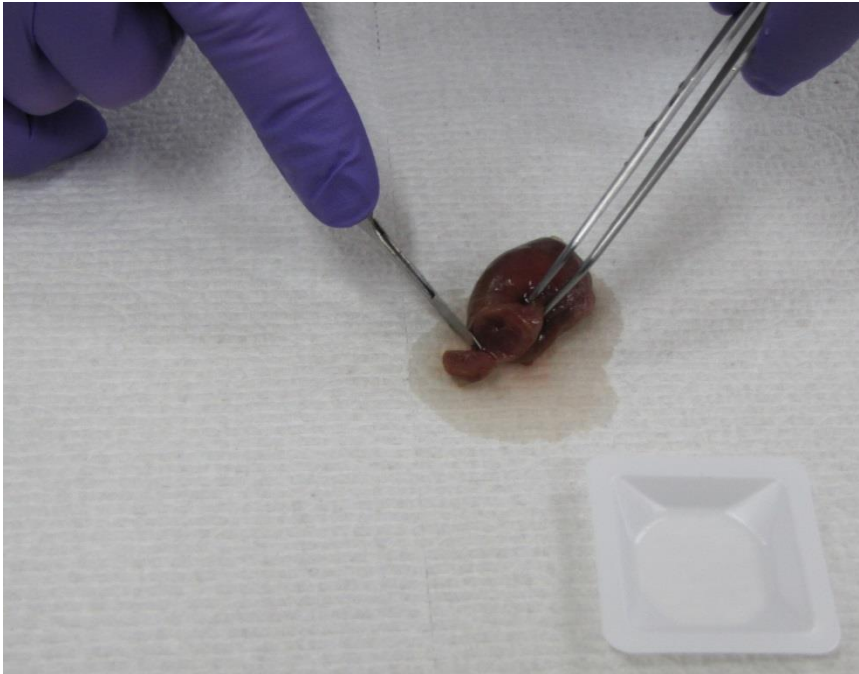


Overview: Operating the Bullet Blender®



Step 1 – Prepare sample



Section tissues into usable sizes

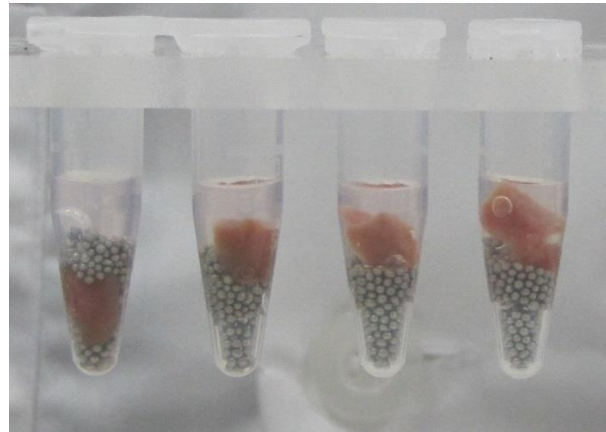
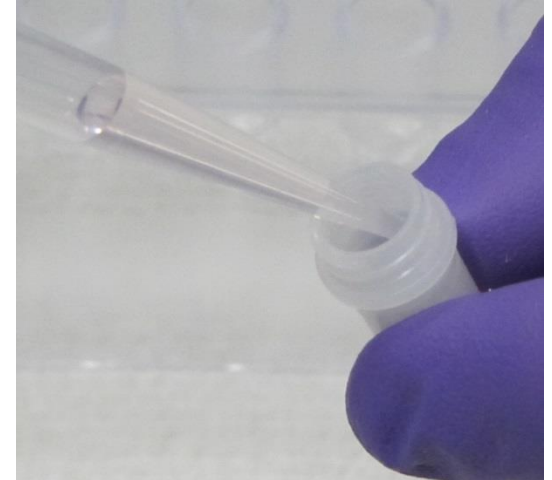
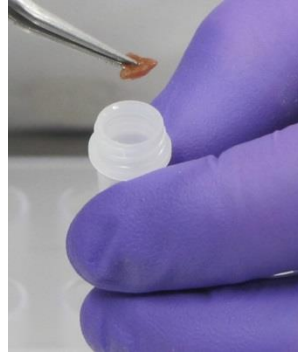
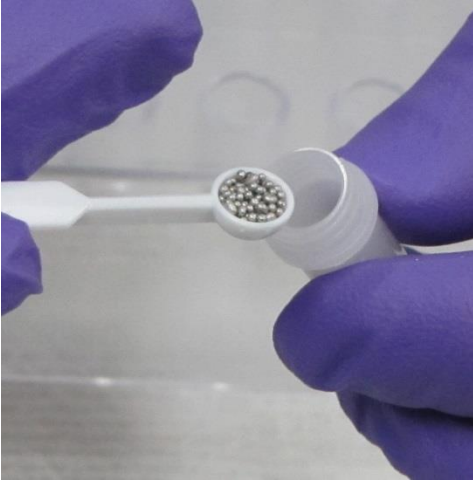


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Step 2 – Load tubes



Add beads, buffer and sample to tube

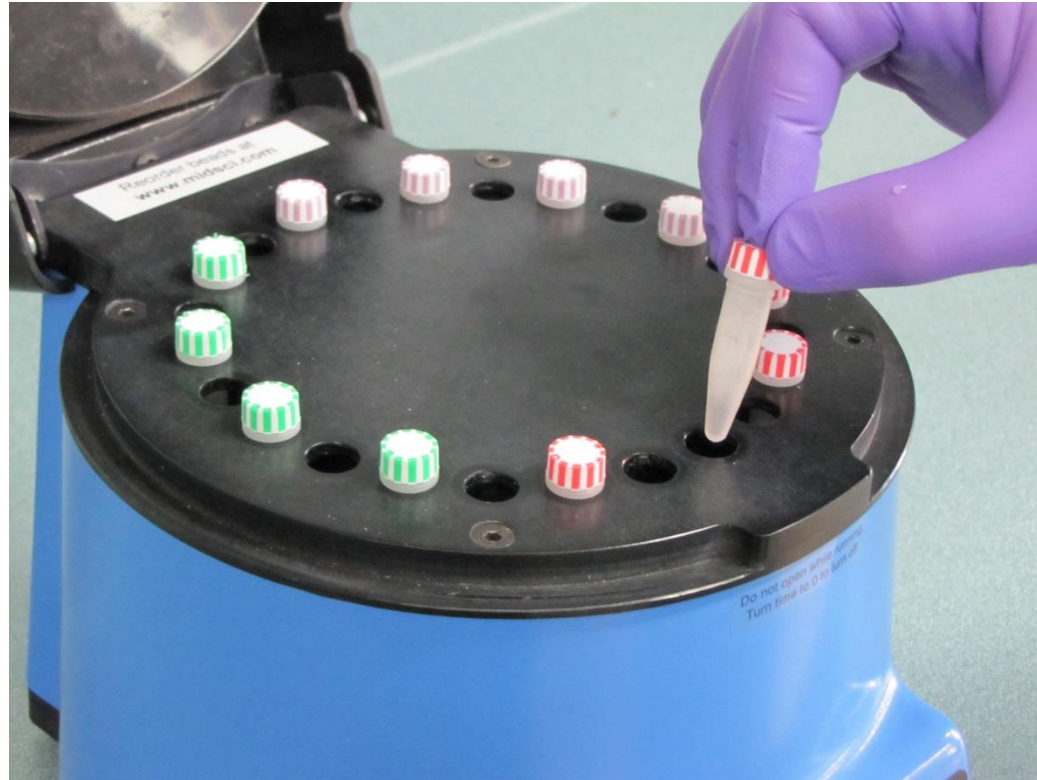


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Step 3 – Load Bullet Blender



Add tubes to the Bullet Blender



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Step 4 – Run Bullet Blender



Set time, speed and press “Start”

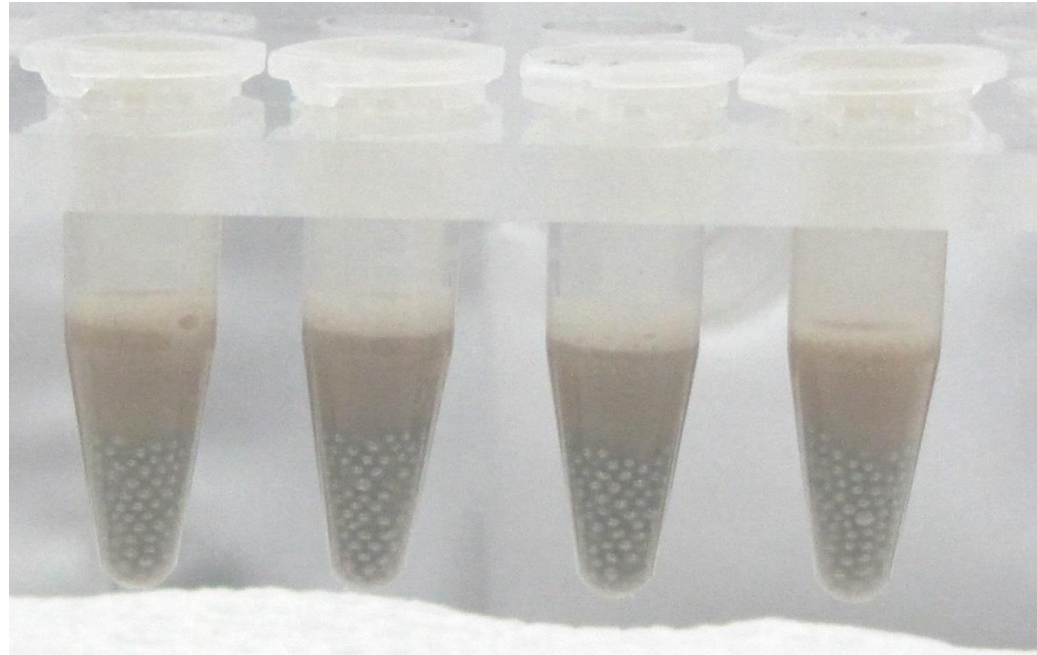


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Step 5 – Remove tubes



Remove your tubes from the Bullet Blender and verify that the samples have fully homogenized

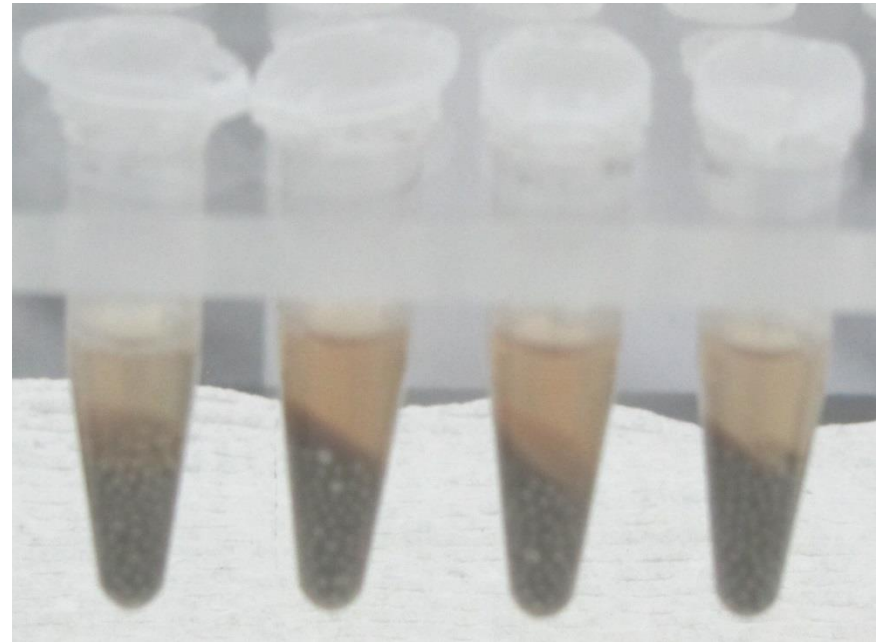


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Step 6 – Centrifuge samples (optional)



Typical centrifuge settings are 12,000 x g for 8 minutes to clarify homogenate



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Step 7 – Remove homogenate



Homogenate can be removed with a pipette

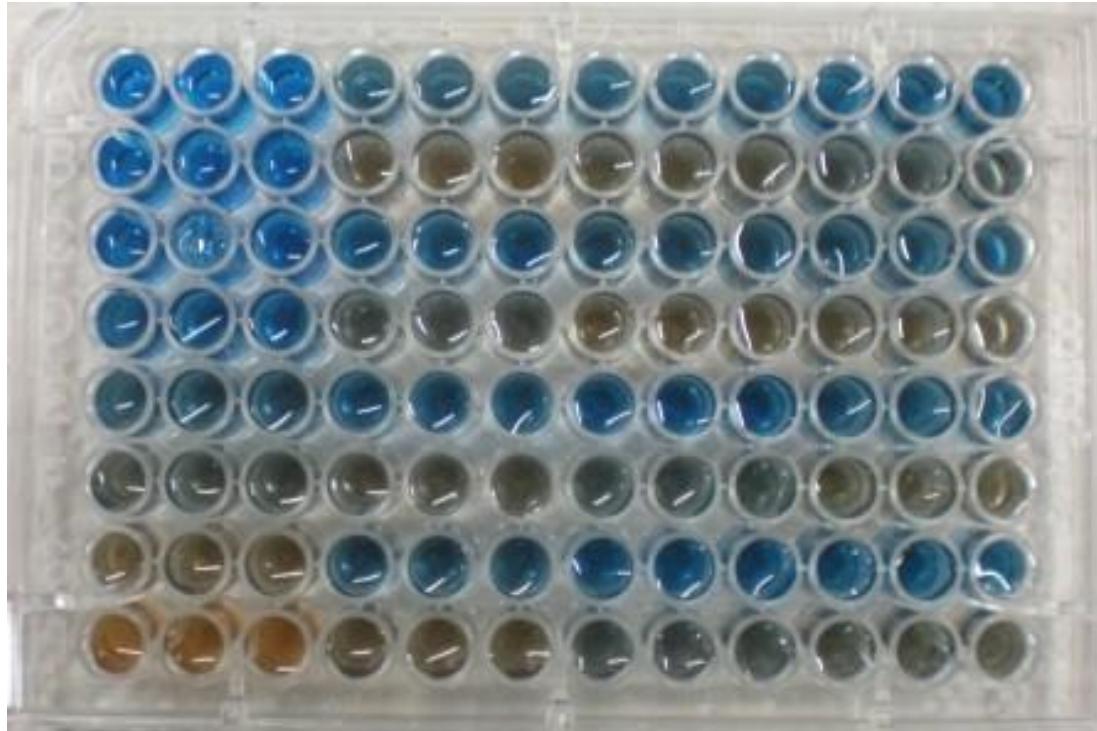


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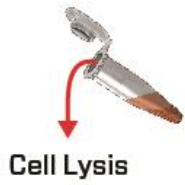
Step 8 – Use sample in your assay



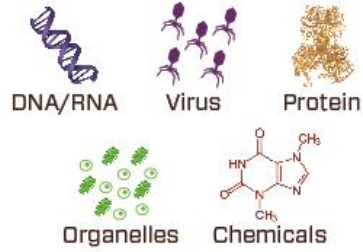
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Cell Lysis



DNA/RNA

Virus

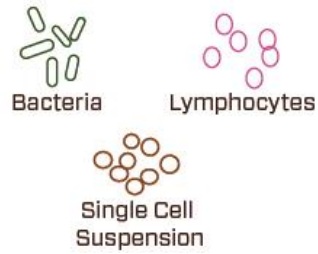
Protein

Organelles

Chemicals



Whole Cell Isolation

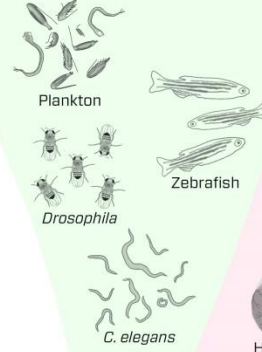


Bacteria

Lymphocytes

Single Cell Suspension

Small Organisms



Plankton



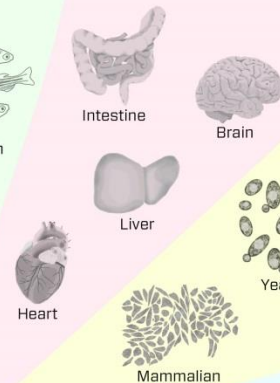
Zebrafish

Drosophila



C. elegans

Organ Tissue



Intestine



Brain



Liver

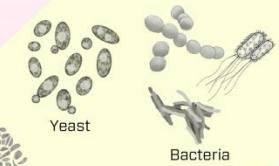


Heart



Mammalian

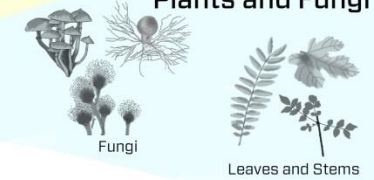
Cell Culture



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Plants and Fungi



Fungi

Leaves and Stems



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