

## mycocerosate synthase

Cat. No. EXWM-2050

Lot. No. (See product label)

## Introduction

**Description** This mycobacterial enzyme loads long-chain fatty acyl groups from their CoA esters and extends them by

incorporation of three or four methylmalonyl (but not malonyl) residues, to form tri- or tetramethylbranched fatty-acids, respectively, such as 2,4,6,8-tetramethyloctacosanoate (C32-mycocerosate). Since the enzyme lacks a thioesterase domain, the products remain bound to the enzyme and require additional enzyme(s) for removal. Even though the enzyme can accept C6 to C20 substrates in vitro, it prefers to act

on C14-C20 substrates in vivo.

**Synonyms** mas (gene name); mycocerosic acid synthase; acyl-CoA:methylmalonyl-CoA C-acyltransferase

(decarboxylating, oxoacyl- and enoyl-reducing)

## **Product Information**

**Form** Liquid or lyophilized powder

**EC Number** EC 2.3.1.111

*CAS No.* 95229-19-9

**Reaction** (1) a long-chain acyl-CoA + 3 methylmalonyl-CoA + 6 NADPH + 6 H+ + mycocerosate synthase = a

trimethylated-mycocerosoyl-[mycocerosate synthase] + 4 CoA + 3 CO2 + 6 NADP+ + 3 H2O; (2) a long-

chain acyl-CoA + 4 methylmalonyl-CoA + 8 NADPH + 8 H+ + mycocerosate synthase = a tetramethylated-mycocerosoyl-[mycocerosate synthase] + 5 CoA + 4 CO2 + 8 NADP + 4 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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