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# 1X NEBuffer 4: 50 mM potassium acetate

20 mM Tris-acetate 10 mM magnesium acetate 1 mM DTT pH 7.9 @ 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 A 50 mM KCl, 10 mM Tris-HCl, 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mM DTT, 200 µg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol (pH 7.4 @ 25°C).

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