## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

## cAMPZen®

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# Human Adenosine A<sub>1</sub> Receptor, Frozen Cells

Product No.: ES-010-CF

Lot No.: 2336089

### **Material Provided**

Cells: 1 x 1 mL frozen aliquot

Format: ~2.5 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells / mL in Ham's F-12, 10% FBS

**Product Information** 

Cellular Background: CHO-K1

Frozen cells info: Frozen recombinant, CHO-K1 cells expressing the Human

Adenosine A<sub>1</sub> receptor.

**DNA Sequence:** Identical to coding sequence of GenBank AY136746.1.

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Corresponding Protein Sequence: Identical to GenBank NP 000665.1

Storage Conditions: Store in liquid nitrogen (vapor phase) immediately upon receipt, or

maximum 15 days at -80°C. cAMPZen® is designed for single use

only. Do not refreeze.

### **Quality Control**

EC<sub>50</sub> for a reference agonist is determined using a LANCE<sup>®</sup> *Ultra* (Figure 1). Mycoplasma test is performed using MycoAlert<sup>®</sup> Mycoplasma detection kit. \*We certify that these results meet our quality release criteria.

N6-Cyclopentyladenosine (CPA) - (EC<sub>50</sub>): 0.63 nM

**Mycoplasma:** This cell line tested negative for Mycoplasma.



## **Recommended Thawing Conditions and Handling of Frozen Cells**

- Carefully follow instructions below to obtain the expected results. Most Frozen cells are intended to be
  assayed immediately upon thawing. Exceptionally, where specified, some frozen cell products require an
  overnight incubation in Cell Medium to enable them to perform optimally.
- The recommended media catalogue number and supplier reference information are listed in this Product Technical Data Sheet (last page). Media composition is specifically defined for each cell type and receptor. The use of incorrect media or component substitutions can lead to altered product performance. Additionally, the instructions for the preparation of ligands must be carefully followed to avoid ligand precipitation, degradation or adsorption. Inappropriate preparation may result in a non-representative pharmacology.
- The complete thawing procedure must not exceed 30 min. Cell viability below 90% upon thawing may indicate that the Frozen cells were affected by incorrect thawing procedure and may yield to lower performance. Ensure the cells are not clumped and are evenly distributed in the assay plates. **Gently** pipet up and down if cells are clumped before dispensing the cells. Frozen cells **cannot** be re-frozen.

Assay Medium (for immediate thaw and use): LANCE kit Assay Buffer (see below)

Cell Medium (for overnight incubation prior to use): Ham's F-12, 10% FBS

### **Thawing Cells:**

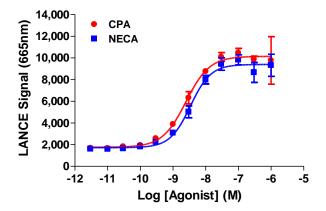
- Using appropriate personal protective equipment, rapidly place the frozen aliquot in a 37°C water bath (do not submerge) until its content is thawed completely. Immediately remove from water bath, spray aliquot with 70% ethanol and wipe excess. Under aseptic conditions using a sterile pipette, gently resuspend the cells in the cryovials and transfer content to a sterile centrifuge tube containing 10 mL of the Assay or Cell Medium prewarmed to 37°C, and centrifuge (150 x g, 5 min.). Do not exceed the recommended centrifugal force. Discard supernatant using a sterile pipette. Gently resuspend cell pellet in 5 mL of appropriate pre-warmed medium by gently pipetting up and down to break up any clumps. For immediate use, dilute cells to recommended cell density in Assay Medium.
- For an overnight incubation step, plate the cells in Cell Medium in a T25 cm<sup>2</sup> culture flask. Incubate overnight at 37°C in a humidified atmosphere with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. To harvest cells, under aseptic conditions, remove media, rinse with 1.5 mL of calcium and magnesium-free PBS, add 1.5 mL Versene or calcium and magnesium-free PBS/0.5 mM EDTA, and incubate at room temperature until cells detach (do not exceed 5-10 minutes). Add 3 mL of Assay Medium, collect the cells, centrifuge (150 x g, 5 min) and resuspend in Assay Medium to the recommended cell density.

## Recommended Cell Density per Assay Point (LANCE® Ultra): 500 cells/well

- **Do not** dilute the cells below the recommended cell density. Cell density per assay point will depend on the kit used to determine cAMP concentration. As a general rule, 4 to 5 times less cells are used when working with the cAMP LANCE<sup>®</sup> *Ultra* compared to when working with the cAMP LANCE<sup>®</sup> kit. The optimal cell density when using other cAMP kits needs to be determined.
- Ligand(s) and cells must be well mixed. When running a cAMP assay, centrifuging the plate (150 x g, 30 sec.) after addition of cells and ligands will ensure adequate mixing. If this step is omitted, the cells may not respond to the ligands as expected because insufficient contact with the ligand was made.



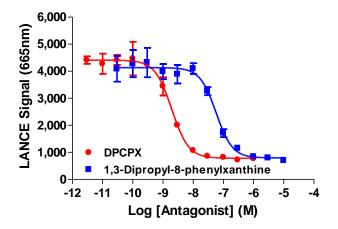
## **Typical Product Data**



Agonist	EC <sub>50</sub> (M)		
CPA	2.5 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>		
NECA	3.4 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>		

Figure 1: Agonist Response in LANCE® Ultra cAMP assay

An agonist dose-response experiment was performed in 384-well format using 2 500 cells/well. Cell stimulation was performed for 30 min at room temperature with 10 µM Forskolin (FK) and the indicated agonist concentrations. Reader: EnVision® (laser mode). Data from a representative experiment are shown. The Z'-factor was calculated for N6-Cyclopentyladenosine with at least 16 background and 16 maximal signal points (Z'= 0.60). Note: Those results were obtained using the specific cAMP phosphodiesterase inhibitor Rolipram since the non specific inhibitor of cAMP phosphodiesterase IBMX is an antagonist of the A1 adenosine receptors.



Antagonist	IC <sub>50</sub> (M)
DPCPX	2.0 x 10 <sup>-9</sup>
1,3-Dipropyl-8-	5.8 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>
phenylxanthine	3.6 X 10

Figure 2: Antagonist Response in LANCE® Ultra cAMP assay

An antagonist dose-response experiment was performed in 384-well format using 2 500 cells/well and 4.5 nM CPA. Cell stimulation was performed for 30 min at room temperature, and the agonists, antagonist and 10 µM Forskolin were added simultaneously. Reader: EnVision® (laser mode). Data from a representative experiment are shown.



# LANCE® Ultra cAMP Assay Procedure

Stimulation Buffer: HBSS, 5 mM HEPES, 0.1 % Protease-free BSA, 25 µM Rolipram, pH 7.4.

Cells/well: For compounds not tested herein we recommend titrating the cells for optimal

performance, i.e. 500-3 000 cells per assay point.

cAMP measurements can be performed with the LANCE<sup>®</sup> *Ultra* cAMP 384 Kit (PerkinElmer # TRF0262), according to the manufacturer instructions. Briefly:

Protocols for a 384-well white Optiplate (total assay volume of 20 µL):

cAMP Standard curve	G <sub>s</sub> Agonist	G <sub>s</sub> Antagonist	G <sub>i</sub> Forskolin titration	G <sub>i</sub> Agonist	G <sub>i</sub> Antagonist	
5 μL cAMP Standard	5 µL cell suspension	5 µL cell suspension	5 µL cell suspension	5 µL cell suspension	5 µL cell suspension	
5 μL Stimulation Buffer	5 μL Agonist	2.5 µL Antagonist	5 µL Forskolin	2.5 µL Agonist	2.5 µL Antagonist	
-	-	2.5 µL Agonist	-	2.5 µL Forskolin	2.5 µL Forskolin/Agonist	
Incubate 30 min at room temperature (optional step for cAMP Standard curve)						
5 μL 4X Eu-cAMP Tracer Working Solution						
5 μL 4X U <i>Light</i> -anti-cAMP Working Solution						
Incubate 1 h at room temperature						
Read on an EnVision <sup>®</sup> instrument. Remove microplate seal prior to reading						

- Thawed cells prepared as described above are resuspended in stimulation buffer e.g. at the concentration of 5.0 x 10<sup>5</sup> cells/mL (for 2 500 cells/well).
- 2. Prepare the **4X Tracer Working Solution** by making a **1/50** dilution of the Eu-cAMP stock solution in the cAMP Detection Buffer.
- 3. Prepare an **ULight-anti-cAMP Intermediate Solution** by making a **1/10** dilution of the U*Light*-anti-cAMP stock solution in cAMP Detection Buffer. Prepare the **4X ULight-anti-cAMP Working Solution** by making a **1/30** dilution of the U*Light*-anti-cAMP intermediate solution in the cAMP Detection Buffer.

#### Notes:

 For 96- and 1536-well formats, adjust proportionally the volume of each assay component in order to maintain the volume ratios for the 384-well format. Do not modify the Eu-cAMP and/or the ULight-anti-cAMP concentrations.



# LANCE® cAMP Assay Procedure

#### **Precautions and Recommendations:**

- Do not vigorously vortex solutions containing cAMP antibody.
- When preparing the Detection Mix, always dilute the Eu-SA component first, and then add the Biotin-cAMP component to the Eu-SA solution.
- As IBMX has antagonist activity to the A<sub>1</sub> receptor (Jockers *et al.* 1994), rolipram is used here instead for the inhibition of cAMP degradation by phosphodiesterases.

Assay Buffer: HBSS, 5 mM HEPES, 0.1 % Protease-free BSA, 25 μM Rolipram, pH 7.4.

Cells/well: For compounds not tested herein we recommend titrating the cells for optimal

performance, i.e. 1000-10 000 cells per assay point.

Antagonist Pre-incubation: Simultaneous addition of antagonists with reference agonist.

**Agonist Stimulation:** 30 min at room temperature (22°C).

cAMP measurements were performed with the LANCE<sup>®</sup> cAMP 384 Kit (PerkinElmer Cat n°AD0263), according to the manufacturer instructions. Briefly:

1. Compounds (6 μL/well) were dispensed into a 384-well white Optiplate:

	$G_{\alpha s}$ and $G_{\alpha i}$ assay modes		Gαs assay mode		Gαi assay mode		
	Basal	Forskolin	Agonist Assay	Antagonist Assay	Agonist Assay	Antagonist Assay	
Buffer	6 µL	-	-	-	-	-	
Antagonist	-	-	-	3 μL of 4x final conc.	-	3 μL of 4x final conc.	
Agonist	-	-	6 μL of 2x final conc.	3 μL of 4x final conc.	6 μL of 2x final conc. in 2x final FK conc.	3 μL of 4x final conc. in 4x final FK conc.	
Forskolin	-	6 μL of 2x final conc.	-	-	T IX COIIC.	i ix conc.	

- Thawed cells prepared as exposed above were resuspended in assay buffer at the desired concentration of cells/mL.
- 3. The Alexa Fluor® 647-anti cAMP antibody was added 1/100 (vol/vol) to the cells suspension.
- 4. 6 μL/well of cell and antibody suspension (1 000-10 000 cells/well) were dispensed on top of the compounds prepared in the 384 well Optiplate.
- After incubation for 30 min at room temperature the reaction was stopped by addition of 12 μL of Detection Mix.
- 6. The plate was incubated for 60 min at room temperature, and read with an EnVision<sup>®</sup>.

Note: Assays can also be miniaturized into 1536-well format.



#### **Materials and Instrumentation**

The following tables provide the references of compounds and reagents used or recommended for the characterization of the human Adenosine  $A_1$  Frozen cells, as well as some advice on how to use these compounds:

Table 1. References of compounds used for functional characterization

Name	Provider	Cat n°	Working Stock Solution
N6-Cyclopentyladenosine (CPA)	Sigma	C8031	10 mM in ethanol
NECA	Sigma	E2387	10 mM in DMSO
DPCPX	Tocris	0439	5 mM in DMSO
rolipram	Tocris	0905	50 mM in DMSO
1,3-Dipropyl-8-phenylxanthine	Tocris	0486	10 mM in DMSO
Forskolin	Calbiochem	344270	50 mM in DMSO

Table 2. References of cell culture media and assay buffers.

Note: The table below lists generic media and additives typically used for PerkinElmer Frozen cells. For product specific media and additives, please refer to the "Recommended Thawing Conditions and Handling of Frozen Cells" section.

Name	Provider	Cat n°
HAM's F-12	Hyclone	SH30026.02
DMEM	Hyclone	SH30022.02
Advanced DMEM/F12 (serotonin receptors)	Invitrogen	12634-010
EMEM	BioWitthaker	06-174G
EX-CELL DHFR media (DHFR deficient cell lines)	Sigma	C8862
FBS	Wisent	80150
FBS dialyzed	Wisent	80950
Calcium and magnesium-free PBS	GIBCO	11010
Standard HBSS (with CaCl <sub>2</sub> and MgCl <sub>2</sub> )	GIBCO	14025
HEPES	MP Biomedicals, LLC	101926
BSA, Protease-free	Sigma	A-3059
Trypsin-EDTA	Hyclone	SH30236.02
Sodium Pyruvate	GIBCO	11360
L-Glutamine	GIBCO	25030
NEAA (non-essential amino acids)	GIBCO	11140
IBMX	Sigma	I-5879
Forskolin	Sigma	F6886

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