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(54) **METHOD FOR PREPARING SINGLE-STRANDED DNA LIBRARIES**

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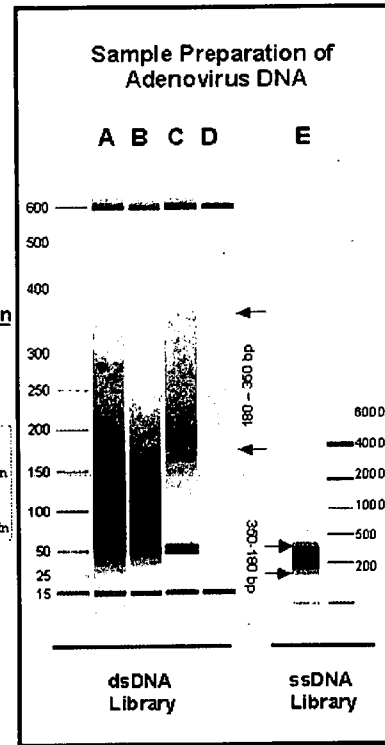
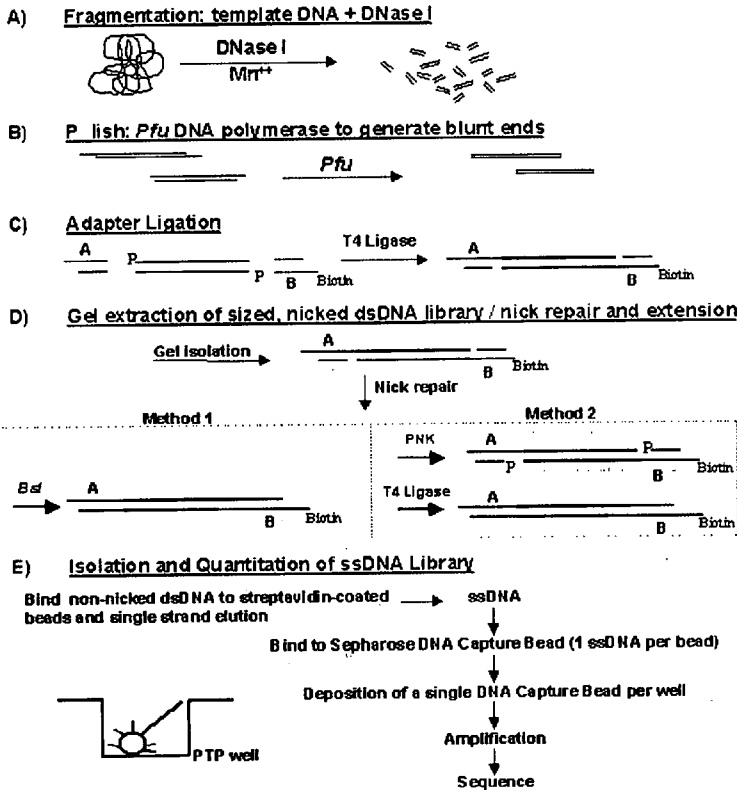
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This invention relates to methods of generating single stranded DNA libraries for use in amplification and sequencing reactions. In various aspects, the disclosed methods include: fragmenting DNA; polishing the fragments' ends; ligating the fragments to universal adaptors; performing strand displacement and extension of the nicked fragments; purifying the double-stranded ligation products; capturing the double-stranded ligation products onto a solid support; and isolating single stranded DNA library fragments, and binding these fragments to another solid support.

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Figure 1



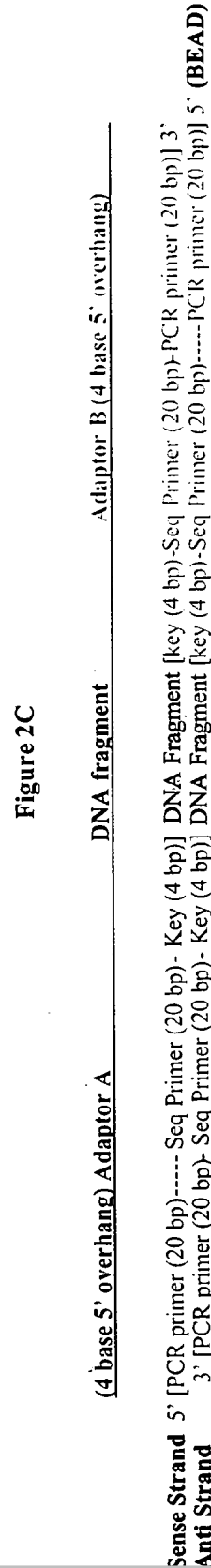
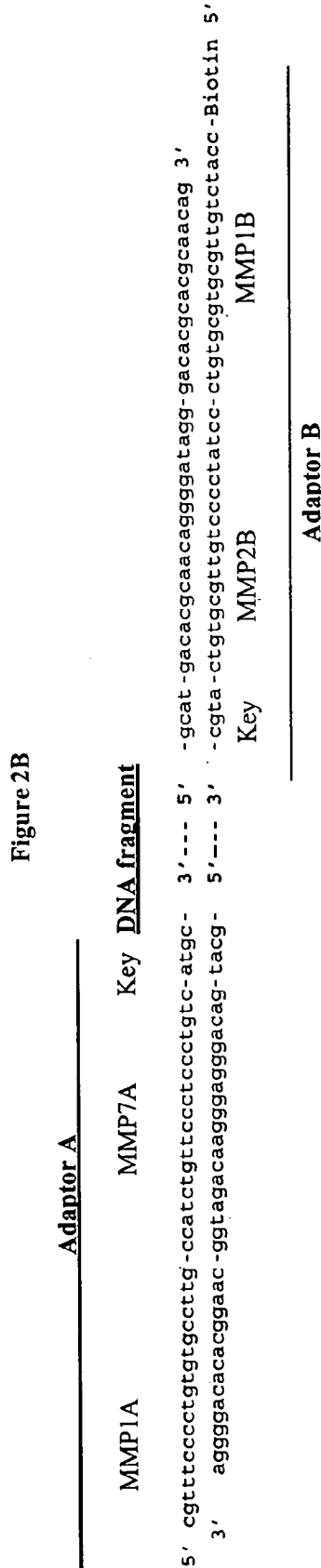
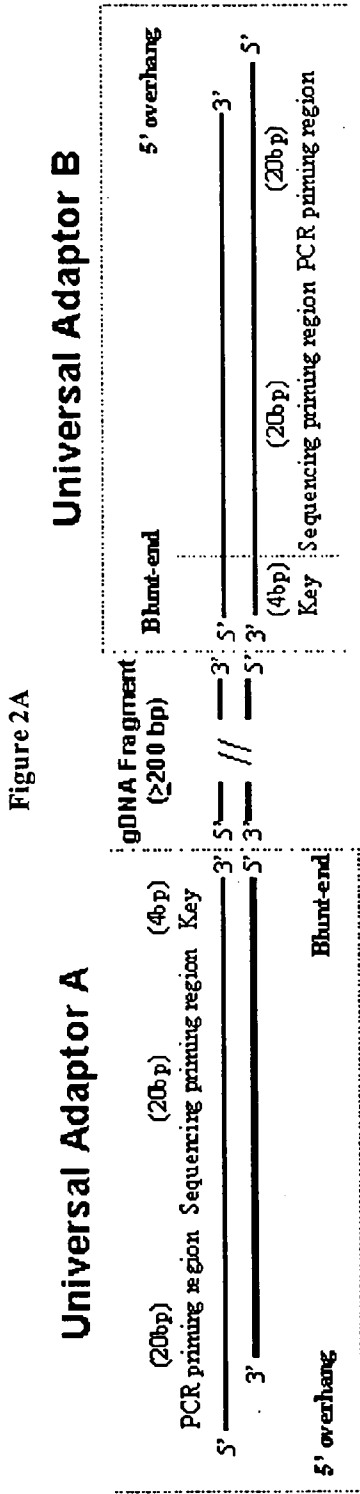


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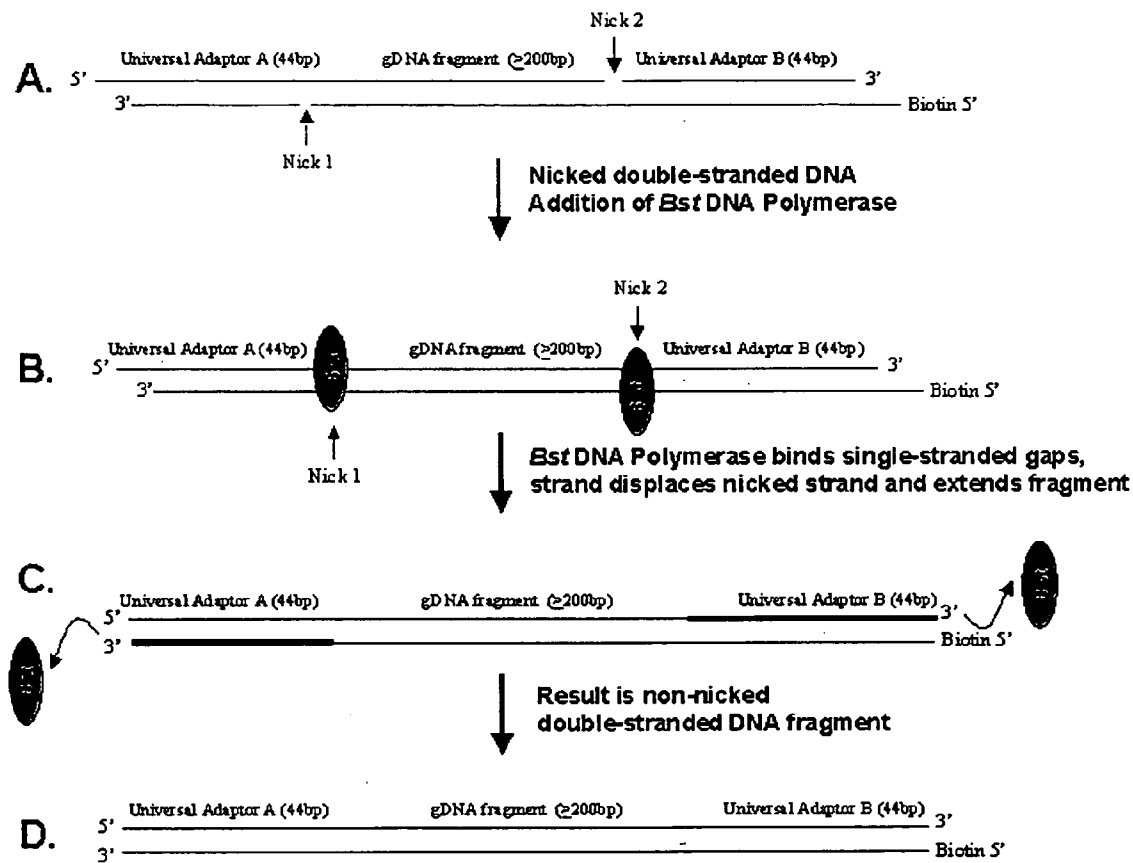
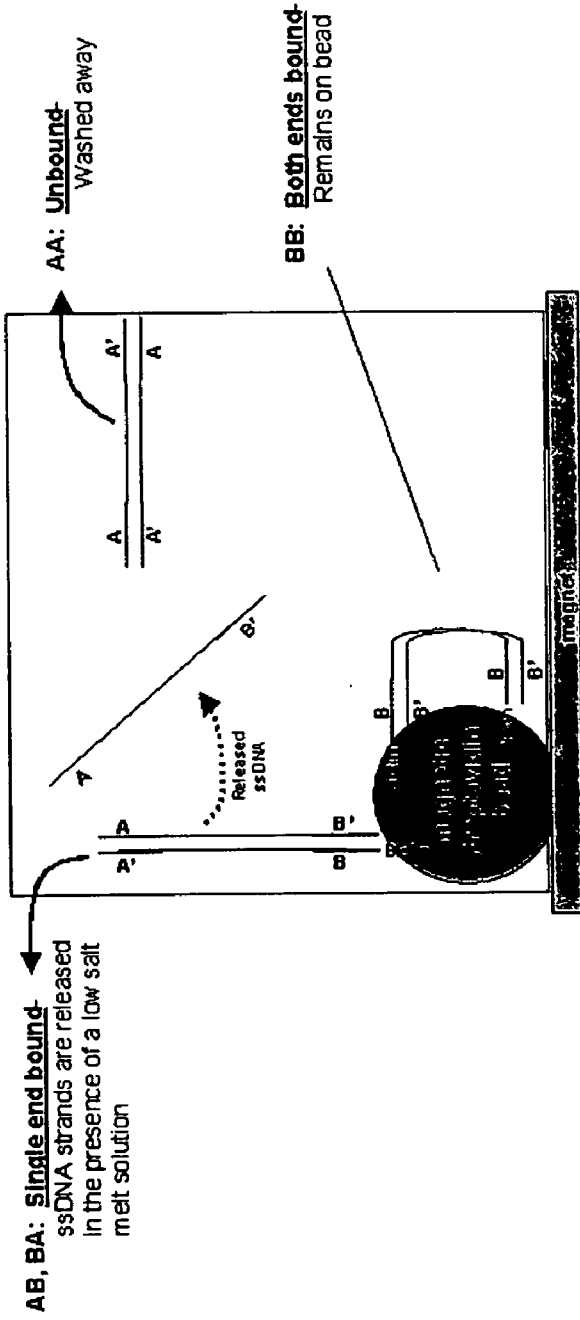
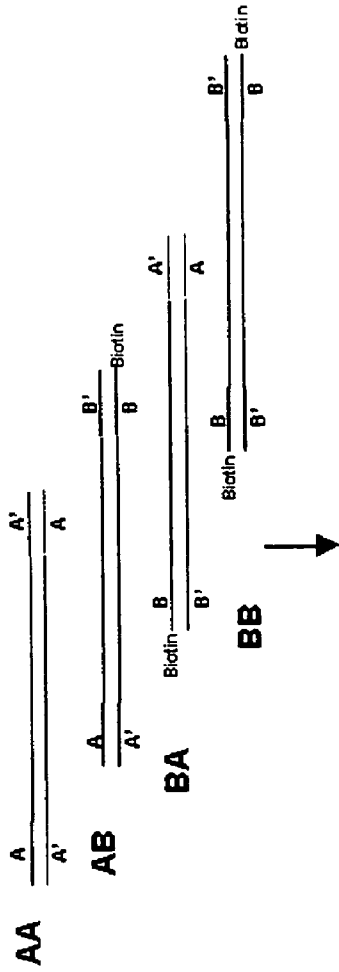


Figure 4

Possible double-stranded Genomic DNA Library Species:



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