

## **Native Human Catalase**

Cat. No. NATE-0108 Lot. No. (See product label)

## Introduction

- **Description** Catalase activates the decomposition of hydrogen peroxide, a reactive oxygen species, into water and oxygen. It functions as a natural antioxidant, protecting cells against oxidative damage to proteins, lipids and nucleic acids. Catalase has also been used to study the role reactive oxygen species play in gene expression and apoptosis.
- *Synonyms* EC 1.11.1.6; Catalase; catalase; equilase; caperase; optidase; catalase-peroxidase; CAT; H2O2:H2O2 oxidoreductase; 9001-05-2

Product Information	
Species	Human
Source	Human erythrocytes
Form	buffered aqueous solution. Solution in 50 mM Tris, pH 8.0
EC Number	EC 1.11.1.6
CAS No.	9001-05-2
Molecular Weight	tetramer mol wt ~250 kDa
Purity	> 90% (SDS-PAGE)
Activity	> 30,000 units/mg protein
Pathway	Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), organism-specific biosystem; Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), conserved biosystem; Folate Metabolism, organism-specific biosystem; FoxO family signaling, organism- specific biosystem; Glyoxylate and dicarboxylate metabolism, organism-specific biosystem; Glyoxylate and dicarboxylate metabolism, conserved biosystem; Metabolic pathways, organism-specific biosystem
Function	NADP binding; aminoacylase activity; catalase activity; catalase activity; heme binding; metal ion binding; oxidoreductase activity, acting on peroxide as acceptor; protein homodimerization activity
Unit Definition	One unit will decompose 1.0 $\mu$ mole of H2O2 per min at pH 7.0 at 25°C, while the H2O2 conc. falls from 10.3 to 9.2 mM, measured by the rate of decrease of A240.

Storage and Shipping Information

Storage –20°C