

## CRISPR - Cas9 Nuclease (*S. Pyogenes*); CRISPR-associated Cas-System

### Description

Cas9 Nuclease is the purified recombinant *Streptococcus pyogenes* Cas9 enzyme containing a nuclear localization signal (NLS) at the C-terminal for targeting to the nucleus. This enzyme is designed to perform CRISPR/Cas9-mediated genome editing. The physical purity of this enzyme is  $\geq 98\%$  as assessed by SDS-PAGE with Coomassie® blue staining.

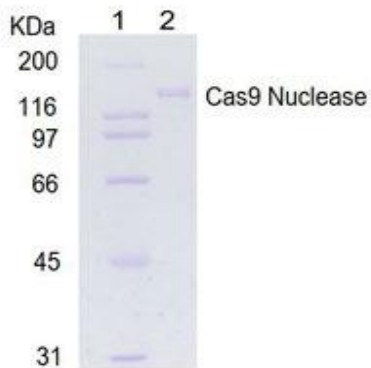


Fig. 2: Lane 1. Protein Marker  
Lane 2. Cas9 Nuclease

### Product Source:

*E. coli* BL21 (DE3) strain expressing a Cas9 gene from *Streptococcus pyogenes* with an N-terminal 6xHis tag and C-terminal SV40 nuclear localization signal (NLS).

### Content:

**Cas9 Nuclease** in: 50 mM Tris-HCl, 50 mM KCl, 1 mM DTT, 0.1 mM EDTA, 50% Glycerol, pH 7.5 @ 25 °C

### Concentration:

Standard-version: 160 ng/ $\mu$ l

HC-Version: 1600 ng/ $\mu$ l

**10x Cas9 Nuclease Reaction Buffer** (200 mM HEPES, 1000 mM NaCl, 50 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 1 mM EDTA, pH 6.5 @ 25 °C)

**Storage:** at -20°C for 24 months, avoid frequent thawing and freezing

**Transport:** with blue ice

Standard Protocol	
1) Target DNA	x $\mu$ l - approx 100 ng
sgRNA	x $\mu$ l - approx. 4000 ng
10x Cas9 Reaction Buffer	3 $\mu$ l
Cas9 Nuclease	1 $\mu$ l - approx. 160 ng
Water up to	30 $\mu$ l

2) Gently mix the reaction mixture and centrifuge briefly.

3) Incubate at 37 °C for 60 min.

4) Add 1  $\mu$ l RNase (4 mg/ml)

5) Incubate at 37 °C for 20 min.

6) Run 0.7 to 1% agarose TBE gel.

### Recommended Transfection reagents (not provided):

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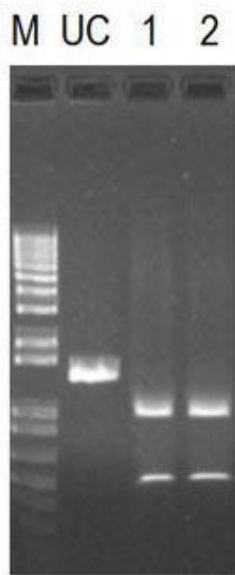
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- Nucleofector™ Kits from Lonza
- Lipofectamine™ CRISPRMAX™ from Thermo Fisher
- Electroporation of mammalian cells with Cas9-sgRNA ribonucleoprotein complexes. Any electroporation machine can be used.

**Cas9 Nuclease** functional testing was done by in vitro DNA cleavage assay with the following protocol which gives more than 95% digestion of the substrate DNA as determined by agarose gel electrophoresis.



**M: Marker**

**UC: Uncut,**

**1: 1 µl Cas9,**

**2: 2 µl Cas9**

**QC-Assay:**

Cas9 nuclease is free from detectable RNase, Endonuclease (nicking) and non-specific DNase activities.

### Ordering Information:

Cat.-no	Description	Amount
310	Cas9 Nuclease 2x40 µg (160 ng/µl)	2x250 pmol
312HC	Cas9 Nuclease high-concentration (1600 ng/µl)	500 pmol
314HC	Cas9 Nuclease high-concentration (1600 ng/µl)	2500 pmol

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