

Technical Datasheet

Reverse Transcriptase

(HIV)

Cat No:	PM-1373-01	Pack size:	500 U
Concentration:	30 U/ μ l	Lot No:	P5993HIVRT
Specific Activity:	15,183 U/mg	Protein (Bradford):	1.976 mg/ml

Unit Definition: One unit is the amount of enzyme required incorporate 1nmol of labelled dTTP into acid-insoluble material in 10 min at 37°C.

Reaction Buffer: 500mM Tris-HCl (pH8.3)
400mM KCl
60 mM MgCl₂

Assay Conditions: 50mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.3)
6 mM MgCl₂
40mM KCl,
0.5mM [³H]TTP
0.4mM poly rA:dT
Reaction volume 100 μ l

Storage Buffer: 20mM potassium phosphate (pH 7.1)
1.0mM DTT
0.02% Triton X-100
50% (v/v) glycerol

Quality Control:

Protein Purity	50 ng, 100 ng and 200 ng were evaluated by SDS-PAGE/silver staining
DNase	2.5, 5 and 10 units of HIV-RT were incubated with [³² P] labelled lambda DNA (both single and double stranded) for 1 hour at 37°C
RNase	10 units of HIV-RT were incubated with 40ng of RNA substrate for 1 hour at 37°C
3'-Exonuclease	2.5, 5 and 10 units of HIV-RT were incubated with [³ H] labelled 3'-ends of Lambda/Taq I DNA fragments for 1 hour at 37°C
5'-Exonuclease/5'-Phosphatase	2.5, 5 and 10 units of HIV-RT were incubated with [γ - ³² P] labelled 5'-ends of Lambda/Taq I DNA fragments for 1 hour at 37°C
Nicking	2.5, 5 and 10 units of HIV-RT were incubated with pBR322 DNA for 1 hour at 37°C

Storage: Store at -20°C.

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