

Human Recombinant BB2 Bombesin Receptor Stable Cell Line**Cat. No. M00182****Version 05232014**

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I. INTRODUCTION

Catalog Number: M00182

Cell Line Name: CHO-K1/BB2

Gene Synonyms: GRPR

Expressed Gene: GenBank Accession Number NM_005314; no expressed tags

Host Cell: CHO-K1

Quantity: Two vials of frozen cells (3×10^6 per vial)

Stability: 16 passages

Applications: Functional assays for BB2 receptors

Freeze Medium: 45% culture medium, 45% FBS, and 10% DMSO

Complete Growth Medium: Ham's F12, 10% FBS

Culture Medium: Ham's F12, 10% FBS, 400 µg/ml G418

Mycoplasma Status: Negative

Storage: Liquid nitrogen immediately upon delivery

II. BACKGROUND

Bombesin is a peptide isolated from the skins of various frogs. There are two peptides, neuromedin B (NMB) and gastrin-releasing peptide (GRP) that can be considered as its mammalian counterparts. The bombesin receptor family has been classified into three subtypes according to the affinity of each peptide to each receptor: BB1, BB2, and BB3. BB₂ receptor, which binds with GRP, is involved in a wide range of physiological functions. In the gastrointestinal tract, BB₂ receptor activation causes stimulation of acid secretion, pancreatic and intestinal secretion, and gastrointestinal motility. In CNS, it participates in regulating circadian rhythms, controlling body temperature, affecting grooming behaviors, and modulating fear, stress, anxiety, and memory. Additionally, BB₂ receptors are one of the most frequently and widely overexpressed and ectopically expressed G protein-coupled receptors in human tumors. BB₂ receptors may play a potential role in the treatment and management of these tumors.

§: GenScript employs a PCR-based method to test the mycoplasma. The test covers 11 of the most common strains of mycoplasma, (covering approximately 95% of *M. fermentans*, *M. hyorhinis*, *M. arginini*, *M. orale*, *M. salivarium*, *M. hominis*, *M. pulmonis*, *M. arthritidis*, *M. neurolyticum*, *M. hyopneumoniae* and *M. capricolum*) and one species *Ureaplasma* (*U. urealyticum*), with sufficient sensitivity and specificity.

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III. REPRESENTATIVE DATA

Concentration-dependent stimulation of intracellular calcium mobilization by Neuromedin B in CHO-K1/BB2 and CHO-K1 cells

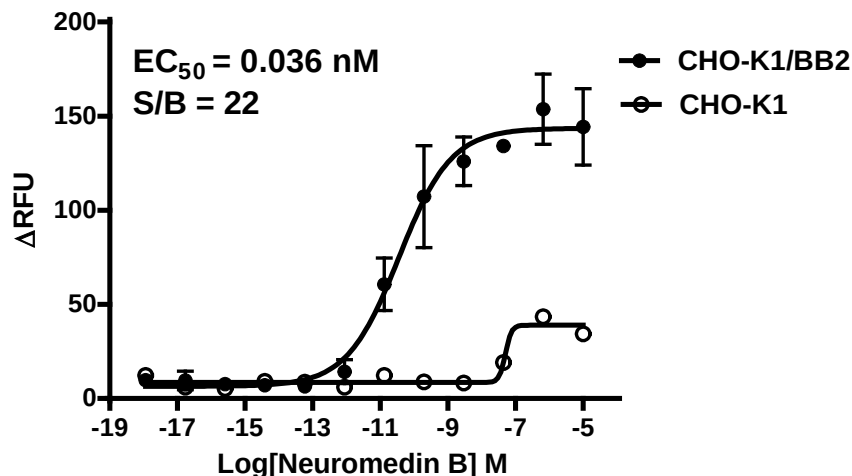


Figure 1. Neuromedin B-induced concentration-dependent stimulation of intracellular calcium mobilization in CHO-K1/BB2 and CHO-K1. The cells were loaded with Calcium-4 prior to stimulation with a BB2 receptor agonist, Neuromedin B. The intracellular calcium change was measured by FlexStation. The relative fluorescent units (RFU) were plotted against the log of the cumulative doses (15-fold dilution) of Neuromedin B (Mean $\pm$ SD, n = 2). The EC₅₀ of Neuromedin B on BB2 in CHO-K1 cells was 0.036 nM. The S/B of Neuromedin B on BB2 in CHO-K1 cells was 22.

Notes:

- EC₅₀ value is calculated with four parameter logistic equation:

$$Y = \text{Bottom} + (\text{Top} - \text{Bottom}) / (1 + 10^{((\text{LogEC}_{50} - X) * \text{HillSlope}))}$$

X is the logarithm of concentration. Y is the response
Y is RFU and starts at Bottom and goes to Top with a sigmoid shape.
- Signal to background Ratio (S/B) = Top/Bottom

IV. THAWING AND SUBCULTURING

Thawing Protocol

- Remove the vial from liquid nitrogen tank and thaw cells quickly in a 37°C water-bath.
- Just before the cells are completely thawed, decontaminate the outside of the vial with 70% ethanol and transfer the cells to a 15 ml centrifuge tube containing 9 ml of complete growth medium.
- Pellet cells by centrifugation at 200 x g force for 5 min, and remove the medium.
- Resuspend the cells in complete growth medium.
- Transfer the cell suspension to a 10 cm dish with 10 ml of complete growth medium.
- Grow the cells in incubator with 37°C, 5 %CO₂.
- Add antibiotic in the following day.

Sub-culturing Protocol

1. Remove the culture medium from cells.
2. Wash cells with PBS (pH=7.4) to remove all traces of serum that contains trypsin inhibitor.
3. Add 2.0 ml of 0.05% (w/v) Trypsin- EDTA (GIBCO, Cat No. 25300) solution into 10 cm dish and observe the cells under an inverted microscope until cell layer is dispersed (usually within 3 to 5 minutes).
Note: To avoid cells clumping, do not agitate the cells by hitting or shaking the dish while waiting for the cells detach. If cells are difficult to detach, please place the dish in 37°C incubator for ~2 min.
4. Add 6.0 to 8.0 ml of complete growth medium into dish and aspirate cells by gently pipetting.
5. Centrifuge the cells at 200 x g force for 5min, and remove the medium.
6. Resuspend the cells in culture medium and add the cells suspension to new culture dish.
7. Grow the cells in incubator with 37°C, 5 %CO₂.

Subcultivation Ratio: 1:3 to 1:8 weekly.

Medium Renewal: Every 2 to 3 days

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