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# Alpha Synuclein Protein

Active Mouse Recombinant Alpha Synuclein Protein Monomer Catalog No. SPR-323



Product Name
Alpha Synuclein Protein
Description
Active Mouse Recombinant Alpha Synuclein Protein Monomer
Applications
WB, SDS-PAGE, In vivo assay, In vitro assay
Concentration
Lot/batch specific. See included datasheet.
Conjugates
No tag
Nature
Recombinant
Species
Mouse
Expression System
E. coli
Amino Acid Sequence
MDVFMKGLSK AKEGVVAAAE KTKQGVAEAA GKTKEGVLYV GSKTKEGVVH GVTTVAEKTK EQVTNV GGAV VTGVTAVAQK TVEGAGNIAA ATGFVKKDQM GKGEEGYPQE GILEDMPVDP GSEAYEMPSE E GYQDYEPEA
Purity
>95%
Protein Length

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## Full Length

## **Biological Activity**

100  $\mu$ M alpha synuclein protein monomer (SPR-323) seeded with 10 nM alpha synuclein protein aggregate (SPR-324) in 25  $\mu$ M Thioflavin T (PBS pH 7.4, 100  $\mu$ l reaction volume) generated an increased fluorescence intensity after incubation at 37° C with shaking at 600 rpm for 24 hours. Fluorescence was measured by excitation at 450 nm and emission at 485 nm on a Molecular Devices Gemini XPS microplate reader.

#### Field Of Use

Not for use in humans. Not for use in diagnostics or therapeutics. For in vitro research use only.

## **Properties**

## **Storage Buffer**

**PBS** 

## **Storage Temperature**

-80°C

## **Shipping Temperature**

Dry Ice. Shipping note: Product will be shipped separately from other products purchased in the same order.

### **Purification**

Ion-exchange Purified

## **Specificity**

~14.46 kDa

#### **Cite This Product**

Mouse Recombinant Alpha Synuclein Protein (StressMarq Biosciences Inc., Victoria BC CANADA, Catalog # SPR-323)

## **Certificate Of Analysis**

Certified >95% pure using SDS-PAGE analysis.

## **Biological Description**

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#### **Alternative Names**

Alpha synuclein pre-formed fibrils, Alpha synuclein aggregates, Alpha synuclein protein aggregates, Active Alpha synuclein aggregates, Alpha-synuclein protein, Non-A beta component of AD amyloid protein, Non-A4 component of amyloid precursor protein, NACP protein, SNCA protein, NACP protein, PARK1 protein, Alpha synuclein monomers, SYN protein, Parkison disease familial 1 Protein

#### **Research Areas**

Alzheimer's Disease, Neurodegeneration, Neuroscience, Parkinson's Disease

### **Cellular Localization**

Cytoplasm, Membrane, Nucleus

### **Accession Number**

NP\_001035916.1

#### Gene ID

20617

#### **Swiss Prot**

055042

### Scientific Background

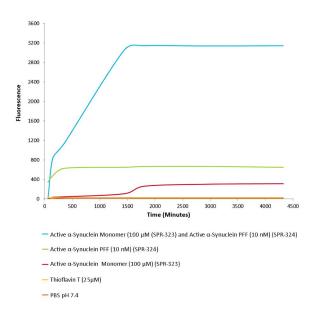
Alpha-Synuclein (SNCA) is expressed predominantly in the brain, where it is concentrated in presynaptic nerve terminals (1). Alpha-synuclein is highly expressed in the mitochondria of the olfactory bulb, hippocampus, striatum and thalamus (2). Functionally, it has been shown to significantly interact with tubulin (3), and may serve as a potential microtubule-associated protein. It has also been found to be essential for normal development of the cognitive functions; inactivation may lead to impaired spatial learning and working memory (4). SNCA fibrillar aggregates represent the major non A-beta component of Alzheimers disease amyloid plaque, and a major component of Lewy body inclusions, and Parkinson's disease. Parkinson's disease (PD) is a common neurodegenerative disorder characterized by the progressive accumulation in selected neurons of protein inclusions containing alpha-synuclein and ubiquitin (5, 6).

#### References

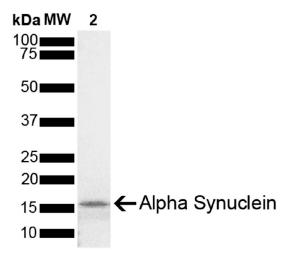
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## **Product Images**



Active alpha synuclein preformed fibrils (SPR-324) seed the formation of new alpha synuclein fibrils from the pool of active alpha synuclein monomers (SPR-323). Thioflavin T is a fluorescent dye that binds to beta sheet-rich structures, such as those in alpha synuclein fibrils. Upon binding, the emission spectrum of the dye experiences a red-shift, and increased fluorescence intensity. Thioflavin T emission curves show increased fluorescence (correlated to alpha synuclein protein aggregation) over time when 10 nM of active alpha synuclein preformed fibrils (SPR-324) is combined with 100  $\mu$ M of active alpha synuclein monomer (SPR-323), as compared to active alpha synuclein preformed fibrils (SPR-324) and active alpha synuclein monomer (SPR-323) alone. Thioflavin T ex = 450 nm, em = 485 nm.



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SDS-PAGE of ~14 kDa Active Mouse Recombinant Alpha Synuclein Protein Monomer (SPR-323). Lane 1: Molecular Weight Ladder (MW). Lane 2: Active Alpha Synuclein Protein Monomer (2  $\mu$ g) (SPR-323).

# **Product Citations (0)**

Currently there are no citations for this product.

## **Reviews**

There are no reviews yet.