

## Parkin R334C Mutant (His<sub>10</sub>-SUMO)

Cat. # UB322

## Background: Encoded by the PARK2 gene, the E3 ligase Parkin is part of the multi-protein E3 complex that

encodes substrate proteins for degradation in the Ubiquitin-Proteasome Pathway<sup>1</sup>. The precise function of this protein is unknown; however, mutations in this gene are known to cause a familial form of Parkinson's disease known as autosomal recessive juvenile Parkinson's disease (AR-JP). Parkin is described to be necessary for mitophagy (autophagy of mitochondria). The R334C mutation is shown to be a hyperactive variant, enhancing Parkin activity, and is classified as likely

benign based on clinical evidence<sup>2</sup>.

**Application:** For use in investigating and research of the Parkin and PINK1 pathway and/or drug discovery.

## **Product Information**

**Purity:** > 95% by SDS-PAGE

**Molecular Weight:** 64 kDa

**Physical State:** Liquid, 50 mM Tris, pH 7.5, 0.15 M NaCl, 10% Glycerol

Species: Human Source: E. coli Quantity: 25 µg

Storage: -80° C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles

## References

- 1. Wang, X.-L. et al. Parkin, an E3 Ubiquitin Ligase, Plays an Essential Role in Mitochondrial Quality Control in Parkinson's Disease. Cell Mol Neurobiol 41, 1395-1411 (2021).
- 2. Yi, W. et al. The landscape of Parkin variants reveals pathogenic mechanisms and therapeutic targets in Parkinson's disease. Hum Mol Genet 28, 2811-2825 (2019).

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