

TXNRD1

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Tag:mhhhhhssgvdlgtenlyfq*s(m) TEV-cleavable (*), N-terminal his6 tag.

Host:BL-21(DE3)R3 phage resistant

Construct

Prelude:Mutagenesis: The TXNRD1A gene was mutated to replace the selenocysteine UGA codon with a GGA, encoding a glycine residue (bold G in the protein sequence below). Site-directed mutagenesis was performed as described in Sarkar G and Sommer SS (1990) Biotechniques 8(4):404-7.

Sequence:

mhhhhhssgvdlgtenlyfqsmNGPEDL PKSYDYDLIIIGGSGGLAAAKEAAQY GK KVMVLDFVTPPLGTRWGLGGTCVNVG
CI PKKLMHQ AALLGQALQDSRNYGWKVEETV KHDWRMIEAVQNHIGSLNWGYRVALREK KVVYENAYGQFIGPHRIKATNNKG
KEKIY SAERFLIATGERPRYLGI PGDKKEYCISD DLFSLPYCPGKTLVVGASYVALECAGFLA GIGLDVTVMVRSILLRGFDQD
MANKIGEH MEEHGIKFIRQFVPIKVEQIEAGTPGRLR VVAQSTNSEEIIIEGEYNTVMLAIGRDACT RKIGLETVGVKINEKTGK
IPVTDEEQTNV PYIYAIGDILEDKVELTPVAIQAGRLLAQ RLYAGSTVKCDYENVPTTVFTPLEYGACG LSEEKAVEKFGEENI
EVYHSYFWPLEWTI PSRDNNKCYAKIICNTKDNERVVG FHV LG PNAGEVTQGF AAALKCGLTKKQLDSTIGI HPVCAEVFTTLS
VTKRSGASILQAGCGG

Vector:pNIC28-Bsa4

Growth

Medium:

Antibiotics:

Procedure:Medium: TB + 50 µg/ml Kanamycin + 34 µg/ml chloramp . 2 x 1 liter TB in 2.5-L baffled flasks were inoculated with 10 ml overnight culture and grown at 37°C. The protein expression was induced with 1 mM IPTG at OD600 = 4 at 18°C over night. The cells were collected by centrifugation and frozen at -80°C.

Purification

Procedure

Column 1 : Ni-affinity, HisTrap, 1 ml (GE/Amersham)

The cell extract was loaded on the column at 0.8 ml/minute on an AKTA-express system

(GE/Amersham). The column was then washed with 10 volumes of lysis buffer, 10 volumes of wash buffer, and then eluted with elution buffer at 0.8 ml/min. The eluted peak of A280 was automatically collected.

Column 2 : Gel filtration: Hiload 16/60 Superdex 200 prep grade 120 ml, Code no. 17-1069-01 Amersham Biosciences

The eluted fractions from the Ni-affinity Histrap columns were loaded on the gel filtration column in GF buffer at 0.80 ml/min. Eluted proteins were collected in 2 ml fractions.

Extraction

Procedure

Frozen cell pellets were thawed at 37°C and resuspended in a total volume of 100 ml lysis buffer. The cells were disrupted by high pressure (20 kpsi) followed by sonication.

Nucleic acids and cell debris were removed by adding 0.15% PEI, followed by centrifugation for 30 minutes at 40 000xg. The supernatant was then further clarified by filtration (0.45 µm).

Concentration: The protein was concentrated in Amicon (5K) to 25 mg/ml and the protein concentration determined with Bradford using BSA as a standard.

Ligand

MassSpec: The mass for TXNRD1Ap002 was 57216 Da, in agreement with the predicted mass of 57214 for the His-tagged protein.

Crystallization: Plate-shaped crystals with a maximum dimension of 500 µm were grown by vapor diffusion in sitting drops at 4°C. A 660 nl drop comprised of 15 mg/ml protein, 300 mM NaCl, 180 mM NDSB-221, 6 mM HEPES pH 7.5, 6 mM DTT, 6% PEG 3350, 3 % glycerol, 0.3 mM TCEP, 30 mM Tris pH 7.0 was equilibrated against a well solution containing 20% PEG 3350, 0.1 M Tris pH 7.0. The crystal was transferred to a cryoprotectant consisting of 80% well solution 20% glycerol before flash-cooling in liquid nitrogen.

NMR Spectroscopy:

Data Collection: Resolution: 2.7 Å, X-ray source: Synchrotron ALS -8.2.1, single wavelength.

Data Processing: