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New England Biolabs Product Specification

Product Name: LongAmp® Taq DNA Polymerase

Catalog #: M0323S/L
Concentration: 2,500 units/ml

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme that will incorporate 10 nmol of dNTP into acid insoluble material in 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, 0.5 % Tween® 20, 0.5 % IGEPAL® CA-630, 50

% Glycerol, (pH 7.4 @, 25°C)

Specification Version: PS-M0323S/L v1.0

Effective Date: 02 Dec 2015

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50 μ l reaction in NEBuffer 2 containing 1 μ g of T3 DNA in addition to a reaction containing Lambda-HindIII DNA and a minimum of 2.5 units of LongAmp® Taq 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 (30 kb Human Genomic DNA) - A 25 μ l reaction in LongAmp® $\it Taq$ Reaction Buffer in the presence of 300 μ M dNTPs and 0.4 μ M primers containing 500 ng Human Genomic DNA with 2.5 units of LongAmp® $\it Taq$ DNA Polymerase for 28 cycles of PCR amplification results in the expected 30 kb product.

PCR Amplification (30 kb Lambda DNA) - A 25 μ l reaction in LongAmp® Taq Reaction Buffer in the presence of 300 μ M dNTPs and 0.4 μ M primers containing 1 ng Lambda DNA with 2.5 units of LongAmp® Taq DNA Polymerase for 28 cycles of PCR amplification results in the expected 30 kb product.

qPCR DNA Contamination (*E. coli* Genomic) - A minimum of 2.5 units of LongAmp® Taq DNA Polymerase 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 LongAmp® *Taq* DNA Polymerase 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.

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