

Klenow Fragment

(*Escherichia coli*)

Cat. No.	size
E1091-01	200 units
E1091-02	1000 units

Unit Definition: One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to incorporate 10 nmoles of total nucleotide into acid-insoluble material in 30 minutes at 37°C.

Storage Conditions: Store at -20°C.

References:

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Large fragment of *E. coli* DNA Polymerase I enzyme which retains both the polymerase and the proofreading 3'→5' exonuclease activities of Polymerase I.

Description:

- Lacks the 5'-exonuclease activity (1).
- Ultrapure recombinant enzyme.
- Used for Sanger dideoxy sequencing (2).
- Suitable for second strand cDNA synthesis (3).
- Used for 3'-end labeling and filling in 5'-protruding sticky ends (4).

Storage Buffer:

50 mM potassium phosphate (pH 7.0), 0.25 mM dithiothreitol and 50% (v/v) glycerol.

10 x Reaction Buffer:

500 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.8 at 25°C), 100 mM MgSO₄, 10 mM dithiothreitol.

Assay Conditions:

67 mM potassium phosphate (pH 7.4), 6.7 mM MgCl₂, 1 mM dithiothreitol, 0.033 mM each dCTP, dGTP, dTTP and [α-³²P]dATP and 4.5 μg activated DNA. Incubation is at 37°C for 30 min in a reaction volume of 100 μl.

Quality Control:

All preparations are assayed for contaminating endonuclease and 5'-exonuclease activities. Typical preparations are greater than 95% pure, as judged by SDS polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis.