

**Lambda DNA**

Positive control templates for PCR

Cat. No.	Amount
PCR-259	2 x 1 ml (100 ng/μl)

For general laboratory use.**Shipping:** shipped on gel packs**Storage Conditions:** store at -20 °C**Additional Storage Conditions:** avoid freeze/thaw cycles, aliquoting of DNA samples is recommended**Shelf Life:** 12 months**Molecular Weight:** 31.5 x 10⁶ Dalton**Form:** liquid (Supplied in 10 mM Tris-HCl pH 7.4 and 1 mM EDTA)**Concentration:** 100 ng/μl**Description:**

Lambda DNA is recommended as template in positive control PCRs, as substrate in restriction enzymes research and for testing of restriction endonucleases activity. The double stranded DNA is isolated from bacteriophage lambda (cl857 *ind1 Sam7*). Double stranded DNA with 48,502 base pairs.

Preparation:

The DNA is isolated from the purified phage by phenol/chloroform extraction.

Quality control:

Gel analysis for purity, EcoRI and HindIII fragmentation patterns.

Selected References:

Daniels *et al.* (1983) Appendix II: Complete annotated lambda sequence, R. W. Hendrix, J. W. Roberts, F. W. Stahl, and R. A. Weisberg, Eds. (Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, Cold Spring Harbor 519 [LAMBDA II]).

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