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Protocol for Exonuclease VIII, truncated (NEB #M0545)

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ABSTRACT

Exonuclease VIII, truncated efficiently degrades linear dsDNA from 5' to 3' direction, leaving supercoiled dsDNA intact.

*** Note:** For more precise results or partial digestions, we recommend titration of the enzyme to the intended substrate.

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MATERIALS

NAME	CATALOG #	VENDOR
EDTA	17892	Thermo Fisher
Exonuclease VIII truncated	M0545	New England Biolabs

SAFETY WARNINGS

Please see SDS (Safety Data Sheet) for hazards and safety warnings.

1

Set-up the reaction as follows:

COMPONENTS	50 µl REACTION
DNA	up to 1 µg
NEBuffer 4 (10X)	5 µl (1X)
Exonuclease VIII (truncated)	1 µl (10 units)
Nuclease-free H2O (NEB #B1500)	up to 50 µl

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Incubate at **37 °C** for **00:30:00** .

3 Stop reaction by adding *EDTA* to at least **11 Milimolar (mM)** .

4 Heat Inactivation **70 °C** for **00:30:00** .

5 To clean up treated samples, we recommend using **one of the following steps**:

a. Column clean up (we recommend the Monarch®PCR & DNA Cleanup Kit, NEB #T1030) or

b. Running the reaction on an agarose gel, and then extracting the DNA (we recommend the Monarch Gel Extraction Kit, NEB #T1020), or

c. Performing a phenol/chloroform extraction followed by ethanol precipitation.