

Product Specification Sheet

Multi Fusion-Tagged Protein Markers

MFPM20-C Multi Fusion-Tagged Protein Marker (His, T7, Myc, HA, VSV-G tags) Protein (~20 Kda) for ELISA/Western
Size: 100 ul **FORM:** Soln Lyophilized

Expression of genes in E. coli or yeast or baculovirus offers a convenient system to produce large amounts of recombinant proteins that may otherwise be difficult to isolate from natural cells and tissues. Very often antibodies to these newly identified proteins are not available to study its biochemical properties, monitor protein expression, and purification. In order to circumvent this problem, short pieces of well-defined peptides (**Poly-His, Flag-epitope or c-myc epitope or HA-tag**) or small proteins (**bacterial GST, MBP, Thioredoxin, b-Galactosidase, VSV-Glycoprotein etc**) are often cloned along with the target gene. Proteins are expressed as fusion proteins. Antibodies to these fusion-tags are already available to monitor fusion protein expression and purification. Therefore, fusion-tags serve as universal tags much like secondary antibodies. GST, HA-tag, C-myc, and His-tag are the most commonly used tags for recombinant fusion proteins.

A purified protein (~20 Kda) containing 5-major tags in tandem:

His-Tag: G-H-H-H-H-H-H-H
T7-Tag: M-A-S-M-T-G-G-Q-Q-M-G
Myc-Tag: E-Q-K-L-I-S-E-E-D-L
HA-Tag Y-P-Y-D-V-P-D-Y-A
VSV-G-Tag: Y-T-D-I-E-M-N-R-L-G-K

Followed by protein core

Purified multi-tag fusion protein (#MFPM2-C) is supplied in a stabilizing buffer containing 1% Mannitol as powder in 100 ul/vial. Store powder at 4oC for 6-12 months.

Suggested usage

ELISA

Reconstitute powder in 100 ul PBS or other buffers for application such as ELISA and use 2-10 ul/ml for coating. After reconstitution, store stock solution at -20oC in suitable size aliquots. it may be necessary to optimize coating concentration for reaction with a given anti-tag antibodies (His-tag, Myc-tag, HA-tag, T7-tag or VSV-Glycoprotein tags).

Western blots

Reconstitute powder in 100 ul SDS-PAGE reducing buffer. Load 5-10 ul per lane for probing with most anti-tag antibodies. #MFPM2—C will produce a major somewhat diffuse band at ~20 Kda. After reconstitution, store stock solution at -20oC in suitable size aliquots. it may be necessary to optimize loading volume (1-10 ul/lane) depending upon the anti-tag antibody ((His-tag, Myc-tag, HA-tag, T7-tag or VSV-Glycoprotein tags).

ADI also has other recombinant protein containing a single tag:

Catalog#	ProdDescription
#MYC11-C	Recombinant Myc-tag-Protein (~9 kda) WB control
#HA11-C	Recombinant HA-tag -Protein (~9 kda) control WB +ve control
#HISP11-C	Recombinant purified his-tag - Protein (~9 kda) control WB +ve control
#HISP15-R	Recombinant purified his-tag - Protein (~9 kda) control for ELISA
#GST12-C	Recombinant purified Glutathione Transferase (GST)-Protein (~27 kda) control WB +ve control
#FLAG12-C	Recombinant purified FLAG tag-Protein (~9 kda) control WB +ve control

Antibodies to various tags are also available (see web site for complete listing).

General References: Harlow E & Lane (1988) Antibodies: A lab manual, Cold Spring Harbor, NY; Smith DB (1988) Gene 67, 31-40; Stuber D (1990) Immunological Methods IV, AP, 121-152; Kolodziej PA (1991) Methods Enzymol. 194, 508-511; Zentgraf H (1995) Nucl Acid Res. 23, 3347-3348

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Other Fusion tag antibodies available from ADI

Anti-MBP, Poly-His, GST, beta-Gal, VSV-G, Flag, HA-tag, and c-myc

Anti-Rabbit IgG-HRP Conjugate and ECL Reagents

Western Blot Recycling Kit (Strips blots in 5 minutes) and re-use the same blot with multiple antibodies

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