AccuPower® PCR PreMix (with UDG)

I. Introduction

AccuPower[®] PCR PreMix (with UDG) is the powerful technology for convenient and easy to perform DNA amplification. *AccuPower* PCR PreMix (with UDG) contains uracil DNA glycosylase, dA, dG, dC, dTTP with dUTP and reaction buffer in a premixed format that is freeze-dried into individual tubes.

Carryover contamination is a significant source of error when PCR is being used in a diagnostic context. Use of uracil DNA glycosylase is a solution for this problem which catalyzes the hydrolysis of N-glycosylic bond between the uracil and sugar. Heating at 94 °C lead to degrade contaminants (uracil-containing DNA) of PCR reaction mixture.

UDG efficiently remove uracil from single-stranded or doublestranded DNA, but from oligomers (6 or fewer). It is not active for targeting RNA or uracil-free DNA.

Figure 1. Principle of eliminating contaminant using UDG



II. Application

AccuPower PCR PreMix (with UDG) is recommended for use in Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR), primer extension reactions, Gene Synthesis, Gene cloning, site-directed mutagenesis and overcome carryover contamination.

III. Storage

AccuPower PCR PreMix (with UDG) should be stored at -20 °C upon received, and are stable until the expiry date stated on the label.

IV. Caution

Note that UDG can remain their activity after finishing DNA synthesis, if it is kept on below 50 °C. Therefore PCR product is recommended to freeze immediately after PCR reaction.

V. Enzyme inactivation.

UDG is inactivated by heating at 95 °C for 5 min.

VI. Product components

Components	Volume
Uracil DNA glycosylase	1 U
Top DNA polymerase	1 U
dNTP with dUTP (each)	200 uM

VII. Protocol

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- 1. Add template DNA and primers into *AccuPower* PCR PreMix (with UDG) tubes.
- Add distilled water into AccuPower PCR PreMix (with UDG) tubes to a total volume of 20 μℓ. Do not calculate the dried pellet.

	Components		Volume	
	Template DNA	Variable (1~10 µℓ)		
	Primer (10pmole/ul) 0.5 μℓ~2 μℓ		0.5 µl~2 µl	
	D.W.	Variable (6 μ <i>ℓ</i> ~18 μ <i>ℓ</i>) 20 μ <i>ℓ</i>		
	Total volume			
 Note: Amount of template 				
	Template DNA		Amount of template	
	Bacteriophage λ , Plasmid DN		100 fg~200 ng	
	Total Genomic DNA		1 ng~500 ng	

Dissolve	the	lyophilized	blue	pellet	by	vortexing,	and	briefly
spin dow	n.							

Perform the reaction under the following conditions.
 In case of routine PCR

Step	Temperature	Time	Cycles	
UDG activation	37 °C	2 min	1 cycle	
Pre-Denaturation	95 °C	5 min	1 cycle	
Denaturation	95 °C	30 sec~1 min		
Annealing	45~65 °C	30 sec~1 min	25~35 cycles	
Extension	72 °C	72 °C 30 sec ~ 1 min/kb		
Final Extension	72 °C	Optional Normally 3~5 min	1 cycle	

 In case Primer's Tm value is more than 65 °C or PCR Product size is more than 5 kb.

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UDG activation	37 °C	2 min	1 cycle	
Pre-Denaturation	95 °C	5 min	1 cycle	
Denaturation	95 °C	30 sec	20-25 00000	
Anneal/Extension	68 °C	1 min/kb	SU~SS cycles	
Final Extension	72 °C	Optional. Normally 3~5 min	1 cycle	

- PCR product is recommended to freeze immediately after PCR reaction.
- Load samples on agarose gel without adding a loading-dye mixture, and perform electrophoresis.

IX. Ordering Information.

	Cat. No.	Product
-	K-2012-1	AccuPower PCR PreMix (with UDG), 0.2 ml thin-wall 8- strip tubes with attached cap / 96 tubes, 20 ul reaction
-	K-2016-1	AccuPower PCR PreMix (with UDG), 0.2 ml thin-wall 8- strip tubes with attached cap / 480 tubes, 20 ul reaction