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New England Biolabs Certificate of Analysis

Product Name: Quick-Load® Taq 2X Master Mix

 Catalog #:
 M0271S/L

 Concentration:
 2X Concentrate

 Lot #:
 0381712

 Assay Date:
 12/2017

 Expiration Date:
 12/2019

 Storage Temp:
 -20°C

Composition (1X): 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.6 @ 25°C), 50 mM KCl, 1.5 mM MgCl₂, 0.2 mM dATP, 0.2 mM dCTP, 0.2 mM dGTP, 0.2

mM dTTP, 5 % Glycerol, 0.08 % IGEPAL® CA-630, 0.05 % Tween® 20, 0.024 % Orange G, 0.0025 % Xylene cyanol,

33 units/ml Taq DNA Polymerase

Specification Version: PS-M0271S/L v1.0
Effective Date: 16 Nov 2017

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)	Lot #0381712
Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) - A 50 μ l reaction in ThermoPol® Reaction Buffer containing 1 μ g of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 20 units of Taq DNA Polymerase incubated for 4 hours at either 37°C or 75°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	Pass
Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 hour, Buffer) - A 50 µl reaction in 1X Quick-Load® <i>Taq</i> Master Mix containing 1 µg of T3 DNA in addition to a reaction containing Lambda-HindIII DNA incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	Pass
PCR Amplification (5 kb Lambda, Master Mix) - A 25 μl reaction in 1X Quick-Load® <i>Taq</i> Master Mix and 0.2 μM primers containing 5 ng Lambda DNA for 25 cycles of PCR amplification results in the expected 5 kb product.	Pass
Phosphatase Activity (pNPP) - A 200 μ l reaction in 1M Diethanolamine, pH 9.8, 0.5 mM MgCl ₂ containing 2.5 mM p -Nitrophenyl Phosphate (pNPP) and a minimum of 100 units of Taq DNA Polymerase incubated for 4 hours at 37°C yields <0.0001 unit of alkaline phosphatase activity as determined by spectrophotometric analysis.	Pass
Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - <i>Taq</i> DNA Polymerase is ≥ 99% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.	Pass









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qPCR DNA Contamination (<i>E. coli</i> Genomic) - A minimum of 5 units of Taq DNA Polymerase is screened for the presence of <i>E. coli</i> genomic DNA using SYBR® 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.	Pass
RNase Activity (Extended Digestion) - A 10 μ l reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 40 ng of a 300 base single-stranded RNA and a minimum of 1 μ l of Quick-Load® Taq 2X Master Mix is incubated at 37°C. After incubation for 4 hours, >90% of the substrate RNA remains intact as determined by gel electrophoresis using fluorescent detection.	Pass
Single Stranded DNase Activity (FAM-Labeled Oligo) - A 50 μl reaction in ThermoPol® Reaction Buffer containing a 10 nM solution of a fluorescent internal labeled oligonucleotide and a minimum of 25 units of <i>Taq</i> DNA Polymerase incubated for 30 minutes at either 37°C or 75°C yields <10% degradation as determined by capillary electrophoresis.	Pass

Authorized by Lynne Apone 16 Nov 2017







Inspected by
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