

HDGF2

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Tag:N-terminal: His-tag with integrated TEV protease site: MHHHHHHSSGRENLYFQG

Host:*E.coli* BL21 (DE3) codon plus RIL (Stratagene)

Construct

Prelude:

Sequence:

gMPHAFKPGDLVFAKMKGYPHWPARIIDDIADGAVKPPPNKYPPIFFFTHETAFLGPKDLFPYDKCKDKYGKPNRKGFNEGLWEIQN
NPHASYS

Vector:pET28-MHL

Growth

Medium:Terrific Broth

Antibiotics:50 μ g/ml of kanamycin

Procedure:HDGF2 was expressed in *E.coli* BL21 (DE3) codon plus in Terrific Broth medium in the presence of 50 μ g/ml of kanamycin. Cell were grown at 37 °C to an OD₆₀₀ of 1.5 and induced by isopropyl-1-thio-D-galactopyranoside (IPTG), final concentration 1 mM and incubated overnight at 15 °C.

Purification

Procedure

The lysate was loaded onto 5 ml HiTrap column (Amersham Biosciences), charged with Ni²⁺. The column was washed with 10 CV of wash buffer and the protein was eluted with elution buffer. The protein was dialyzed against dialysis buffer. TEV protease was added to combined fractions containing HDGF2. The cut and uncut protein of HDGF2 were separated on a Ni column. The protein was further purified to homogeneity by ion-exchange chromatography on Source 30S column (10x10) (Amersham Biosciences), equilibrated with buffer 20 mM PIPES, pH 6.5, and eluted with linear gradient of NaCl up to 500 mM concentration (20CV). Purification yield was 8 mg of the protein per 1L of culture.

Extraction

Procedure

Cells were harvested by centrifugation at 7,000 rpm. The cell pellets were frozen in liquid nitrogen and stored at -80 degrees Celsius. For the purification the cell paste was thawed and resuspended in lysis buffer with protease inhibitor (0.1mM phenylmethyl sulfonyl fluoride, PMSF). The cells were lysed by passing through Microfluidizer (Microfluidics Corp.) at 20,000 psi.

Concentration: 34.4 mg/ml

Ligand

MassSpec: Expected MW is 10696.15 Da

Measured MW is 10696.4774 Da

Crystallization: Purified HDGF2 was complexed with H4K20me3 peptide (AKRHRKme3VLRDN) and crystallized using hanging drop vapor diffusion method at 20 °C by mixing 1 μ l of the protein solution (11.6 mg/mL) with 1 μ l of the reservoir solution containing 2.5 M ammonium sulfate, 0.1 M sodium acetate, pH 4.6.

NMR Spectroscopy:

Data Collection:

Data Processing: