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# Recombinant *Renilla reniformis* Luciferase Western Blotting Control

Catalog number:	Size:	Species:
RB-15-0003P-WBC	100 μL (20 lanes)	Renilla reniformis

## Synonyms

RLuc.

## Description

Luciferase belongs to the oxidative enzymes used in bioluminescence and is different from the photoprotein. In the luciferase reaction, luciferase acts on the appropriate substrate luciferin and light is emitted. A variety of organisms regulate their light production using different luciferases. The well-studied luciferases are mainly from fireflies and *Renilla*.

# Preparation

The full-length of *Renilla* luciferase gene was cloned and expressed in *Escherichia coli*. The recombinant protein has been engineered an in-framed 6×histidine tag at its *C*-terminus. It was purified by immobilized metal ion affinity chromatography (IMAC).

#### Source

Recombinant histidine-tagged protein, purified from *E. coli*.

#### Predicted Molecular Mass

~30 kDa with the 6× histidine tag.

#### **Formulation**

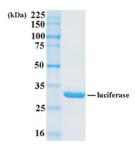
Liquid. Supplied in  $1\times$  SDS Loading Buffer (60 mM Tris-HCl, pH 6.8, 2% SDS, 10% glycerol, 5% 2-mercaptoethanol, 0.002% bromphenol blue).

### Storage

The protein is stable at -20 °C freezer.

# **Purity**

>95%, determined by SDS-PAGE and stained with Commassie blue. See gel image below.



# **Applications**

Before use, heat the WBC control at 95  $^{\circ}$ C for 5 minutes. Spin down the sample and load 5  $\mu$ L per lane onto SDS-PAGE gel.

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