

Auckland Genomics

Sample Packing Guidelines:

Shipping Samples in 1.5mL Tubes (for 12 or fewer tubes only)



Label your sample with the **AG project number (AG0XXX)** and **sample number** on the side and top of the tube.

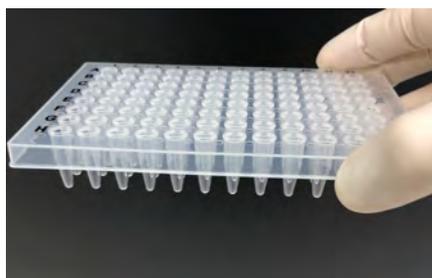


Wrap the lid tightly with parafilm to prevent evaporation.



Place sealed tubes in a 50ml conical tube and use tissue or cotton balls. **Please place samples in a 96-well PCR plate if you have >12 samples.**

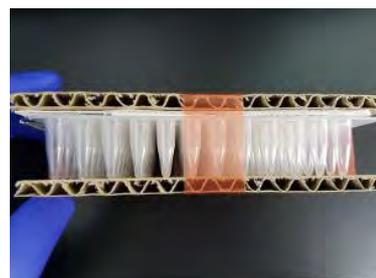
Shipping samples in 96-well PCR Plates (Highly Preferred)



Samples should be submitted in a half or full skirted 96 well plate. Label the plate (not just the foil) with your **AG project number** and name. We use half skirted plates from Axygen https://shop.bio-strategy.com/12123681_3 or through UoA SciTrack as "AXYGPCR-96M2-HS-C"



Seal the plate using foil, such as Axygen's "Aluminium sealing film, Biostrategy https://shop.bio-strategy.com/57486_2 or through UoA SciTrack as "AXYGPCR-AS-200" Please ensure all wells are fully sealed to limit evaporation.



Cover the top and the bottom of the plate with cardboard or bubble wrap for protection. (please do **not** use 96-well **flat bottom cell culture** plates) If you need plates or seals, just ask us! We can provide them to you.

Use dry ice for shipping RNA or ice packs for DNA

To drop off samples in person:

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