

Product datasheet

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ARG70602 Human Tau phospho 217 recombinant protein (His-tagged, C-ter) Package: 20 μg Store at: -20°C

Summary

Product Description E. coli expressed, His-tagged (C-ter) Human Tau phospho 217 recombinant protein

Tested Application SDS-PAGE

Target Name Tau

Species Human

A.A. Sequence Met1 - Leu441

Expression System E. coli

Alternate Names TAU; Neurofibrillary tangle protein; Paired helical filament-tau; PPND; DDPAC; FTDP-17; MTBT2;

Microtubule-associated protein tau; PHF-tau; MSTD; PPP1R103; MTBT1; MAPTL

Properties

Form Liquid

Buffer PBS

Storage instruction 12 months when aliquoted and stored at -20 °C or lower

Note For laboratory research only, not for drug, diagnostic or other use.

Bioinformation

Gene Symbol MAPT

Gene Full Name microtubule-associated protein tau

Background Tau is a key microtubule-associated protein that plays an important role in the formation of

microtubules in axons (Binder et al. 1985). Six tau isoforms have been identified as products of a single gene produced by alternative mRNA splicing (Goedert 1990). Tau mutations have been implicated in many neurodegenerative disorders such as Alzheimer's disease (AD), Pick's disease and progressive supranuclear palsy. It has been well documented that hyperphosphorylated tau is a major component of paired helical filaments in AD brain (Lee 1995). Serine 416 has been demonstrated to be a major

phosphorylation site in vitro by CaM kinase II (Steiner at al. 1990).

Function Promotes microtubule assembly and stability, and might be involved in the establishment and

maintenance of neuronal polarity. The C-terminus binds axonal microtubules while the N-terminus binds neural plasma membrane components, suggesting that tau functions as a linker protein between both. Axonal polarity is predetermined by TAU/MAPT localization (in the neuronal cell) in the domain of the cell body defined by the centrosome. The short isoforms allow plasticity of the cytoskeleton

whereas the longer isoforms may preferentially play a role in its stabilization. [UniProt]

PTM Phosphorylation at serine and threonine residues in S-P or T-P motifs by proline-directed protein

kinases (PDPK1: CDK1, CDK5, GSK3, MAPK) (only 2-3 sites per protein in interphase, seven-fold increase in mitosis, and in the form associated with paired helical filaments (PHF-tau)), and at serine residues in K-X-G-S motifs by MAP/microtubule affinity-regulating kinase (MARK1 or MARK2), causing detachment from microtubules, and their disassembly. Phosphorylation decreases with age. Phosphorylation within tau/MAP's repeat domain or in flanking regions seems to reduce tau/MAP's interaction with,

respectively, microtubules or plasma membrane components. Phosphorylation on Ser-610, Ser-622, Ser-641 and Ser-673 in several isoforms during mitosis. Phosphorylation at Ser-548 by GSK3B reduces

ability to bind and stabilize microtubules. Phosphorylation at Ser-579 by BRSK1 and BRSK2 in neurons affects ability to bind microtubules and plays a role in neuron polarization. Phosphorylated at Ser-554, Ser-579, Ser-602, Ser-606 and Ser-669 by PHK. Phosphorylation at Ser-214 by SGK1 mediates microtubule depolymerization and neurite formation in hippocampal neurons. There is a reciprocal down-regulation of phosphorylation and O-GlcNAcylation. Phosphorylation on Ser-717 completely abolishes the O-GlcNAcylation on this site, while phosphorylation on Ser-713 and Ser-721 reduces glycosylation by a factor of 2 and 4 respectively. Phosphorylation on Ser-721 is reduced by about 41.5% by GlcNAcylation on Ser-717. Dephosphorylated at several serine and threonine residues by the serine/threonine phosphatase PPP5C. [UniProt]

Cellular Localization

Cytoplasm, cytosol. Cell membrane; Peripheral membrane protein; Cytoplasmic side. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton. Cell projection, axon. Note=Mostly found in the axons of neurons, in the cytosol and in association with plasma membrane components. [UniProt]