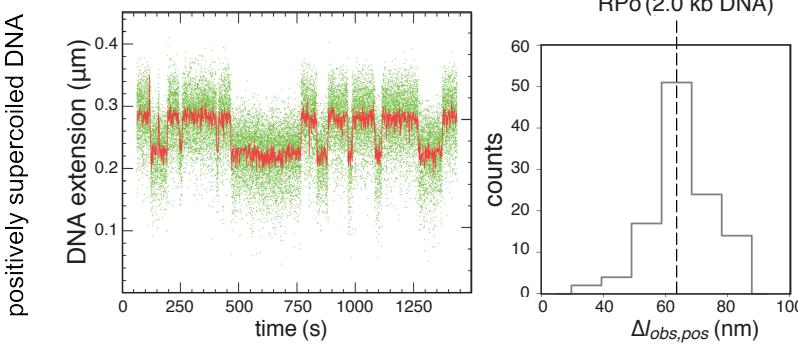


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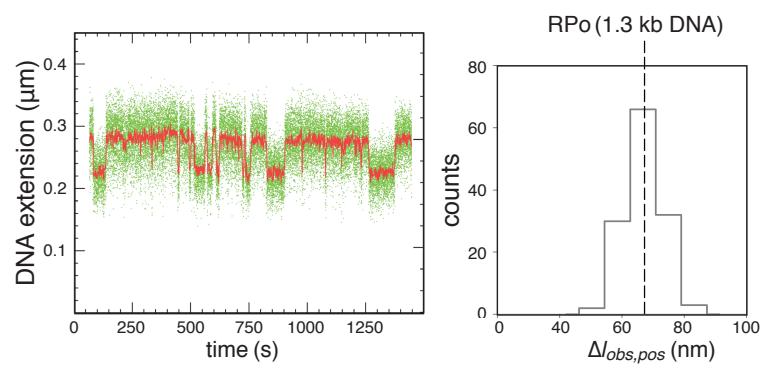
**A**

2.0 kb DNA segment



**B**

1.3 kb DNA segment



**C**

negatively supercoiled DNA

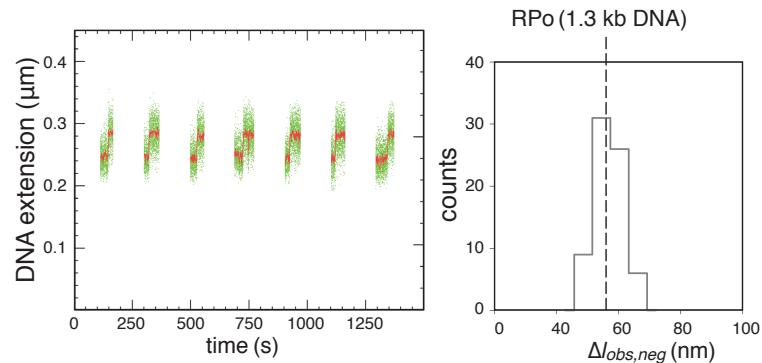
DNA extension ( $\mu\text{m}$ )

time (s)

R $Po$  (2.0 kb DNA)

Counts

$\Delta l_{obs, neg}$  (nm)



	$\bar{\Delta l}_{obs, pos}$ (nm)	$\bar{\Delta l}_{obs, neg}$ (nm)	unwinding (bp)
2.0 kb DNA segment	63±5	57±5	11±1
1.3 kb DNA segment	67±3	56±3	11±0.5