# New England Biolabs Product Specification 

| Product Name: | NEBuffer TM 2.1 |
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| Catalog \#: | B7202S |
| Concentration: | 10 X Concentrate |
| Shelf Life: | 36 months |
| Storage Temp: | $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Composition (1X): | $50 \mathrm{mM} \mathrm{NaCl}, 10 \mathrm{mM} \mathrm{Tris-HCl,10} \mathrm{mM} \mathrm{MgCl} 2,100 ~ \mu \mathrm{~g} / \mathrm{ml} \mathrm{BSA},\left(\right.$ pH $\left.7.9 @ 25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ |
| Specification Version: | PS-B7202S v1.0 |
| Effective Date: | 14 Sep 2017 |

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)
Conductivity (buffers/solutions) - The conductivity of 10 X NEBuffer 2.1 is between 55 and 62 mS at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Endonuclease Activity (Nicking, Buffer) - A $50 \mu 1$ reaction in 1X NEBuffer 2.1 containing $1 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA incubated for 4 hours at $37^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ results in $<10 \%$ conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.
Functional Testing (Restriction Digest, Buffer) - A $50 \mu 1$ reaction in 1X NEBuffer 2.1 containing $1 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ of Lambda DNA and 1 unit of HindIII incubated for 1 hour at $37^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ results in complete digestion of the substrate DNA as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Functional Testing (Restriction Digest, Buffer) - A $50 \mu 1$ reaction in 1X NEBuffer 2.1 containing $1 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ of Lambda DNA and 1 unit of Sphl incubated for 1 hour at $37^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ results in complete digestion of the substrate DNA as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.
Non-Specific DNase Activity ( 16 hour, Buffer) - A $50 \mu 1$ reaction in 1X NEBuffer 2.1 containing $1 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ of PhiX174-HaeIII DNA incubated for 16 hours at $37^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.
pH (buffers/solutions) - The pH of 10 X NEBuffer 2.1 is between pH 7.8 and 8.0 at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
RNase Activity (Buffer) - A $10 \mu 1$ reaction in 1X NEBuffer 2.1 containing 40 ng of a 300 base single-stranded RNA is incubated at $37^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. After incubation for 16 hours, $>90 \%$ of the substrate RNA remains intact as determined by fluorescent detection.

* The BSA in this product has been granted an EDQM "Certificate of Suitability" from the European Directorate for the Quality of Medicines (\# R1-CEP-2003-204-Rev00) and has been granted a USDA Certificate for Export of Bovine Blood Plasma/Serum for Manufacture into Pharmaceutical Products.


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