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Abstract

This protocol describes purification of MBP-TEV-NAP1 protein.

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Materials

Reagents

- NAP1 WT (RRID:Addgene_208871)
- NAP1 delta-NDP52 (S37K/A44E) (RRID:Addgene_208872)
- NAP1 delta-TBK1 (L226Q/L233Q) (RRID:Addgene_208873)
- pGEX-4T1 vector
- 2xTY medium
- D-maltose (Santa Cruz)
- IPTG
- Amylose beads (Biolabs)

Lysis buffer

	A	B
	Tris-HCl pH 7.4	50 mM
	NaCl	300 mM
	DTT	1 mM
	MgCl ₂	2 mM
	glycerol	5%
	β-mercaptoethanol	2 mM
	cOmplete EDTA-free protease inhibitors (Roche)	
	DNase (Sigma)	

Wash buffer

	A	B
	Tris-HCl pH 7.4	50 mM
	NaCl	300 mM
	glycerol	5%
	DTT	1 mM

High-salt wash buffer



	A	B
	Tris-HCl pH 7.4	50 mM
	NaCl	700 mM
	glycerol	5%
	DTT	1 mM

SEC buffer

	A	B
	Tris-HCl pH 7.4	25 mM
	NaCl	300 mM
	DTT	1 mM

Equipment

- SORVAL RC6+ centrifuge
- F21S-8×50Y rotor (Thermo Scientific)
- Amicon filter (Merck Millipore)
- Superose 6 Increase 10/300 GL column (Cytiva)



Purification of MBP-NAP1

20h 46m

- 1 To purify MBP-NAP1, gene-synthesize human NAP1 cDNA (by Genscript) and subclone into a pGEX-4T1 vector with an N-terminal MBP-tag. Follow it by a TEV cleavage site before wild-type NAP1 (RRID:Addgene_208871), NAP1 delta-NDP52 (S37K/A44E) (RRID:Addgene_208872), or NAP1 delta-TBK1 (L226Q/L233Q) (RRID:Addgene_208873).
- 2 For expression of MBP-TEV-NAP1 in *E. coli*, transfer the pGEX-4T1 vector encoding MBP-TEV-NAP1 into *E. coli* Rosetta pLySS cells. Grow the cells in 2xTY medium at 37 °C until an OD₆₀₀ of 0.4 and then continue at 18 °C .
- 3 Once the cells reached an OD₆₀₀ of 0.8, induce protein expression with 50 micromolar (μM) IPTG for 16:00:00 at 18 °C . 16h
- 4 Collect the cells by centrifugation and resuspend them in lysis buffer.

Lysis buffer

A	B
Tris-HCl pH 7.4	50 mM
NaCl	300 mM
DTT	1 mM
MgCl ₂	2 mM
glycerol	5%
β-mercaptoethanol	2 mM
cComplete EDTA-free protease inhibitors (Roche)	
DNase (Sigma)	

- 5 Sonicate cell lysates and then clear by centrifugation.
- 5.1 Sonicate cell lysates for 00:00:30 . (1/2) 30s
- 5.2 Sonicate cell lysates for 00:00:30 . (2/2) 30s



- 5.3 Then, centrifugation at  18000 rpm, 4°C, 00:45:00 in a SORVAL RC6+ centrifuge with an F21S-8×50Y rotor (Thermo Scientific). 
- 6 Collect and incubate the supernatant with pre-equilibrated Amylose beads (Biolabs) for  02:00:00 at  4 °C with gentle shaking to bind MBP-TEV-NAP1. 

- 7 Centrifuge the samples to pellet the beads and remove the unbound lysate. 
- 8 Wash the beads twice with wash buffer, once with high salt wash buffer, and two more times with wash buffer. 

Wash buffer

	A	B
	Tris-HCl pH 7.4	50 mM
	NaCl	300 mM
	glycerol	5%
	DTT	1 mM

High-salt wash buffer

	A	B
	Tris-HCl pH 7.4	50 mM
	NaCl	700 mM
	glycerol	5%
	DTT	1 mM

- 9 Incubate the beads  Overnight at  4 °C with  250 millimolar (mM) D-maltose (Santa Cruz) dissolved in wash buffer. 
 
- 10 After the proteins are released from the beads, filter the MBP-TEV-NAP1 protein through a  0.45 µm syringe filter, concentrate using a 30 kDa cut-off Amicon filter (Merck Millipore), and load onto a pre-equilibrated Superose 6 Increase 10/300 GL column (Cytiva).



- 11 Elute the proteins with SEC buffer.

SEC buffer

	A	B
	Tris-HCl pH 7.4	25 mM
	NaCl	300 mM
	DTT	1 mM

- 12 Analyze the fractions by SDS-PAGE and Coomassie staining.



- 13 Pool the fractions containing purified MBP-TEV-NAP1 protein.

- 14 After concentrating the purified protein, aliquot the protein and snap-freeze in liquid nitrogen. Store the proteins at  -80 °C .

