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Compound Screening for SARS-CoV-2 Proteins Using MST/Dianthus

Quality control SARS-CoV-2 polymerase complex (nsp12:nsp8:nsp7)

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QC summary - nsp12:nsp8:nsp7 PD15376



- The SARS-CoV-2 polymerase complex (nsp12:nsp8:nsp7) was analyzed by standard quality control comprising SDS-PAGE and analytical SEC
- SDS-PAGE shows a pure protein sample with clear bands for nsp12 and nsp8 but no signal for nsp7
 → nsp7 is underrepresented or not present in final sample
- Analytical SEC performed at room temperature shows two peaks indicating dissociation of the complex and separate elution of nsp12 and nsp8
 - → The complex is not stable under the tested condition and might be temperature-sensitive
- Taken together, the quality control demonstrates that the sample does not contain intact, trimeric SARS-CoV2 polymerase complex suitable for biophysical experiments
- Optional next step: MS analysis to analyze integrity of the individual subunits and identify potential traces of nsp7 in the sample



Protein data sheet - nsp12:nsp8:nsp7 PD15376



Protein: nsp12:nsp8:nsp7 (Uniprot ID: P0DTD1)

Construct ID: n.a. Lot-ID: PD15376

Protein Purification	Concentration (A280, mg/mL) [†]	Aliquot size (µL)	A260/A280	Modification / Ligand	Tag
	3.1	50	n.a.	none	N-terminal on nsp12: His ₁₄ -TEV
	Expression system	Purification steps	Storage buffer		
	E. coli	n.a.	10 mM Hepes/NaOH, 150 mM NaCl, 0.5mM MgCl2, 50% Glycerol, pH 8.0		
Quality control *	Analytical SEC	Purity based on SDS-PAGE	Intact mass (Da)	Peptide mass fingerprinting	
	two peaks	>90%	n.a.	n.a.	
Protein parameters	Theoretical MW (Da)	Theoretical extinction coefficient (= 1 g/L)	Construct boundaries	Mutations	Theoretical pl
	nsp12: 109980.7 nsp8: 22429.7 nsp7: 9371.0	1.14	n.a.	n.a.	6.8

Amino acid sequence

nsp12:

MGKHHHHSGHHHTGHHHHSGSHHHTSSSASTGSADAQSFLNRVCGVSAARLTPCGTGTSTDVVYRAFDIYNDKVAGFAKFLKTNCCRFQEKDEDDNLIDSYFVVKRHTFSNYQHEETIYNLLKDCPAVAKHDFFKFRIDGDMVPHISRQRLTKYTMADLVYALRHFDEGNCD
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RILGAGCFVDDIVKTDGTLMIERFVSLAIDAYPLTKHPNQEYADVFHLYLQYIRKLHDELTGHMLDMYSVMLTNDNTSRYWEPEFYEAMYTPHTVL

nsp8:

MTGDGSAIASEFSSLPSYAAFATAQEAYEQAVANGDSEVVLKKLKKSLNVAKSEFDRDAAMQRKLEKMADQAMTQMYKQARSEDKRAKVTSAMQTMLFTMLRKLDNDALNNIINNARDGCVPLNIIPLTTAAKLMVVIPDYNTYKNTCDGTTFTYASALWEIQQVVDADSKIV QLSEISMDNSPNLAWPLIVTALRANSAVKLQ

nsp7:

MSKMSDVKCTSVVLLSVLQQLRVESSSKLWAQCVQLHNDILLAKDTTEAFEKMVSLLSVLLSMQGAVDINKLCEEMLDNRATLQ

Handling information: Store at – 80 °C, use immediately after thawing, do not re-freeze.

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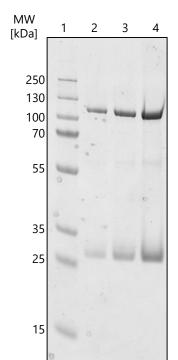
^{*} Measured after one freeze-thaw cycle

[†] Provided by client

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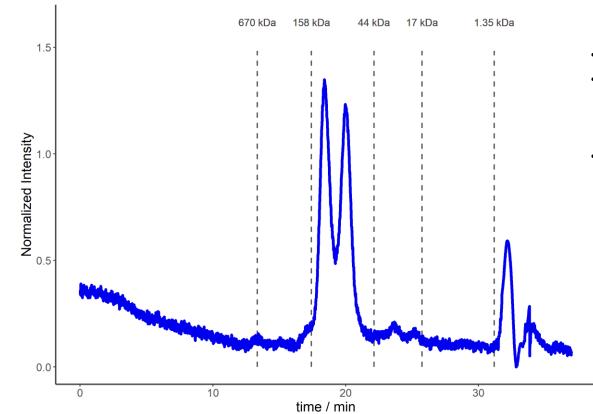


SDS-PAGE



- 10% Tris-Glycine gel
- Reducing condition
- · Coomassie stained
- Sample: nsp12:nsp8:nsp7 PD15376
- Theoretical MW [kDa]: Complex: nsp12: 110.0 nsp8: 22.4 nsp7: 9.4

Lane	Quantity [†]	
1	Marker	
2	1 μg	
3	2 μg	
4	5 μg	



aSEC chromatogram

- Column: S200 increase 10/300
- Running buffer:
 10 mM HEPES/NaOH, 150 mM
 NaCl, 0.5 mM MgCl2, 10%
 Glycerole, pH 8.0
- Retention time of globular standard proteins is indicated by dotted lines

- SDS-PAGE shows pure sample (>90% purity); no indication of degradation
 - SDS-PAGE does not show a clear band for nsp7 indicating that this subunits is underrepresented or not present in the sample
- Analytical SEC shows two peaks, presumably corresponding to the individual subunits nsp12 and nsp8
 - → Complex is dissociated and the subunits elute individually from aSEC
- Additional peak at the end of the column volume is the result of a slight mismatch between running and storage buffer

 †Calculated based on concentration provided by client

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