

BTK (Human), Active

Full-length recombinant protein expressed in Sf9 cells

Cat# CY-SPB10

Lot No. U098-2
5 µg 0.1 µg/µl

Background:

BTK (also known as Bruton tyrosine kinase) plays a crucial role in B-lymphocyte differentiation and activation. BTK interacts with SRC homology 3 domains of FYN, LYN and HCK that are activated upon stimulation of B- and T-cell receptors (1). Defects in the BTK gene cause Agammaglobulinemia, an X-linked immunodeficiency characterized by failure to produce mature B lymphocyte cells and associated with a failure of Ig heavy chain rearrangement. The unique role of BTK makes it a desirable target for potential anti-cancer, anti-inflammatory and anti-viral agents as well as other treatments (2).

Product Description:

Recombinant full-length human BTK was expressed by baculovirus in Sf9 insect cells using an N-terminal His tag. The gene accession number is NM_000061.

Gene Aliases:

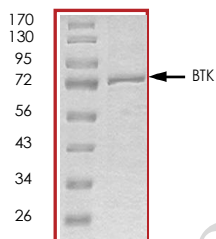
AT; ATK; BPK; XLA; IMD1; AGMX1; PSCTK

Formulation:

Recombinant protein stored in 50mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.5, 150mM NaCl, 0.25mM DTT, 0.1mM EGTA, 0.1mM EDTA, 0.1mM PMSF, 25% glycerol.

Purity & Molecular Weight:

The purity was determined to be >90% by densitometry. Approx. MW 78kDa.



Storage:

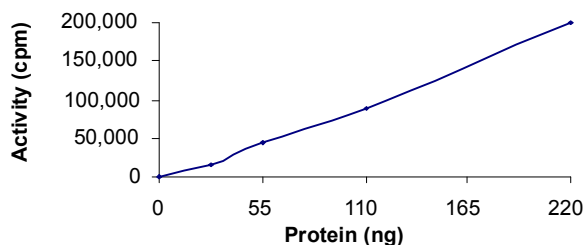
Store product at -70 °C. For optimal storage, aliquot target into smaller quantities after centrifugation and store at recommended temperature. For most favorable performance, avoid repeated handling and multiple freeze/thaw cycles.

Stability:

1 year at -70 °C from date of shipment.

**Specific Activity:**

The specific activity was determined to be 43 nmol /min/mg as per Activity Assay Protocol.

**Activity Assay Protocol:**

Assay activity of the kinase in a 25 μ L reaction consisting of 5 μ L of 5 X Kinase Assay Buffer, 5 μ L of 1 mg/ml the Substrate Solution, 10 μ L of diluted kinase and 5 μ L of 250 μ M ATP solution containing [γ - 32 P] ATP (0.167 μ Ci/ μ L). Start the reaction by adding the ATP solution. Incubate for 15 minutes at 30°C. Terminate the reaction by spotting 20 μ L of the reaction mixture onto phosphocellulose P81 paper. Air-dry the P81 paper and sequentially wash 4 times for approximately 10 minutes each in 1% phosphoric acid with constant gentle stirring. Count the P81 paper in a liquid scintillation counter.

Substrate Solution:

Poly (Glu:Tyr, 4:1) synthetic peptide substrate diluted in distilled H₂O to a final concentration of 1mg/ml.

5 X Kinase Assay Buffer:

25mM MOPS, pH 7. 2, 12.5mM β -glycerol-phosphate, 25mM MgCl₂, 5mM EGTA, 2mM EDTA. Add 0.25mM DTT to Kinase Assay Buffer prior to use.

References:

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