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Shiga Toxin Type 2, Recombinant from Escherichia coli

Catalog No. NR-4478

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Product Description: Recombinant Shiga toxin type 2 [Stx2; composed of subunits A (Stx2A) and B (Stx2B)] was expressed in *Escherichia coli* and purified by affinity chromatography.

Lot¹: 58044918

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TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Appearance	Clear and colorless	Clear and colorless
DNA Sequence Analysis of Vector	Identical to Stx2 operon	Identical to Stx2 operon
SDS-PAGE (SYPRO Orange densitometer scan)	Protein bands of interest represent > 95% of total staining intensity above background: Stx2A ~ 33kDa (Stx2A ₁ ~ 27.5 kDa and Stx2A ₂ ~ 4.5 kDa) and Stx2B ~ 7.8 kDa	Protein bands of interest represent > 95% of total staining intensity above background: Stx2A ~ 33kDa (Stx2A ₁ ~ 27.5 kDa and Stx2A ₂ ~ 4.5 kDa) and Stx2B ~ 7.8 kDa (Figure 1)
Mass Spectrometry	Measured mass within 5% of expected mass: Stx2A: 33.2 kDa Stx2B: 7.8 kDa	Measured mass within 1% of expected mass: Stx2A: 33.4 kDa, 0.2% difference Stx2B: 7.7 kDa, 1.0% difference
SELDI-TOF Mass Spectrometry of Trypsin Digest ²	> 50% of total residues accounted for in peptides of expected mass	80% of total residues accounted for in peptides of expected (Stx2A)
Concentration by Bicinchoninic Acid Protein Assay	Report results	0.055 mg/mL
Functional Activity by Western Blot Analysis (Figure 2) ³ Shiga toxin type 2 (NR-4478) Carbonic anhydrase (negative control)	Reactive Not reactive	Reactive (Figure 2) Not reactive (Figure 2)
Cytotoxicity 50% cytotoxic dose in Vero cells	Report results	5 × 10 ⁻¹⁴ M (Figure 3)
Sterility	0.22 µm filter sterilized	0.22 µm filter sterilized
Endotoxin Content (Limulus Amoebocyte Lysate Assay)	Report results	< 12.5 EU/mL

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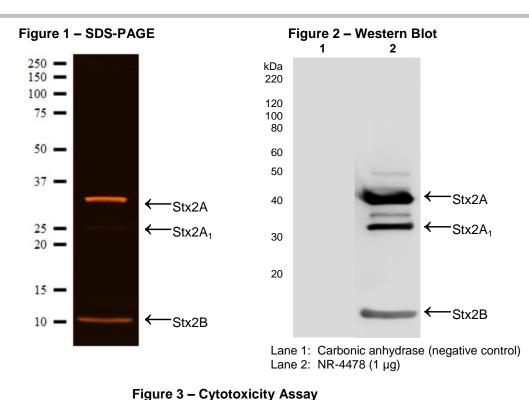
²Stx2B was resistant to trypsin digestion.

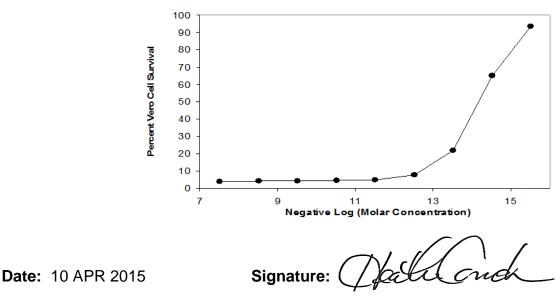
³Using polyclonal antiserum specific for Stx2

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