Supplementary data.

Hydrophobic Properties of tRNA with Varied Conformations Evaluated by an Aqueous Two-Phase System

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Polyethylene glycol (PEG)

MW: 1540, 4000, 6000



Dextran (Dex)

MW: 60000-90000, 90000-210000



Fig. S1 Chemical structure of materials.



Fig. S2 (a) Relationship between the partition coefficients of amino acids and their hidrophobicity. (b) Hydrophobicity factor of ATPS. This data was reported by Kuboi *et al.* (2005) [8].

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