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*Taq* Platinum DNA Polymerase

Cat. no.4992768

Storage: -20°C.

Concentration: 2.5 U/µl

## Product size

Product Components	4992768
Taq Platinum DNA Polymerase	250 U
10×Taq Platinum Buffer I	1.8 ml
10×Taq Platinum Buffer II	1.8 ml

#### Introduction

Taq Platinum DNA Polymerase is a chemically modified hot-start polymerase with 3'-5' and 5'-3' exonuclease activity. It is inactive at ambient temperatures and must be activated by heat treatment (5-10 min at 94°C). This prevents the extension of non-specifically annealed primers or primer–dimers at low temperatures during PCR setup, and therefor highly increases the sensitivity and specificity of PCR amplification. Taq Platinum DNA Polymerase has unique high fidelity and it possesses higher extension rate and amplification efficiency than *Pfu* DNA Polymerase.

Taq Platinum DNA Polymerase generates PCR products with 3'-dA overhangs that can be directly used in TAcloning. To obtain higher cloning efficiency, however, PCR products could be purified and added 3'-dA overhangs before TA cloning procedures.

## Unit Definition

One unit of *Taq* Platinum DNA Polymerase is defined as the amount that incorporates 10 nmol of dNTPs into acid-insoluble substrates within 30 min at 74°C with activated salmon sperm DNA as the template/primer.

# Quality Control

The purity of *Taq* Platinum DNA Polymerase needs to be higher than 99% in SDS-PAGE test, and no exogenous enzyme activity should be included. *Taq* Platinum DNA Polymerase needs to be capable to amplify single copy gene in human genome and need to be stable for 1 week under room temperature.

# Storage Buffer

20 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.0), 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mM DTT, 100 mM KCl, Stabilizers, 50% Glycerol

## 10×Taq Platinum Buffer

Buffer I : 200 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.8), 100 mM KCl, 100 mM (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, 15 mM MgSO<sub>4</sub>, other components
Buffer II : 200 mM Tris-HCl (pH 9.0), 200 mM KCl, 60 mM (NH<sub>4</sub>)<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>, 15 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, other components
Please use Buffer I at first. When DNA amplification cannot be confirmed, the result may be improved by using Buffer II.

## Applications

Amplify DNA fragments from complex templates (e.g. Genome) with high fidelity, for applications such as gene cloning, Site-directed mutagenesis, SNP Analysis etc.

#### Example

Note: The following example is only for reference, user must set up optimal reaction system according to different reaction conditions such as different templates or primers *etc*.

 For 50 µl PCR reaction system: 1 kb fragment of human genomic DNA was amplified (If use different reaction system, please proportionally increase or decrease the amount of reaction components referring to this system).

Template	< 1 µg
Primer 1(10 μM)	1 µl
Primer 2(10 μM)	1 µl
10×Taq Platinum Buffer	5 µl
dNTP Mixture(2.5 mM)	4 μl
<i>Taq</i> Platinum (2.5 U/μl)	0.5-1 μl
ddH <sub>2</sub> O	up to 50 μl
2. PCR cycles set-up:	
94°C 5 min	
ر 94°C 30 sec	
55°C 30 sec > 30	cycles
72°C 2 min <sup>J</sup>	
72°C 5 min	
3. Result detection: Load 5 µl PCR	products to ag

for PCR detecting.

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