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New England Biolabs Certificate of Analysis

Product Name: Earl
Catalog Number: R0528L
Concentration: 20,000 U/ml

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1 µg

Lambda DNA in rCutSmart Buffer in 1 hour at 37°C in a total reaction

volume of 50 μl.

Packaging Lot Number: 10207306
Expiration Date: 09/2025
Storage Temperature: -20°C

Storage Conditions: 10 mM Tris-HCl, 300 mM NaCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50% Glycerol,

500 $\mu g/ml$ rAlbumin (pH 7.4 @ 25°C)

Specification Version: PS-R0528S/L v2.0

Earl Component List				
NEB Part Number	Component Description	Lot Number	Individual QC Result	
R0528LVIAL	Earl	10206379	Pass	
B6004SVIAL	rCutSmart™ Buffer	10202504	Pass	

Assay Name/Specification	Lot # 10207306
Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release)	Pass
A 50 μl reaction in rCutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 μg of a mixture of single and double-stranded [³H] E. coli DNA and a minimum of 60 units of Earl incubated for 4	
hours at 37°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.	
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Functional Testing (15 minute Digest) A 50 μl reaction in rCutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 μg of Lambda DNA and 1 μl of Earl	Pass
incubated for 15 minutes at 37°C results in complete digestion as determined by	
agarose gel electrophoresis.	
Ligation and Recutting (Terminal Integrity)	Pass
After a 10-fold over-digestion of Lambda DNA with Earl, ~75% of the DNA fragments	1 400
can be ligated with T4 DNA ligase in 16 hours at 16°C. Of these ligated fragments,	
~75% can be recut with Earl.	
Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour)	Pass
A 50 µl reaction in rCutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 µg of Lambda DNA and a minimum of	
60 units of Earl incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of	



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detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	
Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) Earl is ≥ 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.	Pass
RNase Activity (Extended Digestion) A 10 µl reaction in NEBuffer 4 containing 40 ng of a 300 base single-stranded RNA and a minimum of 20 units of Earl is incubated at 37°C. After incubation for 4 hours, >90% of the substrate RNA remains intact as determined by gel electrophoresis using fluorescent detection.	Pass
qPCR DNA Contamination (E. coli Genomic) A minimum of 20 units of Earl is screened for the presence of E. coli genomic DNA using SYBR® Green qPCR with primers specific for the E. coli 16S rRNA locus. Results are quantified using a standard curve generated from purified E. coli genomic DNA. The measured level of E. coli genomic DNA contamination is ≤ 1 E. coli genome.	Pass

This product has been tested and shown to be in compliance with all specifications.

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