

PRODUCT DATASHEET

Ready-to-Assay™ DP₁ Prostanoid Receptor Frozen Cells

CATALOG NUMBER: HTS091RTA

CONTENTS: Pack contains 2 vials of mycoplasma-free cells, 1 ml per vial. Fifty (50) mL of Media Component.

STORAGE: Vials are to be stored in liquid N₂. Media Component at 4°C (-20°C for prolonged storage).

BACKGROUND

Ready-to-Assay™ GPCR frozen cells are designed for simple, rapid calcium assays with no requirement for intensive cell culturing. Eurofins Discovery Services has optimized the freezing conditions to provide cells with high viability and functionality post-thaw. The user simply thaws the cells and resuspends them in media, dispenses cell suspension into assay plates and, following overnight recovery, assays for calcium response.

Prostanoids are a series of arachidonic acid metabolites produced by the action of cyclooxygenase and subsequently by isomerases and synthases. Cells rapidly secrete prostanoids after synthesis, whereupon the prostanoids bind to a family of 8 GPCRs to exert their biological effects (Narumiya and FitzGerald, 2001). The prostaglandin PGD₂ is produced by mast cells upon activation by allergens, and is present at high levels in allergic diseases. PGD₂ binds to two receptors, DP and CRTH2. DP activates G_s to increase cAMP levels, and lack of DP results in reduced allergic response in animal models of bronchial asthma (Matsuoka *et al.*, 2000). Cloned human DP₁-expressing cell line is made in the Chem-1 host, which supports high levels of recombinant DP₁ expression on the cell surface and contains high levels of the promiscuous G protein Gα15 to couple the receptor to the calcium signaling pathway. Thus, the cell line is an ideal tool for screening for agonists, antagonists and modulators at DP₁.

USE RESTRICTIONS

Please see User Agreement (Label License) for further details. One such restriction is that the contents of the supplied vial(s) are limited to a single use and shall not be propagated and/or re-frozen by licensee.

WARNINGS

For Research Use Only; Not for Use in Diagnostic Procedures Not for Animal or Human Consumption

GMO

This product contains genetically modified organisms.
Este producto contiene organismos genéticamente modificados.
Questo prodotto contiene degli organismi geneticamente modificati.
Dieses Produkt enthält genetisch modifizierte Organismen.
Ce produit contient organismes génétiquement des modifiés.
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APPLICATIONS

Calcium Flux Assays

APPLICATION DATA

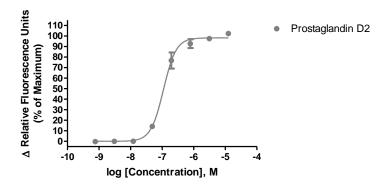


Figure 1. Representative data for activation of DP_1 receptor. Calcium flux in DP_1 -expressing Chem-1 cell line induced by Prostaglandin D2. DP_1 -expressing Chem-1 cells were loaded with a calcium dye, and calcium flux in response to the indicated ligand(s), 4-fold serial dilution with each concentration performed in duplicate, was determined on a Molecular Devices FLIPR^{TETRA}. Maximal fluorescence signal obtained in this experiment was 3,750 RLU (Relative Light Units).

Table 1. Summary of EC₅₀ values of DP₁-expressing Chem-1 cells.

LIGAND	ASSAY	POTENCY (nM)	REFERENCE
Prostaglandin D2	Calcium Flux	110	Eurofins Internal Data

ASSAY SETUP

- 1. Immediately upon receipt, thaw cells or place cells in liquid nitrogen.
- 2. Thaw cells rapidly by removing from liquid nitrogen and immediately immersing in a 37°C water bath. Immediately after ice has thawed, sterilize the exterior of the vial with 70% ethanol.
- 3. Add 1mL of pre-warmed Media Component to each vial of cells. Place contents from two vials into a 15 mL conical tube and bring the volume to 10 mL of Media Component.
- 4. Centrifuge the cell suspension at 190 x g for four minutes
- 5. Remove supernatant and add 10.5 mL of pre-warmed Media Component to resuspend the cell pellet.
- 6. Seed cell suspension into appropriate assay microplate (100 μL/well for 96-well plate, 25 μL/well for 384-well plate).
- 7. When seeding is complete, place the assay plate at room temperature for 30 minutes.
- 8. Move assay plate to a humidified 37°C 5% CO2 incubator for 24 hours.
- After 24 hour incubation, remove assay plate from the incubator and wash sufficiently with Hank's Balanced Salt Solution (HBSS) supplemented with 20mM HEPES, 2.5mM Probenecid at pH 7.4 to remove all trace of Media Component.



- 10. Prepare Fluo-8, AM (AAT Bioquest: 21080) Ca²⁺ dye by dissolving 1mg of Fluo-8 NW in 200 μL of DMSO. Once dissolved place 10 μL of Fluo-8 NW Ca²⁺ dye solution into 10 mL of HBSS 20mM HEPES, 2.5mM Probenecid pH 7.4 buffer and apply to assay microplate (Ca²⁺ dye at 10 μL /10 mL is sufficient for loading one (1) microplate).
- 11. Set-up FLIPR to dispense 3x ligand to appropriate wells in the assay plate. Set excitation wavelength at 470-495 nm (FLIPR^{TETRA}) or 485 nm (FLIPR1, FLIPR2, FLIPR3) and emission wavelength at 515-565 nm (FLIPR^{TETRA}) or emission filter for Ca²⁺ dyes (FLIPR1, FLIPR2, FLIPR3). Set pipet tip height to 5 μL below liquid level and dispense rate to 75 μL/sec (96-well format) or 50 μL/sec (384-well format). Set up plate layout and tip layout for each individual experiment. Set time course for 180 seconds, with ligand addition at 10 seconds.
- 12. Ligands are prepared in non-binding surface Corning plates (Corning 3605 96-well or Corning 3574 384-well).
- 13. After the run is complete, negative control correction is applied and data analyzed utilizing the maximum statistic.

ASSAY MATERIALS

Description	Supplier and Product Number
HBSS	Hyclone: SH30268.02
HEPES 1M Stock	EMD Millipore.: TMS-003-C
Probenicid	Sigma: P8761
Quest Fluo-8™, AM	AAT Bioquest: 21080
Prostaglandin D2 ligand	Cayman: 12010
Non-binding white plates (for ligand prep)	Corning: 3605(96-well)/3574(384-well)
Black (clear bottom) tissue-culture treated plates	Corning: 3904(96-well)/3712(384-well)

FLIPR SETTINGS

Settings for FLIPR^{TETRA}® with ICCD camera option

Option	Setting
Read Mode	Fluorescence
Ex/Em	Ex470_495 / Em515_575
Camera Gain	2000
Gate Open	6 %
Exposure Time	0.53
Read Interval	1s
Dispense Volume	50 μl (25 μl for 384-well)
Dispense Height	25 μl (50 μl for 384-well)
Dispense Speed	75 μl L/sec (50 μl for 384-well)
Expel Volume	0 μΙ
Analysis	Subtract Bias Sample 1

HOST CELL

Chem-1, an adherent rat hematopoietic cell line expressing endogenous $G\alpha 15$ protein.

EXONGENOUS GENE EXPRESSION

PTGDR cDNA (Accession Number: NM_00953; see CODING SEQUENCE below) expressed from a proprietary pHS plasmid.



CODING SEQUENCE

ATG AAG TCG CCG TTC TAC CGC TGC CAG AAC ACC ACC M K S P F Y R C Q N TCT GTG GAA AAA GGC AAC TCG GCG GTG ATG GGC GGG GTG CTC TTC AGC ACC GGC CTC CTG GGC AAC CTG V E K G N S A V M G G V G TCG GTC TTC TAC ATG CTG GTG TGT GGC CTG ACG GTC ACC GAC TTG CTG GGC AAG TGC CTC CTA AGC CCG K M L V C G L T V T D L L G GTG GTG CTG GCT GCC TAC GCT CAG AAC CGG AGT CTG CGG GTG CTT GCG CCC GCA TTG GAC AAC TCG TTG L A A Y A Q N R S L R TGC CAA GCC TTC GCC TTC TTC ATG TCC TTC TTT GGG CTC TCC TCG ACA CTG CAA CTC CTG GCC ATG GCA Q A F A F F M S F F G L S S T L Q L L A CTG GAG TGC TGG CTC TCC CTA GGG CAC CCT TTC TTC TAC CGA CGG CAC ATC ACC CTG CGC CTG GGC GCA L E C W L S L G H P F F Y R R H I T L R L G A CTG GTG GCC CCG GTG GTG AGC GCC TTC TCC CTG GCT TTC TGC GCG CTA CCT TTC ATG GGC TTC GGG AAG S A F S L A F C A L P F M TTC GTG CAG TAC TGC CCC GGC ACC TGG TGC TTT ATC CAG ATG GTC CAC GAG GAG GGC TCG CTG TCG GTG G T W C F I Q M V H E E G S L S CTG GGG TAC TCT GTG CTC TAC TCC AGC CTC ATG GCG CTG CTG GTC CTC GCC ACC GTG CTG TGC AAC CTC Y S S M A L V L GGC GCC ATG CGC AAC CTC TAT GCG ATG CAC CGG CGG CTG CAG CGG CAC CCG CGC TCC TGC ACC AGG GAC G A M R N L Y A M H R R L Q R H P R S C T R D TGT GCC GAG CCG CGC GCG GAC GGG AGG GAA GCG TCC CCT CAG CCC CTG GAG GAG CTG GAT CAC CTC CTG D G R E A S P R A Q P E E CTG CTG GCG CTG ATG ACC GTG CTC TTC ACT ATG TGT TCT CTG CCC GTA ATT TAT CGC GCT TAC TAT GGA L L A L M T V L F T M C S L P V I Y R A Y GCA TTT AAG GAT GTC AAG GAG AAA AAC AGG ACC TCT GAA GAA GCA GAA GAC CTC CGA GCC TTG CGA TTT V K E K N R T S E D E A E D CTA TCT GTG ATT TCA ATT GTG GAC CCT TGG ATT TTT ATC ATT TTC AGA TCT CCA GTA TTT CGG ATA TTT L S V I S I V D P W I F I I F R S P TTT CAC AAG ATT TTC ATT AGA CCT CTT AGG TAC AGG AGC CGG TGC AGC AAT TCC ACT AAC GTA GAA TCC F H K I F I R P L R Y R S R C S N S T N AGT CTG TGA

RELATED PRODUCTS

PRODUCT NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	
HTSCHEM-1RTA	Ready-to-Assay™ Chem-1 host frozen cells (control cells)	
HTS091C	ChemiScreen™ DP₁ Prostanoid receptor stable cell line	
HTS091M	ChemiScreen™ DP₁ Prostanoid receptor membrane prep	
HTS091L	ChemiBrite™ DP Prostanoid receptor stable cell line	



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