

Benzonase

Cat: N3040

Specification: 25KU

Storage: Store at -20°C, and it is valid for 2 years. Avoid storage at -70°C.

Product Information

Purity: >99% (SDS-PAGE)

Enzyme Activity/Potency: 250U/µl

Introduction

Benzonase Nuclease is a highly purified recombinant nuclease expressed in Escherichia coli, also known as Universal Nuclease or Omnipotent Nuclease.

Product Features:

This enzyme is capable of degrading a wide range of DNA and RNA, including single-stranded, double-stranded, linear, and circular forms. Experimental results have shown its excellent efficacy in degrading fish sperm DNA, viral nucleic acids, and eukaryotic genomic DNA. The complete digestion products are oligonucleotide fragments of 2-5 bases, smaller than the hybridization limit. The enzyme remains active in the presence of 1-2mM Mg²⁺, within a pH range of 6.0-10.0, and at temperatures between 0-42°C. Surface active agents and reducing agents do not affect its activity.

Product Applications:

- 1. Reducing solution viscosity during protein extraction processes.
- 2. Preparation of samples for two-dimensional gel electrophoresis.
- 3. Removal of residual nucleic acids from biological products.

Enzyme Activity Definition:

One unit of activity is defined as the amount of enzyme required to increase the absorbance at 260nm (A260) by 1.0 in 30 minutes at 37°C, which is equivalent to the amount of enzyme that completely digests 37 micrograms (µg) of DNA.

Recommended Enzyme Digestion Conditions:

Enzyme Concentration: 2,000 U/L

pH Range: 7.0 to 8.5

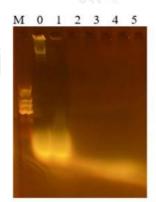
Temperature: 37°C

Incubation Time: 1 to 2 hours

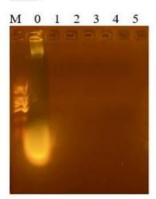
Reagent Durability:



| Reagents | Experimental Results | Reagents | Experimental Results |
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| DTT | ≤500mM does not affect enzyme activity | PO4 ³⁺ ion | ≤100mM does not affect enzyme activity |
| BME | ≤500mM does not affect enzyme activity | Mg ²⁺ ion | Essential for activity, 100mM does not inhibit enzyme activity |
| Na ⁺ ion | ≤1M does not affect enzyme activity | Mn ²⁺ ion | ≤15mM does not affect enzyme activity |
| K ⁺ ion | ≤500mM does not affect enzyme activity | Ca ²⁺ ion | ≤25mM does not affect enzyme activity |
| EDTA | ≥0.1mM inhibits enzyme activity | Zn ²⁺ ion | ≤10mM does not affect enzyme activity |
| Triton X-100 | ≤5% does not affect enzyme activity | Tween-80 | ≤5% does not affect enzyme activity |
| SDS | ≥0.1% affects enzyme activity | (NH ₄) ₂ SO ₄ | ≤100mM does not affect enzyme activity |
| Urea | ≤2M does not affect enzyme activity | GuHC1 | ≤0.5M does not affect enzyme activity |
| β-Propiolactone | ≤0.05% does not affect enzyme activity | Formalin | ≤0.05% does not affect enzyme |



- M, DNA Marker:
- 0、质粒 DNA;
- 1, Mg2+ 0 mM;
- 2, Mg²⁺ 1 mM;
- 3, Mg2+ 5 mM;
- 4、Mg²⁺ 10 mM;
- $5\,,\,\,Mg^{2+}\,100~mM_{\,\circ}$



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- 0、质粒 DNA;
- 1, BPL 0;
- 2、BPL 0.005%
- 3, BPL 0.01%;
- 4、BPL 0.025%;
- 5、BPL 0.05%。

Precautions:

- 1. Mg^{2+} plays a crucial auxiliary role in the catalysis of Benzonase nuclease. The presence of 1-2mM Mg^{2+} in the final reaction system is essential for the activity of Benzonase nuclease.
- 2. If a special reaction solution system is used, such as a high-salt solution, acidic or alkaline solution, containing high concentrations of detergents or denaturants, the amount of Benzonase nuclease used and the reaction time should be increased accordingly.