# Mouse TrkA / NTRK1 Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: 51103-M08H



## **General Information**

#### Gene Name Synonym:

C80751; Tkr; trk; TrkA

#### **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the mouse NTRK1 (NP\_001028296.1)(Met1-Gly420) was expressed with a C-terminal polyhistidine tag.

Source: Mouse

Expression Host: HEK293 Cells

**QC** Testing

Purity: > 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

#### **Bio Activity:**

Measured by its ability to inhibit NGF-induced proliferation of TF-1 human erythroleukemic cells.

The  $ED_{50}$  for this effect is typically 0.2-1  $\mu g/mL$  in the presence of 10 ng/mL of recombinant mouse NGF.

#### **Endotoxin:**

< 1.0 EU per µg of the protein as determined by the LAL method

Predicted N terminal: Ala 34

#### **Molecular Mass:**

The recombinant mouse NTRK1 comprises 398 amino acids and has a predicted molecular mass of 43.7 kDa. The apparent molecular mass of the protein is approximately 69 kDa in SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions due to glycosylation.

#### 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**

#### Stability & Storage:

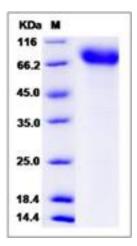
Store it under sterile conditions at -20  $^\circ\!\!\mathrm{C}$  to -80  $^\circ\!\!\mathrm{C}$  upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

#### Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

#### SDS-PAGE:



## **Protein Description**

TRKA is a member of the neurotrophic tyrosine kinase receptor (NTKR) family. It is a membrane-bound receptor that, upon neurotrophin binding, phosphorylates itself and members of the MAPK pathway. Isoform TrkA-III promotes angiogenesis and has oncogenic activity when overexpressed. Isoform TrkA-I is found in most non-neuronal tissues. Isoform TrkA-II is primarily expressed in neuronal cells. TrkA-III is specifically expressed by pluripotent neural stem and neural crest progenitors. The presence of NTRK1 leads to cell differentiation and may play a role in specifying sensory neuron subtypes. Mutations in TRKA gene have been associated with congenital insensitivity to pain. anhidrosis, self-mutilating behavior, mental retardation and cancer. It was originally identified as an oncogene as it is commonly mutated in cancers, particularly colon and thyroid carcinomas. TRKA is required for highaffinity binding to, neurotrophin-3 and neurotrophin-4/5 but not brainderived neurotrophic factor (BDNF). Known substrates for the Trk receptors are SHC1, PI 3-kinase, and PLC-gamma-1. NTRK1 has a crucial role in the development and function of the nociceptive reception system as well as establishment of thermal regulation via sweating. It also activates ERK1 by either SHC1- or PLC-gamma-1-dependent signaling pathway. Defects in NTRK1 are a cause of congenital insensitivity to pain with anhidrosis and thyroid papillary carcinoma.

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