

## New England Biolabs Certificate of Analysis

**Product Name:** *Magnesium Chloride (MgCl<sub>2</sub>) Solution*  
**Catalog #:** *B9021S*  
**Concentration:** *25 mM*  
**Lot #:** *0031705*  
**Assay Date:** *05/2017*  
**Expiration Date:** *5/2022*  
**Storage Temp:** *-20°C*  
**Composition (1X):** *25 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>*  
**Specification Version:** *PS-B9021S v1.0*  
**Effective Date:** *10 May 2017*

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<b>Conductivity (buffers/solutions)</b> - The conductivity of 25 mM Magnesium Chloride (MgCl <sub>2</sub> ) Solution is between 5.1 and 6.2 mS/cm at 25°C.	<b>Pass</b>
<b>Endonuclease Activity (Nicking)</b> - A 50 µl reaction in NEBuffer 2 containing 1 µg of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 20 µl of Magnesium Chloride (MgCl <sub>2</sub> ) Solution incubated for 4 hours at 37°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	<b>Pass</b>
<b>Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour)</b> - A 50 µl reaction in NEBuffer 2 containing 1 µg of T3 DNA in addition to a reaction containing Lambda-HindIII DNA and a minimum of 20 µl of Magnesium Chloride (MgCl <sub>2</sub> ) Solution incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	<b>Pass</b>
<b>PCR Amplification (5.0 kb Lambda DNA, Mg<sup>2+</sup>)</b> - A 50 µl reaction in Standard <i>Taq</i> (Mg-free) Reaction Buffer containing 1.5 mM Magnesium Chloride (MgCl <sub>2</sub> ) Solution in the presence of 200 µM dNTPs and 0.2 µM primers containing 5 ng Lambda DNA with 1.25 units of <i>Taq</i> DNA Polymerase for 25 cycles of PCR amplification results in the expected 5.0 kb product.	<b>Pass</b>
<b>Phosphatase Activity (pNPP)</b> - A 200 µl reaction in 1M Diethanolamine, pH 9.8, 0.5 mM MgCl <sub>2</sub> containing 2.5 mM <i>p</i> -Nitrophenyl Phosphate (pNPP) and a minimum of 40 µl of Magnesium Chloride (MgCl <sub>2</sub> ) Solution incubated for 4 hours at 37°C yields <0.0001 unit of alkaline phosphatase activity as determined by spectrophotometric analysis.	<b>Pass</b>



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<p><b>qPCR DNA Contamination (<i>E. coli</i> Genomic)</b> - A minimum of 1 µl of Magnesium Chloride (MgCl<sub>2</sub>) Solution is screened for the presence of <i>E. coli</i> genomic DNA using SYBR<sup>®</sup> Green qPCR with primers specific for the <i>E. coli</i> 16S rRNA locus. Results are quantified using a standard curve generated from purified <i>E. coli</i> genomic DNA. The measured level of <i>E. coli</i> genomic DNA contamination is ≤ 1 <i>E. coli</i> genome.</p> <p><b>RNase Activity (Extended Digestion)</b> - A 10 µl reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 40 ng of a 300 base single-stranded RNA and a minimum of 1 µl of Magnesium Chloride (MgCl<sub>2</sub>) Solution is incubated at 37°C. After incubation for 16 hours, &gt;90% of the substrate RNA remains intact as determined by gel electrophoresis using fluorescent detection.</p>	<p><b>Pass</b></p> <p><b>Pass</b></p>



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