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# **PRODUCT INFORMATION**



## Carbamylated Alpha-1 Antitrypsin

Item No. 21798

### **Overview and Properties**

Carbamylated A1A, Carbamylated A1AT, Carbamylated AAT, Synonyms:

Carbamylated α₁-Antitrypsin

Source: Human **Uniprot No.:** P01009 Molecular Weight: 44.325 kDa -80°C (as supplied) Storage:

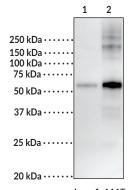
Stability:

batch specific (≥90% estimated by SDS-PAGE) **Purity:** 

Supplied in: batch specific

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

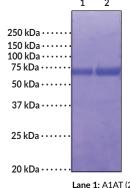
#### **Images**



Lane 1: A1AT Lane 2: Carbamylated A1AT

A1AT (Lane 1) and Carbamylated A1AT (Lane 2) were reacted with a biotin labeled probe reactive towards

carbamylated lysines. After separation by SDS-PAGE, the proteins were blotted to nitrocellulose and detected using strepatavidin-HRP.



Lane 1: A1AT (2 μg) Lane 2: A1AT (4 µg)

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### Description

Alpha-1 antitrypsin is a serine protease inhibitor and member of the serpin superfamily.<sup>1</sup> It has a five-stranded A β-sheet and a mobile reactive center loop that acts as a pseudosubstrate for various proteases. Alpha-1 antitrypsin binds to a protease, undergoes proteolytic cleavage, and forms a covalent linkage between a carboxyl group in the reactive loop and the serine hydroxyl of the protease active site, effectively inactivating the enzyme which is then cleared from circulation. The primary targets of alpha-1 antitrypsin are neutrophil elastase and proteinase 3, however, it also inhibits trypsin, kallikreins 7 and 14, and matriptase.<sup>2</sup> Alpha-1 antitrypsin protects the lower respiratory tract from proteolytic destruction *via* inhibition of neutrophil elastase and reduced serum levels of alpha-1 antitrypsin have been linked to early-onset liver disease and emphysema.<sup>3</sup> Alpha-1 antitrypsin is an acute-phase protein that reduces production of inflammatory cytokines, inhibits apoptosis, blocks leukocyte degranulation and migration, as well as suppresses NF-κB nuclear translocation in monocytes. It delays disease onset in mouse models of inflammatory disease, including collagen-induced arthritis and experimental autoimmune encephalomyelitis (EAE). Alpha-1 antitrypsin is subject to post-translational modifications such as glycosylation and carbamylation *in vivo*. Carbamylated alpha-1 antitrypsin has been found in synovial fluid samples from rheumatoid arthritis patients and is predicted to act as an autoantigen.<sup>4</sup>

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