

# **2×Tag PCR Master Mix Product Information**

### **Overview:**

2×Taq PCR Master Mix is an optimal 2× concentrated solution of Taq DNA polymerase, dNTPs, MgCl<sub>2</sub> and all other components required for PCR, except DNA template and primers. This is a premixed, ready-to-use solution with high sensitivity and specificity. The PCR products generated using this product contain dA overhangs at the 3'-end, and can be ligated to dT/-overhang vectors easily.

# **Product Components:**

2×Taq PCR Buffer	
0.2 U/µl Taq DNA Polymerase	
0.6 mM each dNTPs	
6 mM MgCl₂	
PCR enhancer	

# Applications:

Routine PCR with high reproducibility

TA cloning for short fragment

### Storage & Stability:

Product may be stored for one month at 4  $\,^{\circ}\!C$  or 12 months at -20  $\,^{\circ}\!C$ .

# Protocol:

1. Thaw the 2×Taq PCR Master Mix at room temperature. Vortex and spin it briefly in a microcentrifuge

to collect the material in the bottom of the tube.

2. Place a PCR tube on ice and add the following components for each reaction:

$2 \times$ Taq PCR Master Mix	25 µl	
Forward primer (10 µM)	1 µl	
Reverse primer 2(10 µM)	1 µl	
Template DNA	*	
ddH <sub>2</sub> O	Το 50 μl	

\*Template DNA final concentration should be no more than 10 ng/µl

Note: prepare the reaction with high precision and accuracy pipette

3. Gently vortex the samples and spin down.

4. Perform PCR with a thermal cycler containing a heated lid using the recommended thermal cycling conditions outlined below:

Temperature/Step	Time	Number of cycles
95 °C Initial Denaturation	2 min	1 cycles
95 °C Denaturation	30 sec	30~35 cycles
55 ℃ Annealing※	30 sec	
72 ℃ Extension∆	1 min	
72 °C Final Extension	5 min	1 cycles

%Approximately 5  $^\circ\!\!\mathbb{C}$  below Tm of primers

riangleUse an extension time of approximately 1 min/kb DNA

5. After amplification, samples can be used for agarose gel electrophoresis or be stored overnight at

2-8  $\,\,{}^\circ\!\mathrm{C}\,$  and -20  $\,\,\,{}^\circ\!\mathrm{C}\,$  for longer storage.