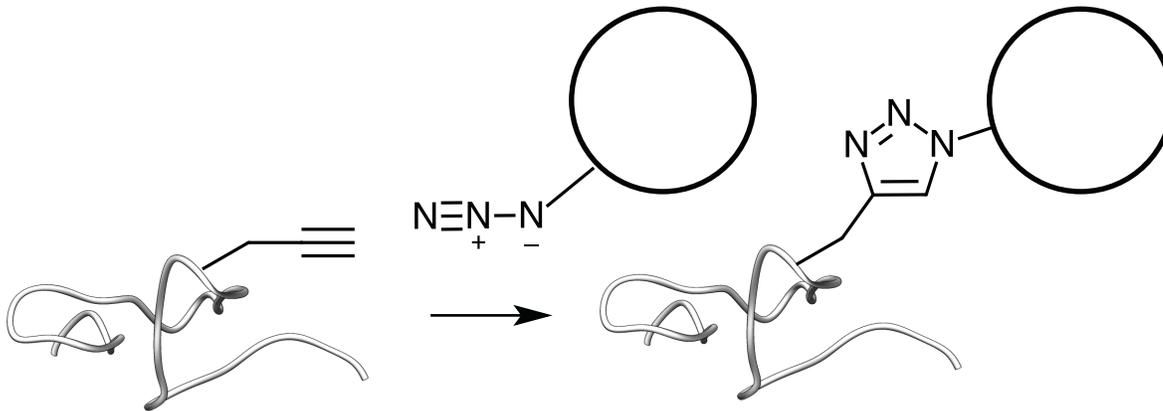


Copper-click Alkyne / Azide Condensation Reaction: peptide to tentagel beads

*Materials*

alkyne: Guangxitoxin peptide, amphipathic, 36aa, 3 disulfide bonds, with propargylglycine residue inserted at various locations
 azide: azide functionalized tentagel (0.32 $\mu\text{mol}/\text{mg}$) or ~~AM-sure~~ (0.7 $\mu\text{mol}/\text{mg}$) beads from Kit Lam

Final Concentrations (adapted from Besanceney-Weber 2011 Angew Chem 50: 8051-8056)

CuSO₄: 100 μM

Ligand: 600 μM BTTAA, 6:1 ligand:Cu⁺ ratio is best

Sodium Ascorbate: 5 mM

Azido fluor: 1.5 mM

Propargyl peptide: 100 μM

Buffer: 0.1 M sodium phosphate, pH 7.0

DMSO: 15%, DMSO has a subtle effect on the chelating effect of the ligand).

Stock Solutions:

Propargyl GxTX: 2.0 mM (8 mg/ml) in water

Alkyne fluor: 10 mM in DMSO

CuSO₄: 10 mM in water

Ligand: BTTAA 20 mM in water

Sodium Ascorbate: 50 mM in water, prepare fresh

Buffer: 0.5 M sodium phosphate, pH 7.0

prepare beads fresh for each reaction.

weigh out ~ 10 mg beads per tube (not important to be accurate, just record how much)

add 800ul DMF (dimethylformamide) rotate beads for at least 1 hour

transfer to bio-rad microbio spin column on vacuum flask

start washing: wash = add 800 ul wait at least 1 second, vacuum away

wash 3X 50% DMF 50% water, 3X water, 3X 0.5 M sodium phosphate, pH 7.0

leave soaking in 0.5 M sodium phosphate, pH 7.0

then immediately before use drain solution and

resuspend with # of tubes * 125 ul 0.5 M sodium phosphate, pH 7.0 (500 ul for this protocol)

Materials

for 1 reaction:

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tube 1: tentagel GxTX Pra13

tube 2: tentagel GxTX Pra17

tube 3: tentagel alkyne545

Procedure for 200 μL reaction:

Add reagents to polypropylene tube in following order, vortex 5 seconds after each step

- I. 122 μ L of beads in 0.5 M phosphate buffer, pH 7.0
use p1000 tips
- II. 20 μ l of 2 mM Ser13Pra (propargyl peptide, 80 nmol) (tube 1), 20ul of 200uM of Ser13Pra (tube 2) or 20ul water (tube 3)
- III. 8 μ l Cu:BTTAA 6:1 premix ([Cu] = 2.5 mM, [BTTAA] = 15 mM)
 - a. 24 ul total volume: 18uL of BTTAA(20mM stock), 6ul of Copper (10mM stock)
- IV. 30 μ l of DMSO (tubes 1&2) or 10 mM fluorophore in DMSO (tube 3)
- V. vortex 5 sec
- VI. take 20ul "pre-ascorbate" aliquot for analytical HPLC, freeze @ -80
- VII. 20 μ l of 50 mM sodium ascorbate, vortex 5 sec, slowly rotate in dark for 2 hour at room temperature.
ascorbate starts the reaction reduces Cu²⁺ to Cu⁺ which is active form
- VIII. spin at <1000g for >5 sec to pellet beads
- IX. remove supernatant "2-hour" for analytical HPLC, freeze @ -80
- X. rinse beads: rinse = add 1ml, spin and remove supernatant.
1X water, 1X 50% DMF, 1X DMF, rotate 5 minutes, 1X 50% DMF, 3X water
- XI. store in 70% EtOH in refrigerator in black box for a maximum period of 2-3days.