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PRODUCT INFORMATION

ApaI

#ER1415 5000 U

Lot: ___ **Expiry Date: _**

5'... **G G G C C↓C**...3'
3'... **C↑C C G G G**...5'

Concentration: 10 U/µL
Source: *E.coli* that carries the cloned *apaIR* gene from *Acetobacter pasteurianus*
Supplied with: 2 x 1 mL of 10X Buffer B
1 mL of 10X Buffer Tango

Store at -20°C

In total 4 vials. BSA included

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RECOMMENDATIONS

1X Buffer B (for 100% ApaI digestion)
10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.5), 10 mM $MgCl_2$, 0.1 mg/mL BSA.

Incubation temperature
37°C*.

Unit Definition
One unit is defined as the amount of ApaI required to digest 1 µg of lambda DNA-CpoI fragments in 1 hour at 37°C in 50 µL of recommended reaction buffer.

Dilution
Dilute with Dilution Buffer (#B19): 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH7.4 at 25°C), 100 mM KCl, 1 mM EDTA, 1 mM DTT, 0.2 mg/mL BSA and 50% glycerol.

Double Digests
Thermo Scientific Tango Buffer is provided to simplify buffer selection for double digests. 98% of Thermo Scientific restriction enzymes are active in a 1X or 2X concentration of Tango™ Buffer. Please refer to www.thermoscientific.com/doubledigest to choose the best buffer for your experiments.
1X Tango Buffer: 33 mM Tris-acetate (pH 7.9 at 37°C), 10 mM magnesium acetate, 66 mM potassium acetate, 0.1 mg/mL BSA.

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* Incubation at 30°C results in a 2-fold increase in activity.

Storage Buffer

ApaI is supplied in: 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.4 at 25°C), 50 mM NaCl, 1 mM DTT, 1 mM EDTA, 0.2 mg/mL BSA and 50% glycerol.

Recommended Protocol for Digestion

- Add:

nuclease-free water	16 µL
10X Buffer B	2 µL
DNA (0.5-1 µg/µL)	1 µL
ApaI	0.5-2 µL

- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 37°C for 1-16 hours.

The digestion reaction may be scaled either up or down.

Recommended Protocol for Digestion of PCR Products Directly after Amplification

- Add:

PCR reaction mixture	10 µL	(~0.1-0.5 µg of DNA)
nuclease-free water	18 µL	
10X Buffer B	2 µL	
ApaI	1-2 µL	

- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 37°C for 1-16 hours.

Thermal Inactivation

ApaI is inactivated by incubation at 65°C for 20 min.

ENZYME PROPERTIES

Enzyme Activity in Thermo Scientific REase Buffers, %

B	G	O	R	Tango	2X Tango
100	20-50	0-20	0-20	20-50	0-20

Methylation Effects on Digestion

Dam: never overlaps – no effect.
Dcm: may overlap – cleavage impaired.
CpG: may overlap – cleavage impaired.
EcoKI: never overlaps – no effect.
EcoBI: never overlaps – no effect.

Stability during Prolonged Incubation

A minimum of 0.2 units of the enzyme is required for complete digestion of 1 µg of lambda DNA in 16 hours at 37°C.

Digestion of Agarose-embedded DNA

A minimum of 5 units of the enzyme is required for complete digestion of 1 µg of agarose-embedded lambda DNA in 16 hours.

Compatible Ends

BseSI (GGGCC↓C), Eco24I (GGGCC↓C), SduI (GGGCC↓C)

Number of Recognition Sites in DNA

λ	ΦX174	pBR322	pUC57	pUC18/19	pTZ19R/U	M13mp18/19
1	0	0	1	0	0	0

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Note

- ApaI is inhibited by salt concentrations above 50 mM.
- ApaI cleavage is impaired by overlapping *dcm* methylation. To avoid *dcm* methylation, use a *dam*$^-$, *dcm*$^-$ strain such as GM2163 (#M0099).

CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

Overdigestion Assay

No detectable change in the specific fragmentation pattern is observed after a 160-fold overdigestion with ApaI (10 U/µg lambda DNA x 16 hours).

Ligation and Recleavage (L/R) Assay

The ligation and recleavage assay was replaced with LO test after validating experiments showed LO test ability to trace nuclease and phosphatase activities with sensitivity that is higher than L/R by a factor of 100.

Labeled Oligonucleotide (LO) Assay

No detectable degradation of single-stranded or double-stranded labeled oligonucleotides occurred during incubation with 10 units of ApaI for 4 hours.

Blue/White (B/W) Cloning Assay

The B/W assay was replaced with LO test after validating experiments showed LO test ability to detect nuclease and phosphatase activities with sensitivity that equals to that of B/W test.

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PRODUCT USE LIMITATION

This product is developed, designed and sold exclusively *for research purposes and in vitro use only.* The product was not tested for use in diagnostics or for drug development, nor is it suitable for administration to humans or animals.

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