

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

## **BstXI**

**#ER1021** 500 U

Lot: \_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_

5'...C C A N N N N N N T G G...3'
3'...G G T N^N N N N N A C C...5'

Concentration: 10 U/µL

Source: Bacillus stearothermophilus X

Supplied with: 1 mL of 10X Buffer 0

1 mL of 10X Buffer Tango

Store at -20°C















BSA included

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#### **RECOMMENDATIONS**

**1X Buffer 0** (for 100% BstXl digestion)
50 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.5), 10 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 100 mM NaCl, 0.1 mg/mL BSA.

## **Incubation temperature**

55°C\*.

#### **Unit Definition**

One unit is defined as the amount of BstXI required to digest 1  $\mu$ g of lambda DNA in 1 hour at 55°C in 50  $\mu$ L of recommended reaction buffer.

#### **Dilution**

Dilute with Dilution Buffer (#B19): 10 mM Tris-HCl, (pH 7.4 at 25°C), 100 mM KCl, 1 mM EDTA, 1 mM DTT, 0.2 mg/mL BSA and 50% glycerol.

#### **Double Digests**

Thermo Scientific Tango Buffer is provided to simplify buffer selection for double digests. 98% of Thermo Scientific restriction enzymes are active in a 1X or 2X concentration of Tango™ Buffer. Please refer to <a href="https://www.thermoscientific.com/doubledigest">www.thermoscientific.com/doubledigest</a> to choose the best buffer for your experiments. 1X Tango Buffer: 33 mM Tris-acetate (pH 7.9 at 37°C), 10 mM magnesium acetate, 66 mM potassium acetate, 0.1 mg/mL BSA.

<sup>\*</sup> Incubation at 37°C results in 50% activity.





#### **Storage Buffer**

BstXI is supplied in: 10 mM Tris-HCI (pH 7.5 at 25°C), 50 mM KCI, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 0.2 mg/mL BSA and 50% glycerol.

## **Recommended Protocol for Digestion**

Add:

nuclease-free water  $16 \mu L$  10X Buffer 0  $2 \mu L$   $DNA (0.5-1 \mu g/\mu L)$   $1 \mu L$ BstXI  $0.5-2 \mu L^{**}$ 

- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 55°C for 1-16 hours\*\*.

The digestion reaction may be scaled either up or down.

# **Recommended Protocol for Digestion of PCR Products Directly after Amplification**

Add:

PCR reaction mixture 10  $\mu$ L (~0.1-0.5  $\mu$ g of DNA) nuclease-free water 18  $\mu$ L 2  $\mu$ L

BstXI 1-2 μL\*\*

- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 55°C for 1-16 hours\*\*.

#### **Thermal Inactivation**

BstXI is inactivated by incubation at 80°C for 20 min.

#### **ENZYME PROPERTIES**

#### **Enzyme Activity in Thermo Scientific REase Buffers, %**

В	G	0	R	Tango	2X Tango
20-50	100	100	50-100	50-100	100

#### **Star Activity**

An excess of BstXI (20 U/µg DNA x 1 hour) may result in star activity.

## **Methylation Effects on Digestion**

Dam: never overlaps – no effect.

Dcm: may overlap – cleavage impaired.

CpG: never overlaps — no effect. EcoKI: never overlaps — no effect. EcoBI: never overlaps — no effect.

## **Stability during Prolonged Incubation**

A minimum of 0.1 unit of the enzyme is required for complete digestion of 1  $\mu$ g of lambda DNA in 16 hours at 55°C.

## **Digestion of Agarose-embedded DNA**

A minimum of 5 units of the enzyme is required for complete digestion of 1  $\mu g$  of agarose-embedded lambda DNA in 16 hours.

#### **Number of Recognition Sites in DNA**

<u>λ</u> ΦX174 pBR				R/U M13mp18/19
13 3 0	0	0	0	0

#### **Note**

BstXI cleavage is impaired by overlapping *dcm* methylation. To avoid *dcm* methylation, use a *dam*<sup>-</sup>, *dcm*<sup>-</sup> strain such as GM2163 (#M0099).

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<sup>\*\*</sup> See Star Activity.

#### CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

#### **Overdigestion Assay**

No detectable change in the specific fragmentation pattern is observed after a 15-fold overdigestion with BstXI (15 U/µg lambda DNA x 1 hour) (see Star Activity).

#### Ligation and Recleavage (L/R) Assay

The ligation and recleavage assay was replaced with LO test after validating experiments showed LO test ability to trace nuclease and phosphatase activities with sensitivity that is higher than L/R by a factor of 100.

## **Labeled Oligonucleotide (LO) Assay**

No detectable degradation of single-stranded or doublestranded labeled oligonucleotides occurred during incubation with 10 units of BstXI for 4 hours.

#### Blue/White (B/W) Cloning Assay

The B/W assay was replaced with LO test after validating experiments showed LO test ability to detect nuclease and phosphatase activities with sensitivity that equals to that of B/W test.

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