# Cesium Klentaq C LA

**Amount:** 100 µl (2000 x 25 µl reactions) **Shipping conditions:** Ambient temperature

Storage conditions: -20°C F

Thermostability: Retains at least 85% activity after 1 hour at 95°C

**Shelf life:** At least 1 year from date of receipt under proper storage conditions.

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Cesium Klentaq C LA is a cold-sensitive mutant of Klentaq1 (5'-exonuclease deficient Taq polymerase with improved fidelity and thermostability) with the Long-and-Accurate feature that allows amplification of longer products with higher fidelity and accuracy. Due to its suppressed activity at low temperatures this enzyme is designed for hot start PCR performance. LA enzymes are not recommended for use with dUTP. 10x buffer composition is: 500 mM Tris-Cl pH 9.2, 160 mM ammonium sulfate, 0.25% Brij 58, and 35 mM magnesium chloride.

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### TYPICAL PCR PROTOCOL for a 25 ul reaction:

| Reagent                              | Volume                       | Final Concentration |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|
| 10x Klentaq mutant reaction buffer   | 2.5 μl                       | 1x                  |
| dNTP mix (10 mM each)                | 0.5 μl                       | 200 μM each         |
| Left Primer                          | variable                     | 200 nM              |
| Right Primer                         | variable                     | 200 nM              |
| DNA template†                        | variable                     | 0.1-100 ng          |
| PCR Enhancer Cocktail (recommended)* | 12.5 μ1                      | 1x                  |
| Cesium Klentaq C LA                  | 0.05 – 0.25 μl **            |                     |
| De-ionized distilled H2O             | Adjust final volume to 25 ul |                     |

<sup>†</sup> DNA amount depends mostly on genome size and target gene copy number.

## **CYCLING CONDITIONS:**

1. Denaturing: 94° for 2-8 minutes for 1 cycle

2. Denaturing: 94° for 40-60 seconds

3. Annealing: 50°-68° depending on the specific Tm primers for 40-60 seconds

4. Extension: 68° for 2 min/kb target

5. Repeat steps 2-4 for 25-40 cycles

Please visit us on the web at www.klentaq.com for troubleshooting and detailed protocols.

#### REFERENCES:

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<sup>\*</sup> For optimal performance, we recommend using one of our PCR Enhancer Cocktails (PEC-1, PEC-1GC, PEC-2, or PEC-2-GC) or 1.3 M Betaine, which is a general PCR enhancer.

<sup>\*\*</sup> To determine specific optimal enzyme concentration, we strongly recommend an enzyme titration test for each target. Targets larger than 1 kb may require more enzyme.