

# C9orf114

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**Tag:**N-terminal: 6XHis-tag with integrated TEV protease site: MHHHHHHSSGRENLYFQ\*G

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

## Construct

**Prelude:**

**Sequence:**

gAEKEDRGRPYTL SVALPGSILDNAQSPELR TYLAGQIARACAI FCVDEIVVFDEEGQDAKTVEGEFTGVGKKGQACVQLARILQYL  
ECPOYL RKAFFPKHQDLQFAGLLNPLDSPHHMRQDEESEFREGIVVDRPTRPGHGSFVNCGMKKEVKIDKNLEPGLRVTVRLNQQQH  
PDCKTYHGKVVSSQDPRTKAGLYWGYTVRLASCLSAVFAEAPFQDGYDLTIGT SERGSDVASAQLPNFRHALVVFGLQGLEAGADA  
DPNLEVAEPSVLFDLYVNTCPGQGSRTIRTEEAILISLAALQPGLTQAGARHT

**Vector:**pET28-MHL

## Growth

**Medium:**

**Antibiotics:**

**Procedure:**C9orf114 protein was expressed in E.coli BL21 (DE3) codon plus RIL in Terrific Broth (TB) in the presence of 50 µg/ml of kanamycin. Cells were grown at 37oC to an OD600 of 1.5 and induced by isopropyl-1-thio-D-galactopyranoside (IPTG), final concentration 1 mM, and incubated overnight at 15oC.

## Purification

**Procedure**

The crude extract was cleared by centrifugation. The lysate was loaded onto 5 ml HiTrap column (GE Healthcare), charged with Ni<sup>2+</sup>. The column was washed with 10 CV of 20 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, containing 250 mM NaCl, 50 mM imidazole, 5% glycerol, and the protein was eluted with elution buffer (20 mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, 250 mM NaCl, 250 mM imidazole, 5% glycerol). The protein was loaded on Superdex200 column (26x60) (GE Healthcare), equilibrated with 20 mM Tris-HCl buffer, pH 8.0, and 150 mM NaCl. The fractions containing C9orf114 were pooled and TEV protease was added to remove His-tag. The protein was further purified to homogeneity

by ion-exchange chromatography on Source 30Q column (10x10) (GE Healthcare), equilibrated with buffer 20 mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, and eluted with linear gradient of NaCl up to 500 mM concentration (20 CV).

## **Extraction**

### **Procedure**

Cells were harvested by centrifugation at 7,000 rpm. The cell pellets were frozen in liquid nitrogen and stored at -80 °C. For purification, the cell paste was thawed and resuspended in lysis buffer (1X PBS, 250 mM NaCl, 2 mM  $\beta$ -mercaptoethanol, 5% glycerol, 0.1% CHAPS) with protease inhibitor (0.1 mM phenylmethyl sulfonyl fluoride, PMSF). The cells were lysed by passing through Microfluidizer (Microfluidics Corp.) at 20,000 psi.

**Concentration:** 13.1 mg/mL - Enzymatic treatment: TEV

### **Ligand**

**MassSpec:** The expected mass for C9orf114 is 34299.7 Da, measured mass is 34376.48 Da.

**Crystallization:** Purified C9orf114 protein (10.2 mg/mL) was complexed with S-adenosyl-L-homocysteine (SAH) (Sigma) at 1:5 molar ratio of protein:SAH and crystallized using sitting drop vapor diffusion method at 20 °C by mixing 1  $\mu$ l of the protein solution with 1  $\mu$ l of the reservoir solution containing 28% PEG 3350, 0.2M di-NH<sub>4</sub>tart.

### **NMR Spectroscopy:**

#### **Data Collection:**

#### **Data Processing:**