Human VAPB / VAMP-associated protein B/C Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: 10754-H08E



General Information

Gene Name Synonym:

ALS8; VAMP-B; VAP-B

Protein Construction:

A DNA sequence encoding the human VAPB (095292-1) N-terminal fragment (Met 1-Pro 132) was fused with a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

Source: Human

QC Testing

Expression Host:

Purity: > 97 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

E. coli

Bio Activity:

Measured by its ability to bind recombinant human EphB2 in a functional ELISA.

Endotoxin:

Please contact us for more information.

Stability:

Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt at -70 $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$

Predicted N terminal: Met

Molecular Mass:

The recombinant human VAPB consisting of 142 amino acids and has a calculated molecular mass of 16.3 kDa. It migrates as an approximately 18 kDa band in SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions.

Formulation:

Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 8.0

Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization. Specific concentrations are included in the hardcopy of COA. Please contact us for any concerns or special requirements.

Usage Guide

Storage:

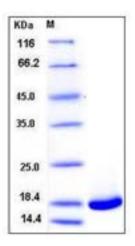
Store it under sterile conditions at -20° C to -80° C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

SDS-PAGE:



Protein Description

Vesicle-associated membrane protein-associated protein B / C, also known as VAMP-B/VAMP-C, VAMP-associated protein B/C, VAP-B/VAP-C and VAPB, is a single-pass type IV membrane protein which belongs to theVAMP-associated protein (VAP) family. VAPB contains oneMSP domain. VAPB may play a role in vesicle trafficking. VAPB forms a heterodimer with VAPA. VAPB interacts with VAMP1 and VAMP2. Defects in VAPB are the cause of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis type 8 (ALS8) which is a familial form of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, a neurodegenerative disorder affecting upper and lower motor neurons and resulting in fatal paralysis. Defects in VAPB are also a cause of spinal muscular atrophy autosomal dominant Finkel type (SMAF) which is characterized by proximal muscle weakness that begins in the lower limbs and then progresses to upper limbs.

References

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