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## New England Biolabs Product Specification

Product Name: Deep Vent® (exo-) DNA Polymerase

Catalog #: M0259S/L
Concentration: 2,000 units/ml

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme that will incorporate 10 nmol of dNTP into acid-insoluble material 30 minutes

at 75°C

Shelf Life: 24 months
Storage Temp: -20°C

Storage Conditions: 10 mM Tris-HCl, 100 mM KCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 0.1 % Triton®X-100, 50 % Glycerol, (pH 7.4 @)

25°C,

Specification Version: PS-M0259S/L v1.0

Effective Date: 02 Dec 2015

## Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in ThermoPol® Reaction Buffer containing 1  $\mu$ g of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 20 units of Deep Vent<sup>TM</sup> (exo-) 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.

Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in ThermoPol® Reaction Buffer containing 1  $\mu$ g of a mixture of single and double-stranded [  $^3$ H] *E. coli* DNA and a minimum of 20 units of Deep Vent<sup>TM</sup> (exo-) DNA Polymerase incubated for 4 hours at either 37°C or 75°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in NEBuffer 2 containing 1  $\mu$ g of T3 DNA in addition to a reaction containing Lambda-HindIII DNA and a minimum of 2 units of Deep Vent<sup>TM</sup> (exo-) DNA Polymerase incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

PCR Amplification (2.0 kb Lambda DNA) - A 25  $\mu$ l reaction in ThermoPol® Reaction Buffer in the presence of 200  $\mu$ M dNTPs and 0.2  $\mu$ M primers containing 5 ng Lambda DNA with 1 unit of Deep Vent<sup>TM</sup> (exo-) DNA Polymerase for 25 cycles of PCR amplification results in the expected 2.0 kb product.

Phosphatase Activity (pNPP) - A 200 μl reaction in 1M Diethanolamine, pH 9.8, 0.5 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub> containing 2.5 mM *p*-Nitrophenyl Phosphate (pNPP) and a minimum of 100 units Deep Vent<sup>TM</sup> (exo-) DNA Polymerase incubated for 4 hours at 37°C yields <0.0001 unit of alkaline phosphatase activity as determined by spectrophotometric analysis.

Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - Deep  $Vent^{TM}$  (exo-) DNA Polymerase is  $\geq 95\%$  pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.









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Single Stranded DNase Activity (FAM-Labeled Oligo) - A 20  $\mu$ l reaction in ThermoPol® Reaction Buffer containing a 10 nM solution of a fluorescent internal labeled oligonucleotide and a minimum of 20 units of Deep Vent<sup>TM</sup> (exo-) DNA Polymerase incubated for 30 minutes at either 37°C or 75°C yields <10% degradation as determined by capillary electrophoresis.

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