

Recombinant Mouse NPC2 Protein (Met1-Ser149), His-tagged

Cat. No. NPC2-878M **Lot. No.** (See product label)

SPECIFICATION

Product Overview	Recombinant Mouse NPC2 Protein (NP_075898.1) (Met1-Ser149) was produced by HEK293 Cells expression system. This protein was expressed with a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.
Species	Mouse
Source	HEK293
ProteinLength	Met1-Ser149
Description	Niemann-Pick Type C2 (NPC2) plays an important role in the regulation of intracellular cholesterol homeostasis via direct binding with free cholesterol. NPC2 is an intralysosomal protein that binds cholesterol in vitro. NPC2 is a small lysosomal glycoprotein that binds cholesterol with submicromolar affinity. Deficiency in NPC2 is the cause of Niemann-Pick type C2 disease, a fatal neurovisceral disorder characterized by accumulation of cholesterol in lysosomes. Niemann-Pick disease, type C2 (NPC2) protein is one of the most abundant components of the epididymal fluid and contains a functional cholesterol-binding site that can transfer cholesterol between membranes, it has been suggested for years that NPC2 could be involved in the regulation of cholesterol levels in spermatozoa during epididymal maturation.
Predicted N Terminal	Glu 20
Form	Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4. Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization.

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Molecular Mass	The recombinant mouse Npc2 consists of 141 amino acids and predicts a molecular mass of 15.9 kDa.
Endotoxin	< 1.0 EU per µg protein as determined by the LAL method.
Purity	> 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE.
Stability	Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt at -70 centigrade.
Storage	Store it under sterile conditions at -20 centigrade to -80 centigrade. It is recommended that the protein be aliquoted for optimal storage. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Reconstitution	It is recommended that sterile water be added to the vial to prepare a stock solution of 0.2 mg/ml. Centrifuge the vial at 4°C before opening to recover the entire contents.
Shipping	In general, recombinant proteins are provided as lyophilized powder which are shipped at ambient temperature. Bulk packages of recombinant proteins are provided as frozen liquid. They are shipped out with blue ice unless customers require otherwise.

GENE INFORMATION

Gene Name	Npc2 Niemann Pick type C2 [<i>Mus musculus</i>]
Official Symbol	NPC2
Synonyms	NPC2; Niemann Pick type C2; mE1; HE1; AA408070; AU045843; 2700012J19Rik;
Gene ID	67963

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mRNA Refseq	NM_023409
Protein Refseq	NP_075898
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