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500 units **10,000 U/ml** **Lot: 0021610**

RECOMBINANT **Store at –20°C** **Exp: 10/18**

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Supplied in: 100 mM KCl, 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH7.4), 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mM dithiothreitol, 0.5% Tween 20, 0.5% NP-40 and 50% glycerol.

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Reaction Conditions: 1X ThermoPol Buffer. Incubate at 37°C.

1X ThermoPol Reaction Buffer:
10 mM KCl
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20 mM Tris-HCl
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pH 8.8 @ 25°C

When using a buffer other than the optimal (supplied) NEBuffer, it may be necessary to add more enzyme to achieve complete digestion.

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Molecular Weight: 25,752 Daltons

Quality Control Assays

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