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New England Biolabs Certificate of Analysis

Product Name: Ascl
Catalog Number: R0558S
Concentration: 10,000 U/ml

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

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

reaction volume of 50 μl.

Packaging Lot Number: 10159534
Expiration Date: 08/2024
Storage Temperature: -20°C

Storage Conditions: 10 mM Tris-HCl, 50 mM KCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50% Glycerol, 200

μg/ml rAlbumin (pH 7.4 @ 25°C)

Specification Version: PS-R0558S/L v2.0

Ascl Component List				
NEB Part Number	Component Description	Lot Number	Individual QC Result	
R0558SVIAL	Ascl	10159522	Pass	
B7024AVIAL	Gel Loading Dye, Purple (6X)	10156427	Pass	
B6004SVIAL	rCutSmart™ Buffer	10156433	Pass	

Assay Name/Specification	Lot # 10159534
Blue-White Screening (Terminal Integrity) A sample of pNEB193 vector linearized with a 10-fold excess of Ascl, religated and	Pass
transformed into an E. coli strain expressing the LacZ beta fragment gene results in <1% white colonies.	
Ligation and Recutting (Terminal Integrity) After a 10-fold over-digestion of Lambda DNA with Ascl, >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 Ascl.	Pass
Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) Ascl is ≥ 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.	Pass
Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour)	Pass
A 50 µl reaction in rCutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 µg of Lambda DNA and a minimum of 30 units of Ascl 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.	
Functional Testing (15 minute Digest) A 50 µl reaction in rCutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 µg of Lambda DNA and 1 µl of Ascl incubated for 15 minutes at 37°C results in complete digestion as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	Pass
Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) 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 100 units of Ascl incubated for 4 hours at 37°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.	Pass
Endonuclease Activity (Nicking) A 50 µl reaction in rCutSmart™ Buffer containing 1 µg of supercoiled PhiX174 DNA and a minimum of 30 units of Ascl incubated for 4 hours at 37°C results in <10% conversion to the nicked form as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.	Pass

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

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