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Product Information

PTPN13 (2169-2485), active, GST tagged, human recombinant, expressed in *E. coli* cells

Catalog Number **SRP5074** Storage Temperature –70 °C

Synonyms: PTP-BAS, PNP1, FAP-1, PTP1E, PTPL1, PTPLE, PTP-BL, DKFZp686J1497

Product Description

PTPs are known to be signaling molecules that regulate a variety of cellular processes including cell growth, differentiation, mitotic cycle, and oncogenic transformation. PTPN13 is a large protein that possesses a PTP domain at the C-terminus and multiple noncatalytic domains including a domain with similarity to band 4.1 superfamily of cytoskeletal-associated proteins, a region consisting of five PDZ domains, and a leucine zipper motif. PTPN13 binds to a negative regulatory domain in Fas that inhibits Fas-induced apoptosis. Page 12.

Recombinant human PTPN13 (2169-2485) was expressed in *E. coli* cells using an N-terminal GST tag. The gene accession number is NM_080683. Recombinant protein stored in 20 mM MOPS, pH 7.5, 50 mM NaCl, 10 mM glutathione, 0.25 mM DTT, 0.1 mM PMSF, and 30% glycerol.

Molecular mass: ~61 kDa

Purity: 70-95% (SDS-PAGE, see Figure 1)

Specific Activity: 2,040–2,760 nmole/min/mg (see Figure 2)

Precautions and Disclaimer

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

Storage/Stability

The product ships on dry ice and storage at -70 °C is recommended. After opening, aliquot into smaller quantities and store at -70 °C. Avoid repeated handling and multiple freeze/thaw cycles.

Figure 1.
SDS-PAGE Gel of Typical Lot 70–95% (densitometry)

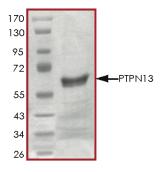
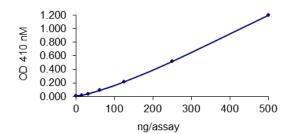


Figure 2.
Specific Activity of Typical Lot 2,040–2,760 nmole/min/mg



Procedure

Preparation Instructions

Phosphatase Assay Buffer – 125 mM HEPES, pH7.2, 250 mM NaCl, and 12.5 mM EDTA.

Phosphatase Dilution Buffer – Dilute the Phosphatase Assay Buffer 5-fold with a 5 mM DTT and 65 ng/μl BSA solution.

Phosphatase Solution – Dilute the active PTPN13 (0.1 μ g/ μ l) with Phosphatase Dilution Buffer to the desired concentration.

Note: The lot-specific specific activity plot may be used as a guideline (see Figure 2). It is recommended the researcher perform a serial dilution of active PTPN13 for optimal results.

Stopping Solution - 2 M NaOH

Substrate Stock Solution – Prepare 500 mM *p*-nitrophenyl phosphate (pNPP) Substrate Stock Solution by dissolving 131.5 mg of pNPP in 1 ml of Phosphatase Dilution Buffer. Store at –20 °C. Avoid direct light exposure.

Substrate Assay Solution – Prepare 50 mM pNPP Substrate Assay Solution by diluting the Substrate Stock Solution at a ten fold with Phosphatase Dilution Buffer. Prepare fresh before assay.

Phosphatase Assay

- 1. Prepare sufficient Substrate Assay Solution.
- 2. Thaw the active PTPN13 and Phosphate Dilution Buffer on ice.
- 3. In a pre-cooled microcentrifuge tube, add the following reaction components:

10 μ l of Phosphatase Solution 20 μ l of 50 mM pNPP Substrate Assay solution 170 μ l of Phosphatase Dilution Buffer

- Set up a blank control as outlined in step 3, substituting 10μl of Phosphatase Dilution Buffer for the Phosphatase Solution.
- 5. Initiate each reaction by incubating the mixture in a water bath at 37 °C for 20 minutes.
- 6. After the 20 minute incubation, stop the reaction by the addition of 50 μ l of 2 M NaOH Stopping Solution.
- 7. Measure the absorbance of the reaction solution in a spectrophotometer at 405 nm.
- 8. Determine the Phosphatase specific activity.

Calculations:

Specific Phosphatase Activity (SA) (nmole/min/mg)

nmole/min/mg = $\frac{Pv \times OD_{405nm}}{\epsilon \times d \times T \times Pm}$

Pv - Phosphatase volume (μl)

ε - extinction coefficient (17.8 μl/nmole/cm)

d - pathlength of light (cm)

T - incubation time (min)

Pm - Phosphatase amount (mg)

References

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