

# O-Glycosidase & Neuraminidase Bundle



**E0540S**



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## O-Glycosidase

2,000,000 units  
40,000,000 U/ml

Lot: 0011206

## Neuraminidase

2,000 units  
50,000 U/ml

Lot: 0141206

**Description:** O-Glycosidase, also known as Endo- $\alpha$ -N-Acetylgalactosaminidase, catalyzes the removal of Core 1 and Core 3 O-linked disaccharides from glycoproteins.

Neuraminidase is the common name for Acetylneuraminyl hydrolase (Sialidase). This Neuraminidase catalyzes the hydrolysis of  $\alpha$ 2-3,  $\alpha$ 2-6, and  $\alpha$ 2-8 linked N-acetylneuraminic acid residues from glycoproteins and oligosaccharides.

### Specificity of O-Glycosidase:

A. Core 1



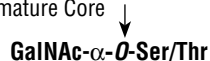
B. Core 3



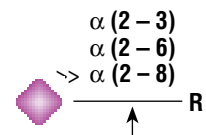
C. Core 7 (1)



D. Immature Core



### Specificity of Neuraminidase:



**Source:** O-Glycosidase is cloned from *Enterococcus faecalis* and expressed in *E. coli* (1).

Neuraminidase is cloned from *Clostridium perfringens* (1) and overexpressed in *E. coli* at NEB (2).

### Reagents Supplied with Enzymes:

10X Glycoprotein Denaturing Buffer, 10X G7 Reaction Buffer, 10% NP-40

### Reaction Conditions:

Typical reaction conditions are as follows:

- Combine 10–20  $\mu$ g of glycoprotein, 1  $\mu$ l of 10X Glycoprotein Denaturing Buffer and H<sub>2</sub>O (if necessary to make a 10  $\mu$ l total reaction volume).
- Denature glycoprotein by heating reaction at 100°C for 10 minutes.
- Make a total reaction volume of 20  $\mu$ l by adding 2  $\mu$ l 10X G7 Reaction Buffer, 2  $\mu$ l 10% NP40, 2  $\mu$ l Neuraminidase, H<sub>2</sub>O and 1–5  $\mu$ l O-Glycosidase.
- Incubate reaction at 37°C for 1–4 hours.

Optimal incubation times and enzyme concentrations must be determined empirically for a particular substrate.

**Unit Definition of O-Glycosidase:** One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to remove 0.68 nmol of O-linked disaccharide from 5 mg of Neuraminidase digested, non-denatured fetuin in 1 hour at 37°C in a total reaction volume of 100  $\mu$ l (1 unit of both O-Glycosidase and PNGase F will remove equivalent molar amounts of O-linked disaccharides and N-linked oligosaccharides, respectively).

**Non-denaturing Unit Definition Assay:** Two fold serial dilutions of O-Glycosidase are added to a reaction mixture of 5 mg of Neuraminidase digested fetuin with 1X G7 Reaction Buffer. The reaction is then incubated at 37°C for 1 hour. O-linked disaccharide carbohydrates are determined by Morgan and Elson Assay (4). Note: Under denaturing conditions the enzyme activity is increased two-fold. This observation is substrate dependent.

**Unit Definition of Neuraminidase:** One unit is defined as the amount of enzyme required to cleave > 95% of the terminal  $\alpha$ -Neu5Ac from 1 nmol Neu5Ac $\alpha$ 2-3Gal $\beta$ 1-3GlcNAc $\beta$ 1-3Gal $\beta$ 1-4Glc-7-amino-4-methyl-coumarin (AMC), in 5 minutes at 37°C in a total reaction volume of 10  $\mu$ l.

**Specific Activity of O-Glycosidase:** ~50,000,000 units/mg.

**Molecular Weight of O-Glycosidase:** 147,000 daltons.

**Specific Activity of Neuraminidase:** ~225,000 units/mg.

**Molecular Weight of Neuraminidase:** 43,000 daltons.

**Quality Assurance:** No contaminating exoglycosidase or proteolytic activity could be detected.

### Quality Controls

**Glycosidase Assays:** 200,000 units of O-Glycosidase and 500 units of Neuraminidase were incubated with 0.1 mM of fluorescently-labeled oligosaccharides and glycopeptides, in a 10  $\mu$ l reaction for 20 hours at 37°C. The reaction products were analyzed by TLC for digestion of substrate.

**Physical Purity:** Purified to > 95% homogeneity as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis using Coomassie Blue detection.

No other glycosidase activities were detected (ND) with the following substrates:

**$\beta$ -N-Acetylgalactosaminidase:**  
GalNAc $\beta$ 1-4Gal $\beta$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND

**$\alpha$ -N-Acetylgalactosaminidase:**  
GalNAc $\alpha$ 1-3(Fuc $\alpha$ 1-2)Gal $\beta$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND

**$\alpha$ -Fucosidase:**  
Gal $\beta$ 1-4(Fuc $\alpha$ 1-3)GlcNAc $\beta$ 1-3Gal $\beta$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND  
Fuc $\alpha$ 1-2Gal $\beta$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND

**$\beta$ -Galactosidase:**  
Gal $\beta$ 1-3GlcNAc $\beta$ 1-4Gal $\beta$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND  
Gal $\beta$ 1-4GlcNAc $\beta$ 1-3Gal $\beta$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND

**$\alpha$ -Galactosidase:**  
Gal $\alpha$ 1-3Gal $\beta$ 1-4Gal-AMC ND  
Gal $\alpha$ 1-6Gal $\alpha$ 1-6Glc $\alpha$ 1-2Fru-AMC ND

**$\alpha$ -Mannosidase:**  
Man $\alpha$ 1-3Man $\beta$ 1-4GlcNAc-AMC ND  
Man $\alpha$ 1-6Man $\alpha$ 1-6(Man $\alpha$ 1-3)Man-AMC ND

**$\beta$ -Glucosidase:**  
Glc $\beta$ 1-4Glc $\beta$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND

**$\alpha$ -Glucosidase:**  
Glc $\alpha$ 1-6Glc $\alpha$ 1-4Glc-AMC ND

**$\beta$ -Xylosidase:**  
Xyl $\beta$ 1-4Xyl $\beta$ 1-4Xyl $\beta$ 1-4Xyl-AMC ND

**$\beta$ -Mannosidase:**  
Man $\beta$ 1-4Man $\beta$ 1-4Man-AMC ND

**Endo F<sub>1</sub>, F<sub>2</sub>, H:**  
Dansylated invertase high mannose. ND

**Endo F<sub>2</sub>, F<sub>3</sub>:**  
Dansylated fibrinogen biantennary. ND

**PNGase F:**  
Fluoresceinated fetuin triantennary. ND

**Protease Assay:** After incubation of 1,400,000 units of O-Glycosidase and 500 units of Neuraminidase with 0.2 nmol of a standard mixture of proteins in a 20  $\mu$ l reaction, for 20 hours at 37°C, no proteolytic activity could be detected by SDS-PAGE.

**Note:** Since O-Glycosidase is inhibited by SDS, it is essential to have NP-40 in the reaction mixture. It is not known why this non-ionic detergent counteracts the SDS inhibition at the present time. Double digest with Endo H must have NP-40 present (NP-40 does not inhibit Endo H).

To deglycosylate a native glycoprotein, longer incubation time as well as more enzyme may be required.

Recommended storage temperature is -20°C.

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