

# PROTEASE (Subtilisin A) from Bacillus licheniformis (Lot 190501a)

E-BSPRT-A-100ML 06/19

(EC 3.4.21.14)

## **PROPERTIES**

### I. PURITY:

- Single major band on SDS-PAGE (MW = 30,250); minor bands at MW < 30,000
- Single major band on isoelectric focusing (pl 8.8); minor band at pl 9.3

### 2. SPECIFIC ACTIVITY AND LEVEL OF OTHER ACTIVITIES:

- Specific activity > 8 tyrosine-equivalent Units/mg
- Essentially devoid of  $\beta$ -glucanase

One Unit will hydrolyse casein to produce colour equivalent to 1.0  $\mu$ mole (181  $\mu$ g) of tyrosine per minute at pH 7.0 at 40°C (colour by Folin-Ciocalteu reagent).

### 3. PHYSICOCHEMICAL PROPERTIES:

pH Optima: 7.0-7.5

(60% of maximal activity at pH 6.0)

pH Stability: 5.5-10.0 Temperature Optima: 60°C Temperature Stability: < 60°C

### 4. STORAGE CONDITIONS:

The enzyme is supplied as a solution in 50% glycerol, 10% KCl and 0.09% (w/v) sodium azide and should be stored at  $4^{\circ}$ C (or below  $-10^{\circ}$ C for long-term storage i.e 2-5 years).

The concentration of enzyme as supplied is 25 mg/mL (i.e. 175 U/mL) at 40°C.

This enzyme is recommended for use with the ANKOM<sup>TDF</sup> Dietary Fiber Analyzer.