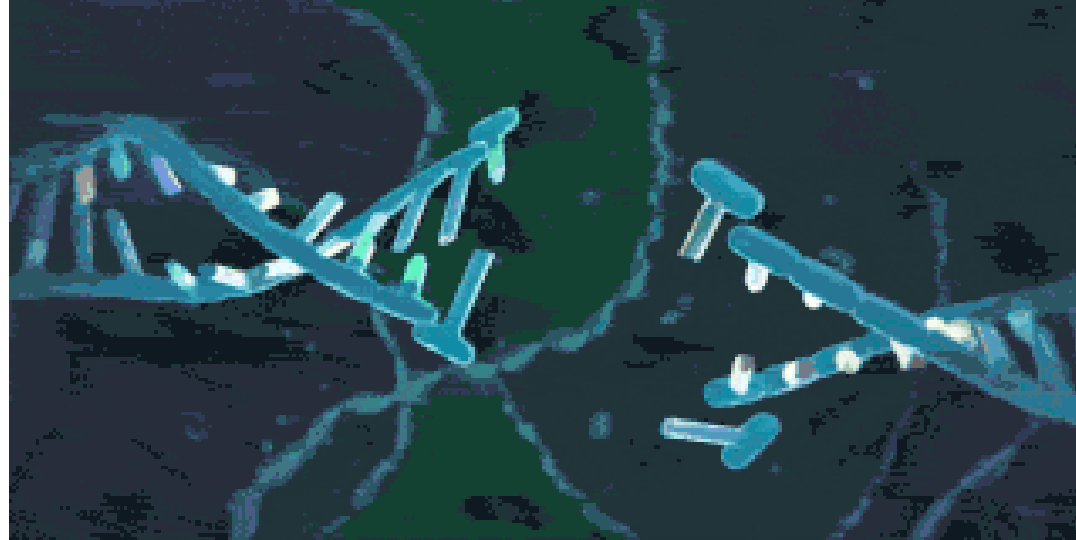
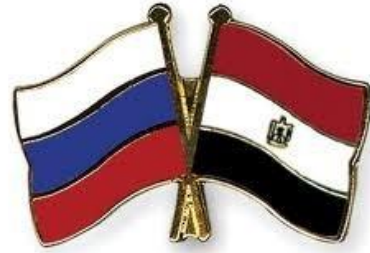


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PCR assay of intragenic DNA lesions induced by ionizing radiation at the vestigial gene of *Drosophila melanogaster*



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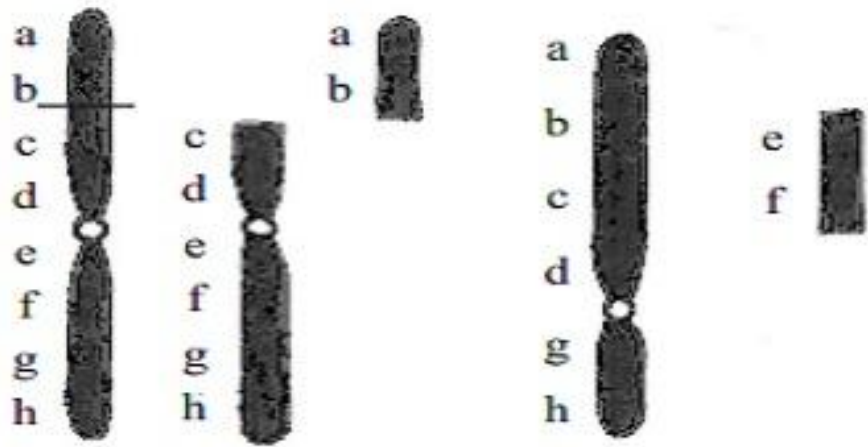
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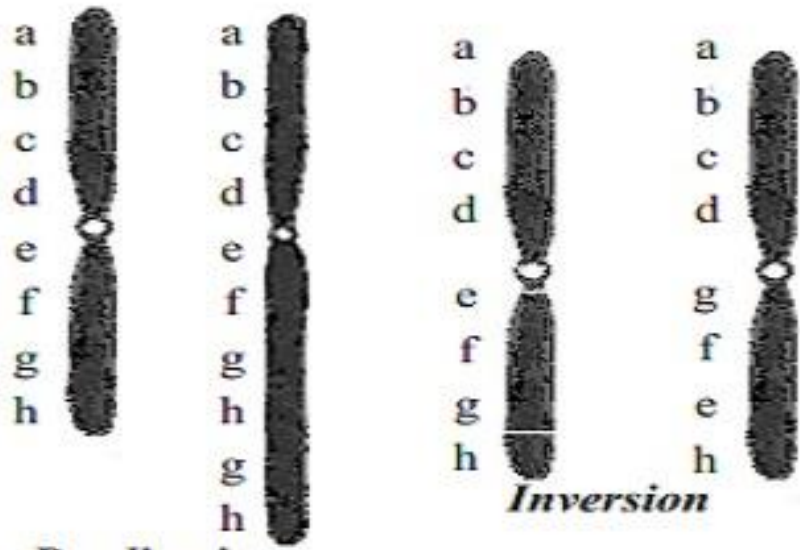
Introduction *Drosophila melanogaster*

- *Drosophila melanogaster* also known as fruit fly is most known species to be experimented on; for whole genome sequencing.
- It has keys for understanding how genes interact with environment and vice versa.
- We could also understand how mutations work by visualizing its phenotypes and sequencing its genotypes.
- *D. melanogaster* has many benefits:
 1. generation time is short.
 2. reproduce many offspring.
 3. Easy cytological analysis for its huge chromosomes



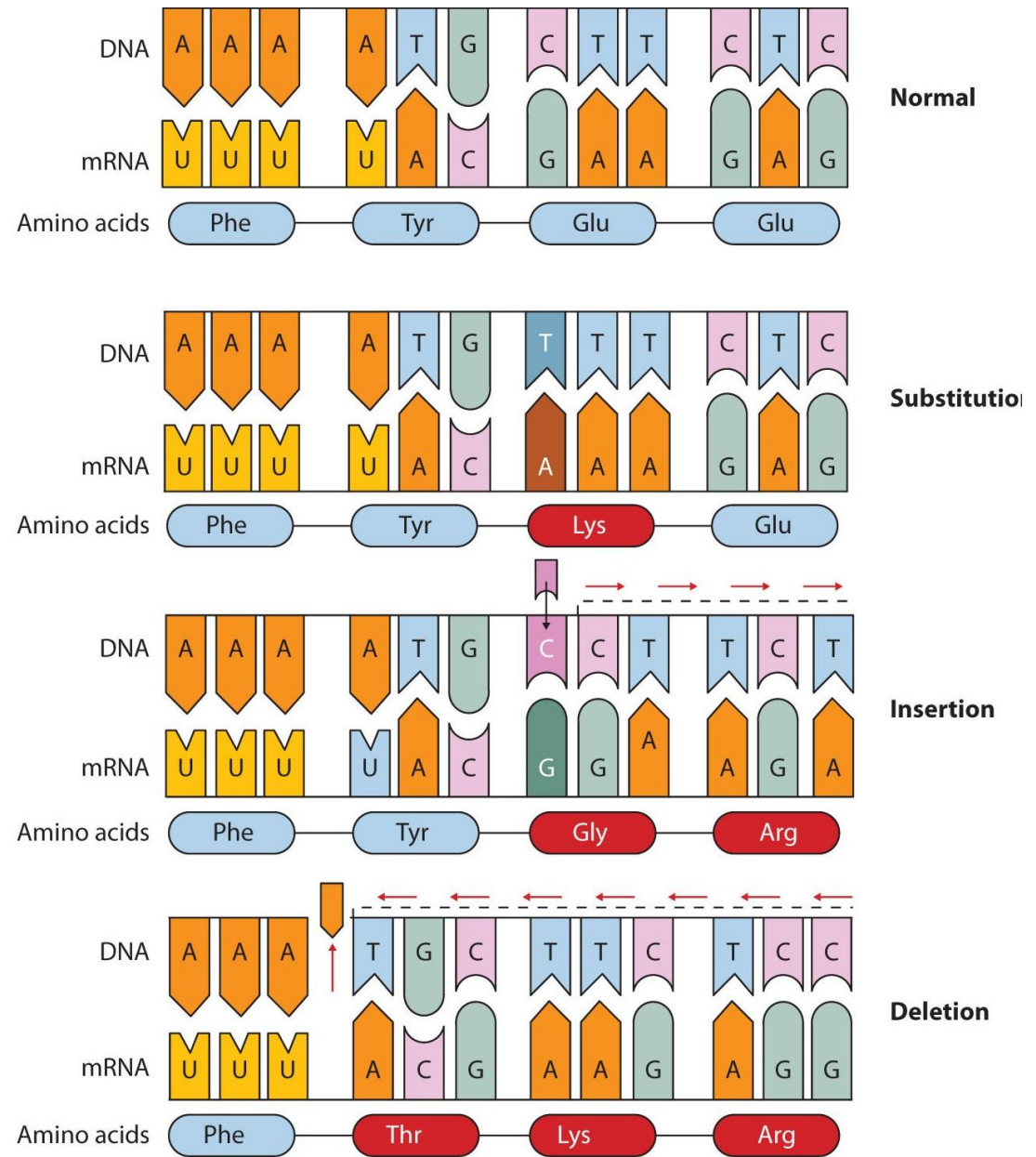
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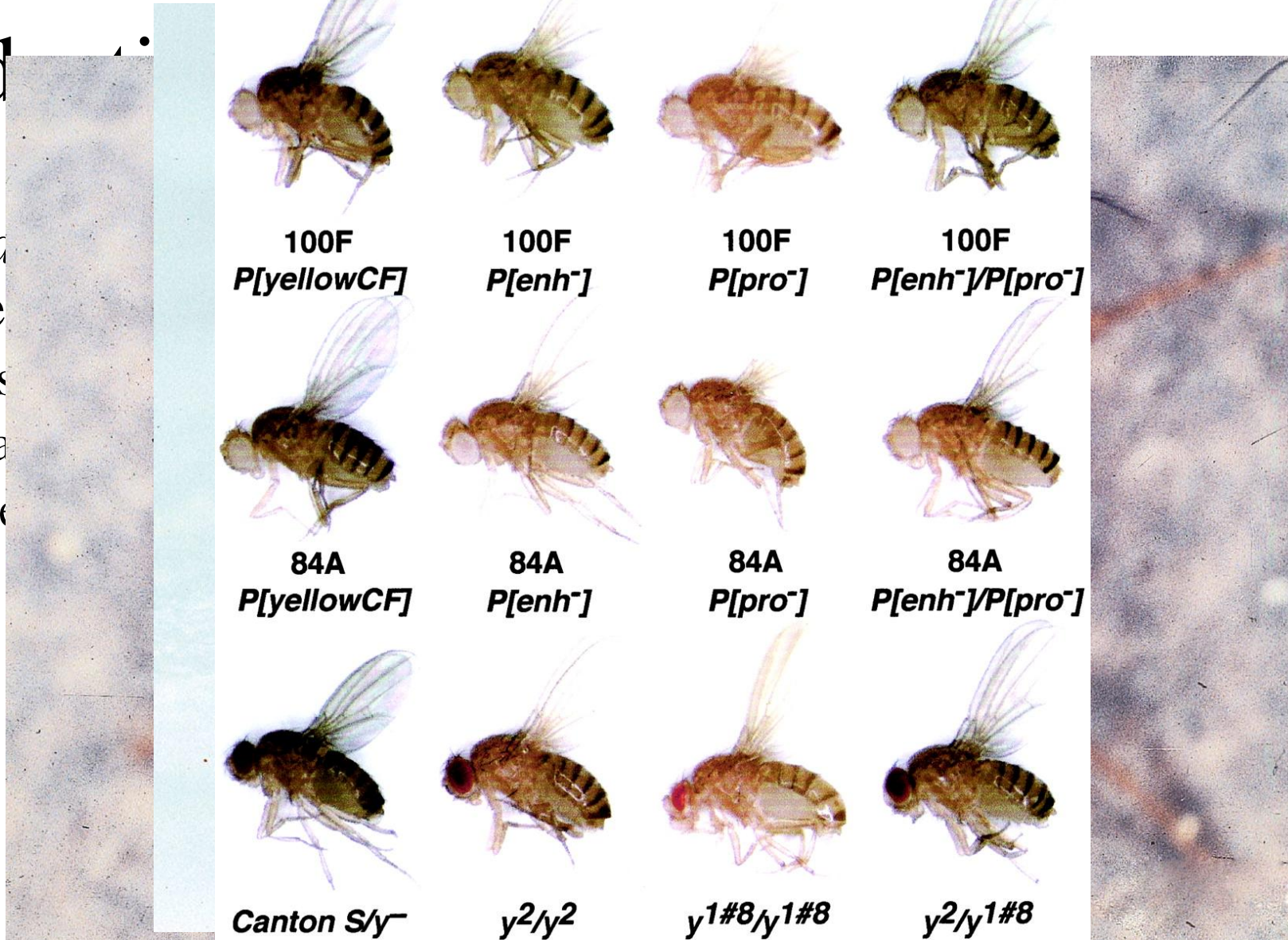
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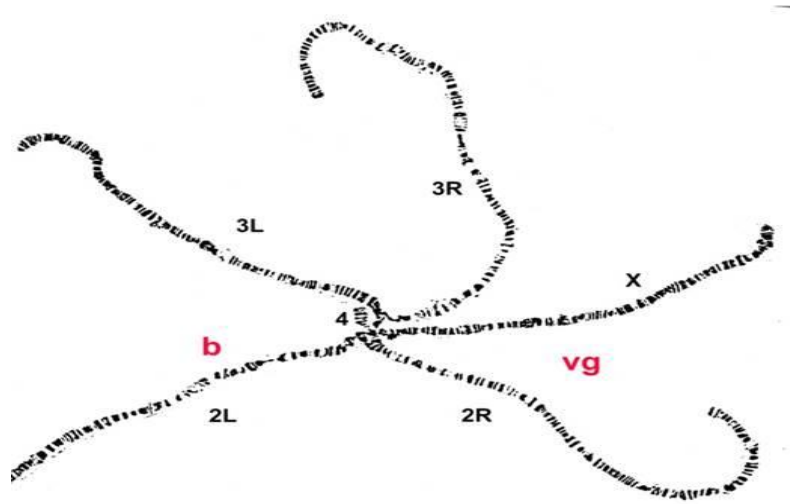
- *D. melanogaster* occurrence
 - 1. Vestigial
 - 2. Black
 - 3. Eyeless
 - 4. ...



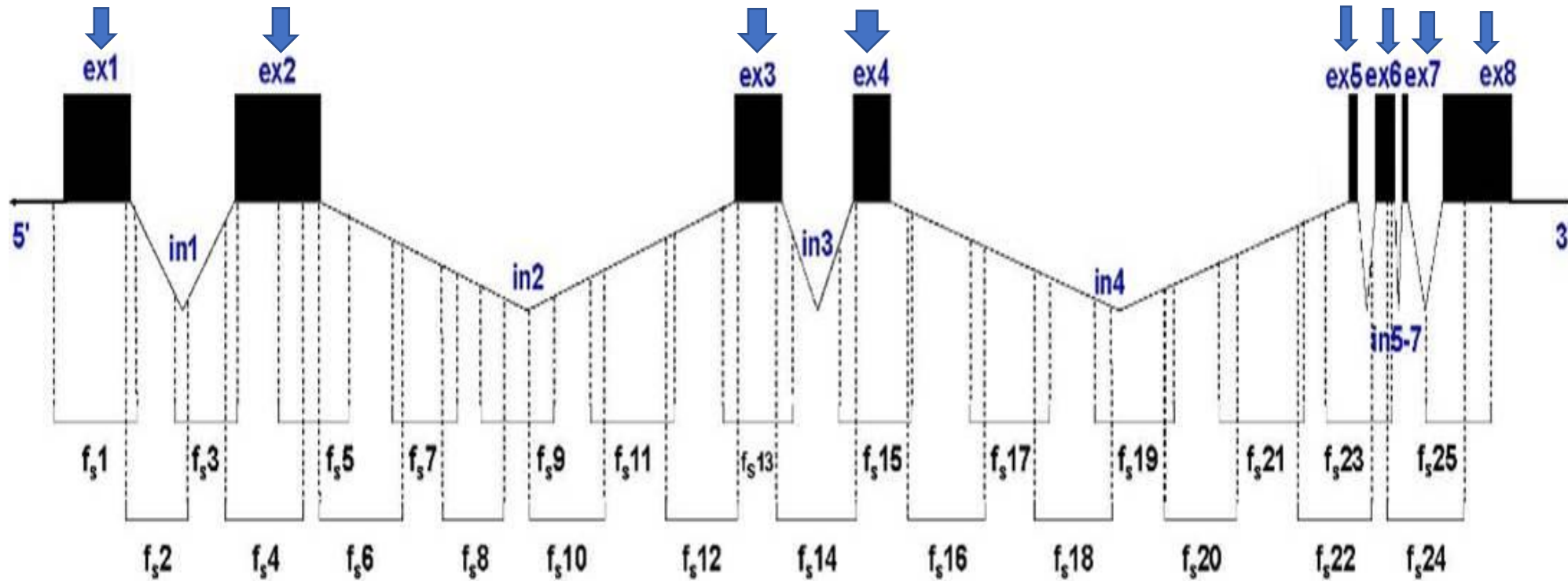
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- **Aim OF Project**

- To study the nature and location of DNA alterations induced from different irradiations sources that emits γ -rays and neutrons at the fragments of *vestigial* gene of *Drosophila melanogaster*.

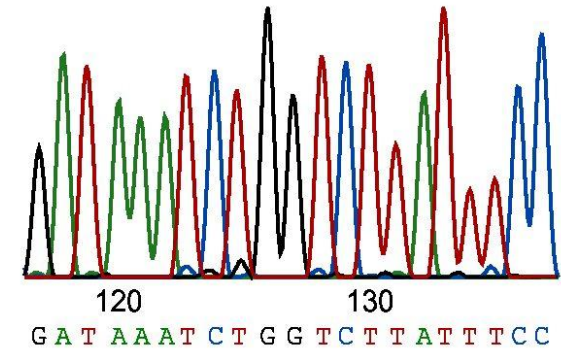
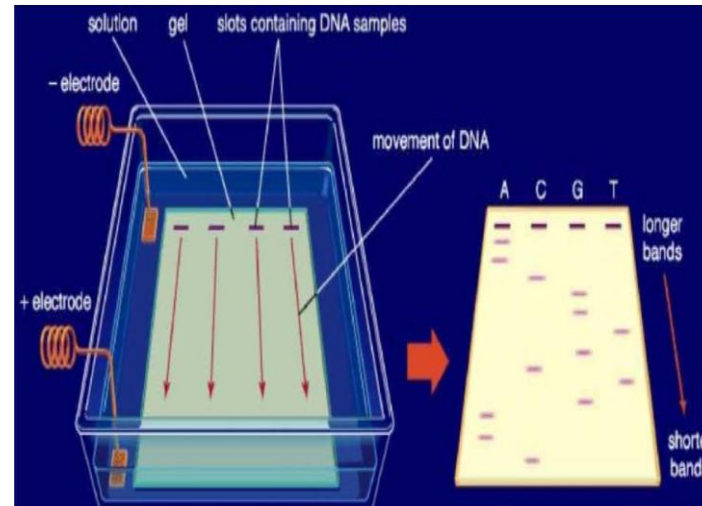
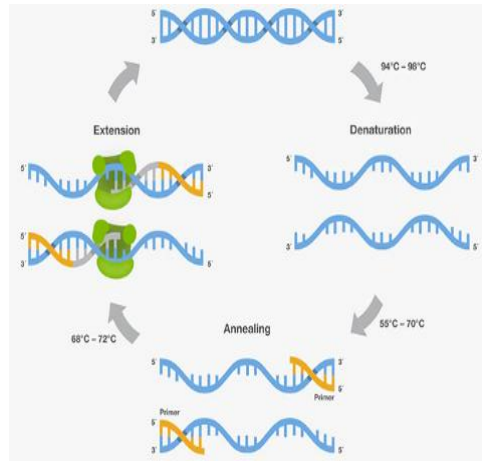
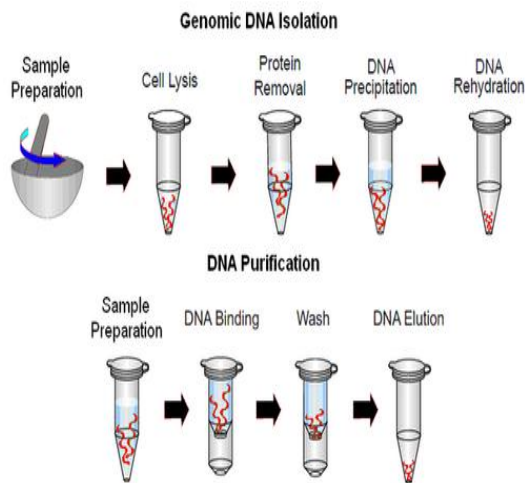
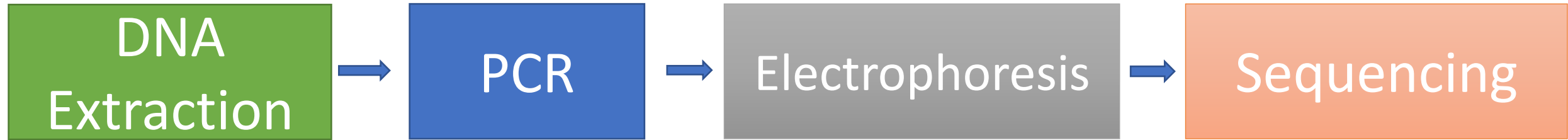


- **Aim of project**



- *vestigial gene exon-intron structure (15112 bp).*

- **Main stages of our work**



Stages of work: DNA Extraction

- There are different protocols for preparing lysates depending on
 1. DNA yield
 2. Sample size of the Drosophila
 3. Ease of DNA extraction
- We used two methods of DNA extraction
 - ❑ Co-precipitation with silica solution
 - ❑ Precipitation with Ethanol



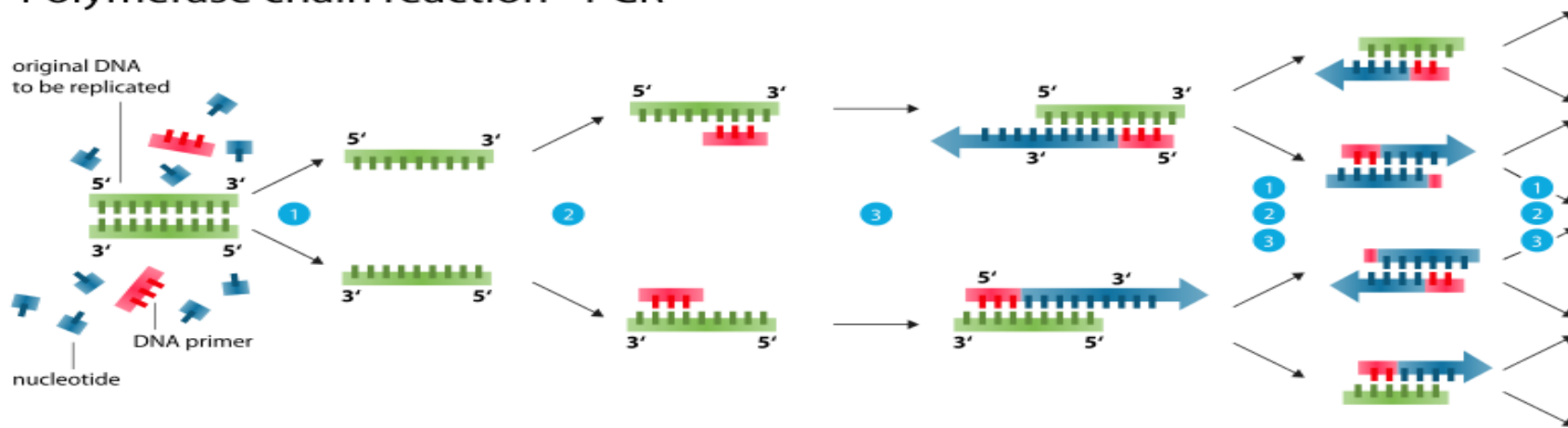
Stages of work: PCR basics

➤ Equipment

- Thermal cycler
- Gel electrophoresis unit
- Nanodrop spectroscopy

➤ PCR stages

Polymerase chain reaction - PCR



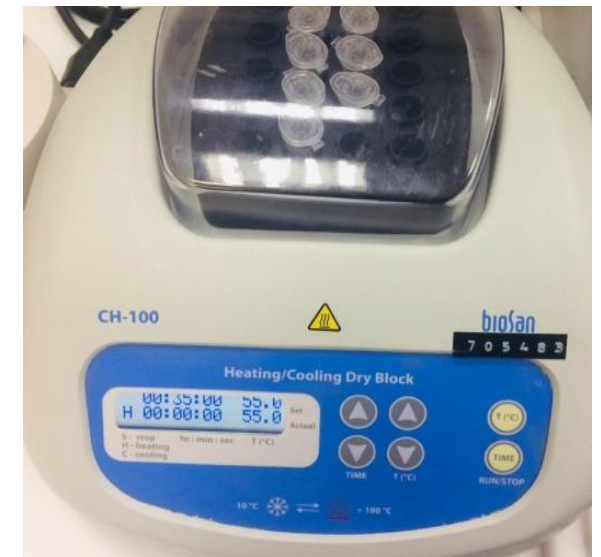
- 1 **Denaturation** at 94-96°C
- 2 **Annealing** at ~68°C
- 3 **Elongation** at ca. 72 °C



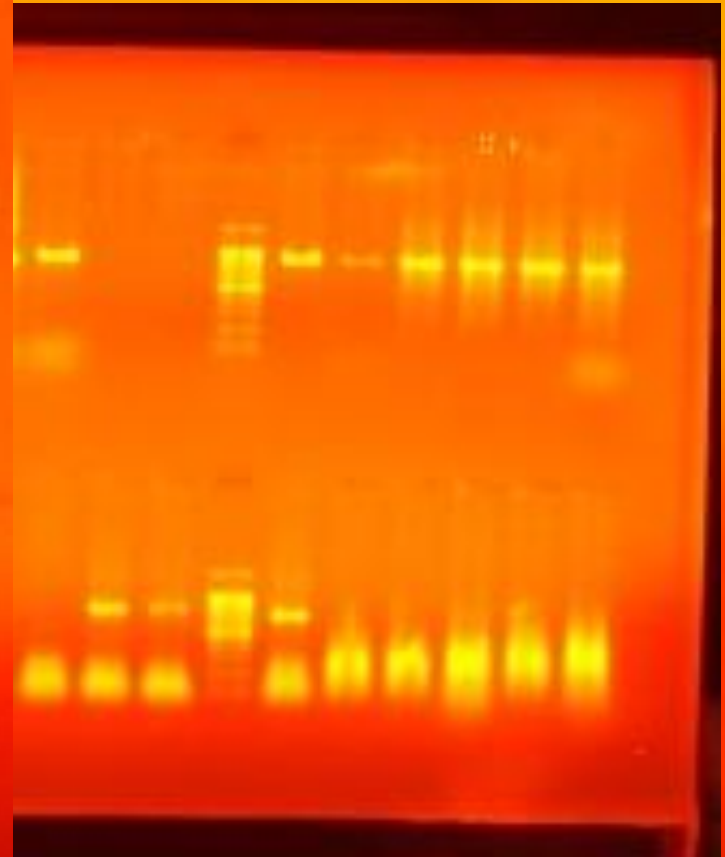
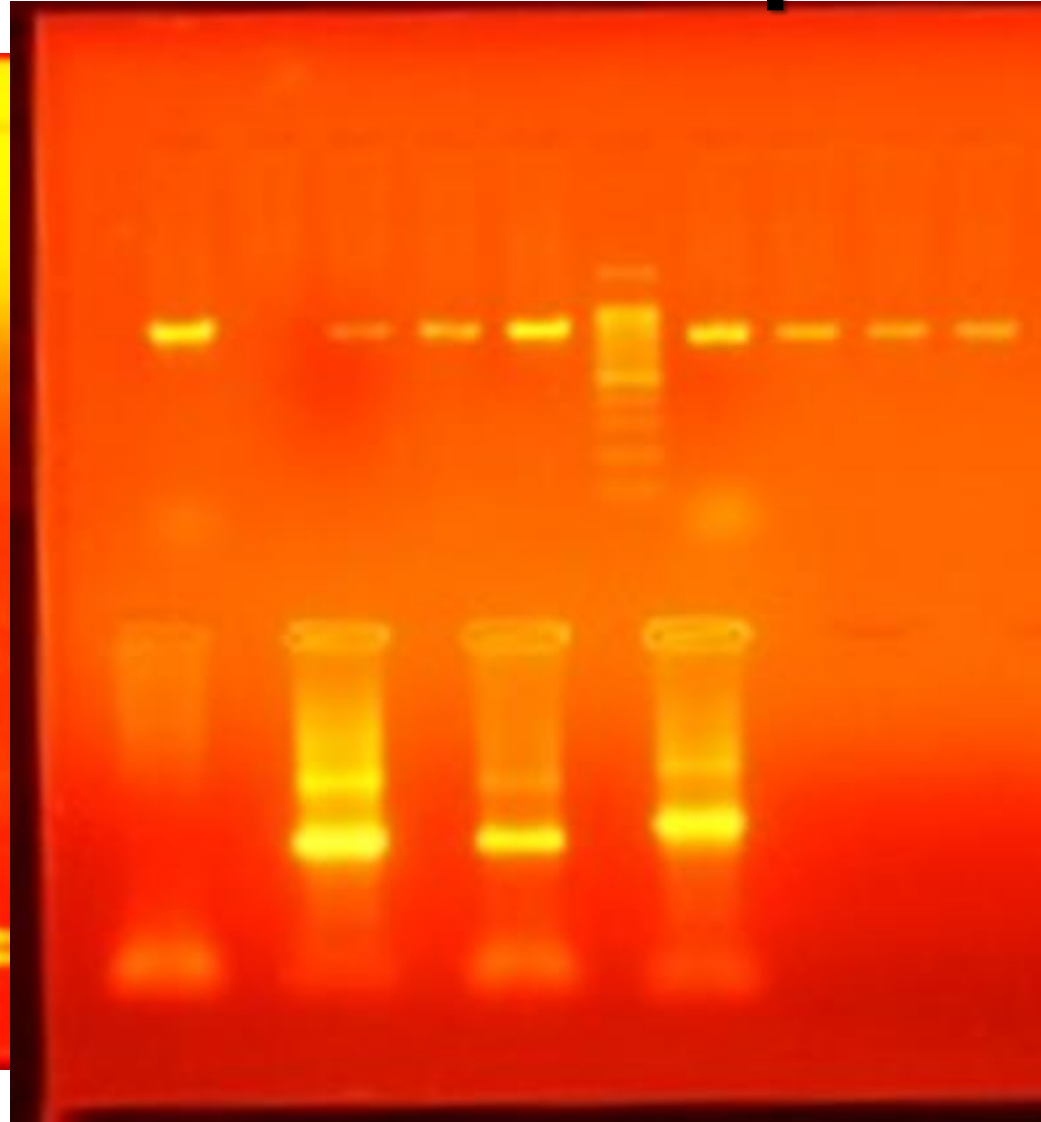
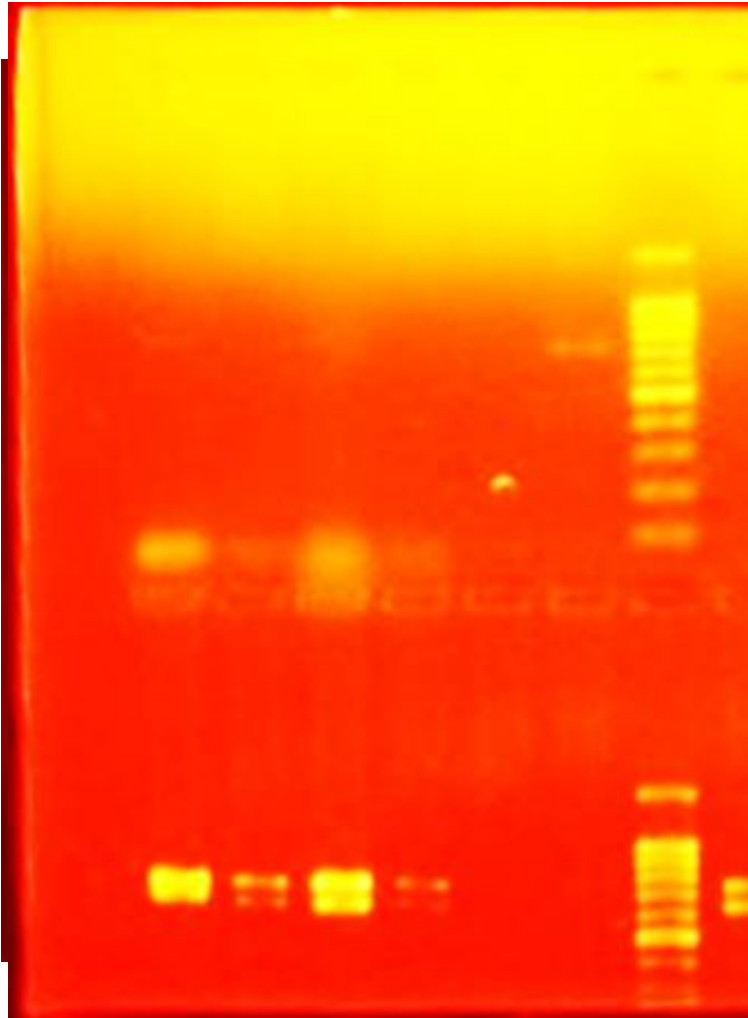
Stages of work: DNA purification

➤ Two kind starting materials for DNA Purification.

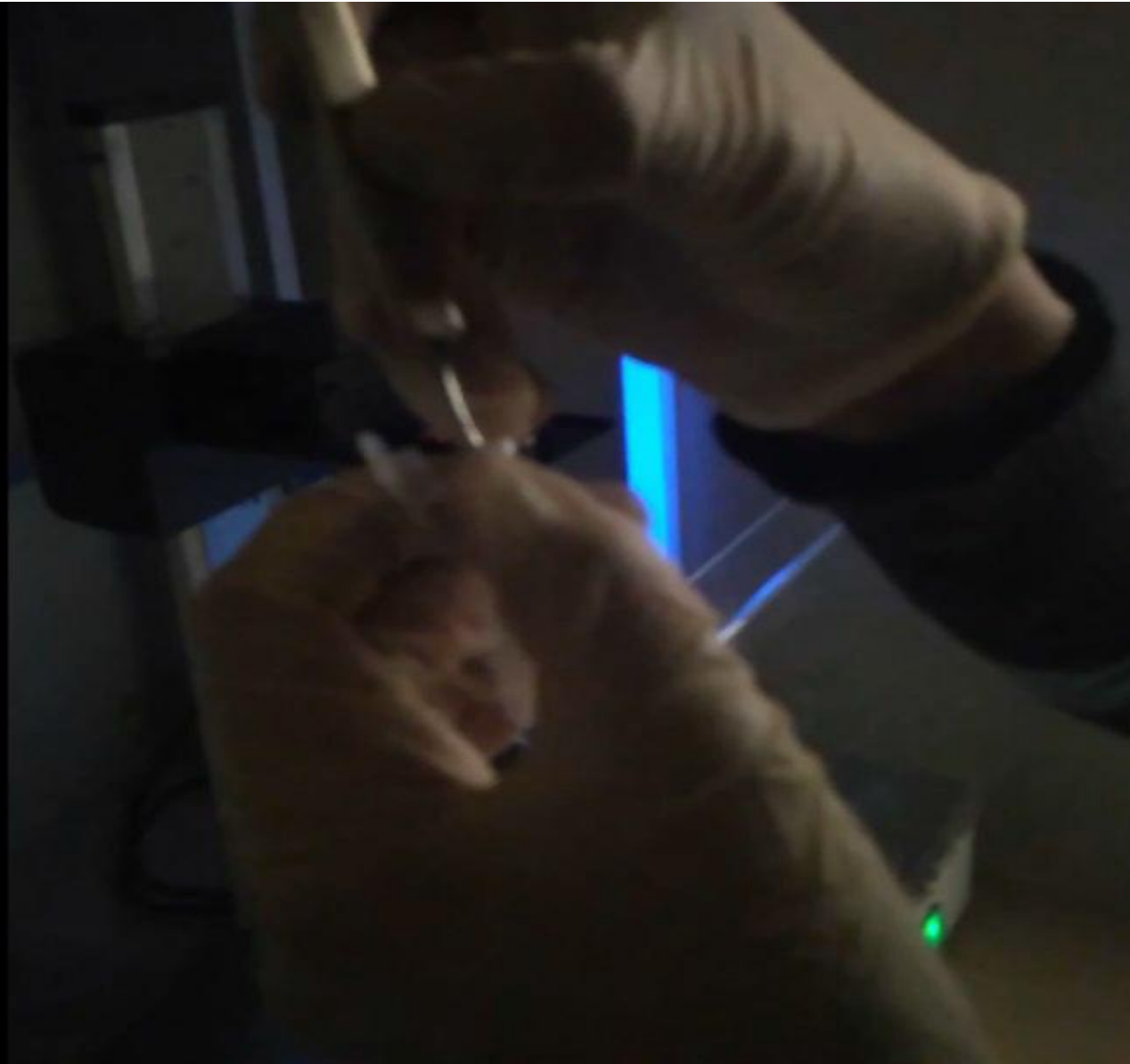
1. From DNA Product.
2. From Gel product.



Stages of work: Electrophoresis



Stages of Work: Electrophoresis (Gel cutter V1.0)



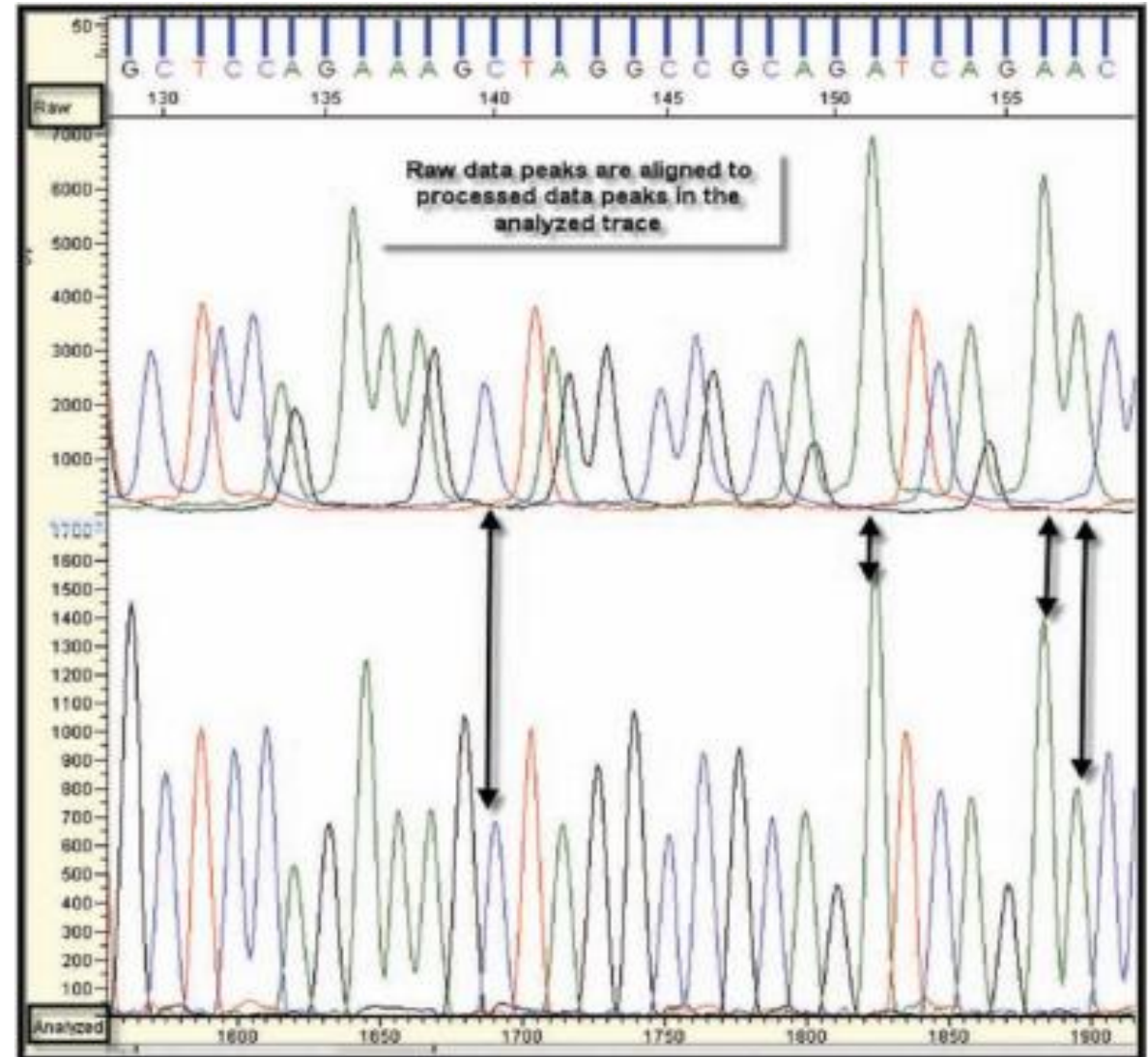
Stages of work: PCR products

NO	Mutant	Source dose (type, Gray units)	Chromosomal Aberration	ex 1 845b (1)	ex 2.1 794b (4)	ex2.2 717b (5)	ex3 710b (13)	ex4 738b (15)	ex5 670b (23)	Ex6-7 782b (24)	ex8 620b (25)
1				+ve	+ve		+ve	+ve			
2				+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve
3				+ve	+ve	+ve		+ve	+ve		
4				+ve	+ve				+ve		
5				+ve	+ve			+ve			
6				+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	
7				+ve	+ve	+ve		+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve
8				+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve				
9				+ve	+ve				+ve		
10	Vg 157	n + y ,20		+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve	+ve		

The diagram illustrates the gene structure with exons (ex1, ex2) and introns (in1, in2). Splice sites are labeled f_s1 through f_s12. The diagram is overlaid on the first 10 rows of the table, with vertical dashed lines connecting splice sites to PCR products. Circles highlight f_s1, f_s5, and f_s4.

Stages of work: Sequencing

- Sequence Scanner Software.
 1. Forward sequence
 2. Reverse sequence
 3. Analyze the mutations that occurs



Conclusion

- Understand the effect of different radiations on DNA sequence .
- DNA Extraction with two different methods.
- PCR techniques and Purification.
- Do the best to understand what happen in vestigial gene and how this change effect in the function of the gene .
- The role radiation and how it influence DNA are not known exactly due to the behaviour of biological machinery that erases some of the effects of radiation.

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