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New England Biolabs Product Specification

 Product Name:
 β-Agarase I

 Catalog #:
 M0392S/L

 Concentration:
 1,000 units/ml

Unit Definition:

One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 200 µl of molten low melting point or NuSieve agarose to

nonprecipitable neoagaro-oligosaccharides in 1 hour at 42°C

Shelf Life: 24 months
Storage Temp: -20°C

Storage Conditions: 50 mM Bis-Tris-HCl, 1 mM EDTA, 50 % Glycerol, (pH 6.5 @ 25°C)

Specification Version: PS-M0392S/L v1.0

Effective Date: 16 Jun 2016

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) - A 50 μ l reaction in CutSmart® Buffer containing 1 μ g of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 1 unit of β -Agarase I incubated for 4 hours at 37°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50 μ l reaction in CutSmart® Buffer containing 1 μ g of a mixture of single and double -stranded [3 H] *E. coli* DNA and a minimum of 5 units of β -Agarase I incubated for 4 hours at 37°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50 μ l reaction in CutSmart® Buffer containing 1 μ g of Lambda DNA and a minimum of 10 units of β -Agarase I incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - β -Agarase I is \geq 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.

RNase Activity (Extended Digestion) - A 10 μ l reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 40 ng of a 300 base single-stranded RNA and a minimum of 1 μ l of β -Agarase I is incubated at 37°C. After incubation for 16 hours, >90% of the substrate RNA remains intact as determined by gel electrophoresis using fluorescent detection.

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