



# PDXK Protein Crystal

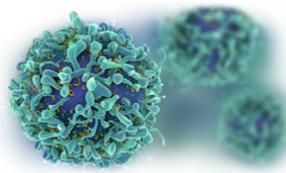
**Catalog: CBCRY19**

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

<b>Name</b>	PDXK Protein Crystal
<b>Cat No.</b>	CBCRY19
<b>Fragment</b>	Full length
<b>Protein Description</b>	Pyridoxal kinase
<b>Background</b>	Pyridoxal kinase, a member of the ribokinase superfamily, catalyzes the ATP-dependent phosphorylation reaction of vitamin B6 and is an essential enzyme in the formation of pyridoxal-5'-phosphate, a key cofactor for over 100 enzymes. Pyridoxal kinase is thus regarded as a potential target for pharmacological agents. Structure comparison reveals that the key 12-residue peptide over the active site in HPLK is a beta-strand/loop/beta-strand flap, while the corresponding peptide in sheep brain enzyme adopts a loop conformation. Moreover, HPLK possesses a more hydrophobic ATP-binding pocket.
<b>Protein Classification</b>	Transferase
<b>Structure Weight</b>	74135.20 Da
<b>Method</b>	X-Ray Diffraction
<b>Resolution</b>	2.8Å
<b>Reference</b>	Cao, P., Gong, Y., Tang, L., Leung, Y.C., Jiang, T. (2006) Crystal structure of human pyridoxal kinase J.Struct.Biol. 154: 327-332

## USAGE GUIDELINES

<b>General</b>	Avoid excessive mixing or shocking to prevent aggregation. Long term storage above -80°C may result in aggregate formation.
<b>Storage</b>	Short term: +2°C to +8°C Long term: -80°C
<b>Stability</b>	n.a.



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**Freezing**

Can be frozen, but avoid multiple freeze/thaw cycles.

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