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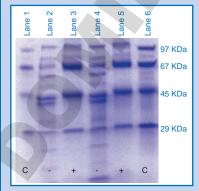
The degradation of proteins is a common problem frequently associated with extraction processes. Often, the use of single protease inhibitors like AEBSF-HCI, aprotinin, phenylmethylsulfonylfluoride (PMSF) or PEFABLOC[™] SC is not sufficient to simultaneously protect the proteins against different types of proteases in one reaction.

To overcome this obstacle SERVA offers a range of protease inhibitor mixes. The protease inhibitor mix components are effective against the most common proteases like:

- asparate proteases
- metallo proteases
- cysteine proteases
- serine proteases

The mixes contain different protease inhibitors (for detailed information please refer to reverse side) at concentrations suited to protect proteins during isolation processes from bacteria, fungi, yeast, plant and mammalian cells. For general applications Mix G is best used. When using the His-tag technology, Mix HP is recommended to protect your recombinant protein against proteolytic degradation.

Efficient protection of marker proteins against proteolytic degradation by Neutral Protease!



To demonstrate the efficiency of the SERVA Protease Inhibitor Mixes marker proteins have been incubated in the presence of Neutral Protease (Cat. No. 30301) and in the presence of Neutral Protease plus Protease Inhibitor Mix G. Samples in lane 2-5 have been incubated at room tem-

perature for approx. 60 hrs. After SDS PAGE the protein gel has been stained using the SERVA Blue R Tablet Staining Kit (Cat. No. 35079).

Protease Inhibitor Mixes For Protein Research

Protease Inhibitor Mix G

Protease Inhibitor Mix G is a mixture of 5 different, water soluble protease inhibitors. It has been developed for general applications like protection of protein crude extracts (Cat. No. 39101).

Protease Inhibitor Mix M

Proteins in cell extracts from mammalian cells are protected efficiently when using Protease Inhibitor Mix M. Six different protease inhibitors are working together to prevent proteases from degrading mamalian proteins (Cat. No. 39102).

Protease Inhibitor Mix P

Your are working with plant material? Proteins isolated from plants keep intact as long as you use Protease Inhibitor Mix P during your protein isolation procedure. This mix contains 6 different protease inhibitors and can be dissolved in DMSO (Cat. No. 39103).

Protease Inhibitor Mix FY

For fungi and yeast extracts the Protease Inhibitor Mix FY is the right choice to protect the proteins against proteolytic degradation. The lyophilized mix is made of four different protease inhibitors (Cat. No. 39104).

Protease Inhibitor Mix B

To stabilize released proteins from procaryotic cell extracts choose Protease Inhibitor Mix B. This protease inhibitor mixture is composed of 5 different protease inhibitors of bacterial proteases (Cat. No. 39105).

Protease Inhibitor Mix HP & HP PLUS

Do you express your recombinant protein in *E. coli* including subsequent purification using His-tags? The Protease Inhibitor Mix HP and HP PLUS will protect your valuable protein against degradation (Cat. No. 39106, Cat. No. 39107).

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All protease inhibitor mixes are lyophilized for improved stability and ease of handling, the powder form ensures complete solution. A 100-fold concentrate is achieved after reconstituting in 1 ml water or 1 ml 90% DMSO, sufficient to protect 100 ml of your cell lysate or protein solution. The dissolved protease inhibitor mixes can be aliquoted and stored at -20 °C for at least 4 weeks.

Protease Inhibitor Mixes For Protein Research

The table below displays all six different protease inhibitor mixes available from SERVA Electrophoresis GmbH. The composition of inhibitors provided in each mixture is optimized for the given applications and, therefore, may vary from mix to mix. If you need any further information please do not hesitate to contact our Technical Services at tech.service@serva.de.

Ordering Information

Product	Protease Inhibitors	Acting against	Quantity	Cat. No.
Protease Inhibitor Mix G (General applications; soluble in water)	AEBSF-HCI	Serine Proteases	1 x 1 vial	
	Aprotinin from bovine lung	Serine Proteases		39101.02
	E-64	Cysteine Proteases	10 x 1 vial	39101.03
	EDTA-Disodium	Metallo Proteases		
	Leupeptin	Cystein Proteases & Trypsin-like Serine Proteases		
Protease Inhibitor Mix M (Mammalian cells; soluble in 90% DMSO, 1 ml 90% DMSO per vial is included)	AEBSF-HCI	Serine Proteases	1 x 1 vial	39102.01
	Aprotinin from bovine lung	Serine Proteases	5 x 1 vial	
	Bestatin	Aminopeptidase B & Leucine Aminopeptidase	10 x 1 vial	39102.03
	E-64	Cysteine Proteases		
	Leupeptin	Cystein Proteases & Trypsin-like Serine Proteases		
	Pepstatin A	Aspartic Protease		
Protease Inhibitor Mix P (Plant cells; soluble in 90% DMSO, 1 ml 90% DMSO per vial is included)	AEBSF-HCI	Serine Proteases	1 x 1 vial	39103.01
	E-64	Cysteine Proteases	5 x 1 vial	39103.02
	Bestatin	Aminopeptidase B & Leucine Aminopeptidase	10 x 1 vial	39103.03
	1,10-Phenanthroline	Metallo Proteases		
	Pepstatin A	Aspartic Proteases		
	Leupeptin	Cystein Proteases & Trypsin-like Serine Proteases		
Protease Inhibitor Mix FY (Fungi and yeast cells; soluble in 90% DMSO, 1 ml 90% DMSO per vial is included)	AEBSF-HCI	Serine Proteases		39104.01
	E-64	Cysteine Proteases		39104.02
	Pepstatin A	Aspartic Protease	10 x 1 vial	39104.03
	1,10-Phenanthroline	Metallo Proteases		
Protease Inhibitor Mix B (Bacterial cells; soluble in 90% DMSO, 1 ml 90% DMSO per vial is included)	AEBSF-HCI	Serine Proteases		39105.01
	E-64	Cysteine Proteases		39105.02
	Pepstatin A	Aspartic Protease	10 x 1 vial	39105.03
	EDTA-disodium	Metallo Proteases		
	Bestatin	Aminopeptidase B & Leucine Aminopeptidase		
Protease Inhibitor Mix HP (Recombinant proteins; soluble in water)	AEBSF-HCI	Serine Proteases		39106.01
	Aprotinin from bovine lung			39106.02
	E-64	Cysteine Proteases	10 x 1 vial	39106.03
	Leupeptin	Cystein Proteases & Trypsin-like Serine Proteases		
Protease Inhibitor Mix HP PLUS	AEBSF-HCI	Serine Proteases	1 x 1 vial	39107.01
(Recombinant proteins; soluble in 90% DMSO,	Bestatin	Aminopeptidase B & Leucine Aminopeptidase	5 x 1 vial	39107.02
1 ml 90% DMSO per vial is included)	E-64	Cystein Proteases	10 x 1 vial	39107.03
	Leupeptin	Cystein Proteases & Trypsin-like Serine Proteases		
	Pepstatin A	Aspartic Proteases		
	Phosphoramidon	Metallo Proteases		

SERVA Protease Inhibitors

SERVA offers not only protease inhibitor mixes but also a **broad range of single protease inhibitors**. If you are interested in these inhibitors please contact SERVA at info@serva.de and ask for our recent protease inhibitor brochure. The brochure contains all relevant information regarding the application of frequently used protease inhibitors in biochemistry and cell biology. It summarizes information on the target protease and the mechanisms of action. This brochure displays all 45 individual inhibitors available from SERVA including features like molecular weight, description and specificity, solubility and stability as well as recommended concentration ranges for each inhibitor. A list of more than 100 literature references completes the brochure.





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