# **Restriction Endonuclease Cla I**

From Caryophanon latum L (1)

Cat. No. 10 404 217 001500 units (10 U/ $\mu$ l)Cat. No. 10 656 291 0012500 units (10 U/ $\mu$ l)Cat. No. 11 092 758 0012500 units (40 U/ $\mu$ l)

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Store at -15 to  $-25^{\circ}$  C

Stability/Storage

The undiluted enzyme solution is stable when stored at -15 to  $-25^{\circ}$  C through the expiration date printed on the label. Do not store below  $-25^{\circ}$ C to avoid freezing.

Sequence specificity

Cla I recognizes the sequence AT/CGAT and generates fragments with 5'CG-cohesive termini (1).

Compatible ends

Cla I generates compatible ends to Aci I, Acc I, Acy I, Hin P1I, Hpa II, Mae II, Msp I, Nar I, Psp 1406 I, Sfu I and Tag I.

Enzyme with	Recognition Sequence	Sequence if <i>Cla</i> I enzyme with con	Enzyme that can	
compa- tible ends		Cla I - Enzyme	Enzyme - Cla I	cut this new sequence
Aci I	C/CGC	AT/CGC	CCGAT	_
Acc I	GT/ (A,C)(T,G)AC	AT/CGAC	GT/CGAT	Taq I
Acy I	G(A,G)/ CG(C,T)C	AT/CG(C,T)C	G(A,G)CGAT	_
Cla I	AT/CGAT	AT/CGAT	AT/CGAT	Cla I + isoschizo- mers
Hin P1I	G/CGC	ATCGC	GCGAT	_
Hpa II	C/CGG	ATCGG	CCGAT	_
Mae II	A/CGT	ATCGT	ACGAT	_
Msp I	C/CGG	ATCGG	CCGAT	_
Nar I	GG/CGCC	ATCGCC	GGCGAT	_
<i>Psp</i> 1406 l	AA/CGTT	ATCGTT	AACGAT	_
Sfu I	TT/CGAA	AT/CGAA	TT/CGAT	Taq I
Taq I	T/CGA	AT/CGA	T/CGAT	Taq I

Isoschizomers

 $\it Cla$  I is an isoschizomer to  $\it Ban$  III,  $\it Bsi$  XI,  $\it Bsp$  106 I,  $\it Bsp$  DI,  $\it Bsu$  15

Methylation sensitivity Cla I is inhibited by overlapping dam-methylation (\*). The single Cla I site located in the tetracycline resistance gene of pBR322 is not surrounded by dam-recognition sites and dam-inhibiting effects will not influence cloning experiments with pBR322. However, in other vectors inactivation by methylation of the Cla I sites may occur, unless the vectors are propagated in an E.coli dam strain. Cla I is also inhibited by 5-methylcytosine as indicated (\*).

Storage buffer

10 mM Tris-HCl, 100 mM KCl, 1 mM EDTA, 0.02% polydocanol, 10 mM 2-Mercaptoethanol, 50% (v/v) Glycerol, pH approx. 7.5 (at 4° C).

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Suppl. Incubation buffer (10x)

SuRE/Cut Buffer  $\bf H$ : 0.5 M Tris-HCl, 1 M NaCl, 100 mM MgCl $_2$ , 10 mM DTE, pH 7.5 (at 37° C)

**Activity in SuRE/Cut Buffer System** 

Bold face printed buffer indicates the recommended buffer for optimal activity:

Α	В	L	M	Н
100%	100%	75-100%	100%	100%

Incubation temperature

**Unit definition** 

perature

One Unit is the enzyme activity that completely cleaves 1  $\mu$ g  $\lambda$  DNA in 1 h at **37° C** in the SuRE/Cut Buffer **H** in

a total volume of 25 μl.

37° C

Typical experiment

Component	Final concentration	
DNA	1 μg	
10 × SuRE/Cut buffer <b>H</b>	2.5 μΙ	
Repurified water	Up to a total volume of 25 μl	
Restriction enzyme	1 unit	

Incubate at 37° C for 1 h.

**Heat Inactivation** 

Cla I is not heat-inactivated by 15 min incubation at 65° C.

Number of cleavage sites on different DNAs (2):

λ	Ad2	SV40	Φ X174	M13mp7	pBR322	pBR328	pUC18
15	2	0	0	2	1	1	0

**PFGE** tested

 $\it Cla\,I$  has been tested in Pulsed-Field Gel Electrophoresis (test system bacterial chromosomes). For cleavage of genomic DNA (E. coli C 600) embedded in agarose for PFGE analysis 10 units of enzyme/ $\mu g$  DNA and 4 h incubation time are recommended.

Activity in PCR buffer

Relative activity in PCR mix (Taq DNA Polymerase buffer) is **100%**. The PCR mix contained  $\lambda$  target DNA, primers,10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.3, 20° C), 50 mM KCl, 1.5 mM MgCl $_2$ , 200  $\mu$ M dNTPs, 2.5 U Taq DNA polymerase. The mix was subjected to 25 amplification cycles.

Troubleshooting

A critical component is the DNA substrate. Many compounds used in the isolation of DNA e.g. phenol, chloroform , EtOH, SDS, high levels of NaCl, metals (e.g. Hg<sup>2+</sup>, Mn<sup>2+</sup>) inhibit or alter recognition specifity of many restriction enzymes. Such compounds should be removed by EtOH precipitation followed by drying, before the DNA is added to the restriction digest reaction. Appropriate mixing of the enzyme is recommended.



### **Quality Control**

Absence of unspecific endonucleases

Absence of exonuclease See label for lot specific values

 $1\mu g~\lambda$  DNA is incubated for 16 h in 50  $\mu l$  SuRE/Cut Buffer H with excess of  ${\it Cla}$  l. The number of enzyme units which do not change the enzyme-specific pattern is stated under "Endo"

Approx. 5  $\mu$ g [ $^3$ H] labeled calf thymus DNA are incubated with 3  $\mu$ l Clal for 4 h at 37 $^\circ$  C in a total volume of 100  $\mu$ l 50 mM Tris-HCl, 10 mM MgCl $_2$ , 1 mM Dithioerythritol, pH approx. 7.5. The release of radioactivity is calculated as a percentage value of liberated to input radioactivity per unit enzmye (stated under "Exo").

### **Typical ligation** and recutting assay

Cla I fragments obtained by complete digestion of  $1\mu g \lambda$  DNA are ligated with 1 U T4 DNA Ligase (Cat. No. 481 220) in a volume of 10  $\mu$ l by incubation for 16 h at 4° C in 66 mM Tris-HCl, 5 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 5 mM Dithioerythritol, 1 mM ATP, pH 7.5 (at 20° C). The percentage of ligation and subsequent recutting with Cla I which yields the tripled patters of  $\lambda \times Cl_2$  from participles of the complex of  $\lambda \times Cl_2$  from participles in date. which yields the typical pattern of  $\lambda \times Cla$  I fragments is determined and stated under "Lig" and "Rec".

### References

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- Bacillus sphaericus: Bsp XI and Bsp XII" Nucl. Acids Res. 15,

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Restriction Enzymes	DNA restriction digestion	Please refer to website or catalogue		
Rapid DNA Ligation Kit	Ligation of sticky-end or blunt-end DNA fragments in just 5 min at 15-25°C.	Kit (40 DNA ligations)	11 635 379 001	
T4 DNA Ligase	Ligation of sticky- and blunt ended DNA fragments.	100 U 500 units (1 U/μl)	10 481 220 001 10 716 359 001	
Alkaline Phos- phatase, shrimp	Dephosphorylation of 5'-phosphate residues from nucleic acids. Heat inactivation: 15 min at 65° C.	1000 U	11 758 250 001	
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Agarose MP	Multipurpose agarose for analytical and pre- parative electrophore- sis of nucleic acids	100 g 500 g	11 388 983 001 11 388 991 001	
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SuRE/Cut Buffer Set for Restric- tion Enzymes	Incubation buffers A,B,L,M and H for restriction enzymes	1 ml each (10× conc. solutions)	11 082 035 001	
SuRE/Cut Buffer A	Restriction enzyme incubation	5 × 1 ml (10× conc. solution)	11 417 959 001	
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SuRE/Cut Buffer M	Restriction enzyme incubation	5 × 1 ml (10× conc. solution)	11 417 983 001	

Water, PCR	Specially purified,	100 ml	03 315 843 001
Grade	double-distilled,	(4 vials of 25 ml)	
	deionized, and auto-	25 ml	03 315 932 001
	claved	(25 vials of 1 ml)	
		25 ml	03 315 959 001
		(1 vial of 25 ml)	
BSA, special quality for molecular biology	Maintaining enzyme stability	20 mg (1 ml)	10 711 454 001

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## **Commonly used bacterial strains**

Strain	Genotype
BL21	<i>E. coli B F <sup>-</sup> dcm ompT hsdS(r<sub>B</sub>- m<sub>B</sub>-) gal</i> (Studier, F.W. et al (1986) <i>J. Mol. Biol.</i> , <b>189</b> , 113.)
C600 <sup>e</sup>	supE44 hsdR2 thi-1 thr-1 leuB6 lacY1 tonA21; (Hanahan, D. (1983) J. Mol. Biol. <b>166</b> , 557.)
DH5α	supE44 Δ(lacU169 (\$80dlacZΔM15) hsdR17 recA1 endA1 gyrA96 thi-1 relA1; (Hanahan, D. (1983) J. Mol. Biol. <b>166</b> , 557.)
HB101	supE44 hsdS20 recA13 ara-14 proA2 lacY1 galK2 rpsL20 xyl-5 mtl-1; (Hanahan, D., (1983) J. Mol. Biol. <b>166</b> , 557.)
JM108	recA1 supE44 endA1 hsdR17 gyrA96 relA1 thi $\Delta$ (lac-proAB); (Yanisch- Perron, C. et al., (1985) Gene <b>33</b> , 103.)
JM109	recA1 supE44 endA1 hsdR17 gyrA96 relA1 thi $\Delta$ (lac-proAB) F'[traD36proAB <sup>+</sup> , lacl <sup>q</sup> lacZ $\Delta$ M15]; (Yanisch- Perron, C. et al., (1985) Gene <b>33</b> , 103.)
JM110	rpsL (Str <sup>I</sup> ) thr leu thi-l lacY galK galT ara tonA tsx dam dcm supE44 Δ(lac-proAB) F'[traD36proAB <sup>+</sup> , lacf <sup>I</sup> lacZΔM15]; (Yanisch- Perron, C. et al., (1985) Gene <b>33</b> , 103.)
K802	supE hsdR gal metB; (Raleigh, E. et al., (1986) Proc.Natl. Acad.Sci USA, 83, 9070.; Wood, W.B. (1966) J. Mol. Biol., <b>16</b> , 118.)
SURE <sup>r</sup>	recB recJ sbc C201 uvrC umuC::Tn5(karl') lac , Δ(hsdRMS) endA1 gyrA96 thi relA1 supE44 F'[proAB <sup>+</sup> lacI <sup>q</sup> lacZΔM15 Tn10 (tet <sup>l'</sup> ); (Greener, A. (1990) Stratagies, <b>3</b> , 5.)
TG1	supE hsd Δ5 thi Δ(lac-proAB) F'[traD36proAB <sup>+</sup> , lacl <sup>q</sup> lacZΔM15]; (Gibson, T.J. (1984) PhD Theses. Cambridge University, U.K.)
XL1-Blue <sup>r</sup>	supE44 hsdR17 recA1 endA1 gyrA46 thi relA1 lac F'[proAB <sup>+</sup> , lacl <sup>q</sup> lacZ∆M15 Tn10 (tet <sup>t/2</sup> ]; (Bullock et al., (1987) BioTechniques, 5, 376.)

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