HIGH SENSITIVITY HUMAN SOLUBLE NEUROPILIN 1 (NRP1) ELISA KIT

FOR THE QUANTITATIVE DETERMINATION
OF HUMAN SOLUBLE NRP1
CONCENTRATIONS IN SERUM, PLASMA
AND CELL CULTURES



ALWAYS REFER TO LOT SPECIFIC PROTOCOL PROVIDED WITH EACH KIT FOR INSTRUCTIONS. PROTOCOL MUST BE READ AND CHECK ALL ITEMS OF EACK KIT BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT.

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PRODUCT INFORMATION:

THIS KIT IS FOR ONE TIME USE ONLY.

ELISA NAME	High Sensitivity Soluble Neuropilin 1 (Human) ELISA Kit	
Catalog No.	SK00270-06	
Lot No.	20114581	
Formulation	96 T	
Standard range	19.5 ~ 1250 pg/mL	
Sensitivity	5 pg/mL	
Sample Volume	100 μL	
Dilution	80 ~ 160 (Optimal dilutions	
Factor	should be determined by each laboratory for each application.)	
Sample Type	Serum, EDTA plasma, cell cultures	
Specificity	Human Soluble NRP1	
Calibration	human sNRP1 (Isoform B) Recombinant (HEK293)	
Intra-assay Precision	4 - 8%	
Inter-assay Precision	4 - 9%	
Storage	2 - 8° C for 4 months. See page 2 for detail	
This kit contains sufficient materials to run 35 -		

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INTRODUCTION

High Sensitivity Human Soluble Neuropilin 1 (NRP1) immunoassay is a solid phase ELISA designed to measure human sNRP1 in serum, EDTA plasma and cell cultures. It contains recombinant the glycosylated human soluble NRP1 derived from HEK293 animal free and antibodies raised against this protein. It has been shown to accurately quantify recombinant human soluble NRP1. Results obtained with naturally occurring soluble NRP1 samples showed linear curves that were parallel to the standard curves obtained using the kit standards. These results indicate that the immunoassay kit can be used to determine relative mass values for natural human Soluble NRP1.

PRINCIPLE OF THE ASSAY

This assay employs the quantitative sandwich enzyme immunoassay technique. An antibody specific for NRP1 has been pre-coated onto a microplate. Standards and samples are pipetted into the wells and any NRP1 present is bound by the immobilized antibody. After washing away any unbound substances, an antibody biotinylated specific for NRP1 is added to the wells. Following a wash to remove any unbound antibody, Streptavidin-HRP conjugate is added to the wells. After washing away any unbound enzyme, a substrate solution is added to the wells and color develops in proportion to the amount of NRP1 bound in the initial step. The color development is stopped and the intensity of the color is measured.

LIMITATIONS OF THE PROCEDURE

- _ FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY. NOT FOR USE IN DIAGNOSTIC PROCEDURES.
- _ The kit should not be used beyond the expiration date on the kit label.
- _ Do not mix or substitute reagents with those from other lots or sources.
- _ It is important that the Dilution Buffer selected for the standard curve be consistent with the samples being assayed.
- _ If samples generate values higher than the highest standard, dilute the samples with the appropriate Dilution Buffer and repeat the assay.
- _ Any variation in standard diluent, operator, pipetting technique, washing technique, incubation time or temperature, and kit age can cause variation in binding.
- _ This assay is designed to eliminate interference by soluble receptors, binding proteins, and other

factors present in biological samples. Until all factors have been tested in the immunoassay, the possibility of interference cannot be excluded.

COMPONENTS PROVIDED

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Description	Code	Quantity
NRP1 Microplate - 96 well polystyrene microplate	270-06-	1 plate
(12 strips of 8 wells) coated	04	·
with a purified Antibody	01	
against human NRP1.		
NRP1 Standard -40 ng	270-06-	1 vial
per vial of recombinant	270-00-	1 Viai
glycosylated human sNRP1	02	
His Tag (HEK293) in a buffered protein base with		
preservative; lyophilized.		
Detection Antibody		
Concentrate – 1.2 mL per	270-06-	1 vial
vial, 10-fold concentrate of	03	
purified antibody human		
NRP1 biotinylated with		
preservative; lyophilized.		
Positive Control	270-06-	1 vial
Concentrate one vial of		
recombinant glycosylated human sNRP1 His Tag	04	
(HEK293); lyophilized.		
Streptavidin-HRP		
Conjugate - 120 μl/vial,	SAHRP	1 vial
100-fold concentrated		
solution of SAHRP		
conjugate with		
preservative.		
Dilution Buffer – 45 mL	DB10	1 bottle
of buffered protein based		
solution with preservative.		
Antibody Diluent Solution - 12 mL of	DB108A	1 bottle
buffered protein based		
solution with preservative.		
HRP Diluent Buffer - 12		
mL of buffered protein	DB08C	1 bottle
based solution with		
preservative.		
Wash Buffer 20X - 25 mL	VA/DO4	1 h a 441 -
of 20-fold concentrated	WB01	1 bottle
buffered surfactant, with		
preservative.		
TMB Substrate Solution	TMB01	1 bottle
- 11 mL of TMB substrate	of TMB substrate	
solution.		
Stop Solution - 11 mL of 0.25M HCl.	S-STOP	1 bottle
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Plastic Pouch	P01	1
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STORAGE

Unopened Kit: Store at 2 - 8° C for up to 4 months. For longer storage for up to 10 months, unopened Standard, Positive Control, Detection Antibody Concentrate, Dilution Buffer and HRP Diluent Solution should be stored at -20° C. Streptavidin-HRP Conjugate and TMB Substrate Solution should be stored only at 2 -8 °C. Do not use kit past expiration date.

OTHER SUPPLIES REQUIRED

- Microplate reader capable of measuring absorbance at 450 nm.
- Microplate shaker (350-400rpm).
- Pipettes and pipette tips.
- Deionized or distilled water.
- Squirt bottle, manifold dispenser, or automated microplate washer.
- 100 mL and 500 mL graduated cylinders.

SAMPLE COLLECTION AND STORAGE

Serum - Use a serum separator tube (SST) and allow samples to clot for 30 minutes before centrifugation for 15 minutes at $1000 \times g$. Remove serum and assay immediately or aliquot and store samples at \leq -20° C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Plasma - Collect plasma using EDTA as an anticoagulant. Centrifuge for 15 minutes at $1000 \times g$ within 30 minutes of collection. Assay immediately or aliquot and store samples at \leq -20° C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

SAMPLE PREPARATION

Serum or plasma samples may require $80 \sim 160$ fold dilution.

A suggested 40 -fold dilution is 10 μ L sample + 390 μ L 1x Dilution Buffer. The final 80-fold dilution is 50 μ L per assay well of 40-fold diluted sample plus 50 μ L per assay well of Dilution Buffer. The final 160-fold dilution is 25 μ L per assay well of 40-fold diluted sample plus 75 μ L per assay well of Dilution Buffer.

Optimal dilutions should be determined by each laboratory for each application.
Use polypropylene test tubes.

REAGENT PREPARATION

Bring all reagents to room temperature before use.

Wash Buffer - If crystals have formed in the concentrate, warm to room temperature and mix gently until the crystals have completely dissolved. Dilute 25 mL of Wash Buffer Concentrate 20 X into deionized or distilled water (475 mL) to prepare 500 mL of 1x Wash Buffer.

Human NRP1 Standard - Reconstitute the Human NRP1 standard with 1 mL of Dilution Buffer. Allow the standard to sit for a minimum of 15 minutes with gentle agitation prior to making dilutions. Pipette 250 μL of Dilution Buffer into tubes #2 to #7. Use the stock solution to produce a dilution series (below). Mix each tube thoroughly before the next transfer. The **1250 pg/mL** standard serves as the high standard. The Dilution Buffer serves as the zero standard (0 pg/mL). Reconstituted NRP1 standard stock solution can be stored at $-20 \sim -70 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ for a few days.

Tube	Standard	Dilution Buffer	Concentration
stock	powder	1 mL	40000 pg/mL
#1	20 μl of stock	620µl	1250 pg/ml
#2	250μl of 1	700µl	625 pg/ml
#3	250μl of 2	250μΙ	312.5 pg/ml
# 4	250μl of 3	250μΙ	156 pg/ml
#5	250μl of 4	250μΙ	78 pg/ml
#6	250μl of 5	250μΙ	39 pg/ml
#7	250μl of 6	250μΙ	19.5 pg/ml

Positive Control - Reconstitute the **Positive Control** with 1 mL of Dilution Buffer as 5-fold concentrated stock solution. Pipette 0.4 mL of Dilution Buffer into a 1.5 mL centrifuge tube and transfer 0.1 mL of 10-fold concentrated stock solution to prepare 1 x working solution of Positive Control. Discard the 1 x working solution of Positive Control after use. Store the stock solution at -70 °C for a few days.

Detection Antibody Concentrate - Reconstitute the Detection Antibody Concentrate with 1.2 ml of **Antibody Diluent Solution (DB108A)** to produce a 10-fold concentrated stock solution. For the 96 wells test, freshly Pipette 9.45 mL of **Antibody Diluent Solution (DB108A)** into a 15 mL centrifuge tube and transfer 1.05 mL of 10-fold concentrated stock solution to prepare working solution. Reconstituted the Detection Antibody Concentrate (10-fold) can be stored at $-20 \sim -70 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ for a few days.

Streptavidin-HRP Conjugate - Pipette 11.88 mL of HRP Diluent Buffer (DB08C) into a 15 mL centrifuge tube and transfer 120 μ L of 100-fold concentrated stock solution to prepare working solution. Note: 1x working solution Streptavidin-HRP conjugate (protect from light) should be used within 10 min.

ELISA PROTOCOL

Bring all reagents and samples to room temperature before the start of the assay. Blank, standard dilutions, positive control and samples should be assayed in duplicate. ELISA Protocol may need further optimization.

- 1. Prepare all reagents and working standards as directed in the previous sections.
- 2. Add 100 μ L of Dilution Buffer to Blank wells.
- 3. Add 100 µL of standard dilutions in reverse order of serial dilution, samples, or positive control per well. Cover with plate sealer. Incubate for 2 hours on microplate shaker at room temperature.
- 4. Aspirate each well and wash, repeating the process three times for a total of four washes. Wash by filling each well with 1x Wash Buffer (300 μL) using a squirt bottle, manifold dispenser, or autowasher. Complete removal of liquid at each step is essential to good performance. After the last wash, remove any remaining Wash Buffer by aspirating or decanting. Invert the plate and blot it against clean paper towels.
- 5. Add 100 µL of Detection Antibody working solution to each well. Cover with plate sealer. Incubate for 2 hour on microplate shaker at room temperature.
- 6. Repeat the aspiration/wash as in step 4.
- 7. Add 100 μ L of Streptavidin-HRP conjugate working solution to each well. Incubate for 60 minutes on microplate shaker at room temperature. **Protect from light.**
- 8. Repeat the aspiration/wash as in step 4.
- 9. Add 100 μ L of Substrate Solution to each well. Incubate for 8-12 minutes on microplate shaker at room temperature. **Protect from light.**
- 10. Add 100 μ L of Stop Solution to each well. The color in the wells should change from blue to yellow. If the color in the wells is green, or if the color change does not appear uniform, gently tap the plate to ensure thorough mixing.
- 12. Determine the optical density of each well within 3 minutes, using a microplate reader set to 450 nm.

Average the duplicate readings for each standard, positive control and sample, and subtract the average zero standard optical density. Create a standard curve by reducing the data using computer software capable of generating a log-log or 4-parameter curve fit.

If samples have been diluted, the concentration read from the standard curve must be multiplied by the dilution factor.

TYPICAL DATA

The standard curve is provided for demonstration only. A standard curve should be generated for each set of samples assayed.

STANDARD (PG/ML)	AVERAGE OD450NM (CORRECTED)*
Blank	0 (0.084)
19.5	0.042
39	0.093
78	0.179
156	0.357
312.5	0.679
625	1.260
1250	2.139

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Positive control: 1x: 100 ~400 pg/mL

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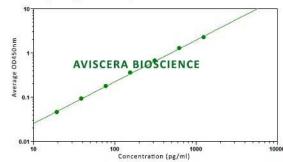
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Catalog No.: SK00270-06B Size: 192 T
Catalog No.: SK00270-06F Size: 480 T

Standard range: 19.5 ~ 1250 pg/mL

Sensitivity: 5 pg/mL

Calibration: rh neuropilin 1 (Isoform B) (HEK293)

Sample Type: Serum, Plasma



CALCULATION OF RESULTS

SPECIFICITY

PROTEINS	CROSS-REACTIVITY (%)
Human Soluble NRP1	100
(Isoform B) (HEK293)	
Human NRP2 (HEK293)	0
Human VEGF165	0
Human VEGFR1 (HEK293)	0
Human VEGFR2 (HEK293)	0

Human soluble NRP1 recombinant derived from *E. Coli* or sf21 may not be detected by this ELISA kit.

SUMMARY OF ASSAY PROCEDURE

PREPARE REAGENTS, SAMPLES AND STANDARDS Add 100 μ L of standard dilutions, samples, or positive control each well. Incubate 2 hours on the plate shaker at RT. Aspirate and wash 4 times. Add 100 μ L Detection Antibody working solution to each well. Incubate 2 hour on the plate shaker at RT. Add 100 µL Streptavidin-HRP conjugate working solution to each well. Incubate 60 min on the plate shaker at RT. Protect from light. Aspirate and wash 4 times. Add 100 μ L Substrate Solution to each well. Incubate 8-12 min on plate shaker at RT. Protect from light. Add 100 μ L Stop Solution to each well. Read 450nm within 3 min.