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Product Specification

Product Name:	*T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus)*
Catalog #:	*M0236S/L*
Concentration:	*10,000 units/ml*
Unit Definition:	*One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme catalyzing the incorporation of 1 nmol of acid insoluble [^{33}P] in 30 minutes at 37°C.*
Shelf Life:	*24 months*
Storage Temp:	*-20°C*
Storage Conditions:	*10 mM Tris-HCl , 50 mM KCl , 1 mM DTT , 0.1 mM EDTA , 0.1 µM ATP , 50 % Glycerol, (pH 7.4 @ 25°C)*
Specification Version:	*PS-M0236S/L v1.0*
Effective Date:	*08 Dec 2016*

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

DNase Activity (Labeled Oligo, 3' extension) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart® Buffer containing a 20 nM solution of a fluorescent labeled double-stranded oligonucleotide containing a 3' extension and a minimum of 50 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) incubated for 16 hours at 37°C yields <5% degradation as determined by capillary electrophoresis.

DNase Activity (Labeled Oligo, 5' extension) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart® Buffer containing a 20 nM solution of a fluorescent labeled double-stranded oligonucleotide containing a 5' extension and a minimum of 50 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) incubated for 16 hours at 37°C yields <5% degradation as determined by capillary electrophoresis.

Double Stranded DNase Activity (Labeled Oligo) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart® Buffer containing a 20 nM solution of a fluorescent labeled double-stranded oligonucleotide containing a blunt end and a minimum of 50 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) incubated for 16 hours at 37°C yields <5% degradation as determined by capillary electrophoresis.

Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) - A 50 µl reaction in T4 Polynucleotide Kinase Reaction Buffer containing 1 µg of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 100 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) incubated for 4 hours at 37°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50 µl reaction in T4 Polynucleotide Kinase Reaction Buffer containing 1 µg of a mixture of single and double-stranded [^{3}H] *E. coli* DNA and a minimum of 100 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) incubated for 4 hours at 37°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50 µl reaction in T4 Polynucleotide Kinase Reaction Buffer containing 1 µg of Lambda DNA and a minimum of 100 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

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Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) is ≥ 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.
qPCR DNA Contamination (*E. coli* Genomic) - A minimum of 10 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) is screened for the presence of *E. coli* genomic DNA using SYBR® Green qPCR with primers specific for the *E. coli* 16S rRNA locus. Results are quantified using a standard curve generated from purified *E. coli* genomic DNA. The measured level of *E. coli* genomic DNA contamination is ≤ 1 *E. coli* genome.
RNase Activity (Extended Digestion) - A 10 µl reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 40 ng of a 300 base single-stranded RNA and a minimum of 1 µl of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) is incubated at 37°C. After incubation for 16 hours, >90% of the substrate RNA remains intact as determined by gel electrophoresis using fluorescent detection.
Single Stranded DNase Activity (FAM-Labeled Oligo) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart® Buffer containing a 20 nM solution of a fluorescent internal labeled oligonucleotide and a minimum of 50 units of T4 Polynucleotide Kinase (3' phosphatase minus) incubated for 16 hours at 37°C yields <5% degradation as determined by capillary electrophoresis.

Date 08 Dec 2016

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