

## Superoxide Dismutase from Bovine, Recombinant

Cat. No. NATE-0681

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### Introduction

**Description** Superoxide dismutase (SOD) catalyzes the dismutation of superoxide radicals to hydrogen peroxide and molecular oxygen. SOD plays a critical role in the defense of cells against the toxic effects of oxygen radicals. SOD competes with nitric oxide (NO) for superoxide anion (which reacts with NO to form peroxynitrite), thereby SOD promotes the activity of NO. SOD has also been shown to suppress apoptosis in cultured rat ovarian follicles, neural cell lines, and transgenic mice by preventing the conversion of NO to peroxynitrate, an inducer of apoptosis.

**Applications** Superoxide dismutase has been used in a study to investigate where lipoproteins may affect the L-arginine-nitric oxide pathway. Superoxide dismutase has also been used in a study to investigate the mass spectral evidence for carbonate-anion-radical-induced posttranslational modification of tryptophan to kynurenine in human Cu, Zn superoxide dismutase. The product has been used to develop an SOD assay. This assay used dismutase-mediated inhibition of NADH-dependent nitroblue tetrazolium reduction.

**Synonyms** Superoxide dismutases; EC 1.15.1.1; superoxidase dismutase; copper-zinc superoxide dismutase; Cu-Zn superoxide dismutase; ferrisuperoxide dismutase; superoxide dismutase I; superoxide dismutase II; SOD; Cu,Zn-SOD; Mn-SOD; Fe-SOD; SODF; SODS; SOD-1; SOD-2; SOD-3; SOD-4; hemocuprein; erythrocuprein; cytocuprein; cuprein ; hepatocuprein; 9054-89-1

### Product Information

**Species** Bovine

**Source** E. coli

**Form** lyophilized powder

**EC Number** EC 1.15.1.1

**CAS No.** 9054-89-1

**Purity** > 90% (SDS-PAGE)

**Activity** > 2500 units/mg protein

**Isoelectric point** 4.95

**pH Stability** 7.6-10.5

**Optimum pH** 7.8 (25°C)

**Inhibitors** cyanide, OH-(competitive), hydrogen peroxide

**Buffer** Reconstitute in 10 mM KPO<sub>4</sub>, pH 7.4.

**Function** chaperone binding; copper ion binding; ubiquitin-protein transferase activity

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### ***Storage and Shipping Information***

**Storage**  $-20^{\circ}\text{C}$