

# **DNA Blunting Kit**

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## ORDERING INFORMATION

CAT. NO.	SIZE	PACKAGE CONTENT
BR1101101	R1101101 100 rxn of 25 µl 125 µl 20× Blunting Enzyme Mix	
		250 μl 10× Blunting Buffer
		25 μl 10 mM dNTP Mix

COMPONENT	COMPOSITION
Blunting Enzyme Mix	$20\times$ Blunting Enzyme Mix, in storage buffer containing 50% (v/v) glycerol.
Blunting Buffer	Optimized 10× Blunting Buffer for rapid blunting reaction.
10 mM dNTP Mix	dNTP Mix containing 10 mM dATP, dCTP, dGTP, dTTP in water.
STORAGE -20°C (until expiry date – see product label)	

## **FEATURES**

- · Rapid blunting reaction
- Excellent performance in blunt-ended ligation
- Ready-to-use blunted product in subsequent ligation

## **APPLICATIONS**

- Blunting and phosphorylation of double-stranded DNA
- Preparation of restriction enzyme digested DNA or sheared DNA for blunt-ended ligation

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### **DESCRIPTION**

biotechrabbit™ DNA Blunting Kit shows excellent performance in blunting and phosphorylation of double-stranded DNA. The kit is compatible with a wide variety of dsDNA templates such as restriction enzyme digested DNA fragments, plasmid DNA, PCR products with dA-overhang, sheared or nebulized DNA. The kit is optimized for rapid blunting reaction.

## PROTOCOL

#### Blunting reaction

- Scale the reaction volume up as required.
- Prepare the blunting reaction as shown below:

COMPONENT	VOLUME	FINAL CONCENTRATION
10× Blunting Buffer	2.5 µl	1×
Purified DNA	Variable	up to 5 μg
10 mM dNTP Mix	0.25 μΙ	0.1 mM
20× Blunting Enzyme Mix	1.25 µl	1×
Nuclease free water	Variable	
Total volume	25 µl	

- Mix and centrifuge briefly to collect the liquid in the bottom of the tube.
- Incubate at 25°C (room temperature) for 15 minutes.
- For better efficiency or sheared/nebulized DNA extend the incubation time to 30 min.
- Heat inactivate the enzyme at 70°C for 10 minutes.
- Blunted DNA can be directly used in ligation step (overnight ligation suggested).

### CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

#### **Quality Control**

### Functional assay

Purified double digested sticky-end DNA is blunted, ligated and successful ligation is confirmed.

#### **Exonuclease Activity**

Linearized lambda/HindIII DNA fragments are incubated with the enzyme in a 50  $\mu$ I reaction mixture for 4 h at 37°C. No DNA degradation observed.

#### Endonuclease/Nick Activity

Supercoiled plasmid DNA is incubated with the enzyme in a 50 µl reaction mixture for 4 h at 37°C. No conversion of covalently closed circular DNA to nicked DNA detected.

### Contamination with E. coli DNA

Absence of *E. coli* genomic DNA is confirmed by qPCR using a sample of the enzyme and specific primers targeting the *E. coli* 16S rRNA gene. No contamination detected.

Quality confirmed by: Head of Quality Control

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

For safety instructions please see Safety Data Sheets (SDS)/Sicherheitshinweise finden Sie in den SDS: http://www.biotechrabbit.com/support/documentation.html.

### **USEFUL HINTS**

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