BioVision

Sushi Peptide S3, Bacterial recombinant

CATALOG #:	7611-20 7611-100 7611-1000	20 μg 100 μg 1 ma
ALTERNATE NAMES:	Factor C Sushi 3, Sushi 3	
SOURCE:	E. coli	
PURITY:	≥90% by SDS-PAGE	
MOL. WEIGHT:	16.1 kDa (145 aa, 268-301 aa + NT- His Tag)	
FORMULATION:	Lyophilized from 50 mM Tris. HCl and 100 mM NaCl (pH 8.0).	
RECONSTITUTION:	Reconstitute v mg/ml.	with water. Recommended conc: 0.1 - 1
STORAGE CONDITIONS:	Stable for 1 year at –20°C. Avoid multiple Freeze / thaw cycles as activity may decrease.	

DESCRIPTION:

Biovision's Sushi Peptide S3 is a trimer of one of the high endotoxin-binding domains, Sushi 3 (or S3) within Factor C, a lipopolysaccharide (LPS)-sensitive serine protease of the horseshoe crab (Limulus Polyphemus). S3 display detergent-like properties in disrupting LPS aggregates, with specificity for palmitoyl-oleoyl-phosphatidylglycerol (POPG) resulting from electrostatic and hydrophobic forces between the peptides and the bacterial lipids. The unsaturated nature of POPG confers fluidity and enhances insertion of the peptides into the lipid bilayer, causing maximal disruption of the bacterial membrane. In short, peptide S3 can bind to lipopolysaccharide (LPS) and inhibit the growth of Gram-negative bacteria without affecting mammalian cells. It has been shown that endotoxin activates Factor Cbased catalytic coagulation cascade resulting in the gelation of Limulus blood. This process is the basis of Limulus Amebocyte Lysate (LAL) endotoxin detection method.

APPLICATION AND USAGE:

Sushi peptide S3 is useful in binding to endotoxins in mammalian cell culture systems.



SDS-PAGE (15%) of purified Sushi Peptide S3: Lane 1: Protein Marker Lane 2: 20 ug Sushi Peptide S3 Lane 3: 30 ug Sushi Peptide S3 Lane 4: 40 ug Sushi Peptide S3

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