

# RBBP4

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**Tag:**N-terminal tag: MGSSHHHHHSSGLVPRGS

**Host:**SF9 insect cells

## Construct

**Prelude:**

**Sequence:**

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mgsshhhhhhsglvprgsMADKEAAFFDAVEERVINEEYKIWKKNTPFLYDLVMTHALEWPSLTAQWLPDVTRPEGKDFSIHRLVL  
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SVDPEGQGS
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**Vector:**pFBoc-lic

## Growth

**Medium:**

**Antibiotics:**

**Procedure: Transposition:** 2  $\mu$ L of the construct was added and mixed to 30  $\mu$ l of DH10Bac competent cells in a sterile 96-well microtitre plate on ice. The plate was left on ice for a further 30 minutes. The heat-shock procedure was done by transferring the plate to a 42 °C water bath for 60 seconds and then returning it to ice for a further 2 minutes. 600  $\mu$ l of SOC medium (pre-warmed to 37°C) was added to the well and the plate incubated at 37°C for 5 hours. The 2  $\mu$ l culture mixed with pre-warmed 100  $\mu$ l SOC, and plated out onto LB agar in a 5.5 cm Petri dish contains Gentamicin (7  $\mu$ g/mL), Kanamycin (50  $\mu$ g/mL) and Tetracycline (10  $\mu$ g/mL), Bluo-gal (200  $\mu$ g/ml), and IPTG (40  $\mu$ g/ml). The plates were incubated at 37°C for 48 hours.

**Bacmid preparation:** One white colony was picked into 3 mL of LB media, with Gentamicin (7  $\mu$ g/mL), Kanamycin (50  $\mu$ g/mL) and Tetracycline (10  $\mu$ g/mL), in a 24-well block (Qiagen, Cat. 19583) and placed in a shaker (250 rpm) for 18 hours at 37°C. Bacmids were purified with Montage(R) kit (Millipore Cat. LSKB09604).

**Generation of P1 recombinant Baculovirus:** In a Napflow(R) Class II type A/B3 biosafty

cabinet, 50  $\mu$ l HyQ(R) SFX-insect serum medium (Hyclone, Cat. SH30278.02) was added into 6  $\mu$ g bacmid and 3ul cellfectin (Invitrogen Cat. 10362-010). Then bacmid and cellfectin in the medium were mixed and incubated at room temperature for 45 minutes. 1 mL SF9 cells (2 x 10<sup>5</sup> cells/mL) in HyQ® SFX-insect serum medium was added into the mixture in a 24 well plate (Falcon Cat. 353047). After cells sat at the bottom of the plate, remove supernatant, and 280  $\mu$ l HyQ® SFX-insect serum medium was added to the plate, then the plate was incubated at 27 °C for 5 hours. In the plate, the supernatant of the mixture was replaced with 0.7 mL Graces insect medium (Invitrogen Cat. 11595-030) contained 10% FBS (Invitrogen Cat. 12483-020) and 1% antibiotics (100  $\mu$ g/mL penicillin, 100  $\mu$ g/mL streptomycin). Then the plate was incubated in 27 °C for 72 hours. The supernatant was collected.

**Generation of P2 recombinant Baculovirus:** In a 6 well plate (Falcon Cat. 353047), SF9 cells (1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells / mL) in 1.5 mL HyQ® SFX-insect serum medium were infected with 80  $\mu$ l P1 viruses in 27 °C. The culture was incubated in 27 °C for 48 ~ 72 hours. Supernatant was collected after incubation.

**Generation of P3 recombinant Baculovirus:** In a 500 mL flask, sf9 cells were added into HyQ® SFX-insect serum medium to reach the density of 2 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells / mL. 0.2 mL of P2 recombinant Baculovirus was added into the 200ml culture. The flask was shaken in 27 °C, 130 rpm for 48 hours. Supernatant was collected.

**Protein production:** 5-10 mL P3 recombinant Baculovirus cells were added into 1 L HyQ® SFX-insect serum medium contained High-Five cells (2 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells / mL) and Gentamicin (10  $\mu$ g / mL). The culture was put on a shaker with 100 rpm, at 27 °C for 48 hours. Cells were harvested with centrifuge (4000 rpm, 15 minutes). Harvested cells were washed with cold PBS buffer, then flash frozen in liquid nitrogen and stored at -80 °C.

## Purification

### Procedure

**IMAC:** Unclarified lysate was mixed with 2-3 mL of Ni-NTA superflow Resin (Qiagen) per 40 mL lysate. The mixture was incubated with mixing for at least 45 minutes at 4°C. The mixture was then loaded onto an empty column (BioRad) and washed with 100 ml wash buffer. Samples were eluted from the resin by exposure to 2-3 column volumes (approx. 10-15 mL) of elution buffer. Concentration of eluted protein was estimated by OD280

**Gel filtration chromatography:** An XK 26x65 column (GE Healthcare) packed with HighLoad Superdex 75 resin (GE Healthcare) was pre-equilibrated with gel filtration buffer for 1.5 column volumes using an AKTA explorer (GE Healthcare) at a flow rate of 2.5mL/min. The Eluted sample from the IMAC step (approx. 15 mL) was loaded onto the column at 1.5 mL/min, and 2mL fractions were collected into 96-well plates (VWR 40002-012) using peak fractionation protocols. Fractions observed by a UV absorption chromatogram to contain the protein were pooled.

## Extraction

### Procedure

Frozen cell pellet were thawed and protease inhibitors cocktail (Roche) and 0.1% NP40 (final concentration) were added. Cell lysis was accomplished by sonication (Virtis408912, Virsonic) on ice: the sonication protocol was 10 sec pulse at half-maximal frequency (5.0), 10 second rest,

for 10 minutes total sonication time per pellet.

**Concentration:** Purified proteins were concentrated using 15 mL concentrators with a 5,000 molecular weight cut-off (Amicon Ultra-15, UFC900524, Millipore) at 3750 rpm, typically resulting in a final concentration around 20 mg/mL.

**Ligand**

**MassSpec:**

**Crystallization:** Diffraction quality crystals were grown using the following protocol: 25% PEG3350, 0.2M MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 0.1M HEPES, pH7.5, vapor diffusion, sitting drop, temperature 297k

**NMR Spectroscopy:**

**Data Collection:**

**Data Processing:**