

# Recombinant Mouse SMPD1/ASM Protein (His Tag)

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**Note:** Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

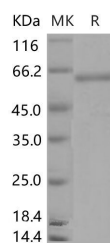
## Description

<b>Synonyms</b>	A-SMase;ASM;aSMase;Zn-SMase
<b>Species</b>	Mouse
<b>Expression Host</b>	Baculovirus-Insect Cells
<b>Sequence</b>	Met 1-Leu 626
<b>Accession</b>	Q04519
<b>Calculated Molecular Weight</b>	66.3 kDa
<b>Observed molecular weight</b>	63 kDa
<b>Tag</b>	C-His
<b>Bioactivity</b>	Measured by its ability to cleave 2-N-Hexadecanoylamino-4-nitrophenylphosphorylcholine(HNPPC). The specific activity is > 1, 500 pmoles/min/μg.

## Properties

<b>Purity</b>	> 85 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.
<b>Endotoxin</b>	< 1.0 EU per μg of the protein as determined by the LAL method.
<b>Storage</b>	Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to -80°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.
<b>Shipping</b>	This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.
<b>Formulation</b>	Lyophilized from sterile 20mM Tris, 500mM NaCl, 10% glycerol, pH 8.0, 0.1% Tween20 Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01 % Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization. Please refer to the specific buffer information in the pri
<b>Reconstitution</b>	Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

## Data



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## Background

Sphingomyelin phosphodiesterase 1 (SMPD1), also known as ASM (acid sphingomyelinase), is a member of the acid sphingomyelinase family of enzymes. Three isoforms have been identified, isoform 1 is 631 amino acids (aa) in length as the pro form, while Isoform 2 and isoform 3 have lost catalytic activity. The active SMPD1 isoform 1 contains one saposin B-type domain that likely interacts with sphingomyelin, and a catalytic region. Human SMPD1 is 86% aa identical

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to mouse SMPD1. SMPD1 is a monomeric lysosomal enzyme that converts sphingomyelin (a plasma membrane lipid ) into ceramide through the removal of phosphorylcholine. This generates second messenger components that participate in signal transduction. Defects in SMPD1 are the cause of Niemann-Pick disease type A (NPA) and type B (NPB), also known as Niemann-Pick disease classical infantile form and Niemann-Pick disease visceral form. Niemann-Pick disease is a clinically and genetically heterogeneous recessive disorder. NPB has little if any neurologic involvement and patients may survive into adulthood.

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