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# **Bacterial Alkaline Phosphatase**

Product	Quantity	Cat. No.	Remarks	
Bacterial Alkaline Phosphatase	100 unit	EBT-3032	0.5 unit/ <i>⊯</i> ℓ	

# Description

Bacterial Alkaline Phosphatase catalyzes the hydrolysis of 5'-phosphate groups from DNA, RNA, and ribo- and deoxyribonucleoside triphosphates. This enzyme is used to prevent recircularization and religation of linearized cloning vector DNA by removing phosphate groups from both 5'-termini and may also be used for the dephosphorylation of 5' phosphorylated ends of DNA or RNA for subsequent labeling with [γ-<sup>32</sup>P]ATP and T4 Polynucleotide Kinase. Bacterial Alkaline Phosphatase is purified from recombinant *E.coli*.

## **Concentration & Storage Condition**

0.5 unit/µl. Store at -20 ℃.

# Storage Buffer

50 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 100 mM KCl, 1 mM MgSO<sub>4</sub>, 50% glycerol.

### 10x Reaction Buffer

500 mM Tris-HCl, pH 9.0, 10 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>.

## **Unit Definition**

One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to catalyze the hydrolysis of 1  $\mu$ mol of 4-nitrophenyl phosphate per min at 37°C in 1 M diethanolamine, 10.9 mM 4-nitrophenyl phosphate, 0.5 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, pH 9.8.

## QC Tests

Activity, exo and endonuclease activity test, SDS-PAGE purity, performance tests.



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#### **Usage Information**

#### 1. Protocol for Dephosphorylation of DNA 5'-termini

1) Add the following components to the microcentrifuge tube :

DNA solution 10-40 µl (1-20 pmol termini)

10x Reaction Buffer 5 µl
Bacterial Alkaline Phosphatase 0.5 µl
Nuclease-Free Water to final volume 50 µl

- 2) Incubate at 37°C for 60 min.
- Add Proteinase K to a final concentration of 1ug/ml, then incubate at 37°C for 30 min, extract DNA with phenol/chloroform and precipitate with ethanol.

#### 2. Simplified Protocol

This protocol allows for the dephoshporylation of DNA directly in restriction endonuclease buffer in the presence of the restriction endonuclease. This is a convenient way of preparing DNA for cloning.

1) Restriction endonuclease digest the vector DNA.

(NOTE: Heat inactivation of the restriction endonuclease and subsequent purification of the vector DNA are not necessary.)

- 2) Add 1 µl of Bacterial Alkaline Phosphatase to the restriction endonuclease digest.
- 3) Incubate the reaction at 37°C for 1 hour.
- Add Proteinase K to a final concentration of 1mg/ml, then incubate at 37°C for 30 min, extract DNA with phenol/chloroform and precipitate with ethanol.

## \* Phenol extraction and Ethanol precipitation procedure

- Add an equal volume of phenol:chloroform:isoamyl alcohol (25:24:1).
   Vortex thoroughly and centrifuge at 14,000 × g at room temperature for 5 min.
- 2) Carefully remove the upper, aqueous phase and transfer it to a fresh microcentrifuge tube.
- 3) Add 0.1 volume of 3 M sodium acetate. Mix
- 4) Add 2.5 volumes of 100% EtOH. Vortex the mixture thoroughly (NOTE: Do not substitute NH<sub>4</sub>OAc for NaOAc because NH<sub>4</sub> ions inhibit T4 polynucleotide kinase.)
- 5) Centrifuge at  $14,000 \times g$  at room temperature for 5 min.
- 6) Dry and dissolved in TE buffer