



***E. coli* RuvB Protein, functional**

***E. coli* RuvB protein** forms a complex with RuvA protein at the late stage of homologous recombination and recombination repair and binds specifically to the Holliday structure which is the intermediate of recombination, allowing the migration of Holliday junction using ATP hydrolysis energy and expands the heteroduplex region. **RuvB** forms a hexamer ring structure and surrounds the double chain DNA and covers RuvA tetramer bound to the Holliday junction from both sides. **RuvB** is a DNA motor protein which possesses the ATPase activity, activated by DNA and RuvA protein (1, 2). Its molecular weight is 37 kD and forms a dimer in solution in the physiological condition. .

Applications

- 1) Functional studies in vitro; RuvA and RuvB form a complex that promotes Holiday junction (a recombination intermediatae) branch-migration by using ATP hydrolysis energy (Ref.2). RuvB also has ATPase activity which is stimulated by RuvA and DNA.
- 2) SDS-PAGE (0.2 ug/lane)
- 3) Standard antigen for western blotting and ELISA

Product: Full-length recombinant protein expressed in E.coli and highly purified by combined chromatography.

RuvB protein is over 90% by SDS-PAGE (CBB staining)

Concentration: 1.0 mg/ml (determined by BCA method)

Form: 50% glycerol, 10 mM Tris-HCl (pH7.5), 2 mM EDTA, 100 mM NaCl, 5 mM mercaptoethanol

Storage: Sent at 4°C or at -20°C and upon arrival, centrifuge briefly and store at -20°C or -80°C for longer period

Size: 20 ug

Data Link UniProtKB/Swiss-Prot [P0A812](#) (RUVB_ECOLI)

References: This product has been used in Ref 2.

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2. Iwasaki H *et al* (1992) "Escherichia coli RuvA and RuvB proteins specifically interact with Holliday junctions and promote branch migration." *Genes Dev* **6**:2214-2220 PMID: [1427081](#)



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Fig.1 Polyacrylamide gel
electrophoresis of RuvB
protein.

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[61-005EX](#) anti-RuvA antibody, rabbit polyclonal

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