



## smART Combo First Strand cDNA Synthesis Kit for RT-qPCR

Cat. No.	size
E0808-01	50 reactions
E0808-02	200 reactions

Storage Conditions: Store at -20°C.

**Quality Control:** 

All preparations are assayed for contaminating endonucleases, exonucleases, nonspecific RNases, single- and double-stranded DNase activities.

smART Combo First Strand cDNA Synthesis Kit for RT-qPCR is a complete system for efficient synthesis of first strand cDNA for two step real time quantitative RT-PCR (RT-qPCR) applications. Kit consists of smART Reverse Transcriptase with increased thermostability and processivity and is able to sythetize cDNA from a wide range of starting total RNA (1 pg-5  $\mu$ g) at elevated temperatures up to 65°C. All components of smART Combo First Strand cDNA Synthesis Kit for RT-qPCR are premixed to reduce the possibilty of pipeting errors and save time of the experiment.

**Combo Enzyme Mix** contains unique smART reverse transcriptase and RNase Inhibitor effective against RNases A, B, C.

**5** x Reaction Mix contains optimized reaction buffer, dNTPs, Anchored Oligo dT and random hexamers primers.

COMPONENT:	E0808-01	E0808-02
Combo Enzyme Mix	25 μΙ	100 μΙ
5 x Reaction Mix	200 μΙ	800 μΙ
RNase-free water	1 ml	4 ml

## I First strand cDNA synthesis:

- 1. Place 5 x Reaction Mix at room temperature, thaw and vortex gently.
- 2. Assambly reaction in RNase-free tube as follows:

Component:	Amount:
5 x Reaction Mix	4 μΙ
Combo Enzyme Mix	0.5 μΙ
Template RNA 1 pg-5 μg	хμΙ
RNase free water	Up to 20 μl
Total volume	20 μΙ

- 3. Mix gently and spin down shortly.
- 4. Incubate for 10 min at 25°C followed by 15 min at 50°C.
- 5. Terminate the reaction by heating at 85°C for 5 min.

cDNA is ready to use in downstream manipulations. Use it directly in qPCR or store at -20°C up to one week, for longer storage - 70°C is recommended, avoid freeze/thaw cycles of cDNA.

## II qPCR

The product of the first strand cDNA synthesis can be used directly in qPCR. Usually, 1-2  $\mu$ l of cDNA is used as a template for subsequent qPCR in 25  $\mu$ l total reaction volume (less then 10% of PCR reaction volume).

**smART Combo First Strand cDNA Synthesis Kit for RT-qPCR** is optimized to use with a majority of EURx's qPCR kits.

cDNA obtained in the first strand synthesis reaction can be directly used in the qPCR reaction.

We strongly recommend using the following EURx's products:

**SYBR Green I dye** product Cat. No.: E0401, E0402, E0405, E0406, E0407, E0400, E0411, E0412, E0413.

Probe detection product Cat. No.: E0420, E0421, E0422, E0423.

Blank qPCR product Cat. No.: E0403, E0404.