

## Lot No.

## Description

- LaboPass™ IP-Taq PCR Premix is an optimized 2X PCR Master mix containing IP-Taq Polymerase, dNTPs, MgCl<sub>2</sub>, reaction buffer, loading dye and stabilizers that is aliquoted into the Thin-Wall 8-strip PCR tube. This premix formulation simplifies PCR setup. The user simply adds template, primers, and DW to start the reaction.
- LaboPass™ IP-Taq DNA Polymerase is a thermostable DNA polymerase cloned from *Thermus aquaticus* and a recombinant form expressed in *E.coli*. This enzyme possesses 5' to 3' exonuclease activity, but lacks a 3' to 5' exonuclease proofreading activity. The enzyme purified with high purity contains a very low level of contaminating *E.coli* DNA, which minimizes false-positive results, especially when the amplicon is bacterial sequence (e.g. 16S rRNA).

## Specifications

Components	IP-Taq Polymerase, dNTPs, reaction buffer, loading dye stabilizers
Type	Ready-to-use (Only DNA template and primers are needed)
Reaction volume	20 µl (2X PCR Master mix is aliquoted (each 10 µl) into the PCR tube)
Store at	-20°C

## Storage and Stability

LaboPass™ PCR Premix is stable for 1 year when stored at -20°C. Repeated freezing and thawing of the premix is not recommended.

## Applications

- General PCR for detection
- Colony PCR
- A-tailing for TA-cloning

## Quality Control

Each lot of IP-Taq polymerase, reaction buffer and dNTPs is tested for contamination such as *E.coli* genomic DNA, nicking, endonuclease and exonuclease.

## Standard Reaction

Components	Volumes (µl)
2X IP-Taq PCR Premix	10 µl
Forward Primer (10~50 pmoles/µl)	1 µl
Reverse Primer (10~50 pmoles/µl)	1 µl
DNA Template (Variable*)	1~2 µl
Distilled water	6~7 µl
<b>Total reaction volume</b>	<b>20 µl</b>

### \* Amount of DNA template

- Eukaryotic genomic DNA 10-200 ng
- Prokaryotic genomic DNA 1-50 ng
- Purified homogeneous DNA <5 ng  
(e.g. plasmid, lambda DNA, etc)
- cDNA : 0.5-10% of RT reaction volume

## General Thermo-Cycler protocol

Step	Time	Temperature
Initial denaturation	1-5 min	94-95°C
25-35 Cycles:		
Denaturation	10-25 sec	94-95°C
Annealing	10-25 sec	45-70°C
Extension	60 sec/1 kb	68-72°C
Final extension	5 min	68-72°C

### \* Note

- Vortex all solutions and spin down carefully before using
- Dispense on ice and spin down again