# Gojira Fine Chemicals, LLC

#### **HighScript Reverse Transcriptase**

Cat. No: HS1014

#### **Product Information Leaflet**

## **Description**

HighScript Reverse Transcriptase together with enhanced buffer chemistry enables fast synthesis of a cDNA that accurately represents the transcript. The enzyme together with its buffer allows efficient and unbiased synthesis of the cDNA molecule.

HighScript Reverse Transcriptase is a modified version of MMLV reverse transcriptase with noticeable thermostability and high enzymatic activity. This enzyme is offered as a blend with an RNase inhibitor to prevent RNA degradation. Total RNA is the preferred substrate of this enzyme because it is not inhibited by other forms of RNA (rRNA and/or tRNA).

#### Kit components

Component	*HS1014-10	*HS1014-40
	10,000 Units	40,000 Units
HighScript Reverse	1 X 200 μL	4 X 200 μL
Transcriptase (200		
U/μL) (with		
RNase inhibitor)		
∞5x HighScript	2 X 25 μL	2 X 100 μL
buffer		

<sup>\*</sup>Other pack sizes or bulk orders are available upon request.

∞The 5x HighScript buffer contains 15 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 5 mM dNTPs, enhancers, and stabilizers. It was designed for robust performance; no further additions are necessary.

∞∞The suggested primer concentration is 1 pM for specific primers, 1  $\mu$ M for Olido-dT<sub>18</sub>, and 2–5  $\mu$ M for random hexamers.

## Storage and shipment

Transport with an ice pack or on dry ice (for shipments taking more than 2 days). The reagents should be stored between -30°C and -15°C upon arrival. The reagents are stable for 12 months if stored correctly. The reagents are stable for 1 month at 4°C.

# **Reaction set-up**

The recommended mastermix set-up for a 20  $\mu L$  reaction volume is shown in the table below.

∞Reagent	Volume (μL)	Final concentration
5x HighScript	4	1x
buffer		
HighScript	1	
Reverse		
Transcriptase		
(200 U/μL)		
4 pg to 0.4 μg of	X	1x
total RNA or		
oligodT-purified		
mRNA		
10x Primer Mix	2	
Nuclease-free	Up to 20 μL	
water	final volume	
Total volume	20 μL	

∞We suggest incubating the primer mix with the RNA template for 5 minutes at 70°C before starting the reaction by adding the reaction mix

For the majority of applications (<65% GC), incubation at 42°C for 30 minutes is sufficient. For templates with a more complex secondary structure, incubation at 65°C is also possible.

## **Technical information and support**

For technical inquiries or assay development support, please contact us via e-mail at: docsupport@gojirafc.com.

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