

## Native Escherichia coli Penicillin Amidase

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### Introduction

#### Description

The biosynthesis of Penicillin amidase in E. coli by hydrophobic protein chromatography is an inducible reaction which is regulated by metabolized carbon source (e.g. polyols, carboxylic acid etc.). It is also influenced by catabolite repression. It catalyzes the formation of amide bonds through an acyl-enzyme intermediate.

#### Applications

Penicillin amidase was used to study its effect in release of fatty acid and HSL (homoserine lactone) from AHLs (N-acylhomoserine lactones) in degradation of antibiotics. It was used as positive control for assaying penicillin G acylase activity in the study of functional analysis of bile salt hydrolase and penicillin acylase family members in Lactobacillus sp. Penicillin amidase may be used for synthesis of 6-aminopenicillanic acid from penicillin-G and for the industrial production of  $\beta$ -lactam antibiotics.

#### Synonyms

penicillin amidase; penicillin acylase; benzylpenicillin acylase; novozym 217; semacylase;  $\alpha$ -acylamino- $\beta$ -lactam acylhydrolase; ampicillin acylase; EC 3.5.1.11; 9014-06-6

### Product Information

#### Source

Escherichia coli

#### Form

Type II, ammonium sulfate suspension, Suspension in 0.1 M phosphate, pH 7.5 and 3 M ammonium sulfate.

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#### Molecular Weight

Mr ~70 kDa

#### Activity

Type I, 5-10 units/mg protein; Type II, > 10 units/mg protein (E1%/280).

#### Unit Definition

1 U corresponds to the amount of enzyme which hydrolyzes 1  $\mu$ mol benzylpenicillin per minute at pH 7.6 and 37°C

### Storage and Shipping Information

#### Storage

2-8°C