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# GABBR1 Protein (AA 854-960) (His tag)



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#### Overview

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In the unlikely event that the protein cannot be expressed or purified we do not charge anything (other companies might charge you for any performed steps in the expression process for custom-made proteins, e.g. fees might apply for the expression plasmid, the first expression experiments or purification optimization).

When you order this made-to-order protein you will only pay upon receival of the correctly folded protein. With no financial risk on your end you can rest assured that our experienced protein experts will do everything to make sure that you receive the protein you ordered. The concentration of our recombinant proteins is measured using the absorbance at 280nm. The protein's absorbance will be measured in several dilutions and is measured against its specific reference buffer.

The concentration of the protein is calculated using its specific absorption coefficient. We use the Expasy's protparam tool to determine the absorption coefficient of each protein.

#### Purification:

Two step purification of proteins expressed in baculovirus infected SF9 insect cells:

- 1. In a first purification step, the protein is purified from the cleared cell lysate using three different His-tag capture materials: high yield, EDTA resistant, or DTT resistant. Eluate fractions are analyzed by SDS-PAGE.
- 2. Protein containing fractions of the best purification are subjected to second purification step through size exclusion chromatography. Eluate fractions are analyzed by SDS-PAGE and Western blot.

Purity:

>95 % as determined by SDS PAGE, Size Exclusion Chromatography and Western Blot.

Sterility:

0.22 µm filtered

Endotoxin Level:

Protein is endotoxin free.

Grade:

Crystallography grade

#### **Target Details**

Target:	GABBR1
Alternative Name:	Gabbr1 (GABBR1 Products)
Background:	Component of a heterodimeric G-protein coupled receptor for GABA, formed by GABBR1 and
	GABBR2. Within the heterodimeric GABA receptor, only GABBR1 seems to bind agonists, while
	GABBR2 mediates coupling to G proteins. Ligand binding causes a conformation change that
	triggers signaling via guanine nucleotide-binding proteins (G proteins) and modulates the
	activity of down-stream effectors, such as adenylate cyclase. Signaling inhibits adenylate

cyclase, stimulates phospholipase A2, activates potassium channels, inactivates voltage-
dependent calcium-channels and modulates inositol phospholipid hydrolysis. Calcium is
required for high affinity binding to GABA. Plays a critical role in the fine-tuning of inhibitory
synaptic transmission. Pre-synaptic GABA receptor inhibits neurotransmitter release by down-
regulating high-voltage activated calcium channels, whereas postsynaptic GABA receptor
decreases neuronal excitability by activating a prominent inwardly rectifying potassium (Kir)
conductance that underlies the late inhibitory postsynaptic potentials. Not only implicated in
synaptic inhibition but also in hippocampal long-term potentiation, slow wave sleep, muscle
relaxation and antinociception. {ECO:0000269 PubMed:10773016}.

Molecular Weight:	13.4 kDa Including tag.
UniProt:	Q9WV18
Pathways:	Positive Regulation of Peptide Hormone Secretion, cAMP Metabolic Process

## **Application Details**

Application Notes:	In addition to the applications listed above we expect the protein to work for functional studies
	as well. As the protein has not been tested for functional studies yet we cannot offer a gurantee
	though.
Comment:	Protein has not been tested for activity yet. In cases in which it is highly likely that the

recombinant protein with the default tag will be insoluble our protein lab may suggest a higher molecular weight tag (e.g. GST-tag) instead to increase solubility. We will discuss all possible options with you in detail to assure that you receive your protein of interest.

Restrictions: For Research Use only

## Handling

Format:	Liquid
Buffer:	100 mM NaCL, 20 mM Hepes, 10% glycerol. pH value is at the discretion of the manufacturer.
Handling Advice:	Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Storage:	-80 °C
Storage Comment:	Store at -80°C.
Expiry Date:	Unlimited (if stored properly)



**Image 1.** "Crystallography Grade" protein due to multi-step, protein-specific purification process