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Enzyme Properties

Activity in NEBuffers:
NEBuffer 1 75%
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NEBuffer 4 100%

Survival in a Reaction: Intermediate activity. Suitable for extended digestion, but < 8 hours.

Heat Inactivation: No

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