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YB81410Hu01 Twinfilin 1 (TWF1) Organism: Homo sapiens (Human) *Instruction manual*

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[<u>DESCRIPTION</u>]

Protein Names: Twinfilin 1

Gene Names: TWF1

Size: 100µg

Source: Recombinant

Expression Host: E. coli

Function: Actin-binding protein involved in motile and morphological processes. Inhibits actin polymerization, likely by sequestering G-actin. By capping the barbed ends of filaments, it also regulates motility. Seems to play an important role in clathrin-mediated endocytosis and distribution of endocytic organelles

Subcellular Location: Cytoplasm. Cytoplasm > cytoskeleton

Tissue Specificity: Expressed at high levels in the colon, testis, ovary, prostate and lung. Expressed at lower levels in the brain, bladder and heart. Not detected in liver.

[<u>PROPERTIES</u>]

Residues: Metl[~]Ser252 (Accession # Q12792), with a N-terminal His-tag. Grade & Purity: >97%, 30.26 kDa as determined by SDS-PAGE reducing conditions. Form & Buffer: Supplied as lyophilized form in PBS, pH 7.4. Endotoxin Level: <1.0 EU per 1µg(determined by the LAL method). Applications: SDS-PAGE; WB; ELISA; IP. (May be suitable for use in other assays to be determined by the end user.)

Predicted Molecular Mass: 30.26 kDa

[<u>PREPARATION</u>]

Reconstitute in PBS.



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[<u>STORAGE AND STABILITY</u>]

Storage: Store at 4° C for short term storage (1-2 weeks). Aliquot and store at -20° C or -80° C for long term storage. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

Valid period: 12 months stored at -80°C.

[<u>BACKGROUND</u>]

The target protein is fused with a His-tag and its sequence is listed below. The first Met is an initiator amino acid. Moreover, Gly and Ser are added to improve the flexibility of N-terminus at both ends of the Histag, which will increase the chelating ability of the tag to Ni-Sepharose during purification. MGHHHHHHSGS-MSHQTGIQAS EDVKEIFARA RNGKYRLLKI SIENEQLVIG SYSQPSDSWD KDYDSFVLPL LEDKQPCYIL FRLDSQNAQG YEWIFIAWSP DHSHVRQKML YAATRATLKK EFGGGHIKDE VFGTVKEDVS LHGYKKYLLS QSSPAPLTAA EEELRQIKIN EVQTDVGVDT KHQTLQGVAF PISREAFQAL EKLNNRQLNY VQLEIDIKNE IIILANTTNT ELKDLPKRIP KDSARYHFFL YKHSHEGDYL ES

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