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## **BCHE**

## **Native Horse Butyrylcholinesterase**

Catalog No. CSI10407 Quantity: 5 KU

CSI10408 15 KU

Alternate Names: Carboxylic ester hydrolase, butyrylcholinesterase, BCHE

**Description:** Butyrylcholinesterase (BCHE, or BuChE), is a non-specific cholinesterase enzyme that

hydrolyses many different choline esters. In humans, it is found primarily in the liver and is encoded by the BCHE gene. It is very similar to the neuronal acetylcholinesterase,

which is also known as RBC or erythrocyte cholinesterase. The term "serum

cholinesterase" is generally used in reference to a clinical test that reflects levels of both of these enzymes in the blood. Assay of butyrylcholinesterase activity in plasma can be used as a liver function test as both hypercholinesterasemia and hypocholinesterasemia

indicate pathological processes.

UniProt ID: Q9N1N9

**Source:** Horse serum

Formulation: Lyophilized, salt free powder

**Protein Content:** 0.20 mg protein/mg solid ( $E^{0.1\%}_{280nm}$  = 1.36) lot specific

Biological Activity: 100 Units/mg solid using Siemens Clinical Chemistry System

One unit/ml pseudocholinesterase activity corresponds to a change of 0.2 milliabsorbance units (mA) per minute at 37°C. (Acylcholine + H2O = choline +

carboxylic acid)

**Specific Activity:** 480 Units/mg protein, lot specific

**Reconstitution:** Reconstitute to 5 mg/ml with 0.05M Tris-HCl, pH 7.3-7.5

Protein should be kept within the concentration range of 4-5 mg/ml.

**Storage & Stability:** Store unopened lyophilized protein at -20°C to -80°C for at least 1 year.

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