

New England Biolabs Product Specification

<i>Product Name:</i>	<i>Nb.BssSI</i>
<i>Catalog #:</i>	<i>R0681S</i>
<i>Concentration:</i>	<i>20,000 units/ml</i>
<i>Unit Definition:</i>	<i>One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1 µg of pUC19 DNA in NEBuffer 3.1 incubated for 1 hour at 37°C in a total reaction volume of 50 µl.</i>
<i>Shelf Life:</i>	<i>24 months</i>
<i>Storage Temp:</i>	<i>-20°C</i>
<i>Storage Conditions:</i>	<i>300 mM NaCl, 10 mM Tris-HCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50 % Glycerol, 500 µg/ml BSA, (pH 7.4 @ 25°C)</i>
<i>Specification Version:</i>	<i>PS-R0681S v1.0</i>
<i>Effective Date:</i>	<i>31 Mar 2016</i>

Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50 µl reaction in NEBuffer 3.1 containing 1 µg of a mixture of single and double-stranded [³H] *E. coli* DNA and a minimum of 200 units of Nb.BssSI incubated for 4 hours at 37°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.

Measured Activity (Restriction Endonuclease) - The measured activity of Nb.BssSI is complete at 20,000 units/ml and incomplete at 40,000 units/ml.

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 hour) - A 50 µl reaction in NEBuffer 3.1 containing 1 µg of pUC19 DNA and a minimum of 20 units of Nb.BssSI incubated for 16 hours at 37°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis. NOTE: although no nuclease degradation is detected under these conditions, extended incubations and/or high concentrations of this enzyme may result in star activity. See the product FAQ for recommended reaction conditions for this enzyme.

Protein Purity Assay (SDS-PAGE) - Nb.BssSI is ≥ 95% pure as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.

* The BSA in this product has been granted an EDQM "Certificate of Suitability" from the European Directorate for the Quality of Medicines (# R1-CEP-2003-204-Rev00) and has been granted a USDA Certificate for Export of Bovine Blood Plasma/Serum for Manufacture into Pharmaceutical Products.



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