bioruptor<sup>®</sup> product line. In Step 3 and Step 4, the Diagenode IP-Star Compact provides error-free, walk-away automation for all your immunoprecipitation and antibody capture needs.

# Walk-away automated system

- Magnetic-bead technology for excellent reproducibility
- Open platform allows changes in protocol parameters
- Simple touch screen interface

- Minimal footprint
- Processing up to 16 samples
- Protocols optimal for 100 µl or 200 µl volumes
- Automated reagent dispensing
- Controlled temperatures via Peltier blocks

Overview of the Automated System



## The Magtration® Technology

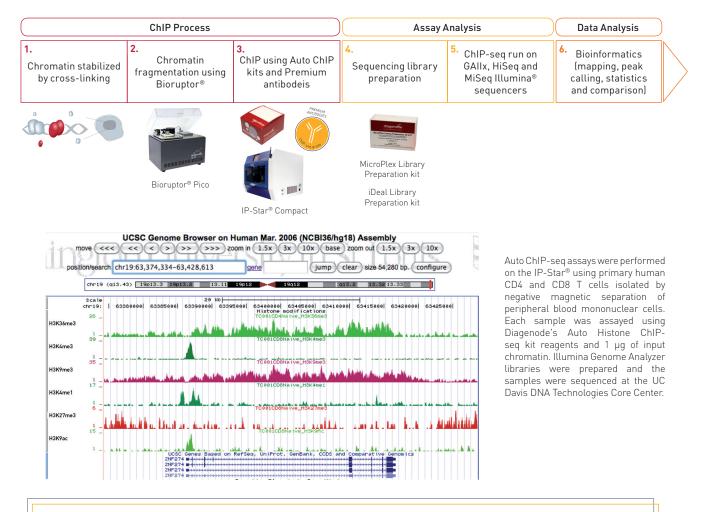
Diagenode's Automated System uses the principle of bead-based magnetic separation. Magnetic beads bound with chromatin or DNA are brought to the inner wall of the tip when a strong magnetic force is applied. This differs from other systems that collect the bound DNA on the bottom of a reaction well, resulting in cleaner assays and less carryover.



# Automated Protocols

- Chromatin immunoprecipitation (ChIP)
- Methylated DNA Immunoprecipitation (MeDIP)
- Hydroxymethylated DNA Immunoprecipitation (hMeDIP)
- Methyl-binding domain protein capture assays (MethylCap)
- Sequential ChIP (Re-ChIP)
- Bisulfite conversion
- RNA immunoprecipitation (RNA-IP)
- DNA purification (IPure)
- Library preparation for NGS platforms

## Successful implementation of automated ChIP-seq experiments on the IP-Star® Compact



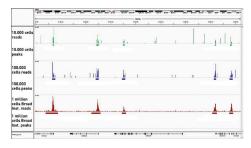
Customer Feedback Not only does the IP-Star eliminate the problem of human variation associated with producing our samples, it also enables us to produce 1000-2000 ChIP-seq samples per year very reliably. The IP-Star reduces our processing time down from one day of manual work to just one overnight run with only 30 minutes of hands-on work. The IP-Star has made all our ChIPs consistent and the process completely reliable regardless of the operator or the time of day.

Dr. John Lambourne, Postdoctorate Researcher at the Innovation Centre, McGill University, Canada.

# ChIP kits

## Auto True MicroChIP kit

- Compatible with 5,000-100,000 cells per IP
- Validated for histone antibodies
- Ideal for whole genome sequencing from low amount of chromatin when combined to the MicroPlex Library Prep kit

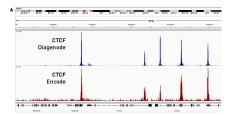


Library generation with the MicroPlex kit. ChIP assays were performed on 10,000 and 100,000 HeLa cells with Diagenode H3K4me3 antibody (0.25  $\mu$ g/reaction). Libraries were made with the MicroPlex Library Preparation Kit. The generated libraries were then analyzed on an Illumina<sup>®</sup> HiSeq2000. Cluster generation and sequencing were performed according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto True MicroChIP kit	C01010140	16 rxns
Auto True MicroChIP & MicroPlex Library Preparation Package	C01010141	16 ChIP + 12 library prep rxns

# Auto iDeal ChIP-seq kit for Transcription Factors

- 4 millions cells per IP
- Validated for ChIP experiments with antibodies directed to transcription factors, epitope tagged transcription.



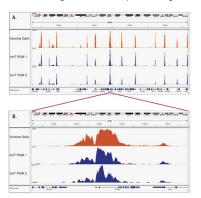
Chromatin Immunoprecipitation using chromatin from HeLa cells, the iDeal ChIP-seq kit for Transcription Factors and the Diagenode ChIP-seq-grade CTCF antibody. The IP'd DNA was subsequently analysed on an Illumina® HiSeq. Library preparation, cluster generation and sequencing were performed according to the manufacturer's instructions. This figure shows the peak distribution in a region surrounding the GAPDH positive control gene.

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto iDeal ChIP-seq Kit for Transcription Factors x24	C01010058	24 rxns
Auto iDeal ChIP-seq Kit for Transcription Factors x100	C01010172	100 rxns

## Auto iDeal ChIP-seq kit for Histones 💡



- 1 million cells per IP
- Validated for ChIP-seq and ChIP-qPCR experiments with antibodies directed to histone modifications
- Ideal for whole genome sequencing



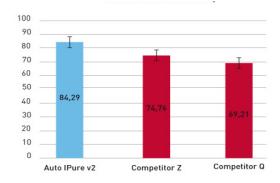
**Image A** shows a several hundred bp along chr12 with high similarity of read distribution despite the radically different sequencers.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Image B}}$  is a close capture focusing on the GAPDH that shows that even the peak structure is similar.

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto iDeal ChIP-seq kit for Histones x24	C01010057	24 rxns
Auto iDeal ChIP-seq kit for Histones x100	C01010171	100 rxns

## Auto IPure kit v2

- Recovery of small amounts of DNA
- Straightforward protocol using magnetic beads
- Provides pure DNA for NGS downstream application



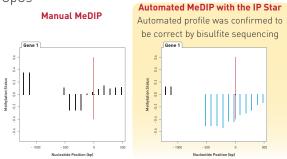
Sample I has been purified in duplicates using the IPure kit v2. The starting material (input) used ranges from 5 ng to 1 µg of DNA.

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto IPure kit v2 x100	C03010010	100 rxns

# **DNA Methylation kits**

## Auto MeDIP kit

- Compatible with 50 ng to 1 µg per IP
- Validated using Diagenode 5-mC monoclonal antibody 33D3 Premium (Cat. No. MAb-081-100)
- Optimal for genome-wide screening of methylated CpGs

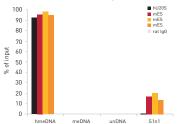


Methylation patterns were analyzed using MeDIP-on-chip in mouse wild type and mutant cell lines. The left panel shows the differential methylation patterns of Gene 1 using a manual MeDIP protocol. While the right panel shows results for automated MeDIP experiments on the IP-Star® Automated System.

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto MeDIP kit x16	C02010011	16 rxns
Auto MeDIP kit x100	C02010012	100 rxns

## Auto hMeDIP kit

- Compatible with 1 µg per IP
- Validated using Diagenode's 5-hmC antibodies
- Includes control primer pairs for the assessment of the capture efficiency
- Optimal for genome-wide screening of hydroxymethylated CpG regions

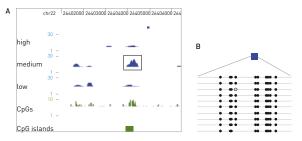


Unmethylated, methylated and hydroxymethylated spike DNA controls (included in the Auto hMeDIP kit) were used in the IP reaction together with 1 µg of genomic sheared DNA. Enrichments were assessed by qPCR using specific primer pairs for the unmethylated, methylated and hydroxymethylated DNA sequences. Sfi1 is a gene that has been identified as being hydroxymethylated using hMeDIP-seq. Human DNA from U2OS was used as negative control DNA.

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto hMeDIP kit x16 (monoclonal rat antibody)	C02010033	16 rxns
Auto hMeDIP kit x16 (monoclonal mouse antibody)	C02010034	16 rxns
Auto hMeDIP kit x16 (polyclonal rabbit antibody)	C02010035	16 rxns

## Auto MethylCap kit

- Compatible with 1 µg per reaction
- Validated using Diagenode's fusion MethylCap protein
- Allows fractionation for methylated DNA based on density of methylated CpG islands
- Ideal for any MBD-seq and MBD-qPCR experiments

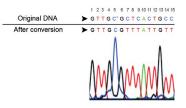


This figure shows MBD-seq results for one genomic region. Using MBD-seq, two methylated regions were detected in different elution fractions according to their methylated CpG density. (A) Low, Medium and High refer to different elution fractions with increasing salt concentration. (B) Methylated patterns of these two different regions were validated by bisulfite sequencing assay.

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto MethylCap kit	C02020011	48 rxns

## Auto Premium Bisulfite kit

- Rapid bisulfite conversion of DNA only 1 hour reaction time
- Simple workflow, 3 steps
- High-yields of converted DNA for methylation analysis
- Optimized for NGS, PCR, and more



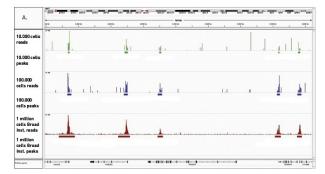
DNA with methylated cytosine (Cm) at nucleotide position #5 was processed using the Premium Bisulfite Kit. DNA was PCR- amplified and then sequenced. The methylated cytosine at position #5 remains intact while the unmethylated cytosines at positions #7, 9, 11, 14 and 15 are completely converted into uracil following bisulfite treatment (detected as thymine following PCR).

Product	Cat. No.	Format
Auto Premium Bisulfite Kit	C02030031	40 rxns

# **NGS Library Preparation kits**

## MicroPlex Library Preparation™ kit v2

- 3 times faster than TruSeq<sup>™</sup> only 2 hours
- 48 samples processed per run
- Picogram inputs (50 pg)
- High sensitivity ChIP-seq low PCR duplication rate
- Great multiplexing flexibility with 48 barcodes (8 nt) included

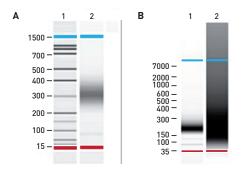


Product	Cat. No.	Format
MicroPlex Library Preparation™ kit v2 x12 (12 indices)	C05010012	12 rxns
MicroPlex Library Preparation™ kit v2 x48 (12 indices)	C05010013	48 rxns
MicroPlex Library Preparation™ kit v2 x48 [48 indices]	C05010014	48 rxns

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Plex Library Preparation™ kit v2 x48 tices]	C05010014	48 rxns	

## **iDeal Library Preparation Kit**

- DNA sample inputs from 5 ng to 1 µg
- Multiplexing capacity of up to 24 samples
- Only 3 hours from start to finish
- Ideal for use with our optimized ChIP-seq kits
- 32 samples per run



Product	Cat. No.	Format
iDeal Library Preparation Kit x24 (incl. Index Primer Set 1)	C05010020	24 rxns
iDeal Library Index Primer Set 2	C05010021	24 rxns

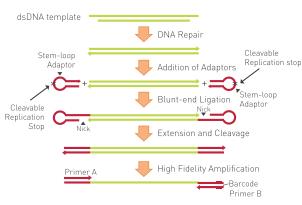
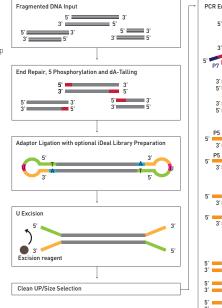
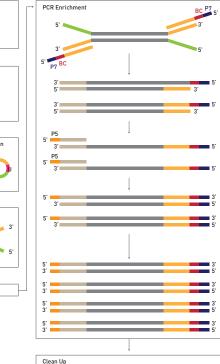


Figure 1. An input of 50 pg to 50 ng of fragmented dsDNA is converted into sequencing-ready libraries for Illumina® NGS platforms using a fast and simple 3-step protocol. After amplification and purification, the libraries are ready for sequencing. Indexing reagents included in the kit allow the multiplexing of 12 samples in a single sequencing lane.







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The ability to produce libraries starting with **low input DNA** is primordial when using ChIP-seq. I am a ChIP-seq user and I always use the **MicroPlex kit** for library making from my immunoprecipitated DNA. Not only it's **quick** and requires as little as **50 pg** of input DNA but it also **never fails**. I've made over 100 libraries using the MicroPlex library preparation kit, and none of them failed. I use the Microplex kit for preparing libraries from immunoprecipitated DNA and from genomic DNA with low concentration.

As part of a genomics lab, I regularly prepare libraries from a large number of samples. The **IP-star®** is extremely useful for **high throughput library preparation**. I have prepared 200 genomic libraries in less than 1 month using the IP-star®, it has helped me **economize time and effort** and increase **reproducibility**. I have used the IP-star® for automation of ChIP as well; 16 samples can be processed in one run. In brief, it's a blessing to have this machine if you apply ChIP-seg to a large number of samples.

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