

Product I	RT™ series			
Reverse Transcriptase				
RP1000	20,000 units			
	Reverse Transcriptase (200 U/μl)	100 μΙ		
	5X RT Buffer	1 ml		

# Storage

-20°C for 24 months

0.1 M DTT

500 μl

# Description

The ExcelRT™ Reverse Transcriptase is a recombinant Moloney Murine Leukemia Virus (M-MLV) reverse transcriptase — an RNA dependent DNA polymerase capable of generating first strand cDNA using an RNA template. It is designed to reduce RNase H activity and create better thermal stability. The ExcelRT™ Reverse Transcriptase is able to routinely synthesize first strand cDNA >8 kb at 37~50°C.

#### Features

- High yield
- Thermostable, up to 50°C, during first strand synthesis
- High processivity, generating cDNA up to 8 kb
- Reduced RNase H ribonuclease activity

# Application

- Generation of first strand cDNA from total RNA or mRNA.
- Suitable for generating cDNA from RNA with strong secondary structure which can be reduced at temperature up to 50°C.

# Storage Buffer

20 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.5), 200 mM NaCl, 0.1 mM EDTA, 1 mM DTT, stabilizer, 50% (v/v) glycerol

## **5X RT Buffer**

250 mM Tris-HCl (pH 8.3 at 25°C), 375 mM KCl and 15 mM MgCl $_{\rm 2}$ 

#### **Unit Definition**

One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme that will incorporate 1 nM of dTTP into acid-insoluble material in 10 minutes at  $37^{\circ}$ C using Poly(A)•oligo(dT)<sub>25</sub> as a template-primer.

## First Strand Synthesis Condition

## 1. Denature (Mixture A):

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Final volume

Total RNA		A	X μl (1 pg~2 μg)
	Primers	100 μM d(T) <sub>20</sub>	
	or	10 μM specific primers	0.5 μΙ
	or	100 ng/μl random hexamers	
	dNTP*	_	1.0 mM (each)
	DEPC-treated H <sub>2</sub> O		to 10 μl final vol.
Mix well; incubate at 70°C/5 minutes			
	Place on ice for at least 1 minute		

\*High concentration of stock dNTP (10 mM, each) is recommended, allowing greater RNA volume be added in the

# 2. First Strand DNA Buffer (Mixture B) per reaction:

(Master Mix can be prepared before or during the denaturing step) 5X RT reaction Buffer  $\begin{array}{ccc} 4 \ \mu I \\ \text{DEPC-treated H}_2\text{O} & 3 \ \mu I \\ 0.1\text{M DTT} & 1 \ \mu I \\ \text{RNase inhibitor} & 1 \ \mu I \\ \text{ExcelRT}^{\text{TM}} \ \text{Reverse Transcriptase} & 1 \ \mu I \end{array}$ 

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10 ul

# First Strand Synthesis Condition (continued)

3. First Strand cDNA synthesis:

Final Volume

 $\label{eq:mixture A (RNA + Primers + dNTP)} \mbox{10 } \mu \mbox{l} \\ \mbox{Mixture B (First Strand DNA Buffer)} \mbox{10 } \mu \mbox{l} \\ \mbox{10 } \mu$ 

Incubate (25°C/10 minutes)\*

37~50°C/50 minutes

**4. Termination:** 85°C/5 minutes Keep at 4°C

5. RNA removal\*: add 1 µl RNase H into each reaction 37°C/20 minutes

Store cDNA at -20°C or for immediate PCR reaction

20 ul

<sup>\*</sup>For random hexamers, an additional 10 minutes of incubation at 25°C is suggested.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>#</sup>Optional step recommended for long range RT-PCR reaction.

### **Recommended PCR Condition**

cDNA	2~10 μl
Forward primer	$0.1 - 0.5 \mu M$
Reverse primer	0.1 – 0.5 μM
10 × Taq buffer	5 μΙ
dNTPs	0.2 mM each
Taq DNA polymerase	0.25 μl (1.25 U)
H <sub>2</sub> O	to 50 μl
Total volume	50 ul

# **Recommended PCR Program**

94°C	2 min		
94°C	30 sec	<u> </u>	
50~68°C*	30 sec	⊦	25 ~ 40 cycles
72°C	30 sec/kb	J	
72°C	1 min	-	

<sup>\*</sup>Optimal PCR conditions vary according to primers' thermodynamic properties.

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CK1000 CV1100 DM1100	Champion E. coli Transformation Kit GetClone PCR Cloning Vector II, 20 RXN ExcelBand 50 bp DNA Ladder, 500 µl
DM2100	ExcelBand 100 bp DNA Ladder, 500 µl
DM2300	ExcelBand 100 bp+3K DNA Ladder, 500 µl
DM3100	ExcelBand 1 KB (0.25-10 kb) DNA Ladder,
	500 μΙ
DM4100	ExcelBand XL 25 kb DNA Ladder, Broad
	Range (up to 25 kb), 500 μl
DL5000	FluoroDye DNA Fluorescent Loading Dye
	(Green, 6×), 1 ml
NS1000	FluoroVue Nucleic Acid Gel Stain
	(10,000X), 500 μl
TF1000	SMO-HiFi DNA Polymerase, 100 U
TP1000	ExcelTaq Taq DNA Polymerase, 500 U × 1
TP1200	ExcelTaq 5× PCR Master Dye Mix, 200 RXN
RP1100	ExcelRT One-step RT-PCR Kit, 50 RXN
RI1000	RNAok RNase Inhibitor, 2000 U

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