



Product:	Recombinant Pfu DNA Polymerase
Catalog #:	PFU-01
Quantity:	500U
Concentration:	5 U/μl
Specific Activity:	15,000U/mg

Description: Recombinant Pfu DNA polymerase is produced in *E. coli* utilizing a gene isolated from the hyperthermophilic marine archaeobacterium *Pyrococcus furiosus*. This multifunctional thermostable enzyme possesses both 5'- to 3'- DNA polymerase and 3'- to 5'- exonuclease activity, resulting in a 12-fold increase in fidelity during DNA synthesis compared to conventional Taq DNA polymerase. UBI's Recombinant Pfu DNA Polymerase has an optimal extension temperature between 72°C and 78°C. The enzyme remains more than 95% active following a one hour incubation at 95°C.

10 x Reaction Buffer: 200 mM TrisHCl (pH 8.8)
100 mM KCl
100 mM (NH₄)₂ SO₄
20 mM Mg SO₄
1% Triton X-100
1 mg / ml nuclease-free Bovine Serum Albumin (BSA)

Unit Activity: One unit of activity is defined as the amount of Recombinant Pfu DNA polymerase required to incorporate 10nM of [H]TTP into an acid-insoluble form after 30 minutes at 72°C.

Contaminants: Recombinant Pfu DNA polymerase has been assayed for the presence of detectable non-specific nuclease activity and DNA contamination and has been deemed nuclease and DNA free.

Shipping Conditions: Recombinant Pfu DNA polymerase is shipped frozen in the presence of dry ice, but is stable and maintains full activity if stored at room temperature.

Storage Conditions: Recombinant Pfu DNA polymerase is stored in 50mM Tris-HCL (pH8.2), 1mM dithiothreitol (DTT), 0.1mM EDTA, 0.05% CHAPS and 50% (v/v) glycerol. Recombinant Pfu DNA polymerase although stable at room temperature should be stored at -20°C on receipt for maximal life.