

New England Biolabs Product Specification

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| <i>Product Name:</i> | <i>Exonuclease VIII, truncated</i> |
| <i>Catalog #:</i> | <i>M0545S/L</i> |
| <i>Concentration:</i> | <i>10,000 units/ml</i> |
| <i>Unit Definition:</i> | <i>One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to produce 1 nmol of acid-soluble deoxyribonucleotide from double-stranded DNA in a total reaction volume of 50 µl in 30 minutes at 37°C in 1X NEBuffer 4 with 0.15 mM sonicated duplex [³H]-DNA.</i> |
| <i>Shelf Life:</i> | <i>24 months</i> |
| <i>Storage Temp:</i> | <i>-20°C</i> |
| <i>Storage Conditions:</i> | <i>50 mM Tris-HCl, 100 mM NaCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50 % Glycerol, 0.1 % Triton X-100, (pH 7.5 @ 25° C)</i> |
| <i>Specification Version:</i> | <i>PS-M0545S/L v1.0</i> |
| <i>Effective Date:</i> | <i>22 May 2018</i> |

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Endonuclease Activity (Circular Single Stranded DNA) - A 50 µl reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 1 µg of M13mp18 Single-stranded DNA and a minimum of 30 units of Exonuclease VIII, truncated incubated for 4 hours at 37°C results in <10% conversion to linear DNA as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Endonuclease Activity (Nicked Circular DNA) - A 50 µl reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 1 µg of PhiX174 RF II DNA and a minimum of 30 units of Exonuclease VIII, truncated incubated for 4 hours at 37°C results in <10% conversion to linear DNA as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) - A 50 µl reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 1 µg of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 50 units of Exonuclease VIII, truncated incubated for 4 hours at 37°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - Exonuclease VIII, truncated is ≥ 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.

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 10 units of Exonuclease VIII, truncated is incubated at 37°C. After incubation for 4 hours, >90% of the substrate RNA remains intact as determined by gel electrophoresis using fluorescent detection.



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