

# **Product Specifications** G5020L Rev 02

Product Information					
Thermolabile UDG					
Part Number	G5020L				
Concentration	1,000 U/mL				
Unit Size	500 U				
Storage Temperature	-25°C to -15°C				
Lot Number					
Reference Number					

<u>Product Description:</u> Thermolabile Uracil-DNA Glycosylase removes uracil from DNA by hydrolyzing the N-glycosylic bond between the deoxyribose and the base leaving an AP (apurinic or apyrimidinic) site (1,2). This enzyme (1-10 units) is completely inactivated by a 10 minutes incubation at temperatures greater than 50°C in the 1x reaction buffer as measured in the unit characterization assay.

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Assay	SDS Purity	Specific Activity	SS	DS	DS	E. coli DNA	
			Exonuclease	Exonuclease	Endonuclease	Contamination	
Units Tested	n/a	n/a	10	10	5	5	
Specification	>98%	30,000 U/mg	<1.0%	<1.0%	No Conversion	<10 copies	
			Released	Released			

<u>Source of Protein:</u> A recombinant *E. coli* strain carrying the recombinant thermolabile Uracil DNA Glycosylase gene isolated from a marine bacterium.

<u>Unit Definition:</u> 1 unit is defined as the amount of Thermolabile UDG required to release 1 nmol of Uracil from dU-containing DNA in one hour at 37°C.

Molecular weight: 26.2 KDa

# **Quality Control Analysis:**

Unit Activity is measured using a 2-fold serial dilution method. Dilutions of enzyme were made in 1X reaction buffer (70 mM Tris-HCl, 10 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA, 100  $\mu$ g/mL BSA, pH 8.0 at 25°C) and added to reactions containing a <sup>3</sup>H-dUTP labeled 1.1 kb PCR product in 1X reaction buffer. Reactions were incubated for 60 minutes at 37°C, plunged on ice, and analyzed using a TCA-precipitation method.

Protein Concentration (OD<sub>280</sub>) is determined by OD<sub>280</sub> absorbance.

**Physical Purity** is evaluated by SDS-PAGE of concentrated and diluted enzyme solutions followed by silver stain detection. Purity is assessed by comparing the aggregate mass of contaminant bands in the concentrated sample to the mass of the protein of interest band in the diluted sample.

**Single-Stranded Exonuclease** is determined in a 50  $\mu$ L reaction containing a radiolabeled single-stranded DNA substrate and 10  $\mu$ L of enzyme solution incubated for 4 hours at 37°C.

**Double-Stranded Exonuclease** is determined in a 50  $\mu$ L reaction containing a radiolabeled double-stranded DNA substrate and 10  $\mu$ L of enzyme solution incubated for 4 hours at 37°C.

**Double-Stranded Endonuclease** is determined in a 50  $\mu$ L reaction containing 0.5  $\mu$ g of plasmid DNA and 10  $\mu$ L of enzyme solution incubated for 4 hours at 37°C.

*E. coli* **16S rDNA Contamination** is evaluated using 5  $\mu$ L replicate samples of enzyme solution denatured and screened in a TaqMan qPCR assay for the presence of contaminating *E. coli* genomic DNA using oligonucleotide primers corresponding to the 16S rRNA locus.





# Supplied in:

50 mM Tris-HCl, 50 mM NaCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50% glycerol (pH 7.5 at 25°C)

#### **Supplied with:**

10X Reaction Buffer (B5020): 700 mM Tris-HCl, 100 mM NaCl, 10 mM EDTA, 1 mg/mL BSA (pH 8.0 at 25°C)

### **Usage Instructions:**

- 1. Use the included UDG reaction buffer (B5020) at 1X. This enzyme is active in most molecular biology reaction buffers, so there is no need to exchange buffers.
- 2. Add 0.5 μL UDG (G5020) to a reaction with uracil-containing DNA substrate (up to 0.1 μg) in 20 μL total reaction.
- 3. Incubate at 25-37°C for 30 minutes.
- 4. This enzyme can be completely inactivated by a 10 minutes incubation at temperatures greater than 50°C.

Note: protocol can be modified for application specific usage.

#### **References:**

- 1. Lindahl, T. et al. (1977) J. Biol. Chem., 252, 10, 3286-3294.
- 2. Longo, M.C. et al. (1990) Gene, 93, 125-128.

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