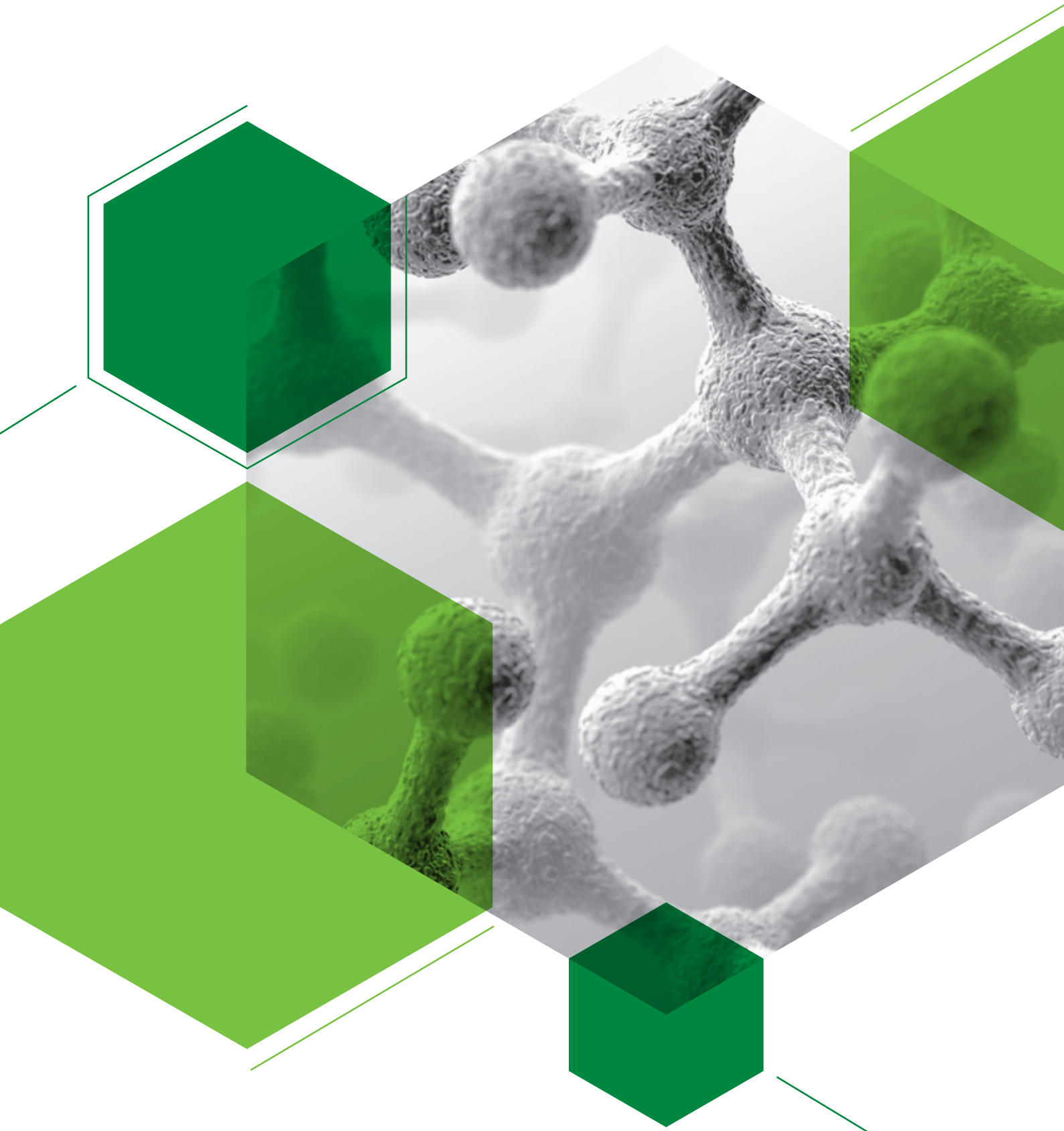


# RNA-related Products





## ***TRANSCRIPTME* RNA kit:**

- Ideal choice for obtaining high yields of full-length cDNA for RT-qPCR assays
- Suitable for as low RNA amount as 10 pg
- Convenient, reliable and cost-effective

# RNA-RELATED PRODUCTS

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## TRANSCRIPTME RNA Kit – cDNA Synthesis Kit

The **TRANSCRIPTME RNA Kit** is a system which includes all the necessary components to synthesize first-strand cDNA, except for the template RNA. The synthesized single-stranded cDNA is suitable for real-time quantitative RT-PCR applications. The **TRANSCRIPTME RNA Kit** has been formulated to provide high yields of full-length cDNA product and to increase sensitivity in RT-qPCR. Starting material can range from 100 pg up to 2.5 µg of total RNA. The kit includes a combination of random hexamers and oligo(dT)<sub>18</sub> primers for increased sensitivity. The primers are included in the 2x Master Mix, which also contains dNTPs, MgCl<sub>2</sub> and an optimized RT buffer. **TRANSCRIPTME Enzyme Mix** includes both the **TRANSCRIPTME Reverse Transcriptase** (RNase H minus) and the **RIBOPROTECT RNase Inhibitor** for protection against RNA degradation caused by ribonuclease contamination.

The increased thermostability of the **TRANSCRIPTME Reverse Transcriptase** allows carrying out the reaction at a higher temperature (optimum activity at 50°C), which may increase the efficiency and specificity of the transcribed RNA regions, which are rich in GC pairs and/or contain secondary structures. The enzyme gives high yields of first strand cDNA up to 10 kb long.

**RNase H** (from *E. coli*) is provided as a separate tube in the kit to selectively degrade the RNA template in cDNA:RNA

hybrids after the first-strand cDNA synthesis. This optional step can improve the sensitivity of subsequent RT-qPCR reaction since PCR primers will bind more easily to the cDNA. The protocol recommends using RNase H only when it contributes to a full-length cDNA synthesis and increased yields of first -strand cDNA.

### Features

- High yields of full-length cDNA products (up to 10 kb)
- Formulated to increase sensitivity in RT-qPCR and RT-PCR assays
- Reduced number of pipetting steps – minimized contamination risk
- RNA starting material: 10 pg – 5 µg of total RNA or 10 pg – 500 ng of mRNA
- Optimal reaction temperature: 50°C
- Primer types: oligo(dT)<sub>18</sub> and random hexamers
- Suitable for the amplification of difficult RNA templates
- Convenient and reliable

### Applications

- Full-length cDNA template synthesis for RT-qPCR and two-step RT-PCR assays
- cDNA synthesis for molecular cloning
- cDNA library construction
- RNA analysis

# The use of **RIBOPROTECT RNase Inhibitor** is highly recommended with samples containing endogenous RNases.

**Protect your RNA and avoid costly, unsatisfactory results.**

## **TRANSCRIPTME Reverse Transcriptase**

The **TRANSCRIPTME** is a modified, recombinant form of the Reverse Transcriptase from the Moloney Murine Leukemia Virus (M-MuLV) purified from *Escherichia coli*. The enzyme has been modified in order to promote stability. The **TRANSCRIPTME** synthesizes the complementary DNA strand in the presence of a primer using either RNA (cDNA synthesis) or single-stranded DNA as a template. It lacks 3' → 5' exonuclease and RNase H activity, which improves synthesis of a full-length cDNA even from long mRNA templates, using random priming. The enzyme gives high yields of first strand cDNA up to 10 kb long.

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### **Features**

- High yields of full-length cDNA synthesis (up to 10 kb long)

- Maintains the RNA- and DNA-dependent DNA polymerase activities
- Formulated to increase sensitivity in RT-qPCR and RT-PCR assays
- Starting material: 10 pg – 5 µg of total RNA or 10 pg – 500 ng of mRNA
- Optimal reaction temperature: 50°C
- Increased thermostability
- Lacks RNase H and 3' → 5' exonuclease activities
- Suitable for the amplification of difficult RNA templates

### **Applications**

- Full-length cDNA synthesis for use in RT-qPCR and two-step RT-PCR assays
- cDNA synthesis for molecular cloning
- cDNA library construction
- RNA analysis

**Concentration:** 200 U/µl

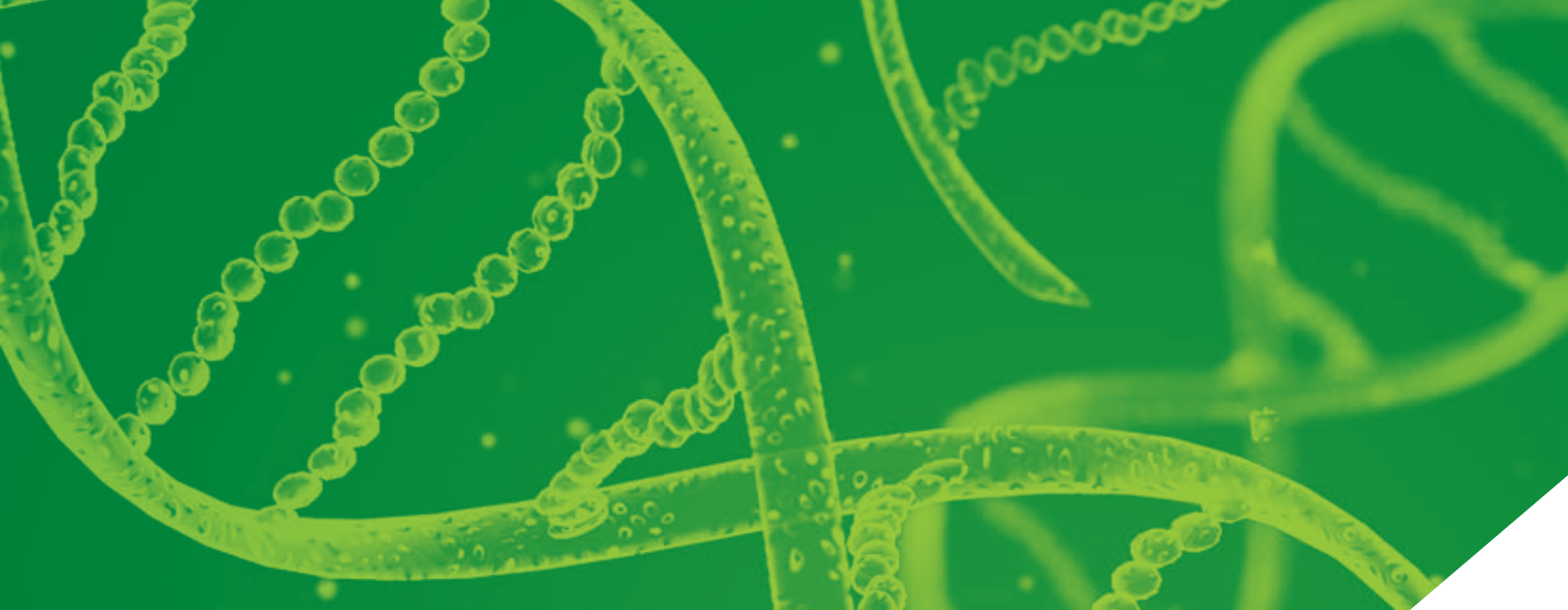
## **RIBOPROTECT – RNase Inhibitor**

The **RIBOPROTECT** RNase Inhibitor is a recombinant inhibitor of pancreatic ribonucleases, such as RNase A, RNase B and RNase C, purified from *Escherichia coli*. This protein is useful in any application where eukaryotic RNase contamination is a potential problem. This inhibitor can be used to protect RNA template in cDNA synthesis or *in vitro* transcription/translation reactions. The **RIBOPROTECT** is not effective against RNase 1, RNase T1, RNase T2, S1 nuclease, RNase H or RNase from *Aspergillus sp.*

### **Applications**

- cDNA synthesis, RT-PCR and RT-qPCR
- *in vitro* transcription/translation
- RNA extraction and purification

**Concentration:** 40 U/µl



## EXTRACTME TOTAL RNA KIT

The **EXTRACTME TOTAL RNA** kit is designed for the rapid and efficient purification of high quality RNA from 1-30 mg of tissue (fresh or frozen) and  $10^4$ - $10^7$  cultured cells.

### Product specifications:

#### SAMPLE MATERIAL

- fresh or frozen tissue (stored at  $-80^{\circ}\text{C}$ ): 1-30 mg
- tissue preserved in RNase inactivating buffers: 1-30 mg
- cell culture:  $10^4$ - $10^7$  cells
- body fluids (urine, cerebrospinal fluid, peritoneal fluid): 1-5 ml
- hair: 1-30 mg

#### BINDING CAPACITY

- Approx. 90  $\mu\text{g}$  RNA

#### TIME REQUIRED

- 16-20 minutes (lysis and homogenisation time not included)
- 30-60 minutes for homogenization in liquid nitrogen
- 30-40 minutes for mechanical homogenization (ceramic beads)

#### RNA PURITY

- $A_{260}/A_{280}$  ratio = 1.9 – 2.1

### Average RNA isolation efficiencies from fresh biological material:

Sample material	Mass /quantity	Elution volume	RNA conc.	$A_{260}/A_{280}$	Yield
HCT116 cell culture	$10^7$	100 $\mu\text{l}$	947.2 ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	2.09	94.72 $\mu\text{g}$
HCT116 cell culture	$10^4$	100 $\mu\text{l}$	328.3 ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	2.03	32.83 $\mu\text{g}$
Liver	30 mg	100 $\mu\text{l}$	923.6 ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	2.07	92.36 $\mu\text{g}$
Liver	10 mg	100 $\mu\text{l}$	319.3 ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	1.88	31.93 $\mu\text{g}$
Liver tumor	30 mg	100 $\mu\text{l}$	534.6 ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	2.04	53.46 $\mu\text{g}$
Liver tumor	15 mg	100 $\mu\text{l}$	467.9 ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	1.91	46.79 $\mu\text{g}$
Colon	10 mg	100 $\mu\text{l}$	168.8 ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	2.14	16.88 $\mu\text{g}$
Colon tumor	30 mg	100 $\mu\text{l}$	603.7ng/ $\mu\text{l}$	2.06	60.37 $\mu\text{g}$



## RNase H

The RNase H is a recombinant endoribonuclease purified from an *E. coli* strain that carries the cloned RNase H gene (*rnh*). The enzyme selectively hydrolyses the phosphodiester bonds of RNA only when it is hybridized to DNA. The RNase H does not degrade single and double-stranded DNA or unhybridized RNA. It is a key enzyme in the removal of mRNA after first-strand cDNA synthesis. In addition, RNase H is useful for the removal of poly(A) tails on mRNAs after hybridization with oligo(dT), and for oligodeoxyribonucleotide-directed site-specific cleavage of RNA.

**Concentration:** 5 U/μl

## RNase A (DNase-free)

The RNase A is an endoribonuclease, that selectively cleaves single-stranded RNA 3' next to pyrimidine residues (cytosine, uracil). It degrades RNA to cyclic nucleotide monophosphates leaving a 5'-OH and 2', 3'-cyclic monophosphate. The enzyme exhibits no endonuclease or exonuclease activity towards DNA substrates. The RNase A is used to remove RNA during the isolation procedures of plasmid and genomic DNA.

### Applications

- RNA protection assays
- Purification of RNA-free DNA
- Plasmid and genomic DNA isolation
- Removal of RNA during recombinant proteins preparations

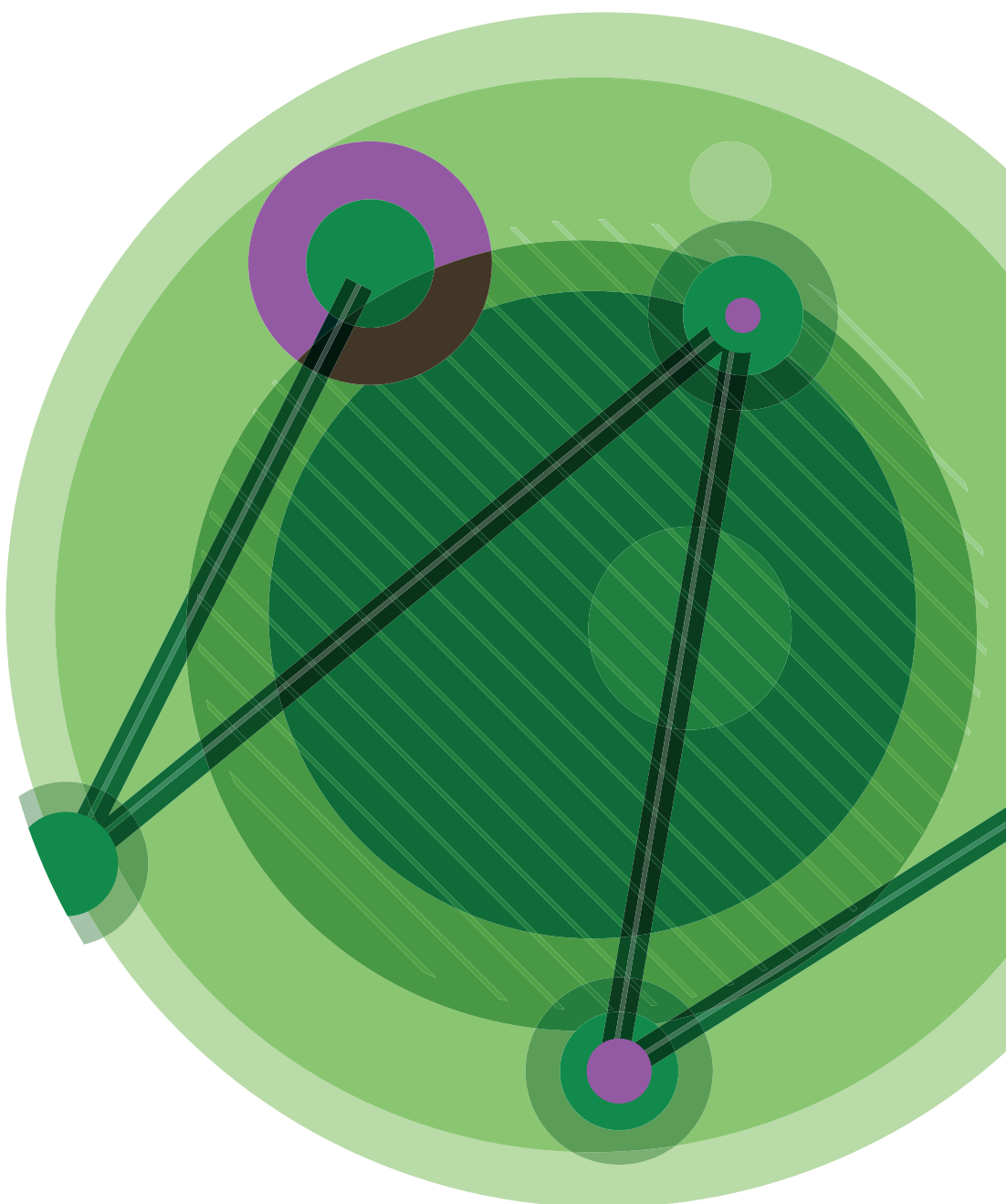
**Activity:** 90 U/mg (Kunitz)

PRODUCT	SIZE	CAT. NO.
<b>TRANSCRIPTME RNA Kit</b> cDNA synthesis Kit	20 reactions	RT31-020
	100 reactions	RT31-100
<b>TRANSCRIPTME Reverse Transcriptase</b>	10.000 U	RT32-010
	50.000 U	RT32-050
<b>RIBOPROTECT RNase Inhibitor</b>	2000 U	RT33-020
	10.000 U	RT33-100
<b>EXTRACTME TOTAL RNA KIT</b>	25 isolations	EM09-025
	100 isolations	EM09-100
	250 isolation	EM09-250
<b>EXTRACTME TOTAL RNA PLUS KIT</b> The kit additionally include tubes for homogenisation with ceramic filling	25 isolations	EM11-025
	100 isolations	EM11-100
	250 isolation	EM11-250
<b>RNase H</b>	250 U	RT34-025
	1250 U	RT34-125
<b>RNase A (DNase-free)</b>	10 mg	RP14
	50 mg	RP145



The first step to successful RNA analysis is the extraction of pure, intact and high-quality RNA.

We recommend the **EXTRACTME TOTAL RNA KIT** for extraction of high quality RNA from animal tissue or cell cultures.





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