

Fructosyl-peptide oxidase (FPOX)

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Preparation and specification

Appearance	Yellow amorphous powder, lyophilized
Protein purity	≥90% (from SDS-PAGE)
Activity	≥4 U/mg solid
Catalase	≤0.01%
ATPase	≤0.005%
Glucose oxidase	≤0.03%
Cholesterol oxidase	≤0.003%

Properties

EC number	1.5.3 (Recombinant from microorganism)	
Molecular weight	60 kDa (SDS-PAGE)	
Isoelectric point	6.4	
Michaelis constants	4.0×10^{-3} M (fructosyl-Val-His)	
Inhibitors	Hg ²⁺ , Pb ²⁺	
Optimum pH	pH 6.5-7.5	Fig. 1
Optimum temperature	37°C	Fig. 2
pH stability	pH 6.5 - 9.5 (25 °C, 16 h)	Fig. 3
Thermal stability	Below 40 °C (pH 8.0, 30 min)	Fig. 4
Storage stability	At least one year at -25 ~ -15 °C	Fig. 5
Stabilizers	Glycerol, trehalose	

Stability and Storage

Store at -20°C long term (12 months). Upon delivery aliquot. Avoid freeze/thaw cycle.

Applications

The enzyme is useful for the determination of fructosyl-peptide and fructosyl-L-amino acid.

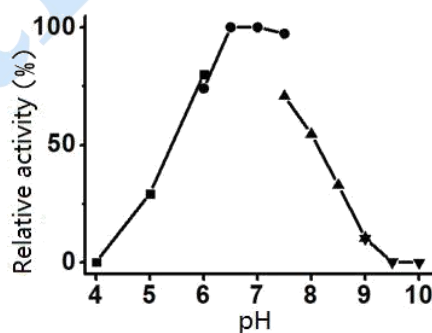


Fig. 1 Optimum pH

Buffer solution: pH 4.5-6.0, Acetate; pH 6.0-7.5, Na-phosphate; pH 7.5-9.0 Tris-HCl; pH 9.0-10, Glycine-NaOH Enzyme concentration: 1 mg/ml.

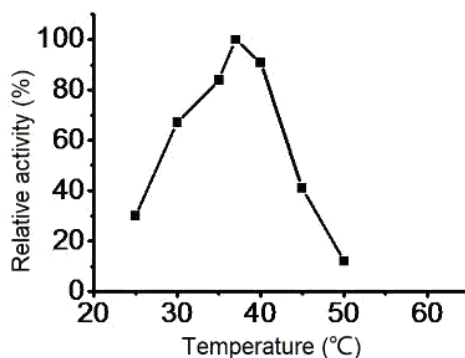


Fig. 2 Optimum temperature

20 mM Tris-HCl buffer, pH 8.0. Enzyme concentration: 1 mg/ml

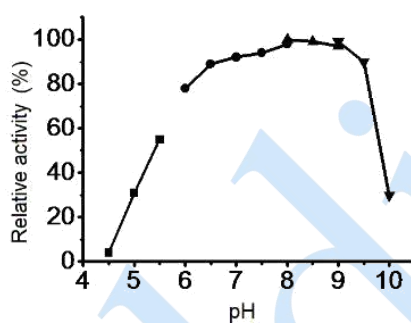


Fig. 3 pH Stability

25 °C , 16 h-treatment with 50 mM buffer solution: pH 4.5-5.5, Acetate; pH 6.0-8.0, Na-phosphate; pH 8.0-9.0, Tris-HCl; pH 9.0-10.0, Glycine-NaOH Enzyme concentration: 1mg/ml

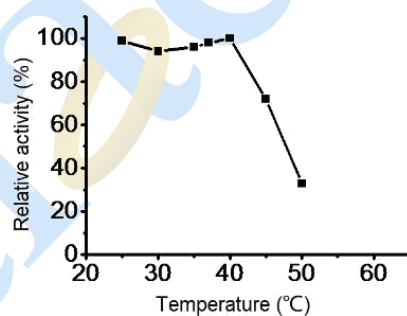


Fig. 4 Thermal stability

60 min-treatment with 20 mM Tris-HCl buffer, pH 8.0. Enzyme concentration: 1 mg/ml

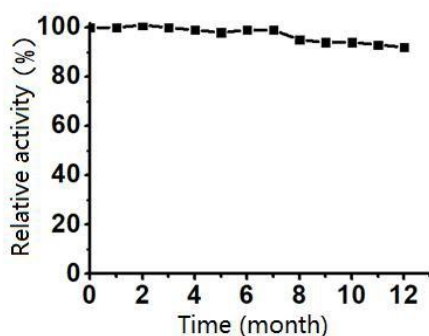
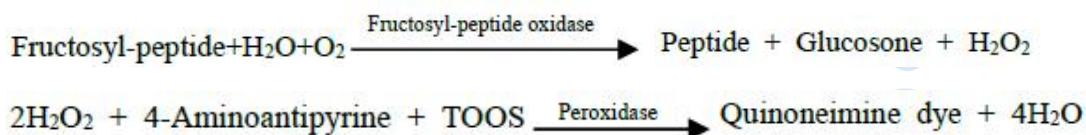


Fig.5 Storage stability (-25 ~ -15 °C)

Assay principle



The assay is based on the increase in absorbance at 555 nm as the formation of quinoneimine dye proceeds in the forward reactions.

One unit (U) is defined as the amount of enzyme which produces 1 μmol of H_2O_2 per min under the conditions described below.

Reagents preparation

Reagent I: 0.1 M potassium phosphate, pH 8.0.

Reagent II: 1 kU/mL POD.

Reagent III: 50 mM TOOS solution.

Reagent IV: 50 mM 4-AA solution.

Reagent V: 200 mM fructosyl-valine solution.

Enzyme diluent: 20 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0.

Sample: Dilute the sample to 0.2-0.5 U/mL by Enzyme diluent.

Reaction mixture:

Reagent I	10 mL
Reagent II	0.1 mL
Reagent III	1 mL
Reagent IV	1 mL
Reagent V	10 mL
Pure water	Set to 100mL

Procedure

1. Add 0.98 mL reaction mixture to the cuvette.
2. Preincubate the reaction mixture at 37°C for 5 min.
3. Add 0.02 mL the enzyme solution in the reaction mixture.

4. Record the ΔA_s at 555 nm in 1 minute in a spectrophotometer thermostated at 37 °C.
At the same time, measure the blank rate ΔA_b by using the same method as the test except that the enzyme diluent is added instead of the enzyme solution. $\Delta A = \Delta A_s - \Delta A_b$

Calculation

$$\text{Volume activity (U/mL)} = \frac{\Delta A \times Vt \times df}{39.2 \times 1/2 \times t \times Vs \times 1.0} = \Delta A \times 2.551 \times df$$

$$\text{Weight activity (U/mg)} = (\text{U/mL}) \times 1/C$$

Vt: Total volume (1.0 mL)

Vs: Enzyme volume (0.02 mL)

t: reaction time (1 min)

df: dilution factor

C: Enzyme concentration (mg/mL)

1.0: Light path length (cm)

1/2: 1mol H₂O₂ will react to 1/2 mol

Quinoneimine dye

39.2: Millimolar extinction coefficient of quinoneimine dye under 555nm (cm²/μmol)

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