

## TMPRSS15

## Native Porcine Protease serine 7 / Enterokinase

Catalog No. CSI11677 Quantity: 100 U

CSI11678 500 U CSI11679 1000 U

**Alternate Names:** Enteropeptidase, EC 3.4.21.9, Enterokinase, Serine protease 7, ENTK, MGC133046.

**Description:** Enteropeptidase or enterokinase is an enzyme involved in human digestion. It is

produced by cells in the duodenum wall, and is secreted from duodenum's glands, the crypts of Lieberkuhn, whenever ingested food enters the duodenum from the stomach. Enteropeptidase has the critical job of turning trypsinogen (a zymogen) to trypsin,

indirectly activating a number of pancreatic digestive enzymes.

Enteropeptidase is a serine protease enzyme (EC3.4.21.9). Enteropeptidase is a part of the Chymotrypsin-clan of serine proteases, and is structurally similar to these proteins. Porcine enteropeptidase is a specific protease which cleaves after the lysine at its recognition site: Asp-Asp-Asp-Lys. Enterokinase will not cleave a site followed by proline. Theoretical Mw is 21,880 Dalton, the apparent Mw on SDS-PAGE is about 40

kDa.

If a fusion tag is located in the N-terminus with an enterokinase site, enterokinase will be able to remove the fusion tag and to generate the protein exactly as you need without adding any unwanted residues. The enterokinase is a highly purified enterokinase from porcine. The enzyme has been extensively purified and tested to ensure that there are no

other contaminating proteases.

Physical Appearance: Sterile Liquid

Gene ID: 397152

Source: Porcine

Formulation: 2  $IU/\mu I$  + 50 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0 + 0.5 M NaCl and 50% glycerol.

**Unit Definition:**One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme needed to cleave 50 ug of fusion protein in

16 hours to 95% completion at 25°C in a buffer containing 25 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.6 + 50

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mM NaCl and 2 mM CaCl2.

**Storage & Stability:** One year when stored at -20°C, one week at room temperature.

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