

**PRODUCT INFORMATION**

# TscAI (TspRI)

**#ER2101**      1000 U

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

5'... **N N C A S T G N N**↓...3'  
3'...↑**N N G T S A C N N** ...5'

Concentration:      10 U/μL  
Source:              *Thermus scotoductus* RFL5  
Supplied with:      1 mL of 10X Buffer Tango

**Store at -20°C**



BSA included

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## RECOMMENDATIONS

**1X Thermo Scientific Tango Buffer** (for 100% TscAI digestion)

33 mM Tris-acetate (pH 7.9), 10 mM magnesium acetate, 66 mM potassium acetate, 0.1 mg/mL BSA.

### Incubation temperature

65°C\*.

### Unit Definition

One unit is defined as the amount of TscAI required to digest 1 μg of lambda DNA in 1 hour at 65°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

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

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\* Incubation at 37°C results in less than 5% activity.

## Storage Buffer

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

## Recommended Protocol for Digestion

- Add:

nuclease-free water	16 $\mu$ L
10X Buffer Tango	2 $\mu$ L
DNA (0.5-1 $\mu$ g/ $\mu$ L)	1 $\mu$ L
TscAI	0.5-2 $\mu$ L**
- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 65°C for 1-16 hours\*\*.

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 $\mu$ L (~0.1-0.5 $\mu$ g of DNA)
nuclease-free water	18 $\mu$ L
10X Buffer Tango	2 $\mu$ L
TscAI	1-2 $\mu$ L**
- Mix gently and spin down for a few seconds.
- Incubate at 65°C for 1-16 hours\*\*.

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\*\* See Overdigestion Assay on back page.

## Thermal Inactivation

TscAI is not inactivated by incubation at 80°C for 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.

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## ENZYME PROPERTIES

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

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

### Methylation Effects on Digestion

Dam: never overlaps – no effect.

Dcm: never overlaps – no effect.

CpG: never overlaps – no effect.

EcoKI: may overlap – effect not determined.

EcoBI: may overlap – effect not determined.

### Stability during Prolonged Incubation

A minimum of 0.2 units of the enzyme is required for complete digestion of 1 µg of lambda DNA in 16 hours at 65°C.

### Number of Recognition Sites in DNA

λ	ΦX174	pBR322	pUC57	pUC18/19	pTZ19R/U	M13mp18/19
119	6	12	10	10	10	8

### Note

TscAI produces DNA fragments with a 9-base 3'-extension. To avoid atypical DNA band patterns, use 6X DNA Loading Dye & SDS Solution (#R1151) for sample preparation or heat the digested DNA in the presence of 0.1% SDS (final concentration) at 65°C for 10 min prior to electrophoresis.

## CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

### Overdigestion Assay

No detectable change in the specific fragmentation pattern is observed after an 80-fold overdigestion with TscAI (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 TscAI for 4 hours.

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### PRODUCT USE LIMITATION

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