

# Human XIAP / BIRC4 Protein (AVI Tag)

Catalog Number: 10606-H17E



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## General Information

### Gene Name Synonym:

API3; BIRC4; hIAP-3; hIAP3; IAP-3; ILP1; MIHA; XLP2

### Protein Construction:

A DNA sequence encoding the human XIAP (NP\_001158.2) (Leu 121-Thr 356) was fused with an AVI tag at the C-terminus, and additional two amino acids (Gly & Pro) at the N-terminus.

**Source:** Human

**Expression Host:** E. coli

## QC Testing

**Purity:** ≥ 75 % as determined by SDS-PAGE. ≥ 95 % as determined by SEC-HPLC.

### Bio Activity:

**Measured by its binding ability in a functional ELISA.**  
**Immobilized recombinant human SMAC-His (Cat:10339-H08E) at 10 µg/ml (100 µl/well) can bind recombinant human XIAP-AVI (Cat:10606-H17E) with a linear range of 0.125-1.0 µg/ml.**

### 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:** Met

### Molecular Mass:

The recombinant human XIAP comprises 253 amino acids and has a predicted molecular mass of 29.1 kDa as estimated in SDS-PAGE under non-reduced conditions.

### Formulation:

Lyophilized from sterile 25mM Tris, 10mM DTT, 1% glycerol, 0.2M Glutamine Potassium, 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:

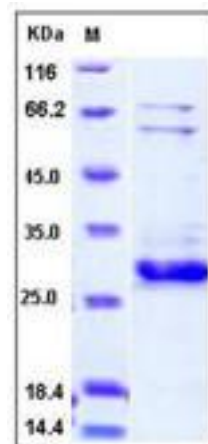
Store it under sterile conditions at -20°C to -80°C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

**Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.**

### Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

## SDS-PAGE:



## Protein Description

E3 ubiquitin-protein ligase XIAP / BIRC4, also known as inhibitor of apoptosis protein 3, X-linked inhibitor of apoptosis protein, and IAP-like protein, is a protein that belongs to a family of apoptotic suppressor proteins. Members of this family share a conserved motif termed, baculovirus IAP repeat, which is necessary for their anti-apoptotic function. XIAP / BIRC4 functions through binding to tumor necrosis factor receptor-associated factors TRAF1 and TRAF2 and inhibits apoptosis induced by menadione, a potent inducer of free radicals, and interleukin 1-beta converting enzyme. XIAP / BIRC4 also inhibits at least two members of the caspase family of cell-death proteases, caspase-3 and caspase-7. Mutations in this encoding gene are the cause of X-linked lymphoproliferative syndrome. Alternate splicing results in multiple transcript variants. Thought to be the most potent apoptosis suppressor, XIAP / BIRC4, directly binds and inhibits caspases -3, -7 and -9. Survivin, which also binds to several caspases, is up-regulated in a many tumour cell types. Defects in XIAP / BIRC4 are the cause of lymphoproliferative syndrome X-linked type 2 (XLP2). XLP is a rare immunodeficiency characterized by extreme susceptibility to infection with Epstein-Barr virus (EBV). Symptoms include severe or fatal mononucleosis, acquired hypogammaglobulinemia, pancytopenia and malignant lymphoma.

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