

## **α(2-3) Neuraminidase S from Streptococcus pneumoniae, Recombinant**

Cat. No. NATE-1275

Lot. No. (See product label)

### **Introduction**

**Description** Neuraminidase enzymes are glycoside hydrolase enzymes (EC 3.2.1.18) that cleave the glycosidic linkages of neuraminic acids. Neuraminidase enzymes are a large family, found in a range of organisms. The best-known neuraminidase is the viral neuraminidase, a drug target for the prevention of the spread of influenza infection. The viral neuraminidases are frequently used as antigenic determinants found on the surface of the Influenza virus. Some variants of the influenza neuraminidase confer more virulence to the virus than others. Other homologs are found in mammalian cells, which have a range of functions.

**Synonyms** neuraminidase; sialidase; α-neuraminidase; acetylneuraminidase; exo-α-sialidase; EC 3.2.1.18; 9001-67-6

### **Product Information**

**Species** Streptococcus pneumoniae

**Source** E. coli

**Form** 50 mM NaCl, 20 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.5 25°C) and 1 mM EDTA.

**Molecular Weight** 74000 daltons

**Purity** > 95% determined by SDS-PAGE

**Activity** 160,000 units/mg

**Unit Definition** One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to cleave > 95% of the terminal α-Neu5Ac from 1 nmol Neu5Acα2-3Galβ1-3GlcNAcβ1-3Galβ1-4Glc-AMC, in 1 hour at 37°C in a total reaction volume of 10 μl.

### **Storage and Shipping Information**

**Storage** at -20°C