

Advance Genetic Engineering

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Hybridization or Blotting of Nucleic acids and Proteins



Methods

1. Filters blotting

A. Southern Blot – DNA Blot

B. Northern Blot – RNA Blot

C. Dot Blot and colony\plaques blot

2. In Situ Hybridization

3. Western Blot – Proteins Blot

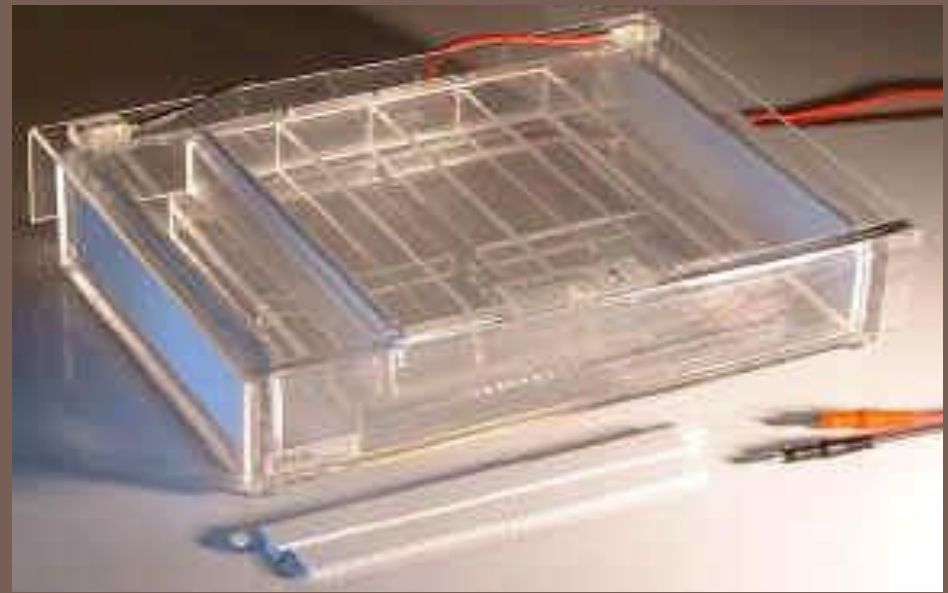
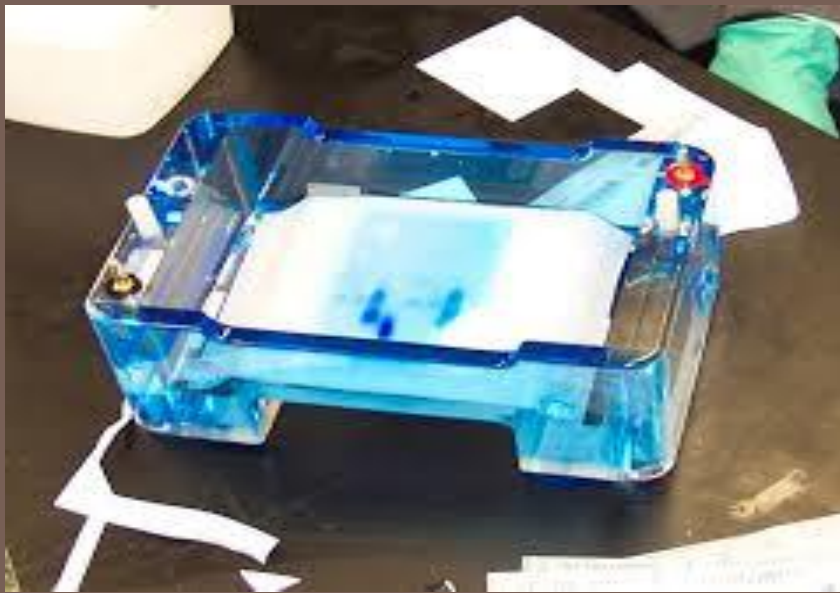
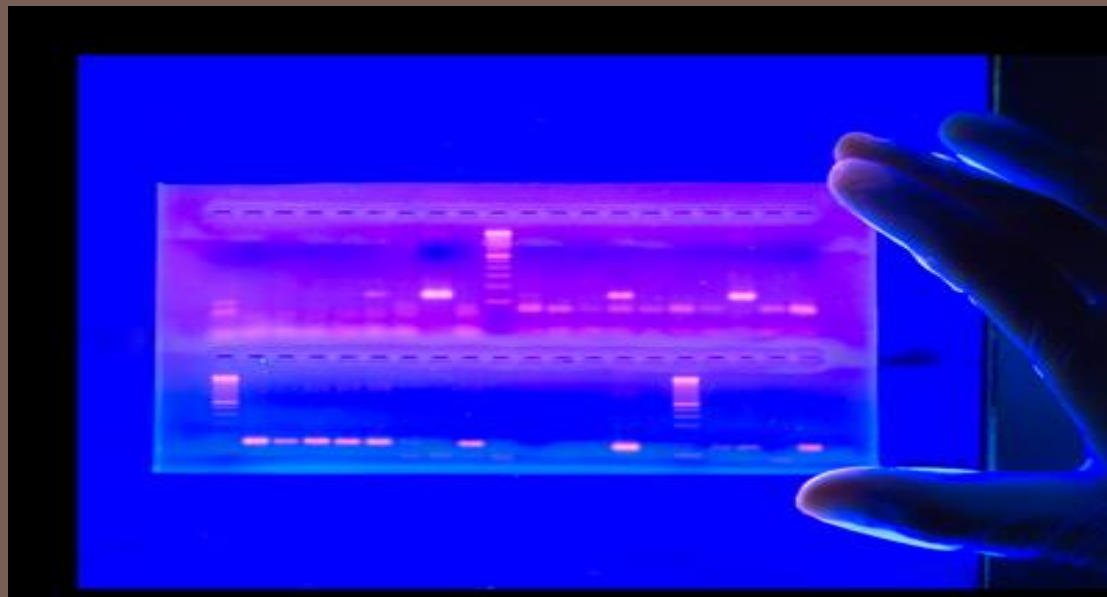
Southern Blot – DNA Blot

Procedure

1. DNA extraction
2. DNA digestion with restriction enzymes
3. Agarose Gel electrophoresis run for the digested DNA
4. Staining and Treatment of gel
 - A. Treatment with 0.25 M of Hcl for 10 mins
 - B. Treatment with 0.5 M NaOH+1.5 M NaCl solution for 60 mins
 - C. Treatment with neutralizing solution – 1.5 M NaCl+0.5 M Tris-cl+0.001 M EDTA,PH7.2 for 45 mins.....gel is fragile

5. Cover the surface of the stage of the **electrophoresis tank** with **filter paper**, remove the air bubbles and keep the ends of the filter immerse in SSC buffer
6. Transfer gel gently to electrophoresis tank
7. Add electrophoresis buffer -10X SSC-
8. Immerse a gel size nitrocellulose or hybond filter in the SSC buffer for 1 min
9. Add the gel size nitrocellulose or hybond filter over the agarose gel and remove the air bubbles
10. Add 1-2 filter papers over nitro filter then add a bunch of tissue papers and a heavy glass
11. Keep the system working for overnight

- 11. Remove the glass, tissue and filter papers**
- 12. Remove the nitro filter and dry in a hot plate -80 C-
with vacuum to fix DNA fragments**
- 13. Go for hybridization**



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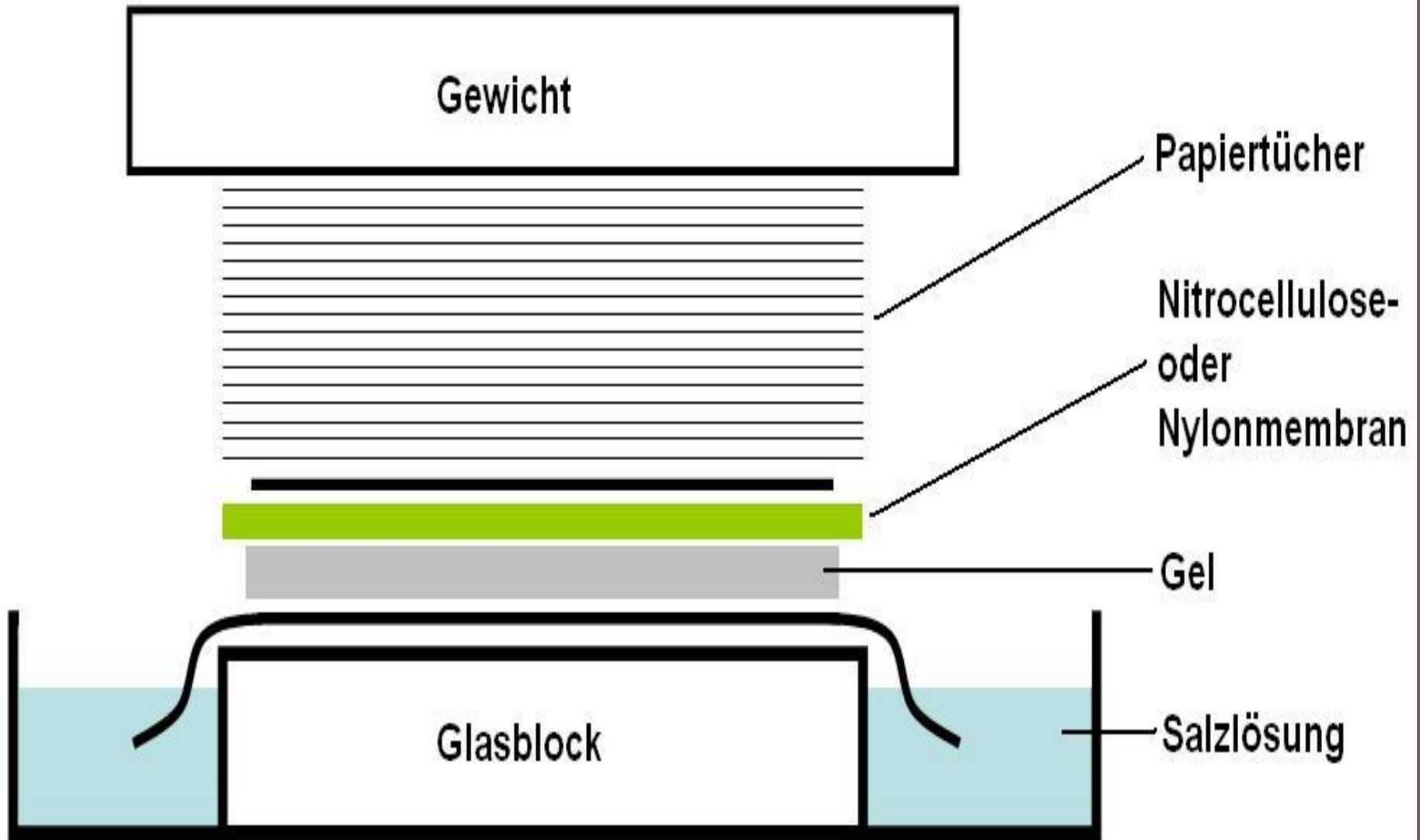
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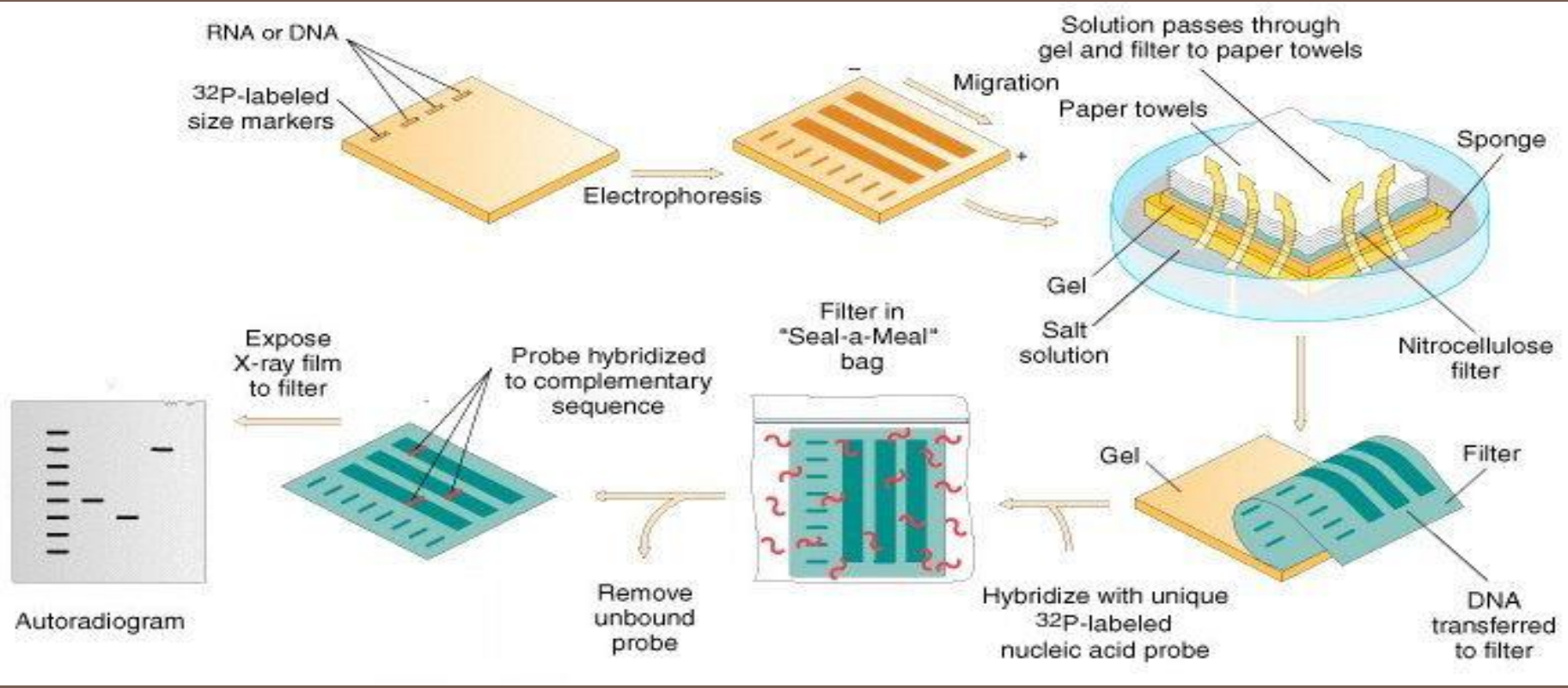
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Gel

Glasblock

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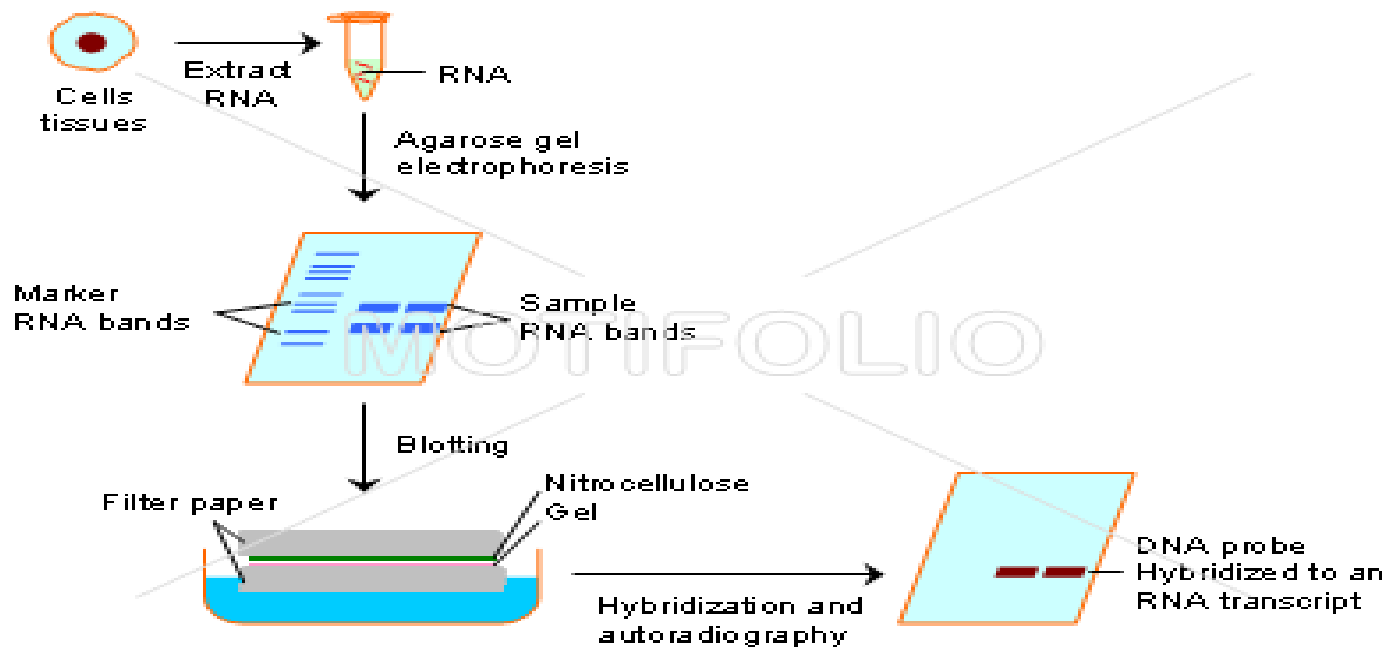




Northern Blot – RNA Blot

RNA filter blotting

Northern blot



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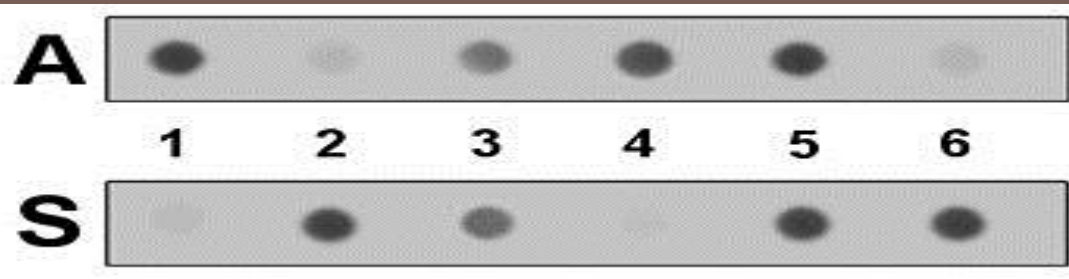
Southern and Northern blotting ????



Dot Blot and colony\plaques blot

Dot Blot

1. Cut a strip of nitro or hybond paper
2. Add DNA as blots –drops- without digestion with enzyme
3. Treat paper with 0.25 M Hcl
4. Treat paper with denaturation solution for 1 hr
5. Fix DNA
6. Go to hybridization

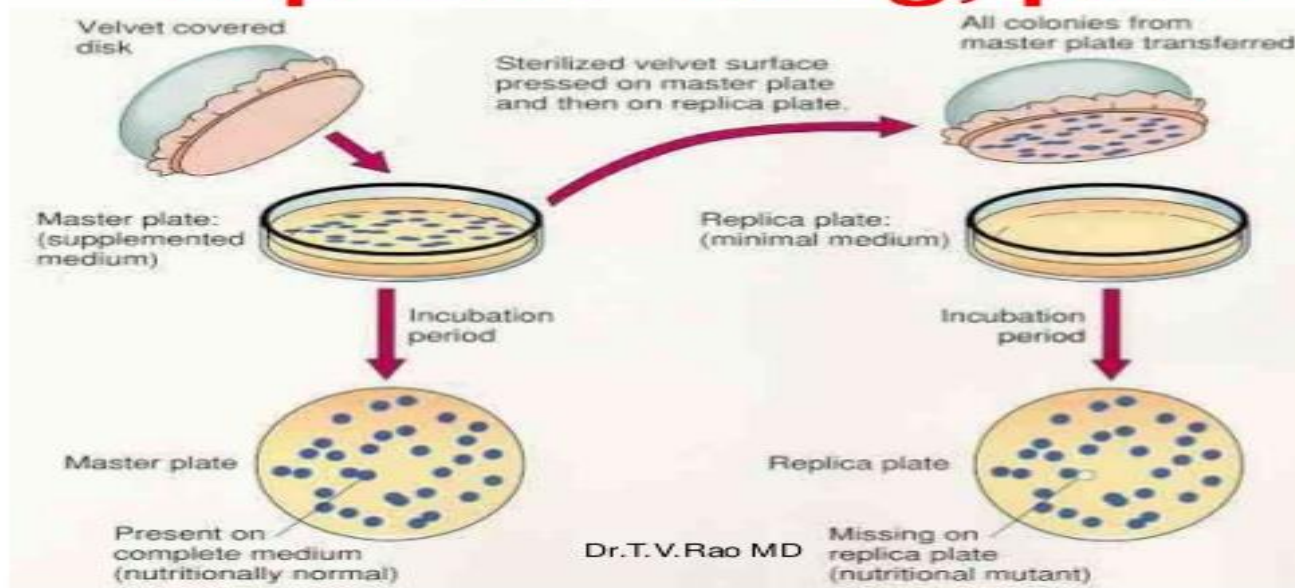


colony\plaques blot

1. Grow the bacterial clones
2. Transfer **bacteria colonies** or **phage plaques** to nitro or hybond filter
3. Transfer blotted filter to a Petri dish with filter saturated with chloroform-add blotted filter over the saturated filter and close the dish
4. After 20-30 mins remove blot filter, dry, add over saturated filter with 0.25 M Hcl for 5 mins
5. Treat blot filter with de-naturation solution for 5 mins then transfer blot filter to neutralizing solution
6. Go to hybridization

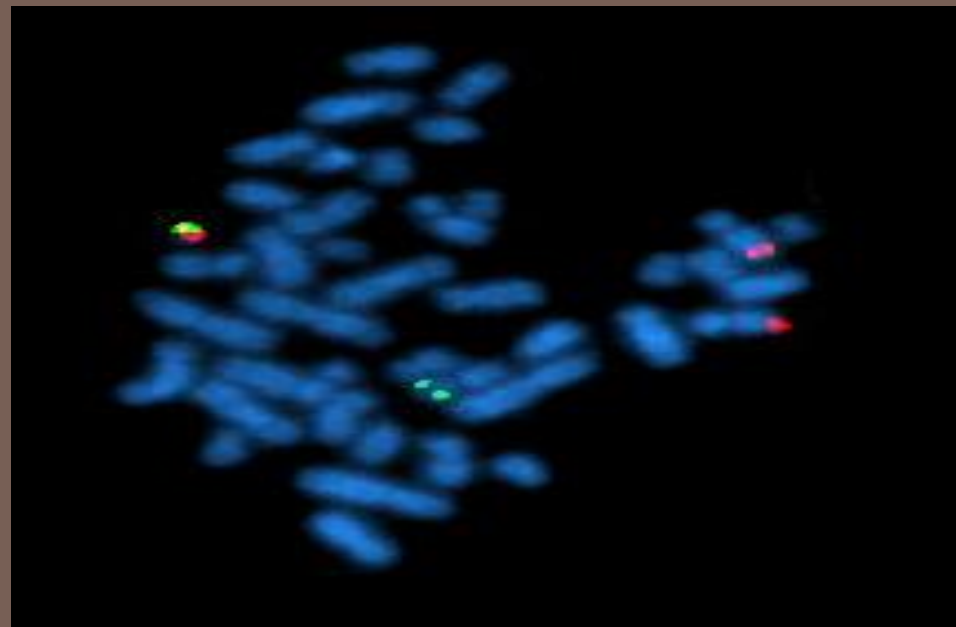
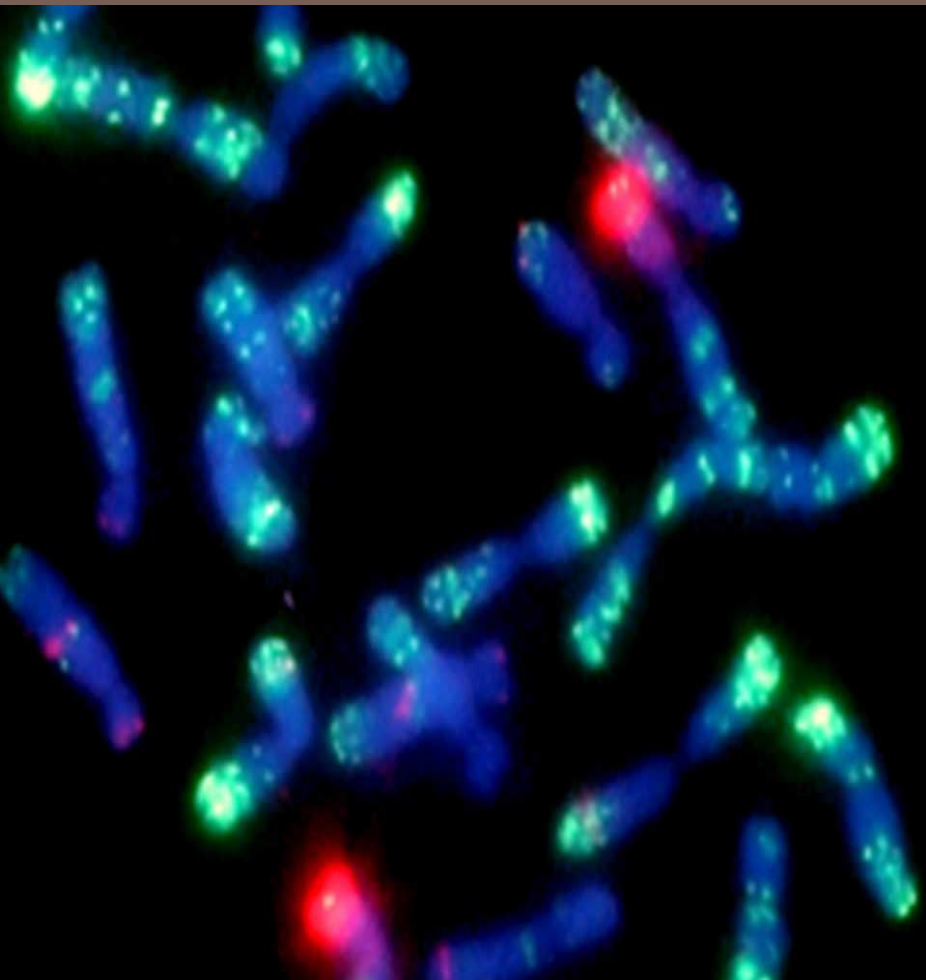


Replica Plating, pt. 2



Chromosomes *In Situ* Hybridization

1. Grow divided cells until metaphases on glass slides
2. Lyse cells to free chromosomes
3. Fix chromosomes using glacial acetic acid+ethanol solution ,1:3
4. Treat with 100 ug/ml of Rnase enzyme+incubation at 37C for 1 hr
5. Wash with serial ethanol
6. Wash with 70% formamide solution or 15% NaoH for 3-5 mins
7. Wash with serial ethanol
8. Go for hybridization
9. Wash slides then Dry them and in a dark room dip slides in photographic emulsion
- 10.Store slides in dark box at -20C for 7 days or more
- 11.Treat slides photographically then stain slides with Giemsa stain
- 12.Check results with microscope



Proteins Blot

1. Solid phase immuno-assay
2. Enzyme linked immuno-sorbent assay- ELISA
3. Western blot

Solid phase immuno-assay

- 1. Immerse the filter in a specific protein isotope labelled antibody**
- 2. Dry filter and mix the protein mixture over all the filter**
- 3. Incubate at 37c for 1 hr**
- 4. Wash filter to remove the excess materials**
- 5. Dry filter**
- 6. Check using Geiger system**

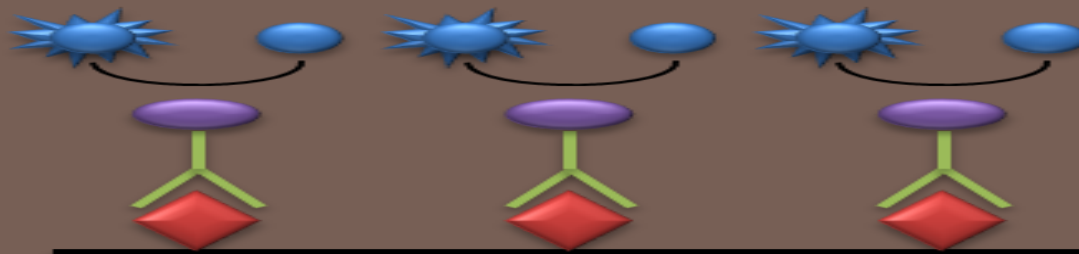
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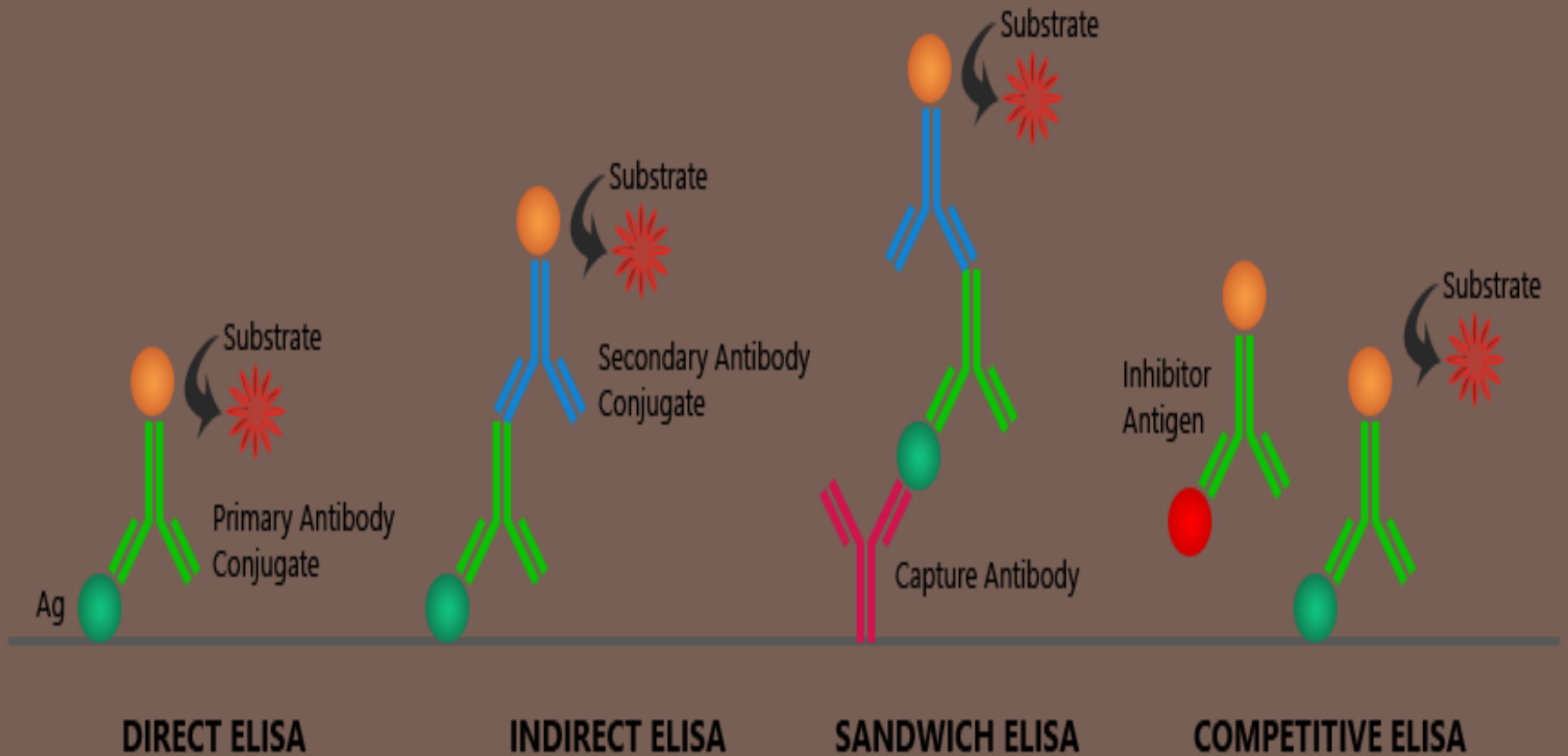
Antibody with enzyme conjugate attached to viral antigen



Substrate and enzyme interaction create color change for detection



Enzyme linked immuno-sorbent assay- ELISA



Western blot

- 1. Run proteins mixture via SDS polyacrilamid gel**
- 2. Transfer proteins bands to filter as in Southern blot**
- 3. Dry and fix samples**
- 4. Go to hybridization**

Detection in Western Blots

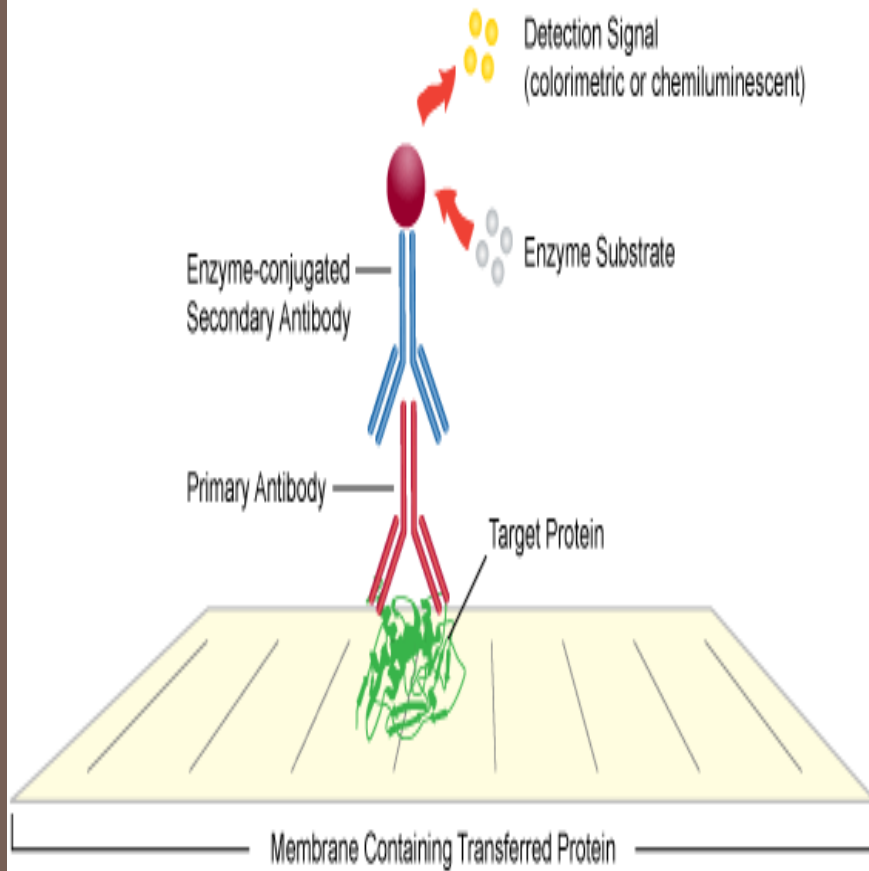
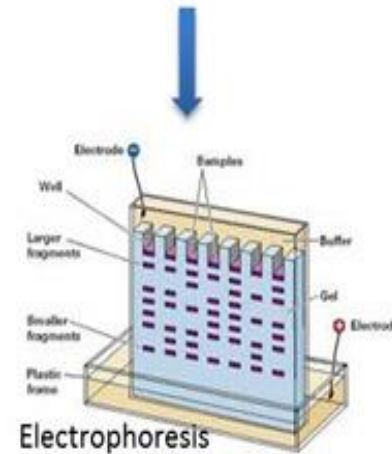


Diagram 2: Illustration of detection in Western Blots.

Workflow

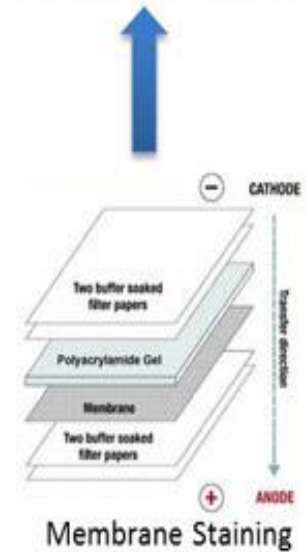
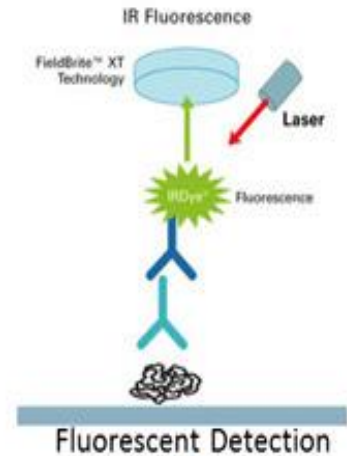
Sample Preparation



Transfer



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Thank you for listening