

AgeI-HF™



R3552S



300 units 20,000 U/ml Lot: 0031208

RECOMBINANT Store at -20°C Exp: 8/14

Recognition Site:

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3'... T G G C C A ... 5'

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Enzyme Properties

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