# Mouse Thioredoxin / TXN / SASP Protein

Catalog Number: 50822-MNAE



## **General Information**

### Gene Name Synonym:

Txn; Txn1

#### **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the mouse Txn (P10639) (Met1-Val105) was expressed and purified.

Source: Mouse Expression Host: E. coli

**QC** Testing

Purity: > 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

## **Bio Activity:**

Measured by its ability to catalyze the reduction of insulin. The reaction leads to precipitation, which can be measured by absorbance at 650 nm. The specific activity is >4 A650/min/mg.

### **Endotoxin:**

Please contact us for more information.

### Stability:

Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt at -70 °C

Predicted N terminal: Me

## **Molecular Mass:**

The recombinant mouse Txn consists of 105 amino acids and predicts a molecular mass of 11.7 KDa. It migrates as an approximately 15 KDa band in SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions.

#### Formulation:

Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4.

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:

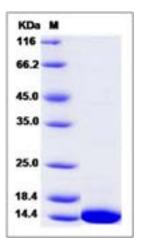
Store it under sterile conditions at  $-20^{\circ}$ C to  $-80^{\circ}$ C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

### Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

# Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

#### SDS-PAGE:



# **Protein Description**

Thioredoxin, also known as ATL-derived factor, Surface-associated sulphydryl protein, SASP and TXN, is a nucleus, cytoplasm and secreted protein which belongs to thethioredoxin family. Thioredoxins are proteins that act as antioxidants by facilitating the reduction of other proteins by cysteine thiol-disulfide exchange. Thioredoxins are found in nearly all known organisms and are essential for life in mammals. Thioredoxin / TXN participates in various redox reactions through the reversible oxidation of its active center dithiol to a disulfide and catalyzes dithiol-disulfide exchange reactions. Thioredoxin / TXN plays a role in the reversible S-nitrosylation of cysteine residues in target proteins, and thereby contributes to the response to intracellular nitric oxide. Thioredoxin / TXN nitrosylates the active site Cys of CASP3 in response to nitric oxide (NO), and thereby inhibits caspase-3 activity. Thioredoxin / TXN induces the FOS/JUN AP-1 DNA-binding activity in ionizing radiation (IR) cells through its oxidation/reduction status and stimulates AP-1 transcriptional activity.

## References

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