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## New England Biolabs Product Specification

Product Name: SwaI

Catalog #: R0604S/L/V
Concentration: 10,000 units/ml

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to digest 1 µg of pXba DNA in 1 hour at 25°C in a total reaction

volume of 50  $\mu$ l.

Shelf Life: 24 months
Storage Temp: -20°C

Storage Conditions: 10 mM Tris-HCl, 400 mM NaCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50% Glycerol, 200 µg/ml rAlbumin (pH 7.4 @

25°C,

Specification Version: PS-R0604S/L/V v3.0

Effective Date: 22 Jul 2021

## Assay Name/Specification (minimum release criteria)

Exonuclease Activity (Radioactivity Release) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in NEBuffer<sup>TM</sup> r3.1 containing 1  $\mu$ g of a mixture of single and double-stranded [  $^3$ H] *E. coli* DNA and a minimum of 100 units of SwaI incubated for 4 hours at 25°C releases <0.1% of the total radioactivity.

Functional Testing (15 minute Digest) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in NEBuffer<sup>TM</sup> r3.1 containing 1  $\mu$ g of pXba DNA and 1  $\mu$ l of SwaI incubated for 15 minutes at 25°C results in complete digestion as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

Ligation and Recutting (Terminal Integrity) - After a 20-fold over-digestion of pXba-NdeI DNA with SwaI,  $\sim$ 75% of the DNA fragments can be ligated with T4 DNA ligase in 16 hours at 16°C. Of these ligated fragments,  $\sim$ 75% can be recut with SwaI.

Non-Specific DNase Activity (16 Hour) - A 50  $\mu$ l reaction in NEBuffer<sup>TM</sup> r3.1 containing 1  $\mu$ g of pXba DNA and a minimum of 100 units of SwaI incubated for 16 hours at 25°C results in a DNA pattern free of detectable nuclease degradation as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.

qPCR DNA Contamination (E. coli Genomic) - A minimum of 1  $\mu$ l of SwaI is screened for the presence of E. coli genomic DNA using SYBR® Green qPCR with primers specific for the E. coli 16S rRNA locus. Results are quantified using a standard curve generated from purified E. coli genomic DNA. The measured level of E. coli genomic DNA contamination is  $\leq 1$  E. coli genome.

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