Trypsin-digested BSA
MS Standard
(CAM-modified)

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500 pmol Lot: 0121509 Exp: 9/17
freeze dried Store at –20°C

Description: A complex mixture of peptides produced by Trypsin digestion of Bovine Serum Albumin (BSA) that was reduced and alkylated with iodoacetamide (CAM modified). This peptide mixture can be used to test a Matrix-Assisted Laser Desorption/ Ionization Time-Of-Flight (MALDI-TOF) or Electrospray Ionization (ESI) mass spectrometer (TOF, Q-TOF or Ion Trap).

Source: BSA (GENBANK P02769) was digested using Trypsin (TPCK-treated).

Quality Assurance: Peptides are free of salts, glycerol and detergents.

Quality Controls

Online Controls: One hundred fmol of the digest solution is injected via a split-less Agilent NanoLC onto a reverse phase C18 column and analyzed online by an Orbitrap Mass Spectrometer (Thermo Scientific) with an electrospray ion source. Peptides are separated by a water to acetonitrile gradient, both solvents containing 0.1% formic acid. MS/MS spectra were acquired using an acquisition range of 400 to 1600 m/z. Greater than 60% sequence coverage is observed.

MALDI-TOF MS: The BSA digest is dissolved to 1 pmol/µl. One µl of digest is mixed with 1 µl of α-cyano-4-hydroxycinnamic acid matrix solution, air-dried and subjected to MALDI-TOF MS analysis on a Waters Micro MX MALDI-TOF MS. The spectra obtained contains more than 15 resolved peaks which match the theoretical peaks.

Notes: Suggested volume to resuspend: 500 µl. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles once in solution.

Useful Range: 500 to 3000 Daltons.
Online Analysis of BSA Digest: The BSA digest solution was diluted to 100 fmol/μl with 0.1% formic acid. One μl (100 fmol) of the digest solution was injected via an Easy-nanoLC II (Proxeon) onto a self-packed reverse phase C18 nano column (Phenomenex packing material, 5 cm, 150 μm) and loaded onto a self-packed C18 analytical column with an integrated tip (New Objective Picofrit, 15 cm, 100 μm, Phenomenex packing material). Peptides were separated using a 45 min 5-70%B gradient (A = 0.1% formic acid, B = CH3CN, 0.1% formic acid) at a flow rate of 400 nl/min. Eluting peptides were analyzed online by a Q-Exactive mass spectrometer (Thermo Scientific) with an electrospray ion source. MS/MS spectra were acquired by HCD using an acquisition range of 400 to 1600 m/z.