

FERULOYL ESTERASE from Clostridium thermocellum (Lot 100801d)

Recombinant

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Feruloyl esterase domain of XynZ (Xyn10A) from *Clostridium thermocellum* (EC 3.1.1.73) 4-hydroxy-3-methoxycinnamoyl-sugar hydrolase CAZy: CE Family I

PROPERTIES

I. ELECTROPHORETIC PURITY:

- Single band on SDS-gel electrophoresis (MW ~ 29,000)
- Single major band on isoelectric focusing (pl ~ 6.8)

2. SPECIFIC ACTIVITY:

0.5 U/mg protein (on ethyl-ferulate) at pH 6.0 and 50°C.

~ 28 U/mg protein (on FAXX) at pH 6.0 and 60°C.*

One Unit of feruloyl esterase activity is defined as the amount of enzyme required to release one μ mole of ferulic acid from ethyl-ferulate per minute at pH 6.0 and 50°C under the following conditions:

MOPS buffer, pH 6.0 100 mM Ethyl-ferulate 0.39 mM

3. PHYSICOCHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

pH Optima: 4.0 - 7.0*Temperature Optima: $50 - 60^{\circ}$ C* Temperature Stability: up to 70° C*

4. STORAGE CONDITIONS:

The enzyme is supplied as an ammonium sulphate suspension in 0.02% (w/v) sodium azide and should be stored at 4°C. For assay, this enzyme should be diluted in sodium phosphate buffer (100 mM), pH 6.0 containing 1.0 mg/mL BSA. Swirl to mix the enzyme immediately prior to use.

5. REFERENCES:

Blum, D.L., Kateava, I.A., Li, X.L, Chen, H. & Ljungdahl, L.G. (2000) Feruloyl Esterase Activity of the *Clostridium thermocellum* Cellulosome Can Be Attributed to Previously Unknown Domains of XynY and XynZ. *Journal of Bacteriology* **182(5)**:1346-1351

^{*} Literature values