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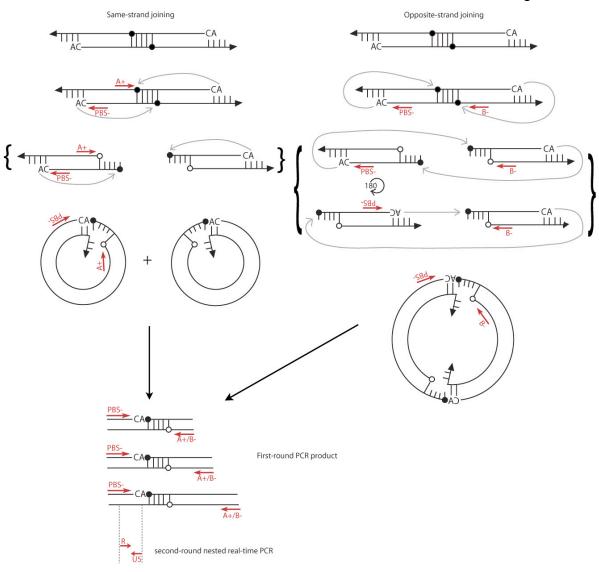


Figure S4. Detailed diagram of auto-PCR assay. Primers PBS-/A+ and PBS-/Bamplify same-strand and opposite-strand joining products, respectively, during first-round PCR. The resulting products contain PBS-LTR (U3RU5) sequences, which are measured by second-round nested qPCR using R-U5 primers. Arrowheads, reverse transcript 5' ends; filled circles, 5' phosphates attacked by the recessed CA-_{OH} ends during autointegration. The viral DNA ends become joined to these internal sites during CA-_{OH} attack; the structures in brackets are imaginary intermediates to aid visualization of reaction pathways. Open circles, internal 3' termini resulting from autointegration.