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## New England Biolabs Product Specification

Product Name: TspMI

Catalog #: R0709S/L

Concentration: 5,000 units/ml

Unit Definition:

One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1 µg of pUCAdeno plasmid DNA in 1 hour at 75°C in a total

reaction volume of 50  $\mu$ l.

Shelf Life: 6 months
Storage Temp: -20 °C

Storage Conditions: 300 mM NaCl, 20 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.0), 1 mM DTT, 1 mM EDTA, 50% Glycerol, 0.10% Triton X-100, 200 µg/ml

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## Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in CutSmart<sup>TM</sup> Buffer containing 1  $\mu$ g of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 5 Units of TspMI incubated for 4 hours at 75°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in CutSmart<sup>TM</sup> Buffer containing 1  $\mu$ g of a mixture of single and double-stranded [  $^3$ H] *E. coli* DNA and a minimum of 50 units of TspMI incubated for 4 hours at 75°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.

**Ligation and Recutting (Terminal Integrity)** - After a 10-fold over-digestion of pUCAdeno DNA with TspMI, >95% of the DNA fragments can be ligated with T4 DNA ligase in 16 hours at 25°C. Of these ligated fragments, >75% can be recut with TspMI.

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart<sup>TM</sup> Buffer containing 1 µg of pUCAdeno DNA and a minimum of 5 Units of TspMI incubated for 16 hours at 75°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

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<sup>\*</sup> 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.