

# R-Zymolyase™

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## Product Information

### Concentration:

- 5 units/ $\mu$ l Zymolyase
- 0.5 units/ $\mu$ l RNase A

### Description:

R-Zymolyase is a mixture of Zymolyase and RNase A. This special formula of enzymes is specially manufactured for yeast genomic DNA preparations. Our liquid Zymolyase is prepared from *Arthrobacter luteus*. The primary yeast lytic activity is  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan laminaripentaohydrolase. It hydrolyzes glucose polymers at the  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan linkages releasing laminaripentaose as the principal product. This formula may be used as Zymolyase as it is, but be cautious that it contains RNase A.

**Note:** The following specifications of this data sheet is based on Zymolyase only. No RNase A data is provided.

### Unit Definition:

One lytic unit is defined as a 10% decrease in absorbance at  $A_{800}$  in 30 minutes. Assay condition: 50 mM potassium phosphate, pH 7.5, 10 mM 2-mercaptoethanol in 1 ml yeast cell suspension of  $A_{800}$  0.8 to 1.0.

### Storage:

Store at -20°C for frequent usage. Store below -70°C for infrequent usage (less than one time each month). R-Zymolyase is stable for 1 year at -20°C and for many years below -70°C.

### Specifications:

The essential enzyme activities are  $\beta$ -1,3-glucan laminaripentaohydrolase and  $\beta$ -1,3-glucanase. Protein contents: approximately 10-15 mg/ml. Other contaminants: protease, ca. 1.5 units per 10  $\mu$ l; DNase, none detectable. The enzyme lytic activity is lost in 5 minutes at 60°C.

### Preparation of Lyophilized R-Zymolyase:

Resuspend lyophilized R-Zymolyase (E1006) with 200  $\mu$ l Zymolyase Storage Buffer.

### Caution:

This reagent contains the toxic chemical beta-mercaptoethanol. Use in a chemical fume hood. Further precautions should be taken according to your own company's regulations. For research uses only.

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