

Superoxide Dismutase 2 from Human, Recombinant

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Introduction

Description

SOD2 is part of the iron/manganese superoxide dismutase family. It encodes a mitochondrial protein that forms a homotetramer and binds one manganese ion per subunit. SOD2 binds to the superoxide byproducts of oxidative phosphorylation and converts them to hydrogen peroxide and diatomic oxygen. Mutations in SOD2 gene have been associated with idiopathic cardiomyopathy (IDC), premature aging, sporadic motor neuron disease, and cancer. SOD2 destroys radicals which are usually produced within the cells and which are toxic to biological systems.

Synonyms

Superoxide dismutase [Mn]; mitochondrial; IPOB; MNSOD; MVCD6

Product Information

Species

Human

Source

E. coli

Form

Liquid

EC Number

EC 1.15.1.1

Molecular Weight

24.4 kDa (219 aa, 25-222 aa + His Tag)

Purity

> 95% by SDS-PAGE

Activity

> 1,200 units/mg

Unit Definition

One unit will inhibit the rate of reduction of cytochrome c by 50% in a coupled system, using xanthine and xanthine oxidase at pH 7.8 at 25°C in a 1.5 ml reaction volume.

Storage and Shipping Information

Storage

Can be stored at 4°C short term (1-2 weeks). For long term storage, aliquot and store at -20°C or -70°C. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing cycles.