

## qPCR library quantification

### Using KAPA Library Quant Kit

#### Prep:

- 01 Thaw the KAPA SYBR FAST qPCR Master Mix. Keep it on ice.  
*Make sure the primers were added, or add the primers to the master mix yourself.*
- 02 Thaw Dilution Buffer and **dilute it 10×** with water to get a working solution.
- 03 Thaw the six qPCR standards, keep them on ice.
- 04 Dilute your samples **3 000×**, **9 000×** and **27 000×** with the prepared 1× dilution buffer. *Do not use water for diluting samples. Do not pipette less than 2 µL for accuracy.*
- 05 Calculate how much you need and then prepare the master mix for the qPCR.  
Don't forget the six DNA standards and a negative control:

Master mix	1×	×
KAPA SYBR MM 2×	9,0 µL	
DEPC-H <sub>2</sub> O	3,0 µL	
Diluted DNA sample	3,0 µL	–

- 06 Pipette **12 µL of the master mix** in each of the wells in the white strips or white plates for the Roche LightCycler.
- 07 Add **3 µL of the diluted samples** or the standards or water.  
*Pipette the standards from the lowest dilution to the highest (From 6 to 1).*
- 08 Seal the plate or the strips. Quick vortex and quick spin.
- 09 Run the qPCR programme, don't forget to set the data acquisition during the annealing step:

Amplification programme	Temperature	Time	
Initial denaturation	95 °C	5 min	
Denaturation	95 °C	30 s	<b>40×</b>
Annealing + Extension	60 °C	45 s	
Melting curve	65–95 °C		