



Lot: 0341211 1,000 units 5,000 U/ml RECOMBINANT Store at -20°C Exp: 11/14

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NEBU 37° VAS

#### **Recognition Site:**

5<sup>′</sup>... A A T<sup>\*</sup>A T T ... 3<sup>′</sup> 3′... T T A T A A ... 5′

Source: An E. coli strain that carries the cloned Sspl gene from Sphaerotilus species (ATCC 13925)

# **New Storage Conditions**

Supplied in: 250 mM NaCl, 10 mM Tris-HCl, 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mM dithiothreitol, 0.15% Triton X-100, 200 µg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol (pH 7.4 @ 25°C).

**Reagents Supplied with Enzyme:** 10X NEBuffer Ssp I

Reaction Conditions: 1X NEBuffer Sspl. Incubate at 37°C.

#### **1X NEBuffer Sspl:**

50 mM NaCl 100 mM Tris-HCI 10 mM MaCl. 0.025% Triton X-100 pH 7.5 @ 25°C

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1  $\mu$ g of  $\lambda$  DNA in 1 hour at 37°C in a total reaction volume of 50 µl.

Diluent Compatibility: Diluent Buffer C 250 mM NaCl, 10 mM Tris-HCl, 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mM dithiothreitol. 0.15% Triton X-100. 200 µg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol (pH 7.4 @ 25°C).

## Quality Control Assays

Ligation: After 10-fold overdigestion with Sspl, > 95% of the DNA fragments can be ligated with T4 DNA Ligase (at a 5' termini concentration of  $1-2 \mu$ M) at 16°C. Of these ligated fragments, > 95% can be recut.

16-Hour Incubation: A 50 µl reaction containing 1 ug of DNA and 30 units of enzyme incubated for 16 hours resulted in the same pattern of DNA bands as a reaction incubated for 1 hour with 1 unit of enzyme.

Exonuclease Activity: Incubation of 500 units of enzyme with 1 µg sonicated <sup>3</sup>H DNA (10<sup>5</sup> cpm/ µg) for 4 hours at 37°C in 50 µl reaction buffer released < 0.1% radioactivity.

# **Enzyme Properties**

Activity in NEBuffers: NEBuffer 1 50%

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When using a buffer other than the optimal (supplied) NEBuffer, it may be necessary to add more enzyme to achieve complete digestion.

Survival in a Reaction: A minimum of 0.25 unit is required to digest 1 µg of substrate DNA in 16 hours.

Heat Inactivation: 30 units of enzyme were inactivated by incubation at 65°C for 20 minutes.

Plasmid Cleavage: Number of units required to cleave 1 µg of supercoiled plasmid DNA in one hour: pUC19 = 5 units, pBR322 = 2 units.

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## **Companion Products Sold Separately:**

SspI-HF™	
#R3132S	1,000 Units
#R3132L	5,000 Units
#R3132M	5,000 Units

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