

DYRK2A (4AZF) Materials & Methods

Entry Clone Source: Mammalian Gene Collection (IMAGE Consortium Clone ID 4139392)

SGC Construct ID: DYRK2A-c023

Vector: pNIC28-Bsa4. Details [[PDF](#)]; Sequence [[FASTA](#)] or [[GenBank](#)].

DNA sequence:

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Final protein sequence (Tag sequence in lowercase):

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LP

(Met73 to Pro467)

^ TEV protease recognition site

Tags and additions: Cleavable N-terminal His6 tag

Expression: The DYRK2 construct was transformed into BL21(DE3)-R3-pRARE2 cells and expressed in LB media containing 50 µg/ml kanamycin.

Cell Harvest: Cells were spun at 5000x g for 20 mins and the pellets resuspended in Lysis Buffer and then frozen at -20°C.

Cell lysis: The resuspended cell pellet was thawed and lysed by high pressure homogenisation. The cell debris and precipitated DNA were spun down.

Lysis buffer: 50 mM Hepes pH 7.5, 500 mM NaCl, 5 mM Imidazole, 5% glycerol, 0.5 mM TCEP

Column 1: 5 ml of Ni-Sepharose in a gravity flow column.

Column 1 Buffers:

Binding buffer: 50 mM Hepes pH 7.5, 500 mM NaCl, 5 mM Imidazole, 5% glycerol, 0.5 mM TCEP

Wash buffer: As Binding Buffer except 25 mM imidazole.

Elution buffer: As Binding Buffer except 50, 100, 150, 200, 250 mM imidazole.

Column 1 Procedure: The clarified supernatant was passed through the column. The column was washed with 100 ml of Binding Buffer and 100 ml of Wash Buffer. 5 ml fractions of each step of Elute Buffer were passed through to elute the protein.

Column 2: S200 16/60 Gel Filtration (GE Healthcare)

Column 2 Buffers:

Gel Filtration buffer: 50 mM Hepes pH 7.5, 500 mM NaCl, 0.5 mM TCEP

Column 2 Procedure: The eluted protein was concentrated to 5 ml volume and injected onto the column.

Concentration: Crystals grew from a 2:1 ratio of protein and precipitant solution (0.2M Na/KPO₄, 20% PEG 3350, 10% Ethylene Glycol), using the vapour diffusion method.

Data Collection: Crystals were cryo-protected by equilibration into precipitant solution containing 25% ethylene glycol, and then flash frozen in liquid nitrogen. Data was collected at Diamond, beamline IO2.