

# Phosphodiesterase 4 (PDE4) ACTOne<sup>™</sup> Stable Cell Line

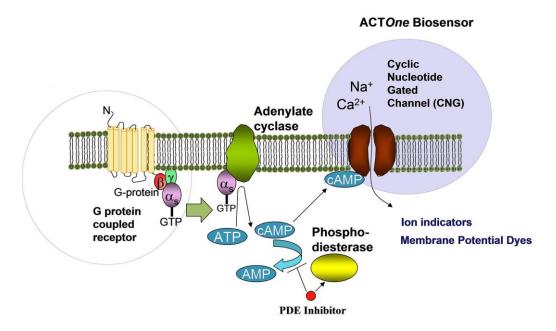
CATALOG NUMBER: CL-03-PDE4

#### Introduction

Phosphodiesterase 4 belongs to the cyclic nucleotide phosphodiesterase (PDE) family. This PDE hydrolyzes the second messenger, cAMP, which is a regulator and mediator of a number of cellular responses to extracellular signals. Thus, by regulating the cellular concentration of cAMP, this protein plays a key role in many important physiological processes.

#### **Description**

Human PDE4 ACTOne™ is a HEK293-CNG cell line that expresses endogenous human PDE4 (mainly 4B&4D). HEK293-CNG cells express a modified CNG (Cyclic Nucleotide Gated) channel that opens in response to elevated intracellular cAMP levels and consequently result in ion flux (often detectable by calcium-responsive dye, Cat# CA-C155) and cell membrane depolarization which can be easily measured with fluorescent Membrane Potential Dye (Cat# CA-M165). The assay allows both end-point and kinetic measurement of intracellular cAMP changes with a FLIPR, or a fluorescence microplate reader.



#### **Parental Cells**

HEK-293 CNG cells (originally developed by BD Biosciences) (Cat# CL-03-PC20)

### **Gene Introduced**

Constitutively active Gs coupled GPCR gene

## **Applications**

- cAMP dependent human PDE4 cell based assay
- cell based high-throughput screening of endogenous human PDE4 inhibitors

#### **Functional Test**

- this cell line has been tested positive for PDE4 specific response
- surviving rate: More than 2.5 million/vial on the second day after thawing
- the receptor specific activity is stable for 10 weeks continuous passage





# **Mycoplasma Contamination Test**

This lot of cells has been tested and found to be free of mycoplasma contamination.

#### Content

• Stable cells: 1 mL (1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells/mL in 70% DMEM, 20% FBS, 10% DMSO)

## **Growth Properties**

Adherent

#### **Cell Culture Medium**

- DMEM-10% FBS supplemented with 250 μg/ml G418, 1 μg/ml Puromycin and 5 μg/ml blasticidin.
- Freezing medium: 10% DMSO, 90% complete cell culture medium

# **Storage**

Remove the frozen cells from the dry ice packaging and immediately place the cells at a temperature below -130°C, preferably in liquid nitrogen vapor, until ready for use.

### **Data Analysis**

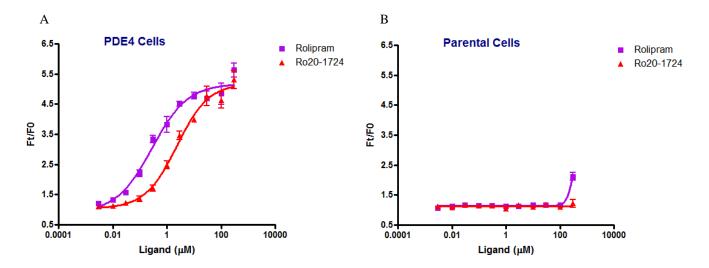


Figure 1. Response of ACTOne™ PDE4 cell line & parental cell line to Rolipram and Ro20-1724.

ACTOne<sup>TM</sup> PDE4 cells and parental cells (CL-003-PC20) were plated overnight in 20 μl culture medium on a 384 well Biocoat plate. The next day, cells were dye-loaded with 20 μl/well of membrane potential dye (CA-M165). After 2 hours of incubation at room temperature, baseline was recorded using a FlexStation (Molecular Devices) (F0). 10 μl of PDE inhibitors at various concentrations were added to the cell plate, and the data was recorded 30 minutes (Ft) after drug addition. Dose response curves were generated by Prism.

- A. Dose response curves of Rolipram and Ro20-1724 in ACTOne<sup>™</sup> PDE4 cell line. EC50 = 0.28 μM for Rolipram and EC50 = 2.34 μM for Ro20-1724.
- B. Parental cells do not respond to Rolipram or Ro20-1724.

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