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## Furin, Human Recombinant

CATALOG #:	P1658-10 P1658-50	10 µg 50 µg
ALTERNATIVE NAMES:	FUR, PACE, PCSK3, SPC1	
SOURCE:	Insect Cells (sf9)	
PURITY:	≥ 95% by SDS-PAGE	
MOL. WEIGHT:	62 kDa (contains His tag at the C-terminus)	
FORM:	Liquid	
FORMULATION:	In 12.5 mM Tris, pH 8.0 1 mM CaCl <sub>2</sub> , 100 mM NaCl, and 50% Glycerol.	
STORAGE CONDITIONS:	The protein is stable at $\leq$ -70 °C for up to 1 year from the date of receipt. For optimal storage, divide into smaller aliquots after centrifugation and store at $\leq$ -70 °C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.	

## DESCRIPTION:

Furin is a member of the proprotein convertase family. As a cellular protease, Furin processes various latent precursor proteins into their biologically active products by cleaving at the RX(K/R)R consensus motif. Some of its substrates are various growth factors, serum proteins, proteases of the blood-clotting and complement systems, matrix metalloproteinases, receptors, viral-envelope glycoproteins, and bacterial exotoxins. Furin play an essential role in embryogenesis and homeostasis and is implicated in various pathologies such as cancer, neurodegenerative diseases and anthrax. A Furin cleavage site (PRRAR) in the SARS-CoV-2 spike protein is considered a key contributor to COVID-19 pathogenesis. The purified human recombinant Furin is a truncated soluble protein (27-574 aa) that lacks the transmembrane domain.

SPECIFIC ACTIVITY: > 20 mU/mg

UNIT DEFINITION: One unit of Furin is the amount of enzymes that cleaves a fluorescent peptidyl substrate and liberates 1 µmol AMC per minute at pH 7.5, 25 °C.

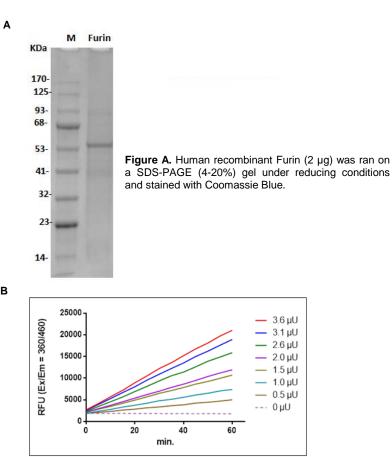


Figure B. Specific activity of Furin was measured as the amount of enzyme that cleaves a fluorescent peptidyl substrate and liberates AMC measured at Ex/Em = 360/460 nm.

## **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

Human CellExp™ Furin, human recombinant (Cat# 7249) Furin/PACE Antibody (Cat# 3873) Galectin-3, mouse recombinant (Cat# P1045)

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