Optimization of annealing temperature

PCR



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Example : you want to study a mutation in a DLG3 gene and how it relate to memory, Find you're the region from any website, eg.Ensebmle

The segment that you want to amplified is in the blue square

5' catgcgataagagtgattgaggt ccaccatgttatcatgcgataagagtgattgaggt ccaccatgttatcatgcgataagagtgattgaggt gtacgctattctcactaactcc2 ggtggtacaatagtacgctattctcactaactcca ggtggtacaatagtacgctattctcactaactcca

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Design the primers using Primer3, then send them to ant companey who will synthesize them Make sure that the area that you want to study is between the primers The region to be studied should be between the forward and reverse

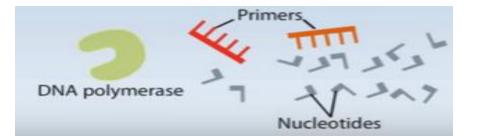
PCR cycle steps

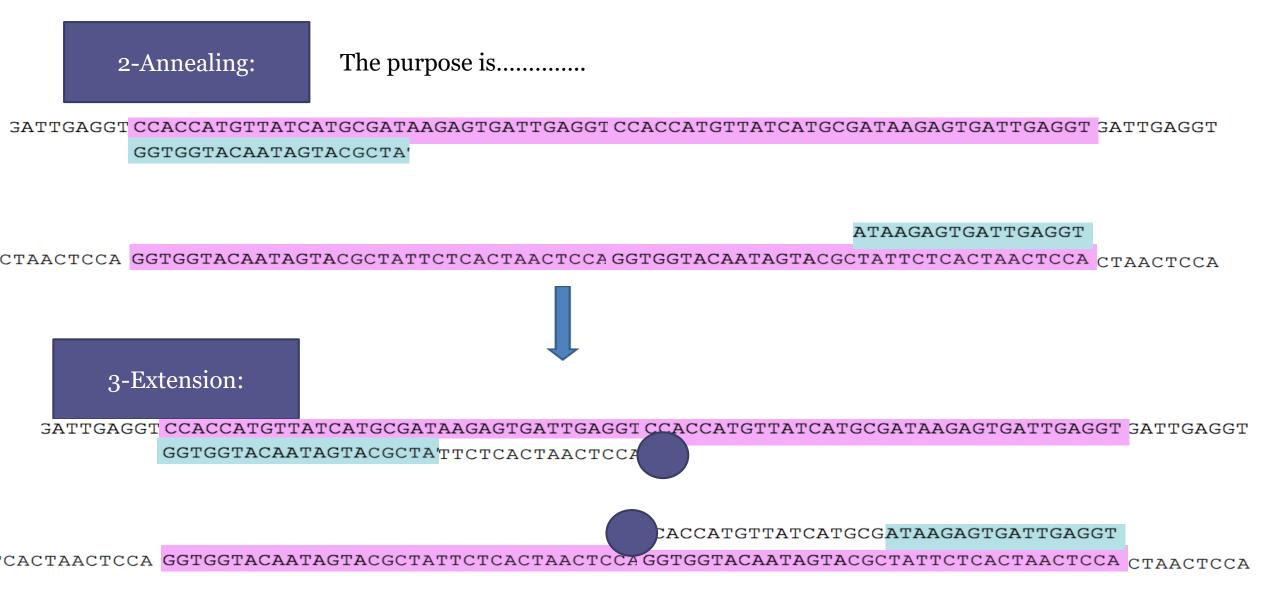
1-Denaturation:

The purpose is.....

CATGCGATAAGAGTGATTGAGGT CCACCATGTTATCATGCGATAAGAGTGATTGAGGT CCACCATGTTATCATGCGATAAGAGTGATTGAGGT

GTACGCTATTCTCACTAACTCCA GTGGTACAATAGTACGCTATTCTCACTAACTCCA GGTGGTACAATAGTACGCTATTCTCACTAACTCCA





3-Extension:

GGTGGTACAATAGTACGCTATCTCACCACTAACTCCA GGTGGTACAATAGTACGCTATTCTCACTAACTCCA CTAACTCCA

GATTAAGAGT CCACCATGTTATCATGCGATAAGAGTGATTGAGGT CACCATGTTATCATGCGATAAGAGTGATTGAGGT CACTACTCCA GGTGGTACAATAGTACGCTATTCTCACTAAGTACGCTATTCTCACTAACTCCA CTAACTCCA

PCR Optimization

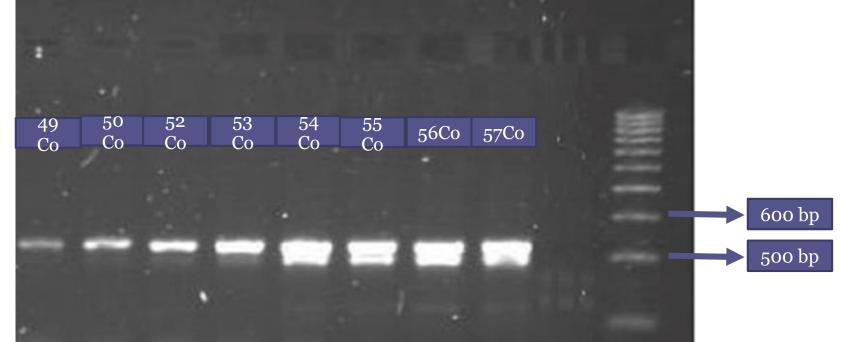
• When developing a protocol for PCR amplification of a new target, it may be important to optimize all parameters including reagent concentrations, cycling temperatures, and cycle number.

PCR Optimization

- There is no single set of conditions that is optimal for all PCR. Why?
- PCR Optimization: is to find the most effective condition (eg.primer conc., Ta, MgCl2..) in which the amplification of your target sequence will occure.
- How will you know which condition is the best of amplification? And how the result should be?

PCR Optimization

- Example:
- What is the best annealing temp.? (you know previously that PRC product is 520 <u>bP</u>)



Annealing Temperature optimization

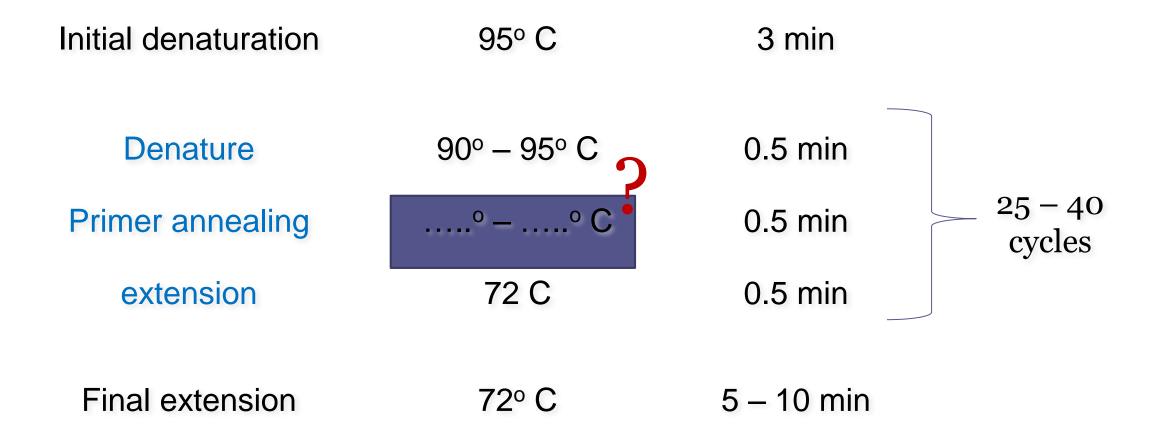
- Optimizing the annealing temperature of your PCR assay is one of the most critical parameters for reaction specificity
- It is done by using different Ta until you find the best one that will cause a good band.
- When optimizing Ta what you should do with other PCR component?

- **1**. Start by applying the standard concentration of PCR component that work with majority of PCR reaction.
- 2. Try at first 8 different annealing temperature.
- 3. (Choose it depending on Tm) (Example: If the Tm of a primer is 60 Co, try 55-63)

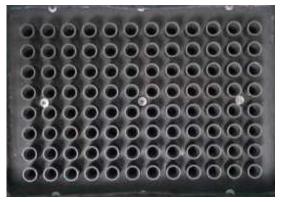
PCR components

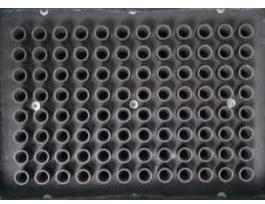
	Stock concentration	Final Concentrat ion	Volume of each
PCR buffer	10 X	1 X	
dNTPs	10 mM	200 µM	
Mg2+	25 mM	1.5 mM	
Forward Primer	10 µM	0.4 μM	
Reverse Primer	10 µM	0.4 μM	
Template DNA	45 ng/μl	90 ng	
Taq DNA Polymerase	5 Units/μl	0.05 Units/µl	
Total volume for each tube			50 µl

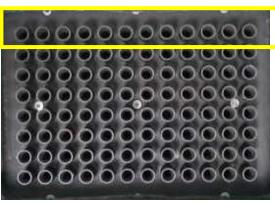
Cycling condition

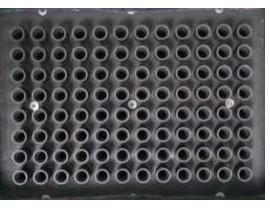


How Thermal Cycler will control the temperature?









Initial denaturation All the row the same temp Denature All the row the same temp Annealing Each raw will have different annealing

Extention All the row the same temp

- You will calculate the volume needed
- Each group will do the reaction of one annealing temp.