

## DNase I (RNase-free) (1000 U)

### Cat. No.

RE120

### Composition

Contents	Amount
DNase I (RNase-free) (1000 U)	1000 U
10 × DNase Buffer	1 mL

### Storage Conditions

Long-term storage at -20°C for 2 years. It is recommended to store in aliquots and avoid repeated freezing and thawing.

### Introduction

Deoxyribonuclease I, referred to as DNase I, derived from recombinant E. coli strains, is an endonuclease that can digest single-stranded or double-stranded DNA, does not contain RNase, and can be used for various RNA samples of purification.

DNase I hydrolyzes phosphodiester bonds to produce mono- and oligodeoxynucleotides containing 5'-phosphate and 3'-OH groups. The optimum working pH range is 7~8. The activity of DNase I depends on  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and can be activated by divalent metal ions such as  $\text{Co}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Zn}^{2+}$ , etc. In the presence of  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ , DNase I can randomly cut double-stranded DNA at any position; in the presence of  $\text{Mn}^{2+}$ , DNase I can cut DNA double-strands at the same position, forming blunt ends or 1~2 sticky ends with nucleotide overhangs.

### Usage

1. Total RNA extraction kit: prepare RNA solution without DNA;
2. Directly used for DNA digestion in RNA solution.

### Enzyme activity definition

- 37°C, 10 min, the amount of enzyme needed to completely decompose 1 µg of plasmid DNA.

### DNase I storage solution

- 50 mM Tris-Acetate(pH 7.5), 10 mM  $\text{CaCl}_2$ , 50% (v/v) Glycerol.

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## Important Notes

1. DNase I is sensitive to physical denaturation, please do not shake violently when mixing;
2. The enzyme should be stored in an ice box or on an ice bath when used, and stored at -20°C immediately after use.

## Protocol (For reference only)

### 1. Trial with Jinsha Biology's RNA extraction series kits (column loading process)

- a) Use RNase-free ddH<sub>2</sub>O to dilute 10 × DNase Buffer to 1 × DNase Buffer;
- b) Preparation of DNase I working solution: take 2 μL DNase I + 28 μL 1 × DNase Buffer for each reaction, and gently pipette to mix;
- c) Connect the RNA extraction series kit, the operation is as follows: Add 350 μL protein-free solution to the adsorption column, centrifuge at 12,000 rpm (~13,400×g) for 30-60 s, pour off the waste liquid in the collection tube, and put the adsorption column put back into the collection tube;
- d) Add 30 μL of DNase I working solution to the center of the adsorption column, and place at room temperature for 15 minutes;
- e) Connect the kit of RNA extraction series, the operation is as follows: Add 350 μL protein-free solution to the adsorption column, centrifuge at 12,000 rpm (~13,400×g) for 30-60 s, discard the waste liquid in the collection tube, and put the adsorption column put back into the collection tube;
- f) Subsequent operations were carried out according to the kit instructions of the RNA extraction series until the final RNA molecules were obtained.

### 2. Direct processing of RNA solution

#### (1) Reaction system

Please use RNase-free centrifuge tubes and pipette tips, and prepare as follows:

Components	System
10 × DNase Buffer	10 μL
DNase I (RNase-free)	10 μL
RNA	As require
RNase-free ddH <sub>2</sub> O	Up to 100 μL

#### (2) Reaction conditions

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Temperature	Time
37°C	15~30 min
Add EDTA solution with a final concentration of 2.5 mM, mix well	
65°C	10 min

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