Sau3AI



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200 units Lot: 095120 RECOMBINANT 4.000 U/ml

Lot: 0951207 Exp: 7/13 4,000 U/ml Store at -20°C

Recognition Site:

Source: An *E. coli* strain that carries the cloned Sau3Al gene from *Staphylococcus aureus* 3A (J.S. Sussenbach)

Now Recombinant

Supplied in: 50 mM KCl, 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.4), 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mM dithiothreitol, 200 $\mu g/ml$ BSA and 50% glycerol.

Reagents Supplied with Enzyme: 10X NEBuffer 1, 100X BSA.

Reaction Conditions: 1X NEBuffer 1, supplemented with 100 μ g/ml BSA. Incubate at 37°C.

1X NEBuffer 1:

10 mM Bis Tris Propane-HCI 10 mM MgCl₂ 1 mM DTT pH 7.0 @ 25°C

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1 μg of λ 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 dithiothreitol, 200 μg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol (pH 7.4 @ 25°C)

Quality Control Assays

Ligation: After 20-fold overdigestion with Sau3Al, approximately 75% of the DNA fragments can be ligated with T4 DNA Ligase (at a 5´ termini concentration of 1–2 μ M) at 16°C. Of these ligated fragments, > 95% can be recut.

16-Hour Incubation: A 50 µl reaction containing 1 µg of DNA and 20 units of Sau3Al 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 20 units of Sau3AI with 1 μ g sonicated ³H DNA (10⁵ cpm/ μ g) for 4 hours at 37°C in 50 μ I reaction buffer released < 0.1% radioactivity.

Endonuclease Activity: Incubation of 10 units of Sau3AI, with 1 μ g ϕ X174 RF I DNA for 4 hours at 37°C in 50 μ I reaction buffer resulted in < 10% conversion to RF II.

Enzyme Properties

Activity in NEBuffers:

NEBuffer 1 100% NEBuffer 2 50% NEBuffer 3 10% NEBuffer 4 100%

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 0.50 unit is required to digest 1 μg of substrate DNA in 16 hours.

Heat Inactivation: 65°C for 20 minutes.

Notes: Sau3Al and DpnII are isoschizomers of Mbol.

Unlike DpnII and MboI, Sau3AI is not blocked by *dam* methylation. Cleavage of mammalian genomic DNA is blocked by overlapping CpG methylation.

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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

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