pNEB206A
Linearized Vector

N5502S
1.0 µg Lot: 0041210 Exp: 10/14
20 µg/ml Store at –20°C

Description: Linearized pNEB206A Vector is supplied with the USER™ Friendly Cloning Kit (NEB #E5500). pNEB206A has been linearized within the Multiple Cloning Site to produce 8-nucleotide, 3’ single-stranded extensions on both vector ends. The single-stranded extensions are not complementary; this prevents the vector termini from re-annealing to form transformable circular DNA and also allows control over the orientation of the inserted PCR product.

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