## **Recombinant Mouse METAP2 Protein (His Tag)**

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Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

#### **Description**

**Synonyms** 4930584B20Rik;A930035J23Rik;AI047573;AL024412;Amp2;AU014659;Mnpep;p

67;p67eIF2

**Species** Mouse

**Expression Host** Baculovirus-Insect Cells

Sequence Ala 2-Tyr 478

AccessionO08663Calculated Molecular Weight54.3 kDaObserved molecular weight60 kDaTagC-His

**Bioactivity** Measured by its ability to remove methionine from a fluorogenic peptide substrate

H-Met-Gly-Pro-AMC (Catalog # ES017). The resulting GP-AMC is cleaved by Recombinant Human DPPIV/CD26 (Catalog # 1180-SE). The specific activity is >

15 pmol/min/¦Ìg

#### **Properties**

Purity > 88 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

**Endotoxin** < 1.0 EU per ug of the protein as determined by the LAL method.

**Storage** Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to

-80°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots

of reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

**Shipping** This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.

**Formulation** Lyophilized from sterile 50mM Tris, 100mM NaCl, pH 8.0, 10% glycerol

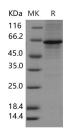
Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as

protectants before lyophilization.

Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.

**Reconstitution** Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

#### Data



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### **Background**

METAP2 (Methionine aminopeptidase 2), also known as MAP2 is a a protein which belongs to the peptidase M24A family. MAP2 binds 2 cobalt or manganese ions and contains approximately 12 O-linked N-acetylglucosamine (GlcNAc) residues. It is found in all organisms and is especially important because of its critical role in tissue repair and protein

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degradation. The catalytic activity of human MAP2 toward Met-Val peptides is consistently two orders of magnitude higher than that of METAP1, suggesting that it is responsible for processing proteins containing N-terminal Met-Val and Met-Thr sequences in vivo. This protein functions both by protecting the alpha subunit of eukaryotic initiation factor 2 from inhibitory phosphorylation and by removing the amino-terminal methionine residue from nascent protein. MAP2 protects eukaryotic initiation factor EIF2S1 from translation-inhibiting phosphorylation by inhibitory kinases such as EIF2AK2/PKR and EIF2AK1/HCR. It also plays a critical role in the regulation of protein synthesis.

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