

## indoleamine 2,3-dioxygenase

Cat. No. EXWM-0571

Lot. No. (See product label)

## Introduction

**Description** A protohemoprotein. Requires ascorbic acid and methylene blue for activity. This enzyme has broader

substrate specificity than EC 1.13.11.11, tryptophan 2,3-dioxygenase. It is induced in response to pathological conditions and host-defense mechanisms and its distribution in mammals is not confined to the liver. While the enzyme is more active with D-tryptophan than L-tryptophan, its only known function to

date is in the metabolism of L-tryptophan. Superoxide radicals can replace O2 as oxygen donor.

**Synonyms** IDO (ambiguous); tryptophan pyrrolase (ambiguous); D-tryptophan:oxygen 2,3-oxidoreductase

(decyclizing)

## **Product Information**

**Form** Liquid or lyophilized powder

**EC Number** EC 1.13.11.52

**CAS No.** 9014-51-1

**Reaction** (1) D-tryptophan + O2 = N-formyl-D-kynurenine; (2) L-tryptophan + O2 = N-formyl-L-kynurenine

**Notes** This item requires custom production and lead time is between 5-9 weeks. We can custom produce

according to your specifications.

## Storage and Shipping Information

Store it at +4 °C for short term. For long term storage, store it at -20 °C~-80 °C.

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