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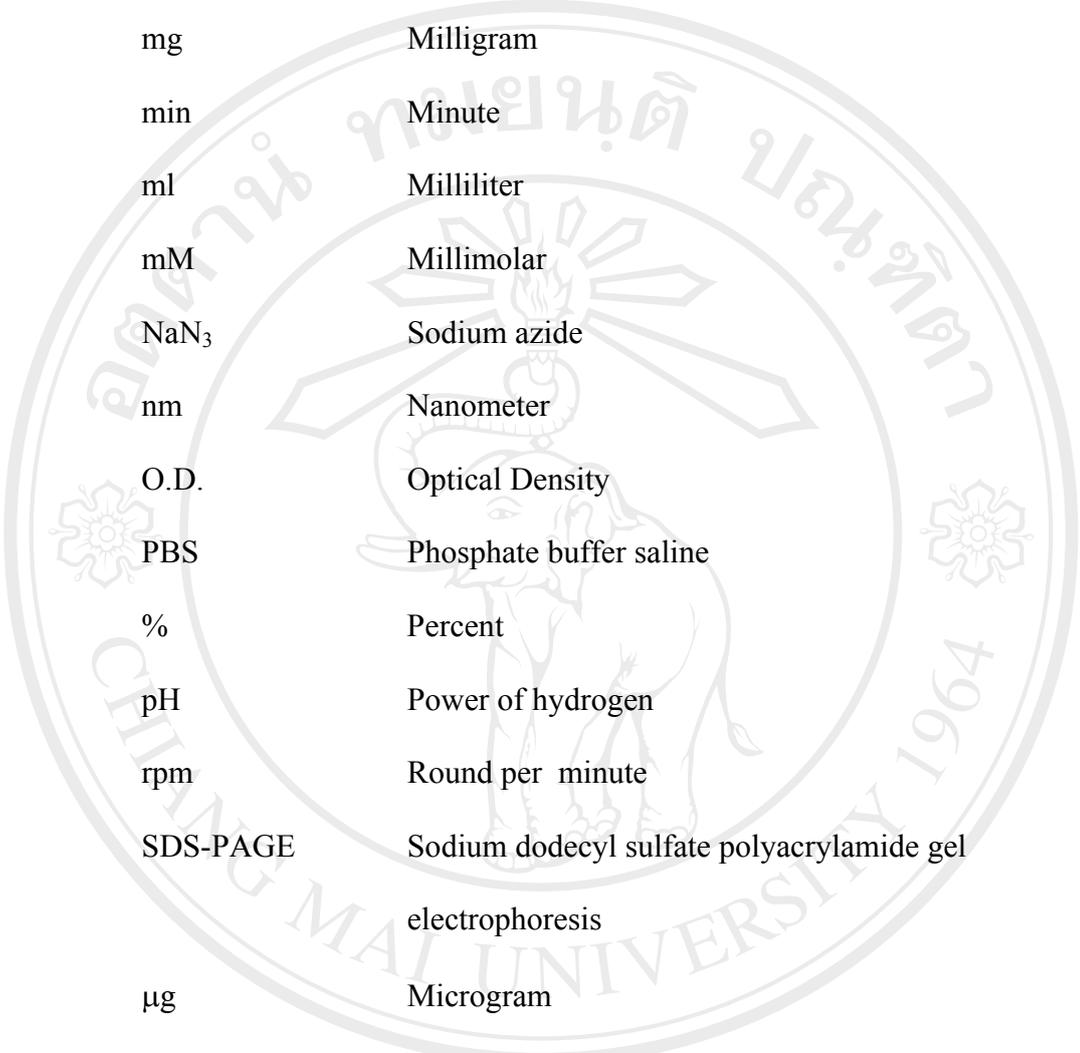
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## ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

$\alpha$	Alpha
$\beta$	Beta
$\delta$	Delta
$\epsilon$	Epsilon
$\gamma$	Gamma
$A\gamma$	Alanine gamma
$G\gamma$	Glycine gamma
$\psi$	Pseudogene
$\theta$	Theta
$\zeta$	Zeta
Ab	Antibody
ACC	Acetyl-CoA carboxylase
AHSP	Alpha hemoglobin stabilizing protein
BCCP	Biotin carboxyl carrier protein
BHS	Holoenzyme synthetase
BSA	Bovine serum albumin
$^{\circ}\text{C}$	Degree Celsius
CBC	Complete blood count
CD	Cluster of Differentiation
cDNA	Complementary deoxyribonucleic acid
DMSO	Dimethyl sulfoxide
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid

EDTA	Ethylenediaminetetracetic acid
ELISA	Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay
EtBr	Ethidium bromide
FCS	Fetal calf serum
FITC	Fluorescein isothiocyanate
g	Gram
GST	Glutathione-S-transferase
HAT	Hypoxanthine aminopterin and thymidine
HbA	Hemoglobin A
HbA <sub>2</sub>	Hemoglobin A <sub>2</sub>
HbF	Hemoglobin F
HGPRT	Hypoxanthine guanine phosphoribosyltransferase
hr	Hour
HRP	Horseradish peroxidase
IgA	Immunoglobulin A
IgG	Immunoglobulin G
IgG2b	Immunoglobulin G2b
IgM	Immunoglobulin M
Igs	Immunoglobulins
IMDM	Iscove's Modified Dulbecco's Medium
kb	Kilobase
kDa	Kilo Dalton
L	Litre
M	Molarity



mAb	Monoclonal antibody
MBP	Maltose-binding protein
mg	Milligram
min	Minute
ml	Milliliter
mM	Millimolar
NaN <sub>3</sub>	Sodium azide
nm	Nanometer
O.D.	Optical Density
PBS	Phosphate buffer saline
%	Percent
pH	Power of hydrogen
rpm	Round per minute
SDS-PAGE	Sodium dodecyl sulfate polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis
μg	Microgram
μl	Microliter