

## *Manual*

# DNase

DNase I, RNase-free. Concentration 10 U/ $\mu$ l.

catalog #	size
1009-10	1000 U
1009-100	10 000 U

For research use only.

### **Guarantee**

A&A Biotechnology provides guarantee on this product.  
The company does not guarantee correct performance of this kit in the event of:

- not adhering to the supplied protocol
- use of not recommended equipment or materials
- use of other reagents than recommended or which are not a component of the product
- use of expired or improperly stored product or its components



# Description

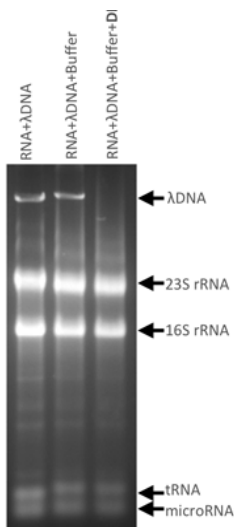
**DNase** (RNase-free) is an endonuclease that digests ssDNA, dsDNA and DNA in DNA-RNA complexes. The enzyme activity is strictly dependent on  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and is activated by  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$  ions. Enzyme is purified from *P.pastoris* (*K.phaffii*) expressing bovine pancreas DNase I gene. DNase I may be used to degrade DNA in applications that are sensitive to the presence of RNAses.

# Application

- removal of contaminating genomic DNA from RNA samples.
- DNA labeling by nick-translation.
- studies of DNA-protein interactions by DNase I footprinting.

# Contents

	1009-10	1009-100	storage
<b>DNase</b> (10 U/ $\mu\text{l}$ )	1000 U	10 000 U	-20 °C
storage buffer: 10 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.5, 2 mM $\text{CaCl}_2$ , 50% glycerol (v/v)			
<b>DNase reaction buffer</b>	2 x 1.5 ml	10 x 1.5 ml	-20 °C
10x reaction buffer: 500 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 50 mM $\text{MgCl}_2$			



2% agarose gel electrophoresis  
All samples were incubated at 30°C  
for 60 min, before electrophoresis

# Unit definition

One unit is the amount of enzyme required to completely degrade 1 µg of DNA Lambda/HinDIII in 10 min at 37°C.

## Protocol

Removal of contaminating genomic DNA from RNA samples.

1. Prepare sterile, RNase-free tube.
2. Add:

component	reaction volume
RNA	1 µg
DNase reaction buffer	2 µl
DNase	1-2 U
Sterile water	up to 20 µl

3. Incubate for 15-20 min at 25-37 °C.
4. Add 1 µl of 100 mM EDTA (final concentration: 5 mM).
5. Inactivation: Incubate for 10 min at 65 °C.

## Important note

Thermal inactivation of **DNase** may cause partial hydrolysis of RNA. We recommend in this situation cleaning the RNA with the Clean-Up RNA Concentrator kit, point 3. of the protocol (# 039-25C, 039-100C).



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