

Δ7-sterol 5(6)-desaturase

Cat. No. EXWM-0983

Lot. No. (See product label)

Introduction

Description This enzyme, found in eukaryotic organisms, catalyses the introduction of a double bond between the C5

and C6 carbons of the B ring of $\Delta 7$ -sterols, to yield the corresponding $\Delta 5,7$ -sterols. The enzymes from yeast, plants and vertebrates act on avenasterol, episterol, and lathosterol, respectively. The enzyme is

located at the endoplasmic reticulum and is membrane bound.

Synonyms lathosterol oxidase; Δ7-sterol Δ5-dehydrogenase; Δ7-sterol 5-desaturase; Δ7-sterol-C5(6)-desaturase; 5-

DES; SC5DL (gene name); ERG3 (gene name)

Product Information

Form Liquid or lyophilized powder

EC Number EC 1.14.19.20

CAS No. 37255-37-1

Reaction a Δ 7-sterol + 2 ferrocytochrome b5 + O2 + 2 H+ = a Δ 5,7-sterol + 2 ferricytochrome b5 + 2 H2O

Notes This item requires custom production and lead time is between 5-9 weeks. We can custom produce

according to your specifications.

Storage and Shipping Information

Storage Store it at +4 °C for short term. For long term storage, store it at -20 °C \sim -80 °C.

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