

A beta-ureidopropionase (EC 3.5.1.6) is an enzyme that catalyzes the chemical reaction

$$\text{N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{beta-alanine} + \text{CO}_2 + \text{NH}_3$$
 Thus, the two substrates of this enzyme are N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine and H₂O, whereas its 3 products are beta-alanine, CO₂, and NH₃.

This enzyme belongs to the family of hydrolases, those acting on carbon-nitrogen bonds other than peptide bonds, specifically in linear amides. The systematic name of this enzyme class is N-carbamoyl-beta-alanine amidohydrolase. This enzyme participates in 3 metabolic pathways: pyrimidine metabolism, beta-alanine metabolism, and pantothenate and coenzyme A biosynthesis.

see [Beta-ureidopropionase deficiency](#).

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