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Certificate of Analysis

Product Name:	*BssHII*
Catalog #:	*R0199M*
Concentration:	*25,000 units/ml*
Unit Definition:	*One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1 µg Lambda DNA in 1 hour at 50°C in a total reaction volume of 50 µl.*
Lot #:	*0301405*
Assay Date:	*05/2014*
Expiration Date:	*5/2016*
Storage Temp:	*-20 °C*
Storage Conditions:	*300 mM NaCl, 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.4), 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50% Glycerol, 500 µg/ml BSA*
Specification Version:	*PS-R0199M v2.0*
Effective Date:	*05 May 2014*

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)	**Lot #0301405**
Blue-White Screening (Terminal Integrity) - A sample of LITMUS28i vector linearized with a 10-fold excess of BssHII, religated and transformed into an *E. coli* strain expressing the LacZ beta fragment gene results in <1% white colonies.	**Pass**
Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 µg of supercoiled pBR322 DNA and a minimum of 25 units of BssHII incubated for 4 hours at 50°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	**Pass**
Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 µg of a mixture of single and double-stranded [^{3}H] *E. coli* DNA and a minimum of 50 units of BssHII incubated for 4 hours at 50°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.	**Pass**
Ligation and Recutting (Terminal Integrity) - After a 20-fold over-digestion of Lambda DNA with BssHII, >95% of the DNA fragments can be ligated with T4 DNA ligase in 16 hours at 16°C. Of these ligated fragments, >95% can be recut with BssHII.	**Pass**
Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50 µl reaction in CutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 µg of Lambda DNA and a minimum of 50 Units of BssHII incubated for 16 hours at 50°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	**Pass**
Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - BssHII is ≥ 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.	**Pass**

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