# CYP450-GP



# PRODUCT NUMBER Hu-P008 HUMAN LIVER NADPH:P450 REDUCTASE

Enzyme Purified from Human Liver Microsomes **LOT UP879** 

ENZYME ACTIVITY = 37.0 nmol (124,800 units)/ml

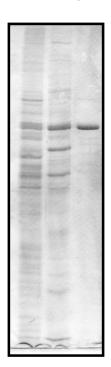
PROTEIN CONTENT = 4.9 mg/ml

SPECIFIC ACTIVITY = 7.6 nmol (25,470 units)/mg protein

NADPH:P450 oxidoreductase (P450 reductase) was purified from liver microsomes from a single human subject using conventional techniques, including hydrophobic, anion-exchange, affinity, and hydroxylapatite adsorption chromatographies. Human P450 reductase is provided in 100 mM potassium phosphate buffer (pH 7.4), 0.1 mM EDTA, 0.1 mM DTT, and 20% glycerol.

## **♦** Purity

Purity has been determined by electrophoresis on 10% acrylamide gels run with the discontinuous buffer system. P450 reductase migrates as a single band with a molecular weight of 75 kDa (see Fig. 1, lane C). One unit P450 reductase activity is defined as that amount catalyzing reduction of 1 nmol ferricytochrome c/min at 30°C in 300 mM potassium phosphate buffer (pH 7.7). One nmol P450 reductase contains 3,370 units of enzyme activity.



### SDS-PAGE analysis of purified human liver P450 reductase.

Lane A, cytochrome  $b_5$  (0.5  $\mu$ g);

Lane B, liver microsomes (10 µg);

Lane C, **P450 Reductase** (0.5 μg);

### **♦** Reconstitution

Human P450 reductase serves, in combination with phospholipid, to reconstitute purified P450 enzyme activity. The molar ratio of P450 reductase to P450 enzyme used should be at least 3:1 [e.g., 150 pmol (ca 500 units) P450 reductase:50 pmol P450]. P450 reductase is allowed to reconstitute with a given P450 enzyme for 3 min at 37°C in the presence of phospholipid. Full details for reconstitution are given in an accompanying instruction sheet.

♦ **Storage** P450 reductase should be stored @ -80°C. Avoid repeated freeze-thawing.