

# PathHunter® eXpress NPSR1b U2OS β-Arrestin GPCR Assay

Catalog Number: 93-0822E3 Lot Number: See Vial

Contents: 1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells per vial in 0.1 mL

## **Background**

PathHunter eXpress β-Arrestin GPCR cells are engineered to co-express the ProLink™ (PK) tagged GPCR and the Enzyme Acceptor (EA) tagged β-Arrestin. Activation of the GPCR-PK induces β-Arrestin-EA recruitment, forcing complementation of the two β-galactosidase enzyme fragments (EA and PK). The resulting functional enzyme hydrolyzes substrate to generate a chemiluminescent signal. These cells have been modified to prevent long term propagation and expansion using a proprietary compound that has no apparent effect on assay performance.

#### **Product Information**

Target GPCR: NPSR1b

**Description:** neuropeptide S receptor 1

Receptor Family: Neuropeptide S

**Coupling**: Gq

Accession Number: NM\_207173

GPCR Species: Human

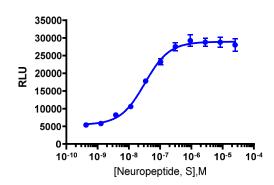
β-Arrestin Isoform: β-Arrestin-2ProLink™ Tag: ARMS2-PK2

Cell Type: U2OS

Storage: Short term (<24 h): Store at -80°C; Long term (>24 h): Store in vapor phase of liquid nitrogen.

#### **Functional Performance**

Cells were plated in a 96-well plate and stimulated with a control agonist, using the assay conditions described below. Following stimulation, signal was detected according to the recommended protocol. Please refer below for information on control compounds.



Cell Number/Well:	10000
Cell Number/Well:	1000

Control Agonist:	Neuropeptide S
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 Cell Plating Reagent:
 AssayComplete™ Cell Plating 0 Reagent

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Cell Incubation Time (Hours):48Agonist Incubation Time (Minutes):90Agonist Incubation Temperature (°C):37EC<sub>50</sub> for Agonist Stimulation (nM):31.3

Signal:Background at Agonist E<sub>max</sub>:

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## **Additional Ligand Information**

Control Agonist: Neuropeptide S

Vendor: Eurofins DiscoverX<sup>®</sup> (Catalog No. 92-1188)

## Additional Prolink™ Tag Description

PK2 is a slight variant of PK1 and has been shown to enhance EFC. ARMS (Arrestin Recruitment Modulating Sequence) is an 18-21 amino acid spacer between the GPCR and the PK tag and has been shown to enhance  $\beta$ -Arrestin recruitment.

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