Certificate of Analysis Heparinase I



Batch number 13

Date of manufacture November 2009

Stability Heparinase I stable for up to 24 months from the

date of delivery when stored at -20°C to -80 °C in a solution of 0.1M Sodium Acetate pH 7.0 containing 1mM Calcium Acetate and 0.1% BSA.

Storage and retest information Store at -20°c to -80°c and check activity after 24

months.

Nature and origin of starting material Flavobacterium heparinum ATCC 13125

Manufacturing process and references Growth of bacterium: McLean, M.W. et al. (1984)

Eur. J. Biochem. 145, 607-615. Purification by further chromatography. Final product 0.22-um

sterile filtered and stored at -60 deg.C.

Impurities Other enzymes nominally 0.3% max, other

enzymes nominally 0.1% max. Base line resolution from the other two heparinases.

CAS number 9025-39-2

Appearance/form Supplied as frozen solution containing 0.2% BSA,

0.22um sterile filtered

Specificity Depolymerises heparin by elimination at the

uronic acid. Specific for 2-0-/2-N- sites.

Unit of activity International units (IU). One international unit is

defined as the amount of enzyme that will liberate 1.0 µmole of product per minute from a heparin substrate at 30°C" (Product is unsaturated saccharides). Enzyme activity determined using

assay below.

Assay Against commercial porcine heparin in the

presence of calcium. Activity determined by

absorbance at 232nm.

The unit definition heparinase I is the activity that releases 1 micromole of delta (4, 5) hexuronate per minute at 30°C using an extinction coefficient

of 5400 per cm per M at 232nm for the unsaturated (4, 5) hexuronate product.

Assay Conditions:

Enzyme buffer: 50mM sodium acetate pH 7.0

with 1mM calcium acetate

Substrate: 600ug/ml of heparin equivalent to

1umole of disaccharide

Enzyme concentration: 10milliunits/ml

Temperature 30C

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