

Data sheet

75/50 A⁺ -Porcine Submaxillary Mucin (PSM⁺)

75/51 A⁻ -Porcine Submaxillary Mucin (PSM⁻)

Source: Porcine submaxillary glands

Isolation: Isolated from glands that are typed for their blood group A⁺ or A⁻ phenotype by standard serological methods. The mucins are prepared as described in ref 1. The mucins have been treated with 0.1 M trifluoroacetic acid at 100 °C for 1h, which removes all sialic acid and most of the fucose.

Composition: Information on the structures of the carbohydrate chains on A⁺ and A⁻ mucins are given in ref 2.

Use: Use the mucins as acceptors for the following glycosyltransferases:
CMP-Neu5Ac:Galβ1-3GalNAcα-R/α(2-3)-sialyltransferase (EC 2.4.99.4)
UDP-GlcNAc:Galβ1-3GalNAcα-R/β(1-6)-N-acetylglucosaminyltransferase (EC 2.4.1.102)
GDP-Fuc:Galβ1-3GalNAcα-R/α(1-2)-fucosyltransferase (EC 2.4.1.69)

Add water or buffer and allow to dissolve over night.

Storage: 0-5 °C

References

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