

# **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

**Biotin HRP Conjugate – 1.0 mg** PRODUCT CODE: X-CON-0005-1MG STORAGE: 2 - 8 °C, protected from sun light.

# **PRODUKT DESCRIPTION**

Biotin binds to streptavidin and avidin with high affinity. The streptavidin-biotin bond is one of the strongest non-covalent interaction in nature, making it extraordinarily robust. Horseradish peroxidase (HRP) oxidizes corresponding substrates with high efficiency, generating colorimetric or chemiluminescent reactions and is frequently used as a reporter enzyme for sensitive assays like ELISA, immunohistochemistry, western blot, southern blot or in situ hybridization. HRP is conjugated with biotin under optimal conditions. Biotin HRP Conjugate is useful as a secondary reagent for detecting biotin binding molecules in ELISA, immuno-blotting and immunohistochemistry procedures.

### PRECAUTIONS AND DISCLAIMER

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

### FORMULATION

For shipping at ambient temperature Streptavidin HRP Conjugate is dried with a HEPES, NaCl, sucrose buffer base.

### PREPARTION AND HANDLING

The product should be reconstituted with 100  $\mu$ l water yielding a concentration of 1 mg/ml. The reconstituted stock solution can be frozen in aliquots for later usage. Stock solutions can be diluted in buffers containing > 0.1 % BSA as needed. Avoid exposure to sodium acid.

# **STORAGE / STABILITY**

For long term storage the dry-stabilized Streptavidin HRP Conjugate should be stored between 2 °C and 8 °C. Reconstituted stock solutions can be stored at 2 - 8 °C for up to 2 weeks. For long term storage, stock solutions can be frozen in working aliquots. Repeated freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

# **RECONSTITUTION AND CONCENTRATION**

1.0 mg/ml after reconstitution with 100  $\mu l$  H\_2O

# **RECOMMENDED ELISA DILUTION**

1:1000 – 1: 5000 in secondary ELISA detection. For optimal performance the reagent should be titrated for each application.

# **RECOMMENDED RETEST DATE**

09/2022

### **BACKGROUND REFERENCES**

1. Wong, J., et al., Direct force measurements of the streptavidin –biotin interaction, Biomolecular Engineering, 16, 45-55 (1999).



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