

## Acetyl xylan esterase 4A, *Clostridium thermocellum*

### CtAxe4A (CBM6-CE4)

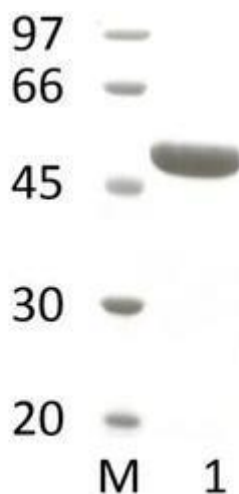
Catalogue number	Presentation
CZ00521	1.5 mg
CZ00522	3 x 1.5 mg

#### Description

Acetyl xylan esterase 4A (CtAxe4A), assigned the E.C. number 3.1.1.72, is a derivative of *Clostridium thermocellum*. It is an enzyme that participates in the deacetylation of xylans and xylo-oligosaccharides. The recombinant CtAxe4A, purified from *Escherichia coli*, is a modular Carbohydrate Esterase family 4 (CBM6-CE4) enzyme (see more details at [www.cazy.org](http://www.cazy.org)). The protein is supplied in a solution containing 35 mM NaHepes buffer (pH 7.5), 750 mM NaCl, 200 mM Imidazole, 3.5 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, and 25% (v/v) glycerol, at a concentration of 1.5 mg/mL. Bulk quantities of this product can be made available upon request. To place an order, simply visit our website. We offer fast and secure shipping worldwide.

#### Electrophoretic Purity

The molecular integrity and purity of CtAxe4A (CBM6-CE4) were evaluated using sodium dodecyl sulfate-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis (SDS-PAGE), followed by BlueSafe staining (MB15201) (Figure 1).



**Figure 1.** SDS-PAGE analysis of CtAxe4A (CBM6-CE4) was conducted in (Lane 1), employing a 14% polyacrylamide gel. The enzyme exhibits a band corresponding to a molecular weight of approximately 47,72 kDa. Lane M contains a Protein Marker for reference.

#### Storage temperature

The protein should be stored at -30°C to -15°C in a constant temperature freezer. The protein will remain stable till the expiry date if stored as specified.

#### Substrate specificity

CtAxe4A (CBM6-CE4) participates in the de-esterification of acetate from acetylated xylan.

#### Temperature and pH optima

The enzyme exhibits optimal activity within a pH range of 4.5-8.0 and at a temperature of 75°C. Maximal enzymatic activity is achieved at pH 6.5 and a consistent temperature of 75°C.

### Specific activity

*CtAxe4A* (CBM6-CE4) specific activity is 7 U/mg, using birchwood xylan as substrate.

### Enzyme activity

Substrate specificity and kinetic properties of *CtAxe4A* (CBM6-CE4) are detailed in the referenced publication provided below. To perform enzyme assays and determine specific activity values, adhere to the methodology outlined in the cited paper(s).

### Reference

Fernandes *et al.* (1999) *Biochem. J.* 342, 105-111.

Taylor *et al.* (2006) 281, 10968-10975.

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### Quality control assay

Protein purity is determined to be  $\geq 90\%$ , as assessed by SDS-PAGE and subsequent BlueSafe staining (MB15201).

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