

# CAMKK1, Active

Full-length recombinant protein expressed in Sf9 cells

Catalog # C17-10G-10 Lot # V322-1

## **Product Description**

Recombinant full-length human CAMKK1 was expressed by baculovirus in Sf9 insect cells using an N-terminal GST tag. The gene accession number is NM 032294.

# **Gene Aliases**

CAMKKA, MGC34095, DKFZp761M0423

## **Concentration**

0.1µg/µl

### **Formulation**

Recombinant protein stored in 50mM Tris-HCI, pH 7.5, 150mM NaCl, 0.25mM DTT, 0.1mM EGTA, 0.1mM EDTA , 0.1mM PMSF, 25% glycerol.

#### Storage, Shipping and Stability

Store product at  $-70^{\circ}$ C. For optimal storage, aliquot target into smaller quantities after centrifugation and store at recommended temperature. For most favorable performance, avoid repeated handling and multiple freeze/thaw cycles. Stability is 6 months at  $-70^{\circ}$ C from date of shipment. Product shipped on dry ice.

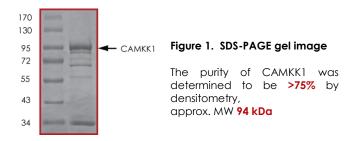
## **Scientific Background**

CAMKK1 or CAMKKalpha is a Ca(2+)/calmodulin-dependent protein kinase that activates CAM-kinases I and IV via phosphorylation of their Thr(177) and Thr(196) residues, respectively. Recent studies have shown that the activity of CAMKK1 is decreased upon phosphorylation by cAMP-dependent protein kinase (PKA) (1) The CAMKKalpha has been identified in intact cells as AMPKKs, predicting a significant role for this kinase in regulating AMPK activity in vivo. It has been shown that 2-deoxyglucose- and ionomycin-stimulated AMPK activity is substantially reduced in HeLa cells transfected with small interfering RNAs specific for CAMKKalpha (2).

#### References

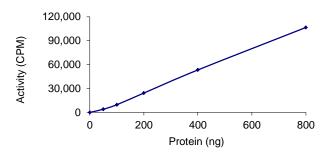
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# **Purity**



# **Specific Activity**

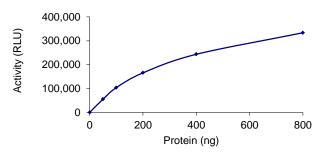
Figure 2. Radiometric Assay Data



The specific activity of CAMKK1was determined to be **9 nmol/min/mg** as per activity assay protocol.

(For Radiometric Assay Protocol on this product please see pg. 2)

Figure 3. ADP-Glo™ Assay Data



The specific activity of CAMKK1 was determined to be **16 nmol** /min/mg as per activity assay protocol.

(For ADP-Glo<sup>™</sup> Assay Protocol on this product please see pg. 3)

# **Activity Assay Protocol**

### **Reaction Components**

# Active Kinase (Catalog #: C17-10G)

Active CAMKK1 (0.1 $\mu$ g/ $\mu$ l) diluted with Kinase Dilution Buffer VII (Catalog #: K27-09) and assayed as outlined in sample activity plot. (Note: these are suggested working dilutions and it is recommended that the researcher perform a serial dilution of Active CAMKK1 for optimal results).

### Kinase Dilution Buffer VII (Catalog #: K27-09)

Kinase Assay Buffer I (Catalog #: K01-09) diluted at a 1:4 ratio (5X dilution) with 50ng/ $\mu$ l BSA and 5% glycerol solution.

# Kinase Assay Buffer I (Catalog #: K01-09)

Buffer components: 25mM MOPS pH 7.2, 12.5mM  $\beta$ -glycerol-phosphate, 25mM MgC1<sub>2</sub>, 5mM EGTA, 2mM EDTA. Add 0.25mM DTT to Kinase Assay Buffer prior to use.

# [33P]-ATP Assay Cocktail

Prepare 250 $\mu$ M [33P]-ATP Assay Cocktail in a designated radioactive working area by adding the following components: 150 $\mu$ l of 10mM ATP Stock Solution (Catalog #: A50-09), 100 $\mu$ l [33P]-ATP (1mCi/100 $\mu$ l), 5.75ml of Kinase Assay Buffer I (Catalog #: K01-09). Store 1ml aliquots at -20°C.

#### **10mM ATP Stock Solution** (Catalog #: A50-09)

Prepare ATP stock solution by dissolving 55mg of ATP in 10ml of Kinase Assay Buffer I (Catalog #: K01-09). Store 200 $\mu$ l aliquots at  $-20^{\circ}$ C.

# Substrate (Catalog #: M42-54G)

Myelin basic protein (MBP) diluted in distilled  $H_2O$  to a final concentration of 1 mg/ml.

#### **Assay Protocol**

- Step 1. Thaw [33P]-ATP Assay Cocktail in shielded container in a designated radioactive working area.
- Step 2. Thaw the Active CAMKK1, Kinase Assay Buffer, Substrate and Kinase Dilution Buffer on ice.
- Step 3. In a pre-cooled microfuge tube, add the following reaction components bringing the initial reaction volume up to 20µl:

Component 1. 10µl of diluted Active CAMKK1 (Catalog #C17-10G)

Component 2. 5µl of 1mg/ml stock solution of substrate (Catalog #M42-54G)

Component 3. 2.5µl of 5mM CaCl<sub>2</sub> solution containing 0.75 µg Calmodulin

Component 4. 2.5µl distilled H<sub>2</sub>O (4°C)

- **Step 4.** Set up the blank control as outlined in step 3, excluding the addition of the substrate. Replace the substrate with an equal volume of distilled H<sub>2</sub>O.
- Step 5. Initiate the reaction by the addition of  $5\mu$  [33P]-ATP Assay Cocktail bringing the final volume up to  $25\mu$ l and incubate the mixture in a water bath at 30°C for 15 minutes.
- **Step 6.** After the 15 minute incubation period, terminate the reaction by spotting 20µl of the reaction mixture onto individual pre-cut strips of phosphocellulose P81 paper.
- **Step 7.** Air dry the pre-cut P81 strip and sequentially wash in a 1% phosphoric acid solution (dilute 10ml of phosphoric acid and make a 1L solution with distilled H<sub>2</sub>O) with constant gentle stirring. It is recommended that the strips be washed a total of 3 intervals for approximately 10 minutes each.
- Step 8. Count the radioactivity on the P81 paper in the presence of scintillation fluid in a scintillation counter.
- **Step 9.** Determine the corrected cpm by removing the blank control value (see Step 4) for each sample and calculate the kinase specific activity as outlined below.

# Calculation of [P<sup>33</sup>]-ATP Specific Activity (SA) (cpm/pmol)

Specific activity (SA) = cpm for  $5\mu l$  [33P]-ATP / pmoles of ATP (in  $5\mu l$  of a  $250\mu M$  ATP stock solution, i.e., 1250 pmoles)

# Kinase Specific Activity (SA) (pmol/min/μg or nmol/min/mg)

Corrected cpm from reaction / [(SA of  $^{33}$ P-ATP in cpm/pmol)\*(Reaction time in min)\*(Enzyme amount in  $\mu g$  or mg)]\*[(Reaction Volume)]

# ADP-Glo™ Activity Assay Protocol

### **Reaction Components**

CAMKK1 Kinase Enzyme System (Promega, Catalog #:V4470)

CAMKK1, Active, 10μg (0.1μg/μl) MBP Protein, 1ml (1mg/ml) Reaction Buffer A (5X), 1.5ml DTT (0.1M), 25μl Ca<sup>2+</sup>/Calmodulin Solution (10X), 500μl ADP-Glo™ Kinase Assay Kit (Promega, Catalog #: V9101)

Ultra Pure ATP solution, 10 mM (0.5ml) ADP solution, 10 mM (0.5ml) ADP-Glo™ Reagent (5ml) Kinase Detection Buffer (10ml) Kinase Detection Substrate (Lyophilized)

## Reaction Buffer A (5X)

200mM Tris-HCl, pH 7. 5, 100mM MgCl $_2$  and 0.5 mg/ml BSA.

## **Assay Protocol**

The CAMKK1 assay is performed using the CAMKK1 Kinase Enzyme System (Promega; Catalog #: V4470) and ADP-Glo™ Kinase Assay kit (Promega; Catalog #: V9101). The CAMKK1 reaction utilizes ATP and generates ADP. Then the ADP-Glo™ Reagent is added to simultaneously terminate the kinase reaction and deplete the remaining ATP. Finally, the Kinase Detection Reagent is added to convert ADP to ATP and the newly synthesized ATP is converted to light using the luciferase/luciferin reaction. For more detailed protocol regarding the ADP-Glo™ Kinase Assay, see the technical Manual #TM313, available at www.promega.com/tbs/tm313/tm313.html.

- Step 1. Thaw the ADP-Glo™ Reagents at ambient temperature. Then prepare Kinase Detection Reagent by mixing Kinase Detection Buffer with the Lyophilized Kinase Detection Substrate. Set aside.
- Step 2. Thaw the components of CAMKK1 Enzyme System, ADP and ATP on ice.
- Step 3. Prepare 1ml of 2X Buffer by combining 400µl Reaction Buffer A, 1µl DTT and 599µl of dH<sub>2</sub>0.
- Step 4. Prepare 1ml of 250μM ATP Assay Solution by adding 25μl ATP solution (10mM) to 500μl of 2X Buffer and 475μl of dH<sub>2</sub>O.
- Step 5. Prepare diluted CAMKK1 in 1X Buffer (diluted from 2X buffer) as outlined in sample activity plot. (Note: these are suggested working dilutions and it is recommended that the researcher perform a serial dilution of Active CAMKK1 for optimal results).
- Step 6. In a white 96-well plate (Corning Cat # 3912), add the following reaction components bringing the initial reaction volume up to 20µl:

Component 1. 5ul of diluted Active CAMKK1

Component 2. 5µl of 1mg/ml stock solution of substrate
Component 3. 2.5µl of Ca<sup>2+</sup>/Calmodulin solution (10X)

Component 4. 7.5µl of 2X Buffer

- Step 7. Set up the blank control as outlined in step 6, excluding the addition of the substrate. Replace the substrate with an equal volume of distilled  $H_2O$ .
- Step 8. At the same time as the CAMKK1 kinase reaction, set up an ATP to ADP conversion curve at 50µM ATP/ADP range as described in the ADP-Glo™ Kinase Assay technical Manual #TM313.
- Step 9. Initiate the CAMKK1 reactions by the addition of  $5\mu$ l of 250  $\mu$ M ATP Assay Solution thereby bringing the final volume up to  $25\mu$ l. Shake the plate and incubate the reaction mixture at 30°C for 15 minutes.
- Step 10. Terminate the reaction and deplete the remaining ATP by adding 25µl of ADP-Glo™ Reagent. Shake the 96-well plate and then incubate the reaction mixture for another 40 minute at ambient temperature.
- Step 11. Add 50µl of the Kinase Detection Reagent, shake the plate and then incubate the reaction mixture for another 30 minute at ambient temperature.
- Step 12. Read the 96-well reaction plate using the Kinase-Glo™ Luminescence Protocol on a GloMax® plate reader (Promega; Cat# E7031).
- Step 13. Using the conversion curve, determine the amount of ADP produced (nmol) in the presence (step 6) and absence of substrate (Step 7) and calculate the kinase specific activity as outlined below. For a detailed protocol of how to determine nmols from RLUs, see Kinase Enzyme Systems Protocol at: http://www.promega.com/KESProtocol

### Kinase Specific Activity (SA) (nmol/min/mg)

(ADP (step 6) - ADP (Step 7)) in nmol) / (Reaction time in min)\*(Enzyme amount in mg)