

*n*Taq-Pure

Cat.#	Size	Conc.
P025P	250 units	5 units/ μ l
P050P	500 units	5 units/ μ l

Store at -20°C

Supplied with: 10X *n*Taq Buffer (Mg²⁺ plus)
dNTP Mixture (2 mM each)
Sterile water

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Product description

*n*Taq-Pure is a highly purified polymerase especially for PCR reactions where freedom from bacterial genomic DNA is essential. A gene encoding the *Thermus aquaticus* (Taq) DNA polymerase was cloned and expressed in *E. coli*, and the enzyme was purified to homogeneity. The purified Taq polymerase (*n*Taq) has optimal activity at high temperatures (72°C), which helps amplify secondary-structured regions. *n*Taq has greatly reduced activity of 5'→3' exonuclease activity. As a result, formation of erroneously amplified products caused by the 5'→3' exonuclease activity of wild type polymerase is effectively prevented. In addition, *n*Taq-Pure was purified by state of the art technology for minimizing the *E. coli* genomic DNA contamination. PCR product was not detected after 40 cycles of amplification using *E. coli* 16S RNA primer

Characteristics

- Absolutely free from *E. coli* genomic DNA contamination
- Enhanced sensitivity
- Molecular weight: 94 kDa
- Error rate: 2.4 X 10⁻⁵
- Thermal stability: Half life of 40 min at 95°C
- A-tail formation at 3' ends of amplified duplex DNA

For Research Use Only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.

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Applications

- Standard / General PCR
- PCR with bacterial DNA
- *E. coli* contamination studies
- Microbial (i.e. 16S/23S) screening studies
- Forensic studies
- PCR cloning
- RT-PCR

Quality control

- Purity: >99% on SDS-PAGE
- Endonuclease-free
- Exonuclease-free
- RNase-free
- Inhibitor-free

Unit definition

One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to incorporate 10 nmol of dNTP into acid insoluble materials in 30 min at 74°C in a 50 μ l reaction mixture (20 mM Tris-HCl/pH 8.8, 50 mM KCl, 2.5 mM MgCl₂, 10 mM β -mercaptoethanol, 12.5 μ g of calf thymus DNA).

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Standard PCR conditions

- PCR mixture^a

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<i>n</i> Taq-Pure DNA Polymerase ^b (5 units/ μ l)	0.2 μ l
dNTP Mixture (2 mM each)	2 μ l
Template DNA ^c (0.1~500 ng/ μ l)	1 μ l
Primer 1 (5 pmole/ μ l)	1 μ l
Primer 2 (5 pmole/ μ l)	1 μ l
Sterile water	up to 20 μ l

^aAssemble the reaction mixture on ice

^bAdd the PCR polymerase at the final step

^cPlasmid DNA, 0.1 ng~30 ng; genomic DNA, 50 ng~500 ng

- PCR cycle

Initial denaturation	95°C	2 min
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Annealing ^a	55°C~65°C	30~60 sec
Elongation	72°C	1 min/kb
Number of cycles	25~35 times	
Final elongation	72°C	5 min

When cycles are over, keep the reaction mixture at 4°C; may add 10 mM EDTA until use to prevent DNA degradation.

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