

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

# BamHI

#ER0052 5x4000 U

Lot: \_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_

5'...G↓G A T C C...3'

3'...C C T A G↑G...5'

Concentration: 10 U/μL

Source: *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* H

Supplied with: 4x1 mL of 10X Buffer BamHI  
1 mL of 10X Buffer Tango

Store at -20°C



In total 10 vials.

BSA included

[www.thermoscientific.com/onebio](http://www.thermoscientific.com/onebio)

## RECOMMENDATIONS

**1X Buffer BamHI** (for 100% BamHI digestion)

10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.0), 5 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 100 mM KCl,  
0.02% Triton X-100, 0.1 mg/mL BSA.

**Incubation temperature**

37°C.

**Unit Definition**

One unit is defined as the amount of BamHI required to digest 1 μg of lambda DNA-Bsp120I fragments in 1 hour at 37°C in 50 μL of recommended reaction buffer.

**Dilution**

Dilute with Dilution Buffer (#B19): 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.4 at 25°C) 100 mM KCl, 1 mM EDTA, 1 mM DTT, 0.2 mg/mL BSA and 50% glycerol.

**Double Digests**

Thermo Scientific Tango Buffer is provided to simplify buffer selection for double digests. 98% of Thermo Scientific restriction enzymes are active in a 1X or 2X concentration of Tango™ Buffer. Please refer to [www.thermoscientific.com/doubledigest](http://www.thermoscientific.com/doubledigest) to choose the best buffer for your experiments.

1X Tango Buffer: 33 mM Tris-acetate (pH 7.9 at 37°C), 10 mM magnesium acetate, 66 mM potassium acetate, 0.1 mg/mL BSA.

## Storage Buffer

BamHI is supplied in: 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.4 at 25°C), 200 mM NaCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 0.15% Triton X-100, 0.2 mg/mL BSA and 50% glycerol.

## Recommended Protocol for Digestion

- Add:

nuclease-free water	16 µL
10X Buffer BamHI	2 µL
DNA (0.5-1 µg/µL)	1 µL
BamHI	0.5-2 µL <sup>*,**</sup>
- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 37°C for 1-16 hours<sup>\*\*</sup>.

The digestion reaction may be scaled either up or down.

## Recommended Protocol for Digestion of PCR Products Directly after Amplification

- Add:

PCR reaction mixture	10 µL (~0.1-0.5 µg of DNA)
nuclease-free water	18 µL
10X Buffer BamHI	2 µL
BamHI	1-2 µL <sup>*,**</sup>
- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 37°C for 1-16 hours<sup>\*\*</sup>.

---

\* This volume of the enzyme is recommended for preparations of standard concentrations (10 U/µL), whereas HC enzymes (50 U/µL) should be diluted with Dilution Buffer to obtain 10 U/µL concentration.

\*\* See Overdigestion Assay.

## Thermal Inactivation

Only small amounts of BamHI (up to 10 units) can be inactivated at 80°C in 20 min.

## Inactivation Procedure

- To prepare the digested DNA for electrophoresis:
  - stop the digestion reaction by adding 0.5 M EDTA, pH 8.0 (#R1021), to achieve a 20 mM final concentration. Mix thoroughly, add an electrophoresis loading dye and load onto gel.
- To prepare DNA suitable for further enzymatic reactions:
  - extract with phenol/chloroform, precipitate with ethanol or isopropanol, wash the pellet with 75% cold ethanol and air-dry;
  - dissolve DNA in either nuclease-free water, TE buffer, or a buffer suitable for further applications;
  - check the DNA concentration in the solution.

For **ENZYME PROPERTIES** and **CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS**  
see back page

## ENZYME PROPERTIES

### Enzyme Activity in Thermo Scientific REase Buffers, %

BamHI	B	G	O	R	Tango	2X Tango
100	20-50**	100	20-50	50-100**	100**	50-100

\*\*Star activity appears at a greater than 5-fold overdigestion (5 U × 1h).

### Methylation Effects on Digestion

Dam: completely overlaps – no effect.

Dcm: may overlap – no effect.

CpG: may overlap – no effect.

EcoKI: never overlaps – no effect.

EcoBI: never overlaps – no effect.

### Stability during Prolonged Incubation

A minimum of 0.5 units of the enzyme is required for complete digestion of 1 µg of lambda DNA in 16 hours at 37°C.

### Digestion of Agarose-embedded DNA

A minimum of 5 units of the enzyme is required for complete digestion of 1 µg of agarose-embedded lambda DNA in 16 hours.

### Compatible Ends

BclI, BglII, Bsp143I, MboI, PstI

### Number of Recognition Sites in DNA

λ	ΦX174	pBR322	pUC57	pUC18/19	pTZ19R/U	M13mp18/19
5	0	1	1	1	1	1

## CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

### Overdigestion Assay

No detectable change in the specific fragmentation pattern is observed after an 80-fold overdigestion with BamHI (5 U/µg lambda DNA x 16 hours).

### Ligation and Recleavage (L/R) Assay

The ligation and recleavage assay was replaced with LO test after validating experiments showed LO test ability to trace nuclease and phosphatase activities with sensitivity that is higher than L/R by a factor of 100.

### Labeled Oligonucleotide (LO) Assay

No detectable degradation of single-stranded or double-stranded labeled oligonucleotides occurred during incubation with 10 units of BamHI for 4 hours.

### Blue/White (B/W) Cloning Assay

The B/W assay was replaced with LO test after validating experiments showed LO test ability to detect nuclease and phosphatase activities with sensitivity that equals to that of B/W test.

Quality authorized by:

 Jurgita Zilinskiene

**PRODUCT USE LIMITATION**

This product is developed, designed and sold exclusively *for research purposes and in vitro use only*. The product was not tested for use in diagnostics or for drug development, nor is it suitable for administration to humans or animals.

Please refer to [www.thermoscientific.com/onebio](http://www.thermoscientific.com/onebio) for Material Safety Data Sheet of the product.

© 2012 Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. All rights reserved. All trademarks are the property of Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. and its subsidiaries.