

## MMP 3 Human, GST

**Description:** MMP-3 Human Recombinant produced in E.Coli is a single, non-glycosylated, Polypeptide chain fused to a GST tag containing 228 amino acids (251-478) and having a total molecular mass of 51kDa. MMP-3 is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

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**Synonyms:** Stromelysin-1, EC 3.4.24.17, Matrix metalloproteinase-3, MMP-3, Transin-1, SL-1, STMY, STR1, STMY1, MGC126102, MGC126103, MGC126104.

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**Source:** Escherichia Coli.

**Physical Appearance:** Sterile Filtered clear solution.

**Formulation:**

MMP-3 is supplied in 50mM Tris-Acetate, pH-7.5, 1mM EDTA and 20% Glycerol.

**Stability:**

Store at 4°C if entire vial will be used within 2-4 weeks. Store, frozen at -20°C for longer periods of time. Please avoid freeze thaw cycles.

**Usage:**

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**Introduction:**

MMP-3 enzyme is also known as Stromelysin-1 or as Transin-1 which hydrolyzes natural collagen at physiological pH and temperature. It dissolves the intervertebral nucleus pulposus and annulus fibrosus of Herniated Lumbar Intervertebral Disk . MMP-3 hydrolyzes components of the extracellular matrix like proteoglycan, laminin, fibronectin, gelatin and collagen types III, IV and IX. It also activates pro-MMP-9 and pro-MMP-8 and superactivates plasmin activated MMP-1. MMP-3 is secreted as a latent proenzyme and is activated by a variety of proteinases, e.g. plasmin, trypsin, chymotrypsin, cathepsin G or human neutrophil elastase. MMP-3 was found to be capable of activating the precursor of IL1-beta.

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