CASP 13 internal ID: T0981/X0981

Cross-linking mass spectrometry data

**Protein information (as provided)**

CASP13 internal ID: regular target T0981, XL-MS assisted X0981.

Protein Name: gp146

Organism Name: Staphylococcus phage

Amino acid sequence:

**gp146**  
 10 20 30 40 50 60   
MGSSHHHHHH SSGLVPRGSH MASMTGGQQM GRGSMAFNYT PLTETQKLKD MYPKVNDIGN   
  
 70 80 90 100 110 120   
FLKTEVNLSD VKQISQPDFN NILASIPDSG NYYVTNSKGA PSGEATAGFV RLDKRNVNYY   
  
 130 140 150 160 170 180   
KIYYSPYSSN KMYIKTYANG TVYDWISFKL DEGSLYNEGN TLNVKELTES TTQYATLVNP   
  
 190 200 210 220 230 240   
PKENLNTGWV NYKESKNGVS SLVEFNPVNS TSTFKMIRKL PVQEQKPNLL KDSLFVYPET   
  
 250 260 270 280 290 300   
SYSNIKTDNW DTPPFWGYSS NSGRSGVRFR GENTVQIDDG SDTYPSVVSN RFKMGKELSV   
  
 310 320 330 340 350 360   
GDTVTVSVYA KINDPALLKD NLVYFELAGY DTVDDTSKNP YTGGRREITA SEITTEWKKY   
  
 370 380 390 400 410 420   
SFTFTIPENT IGASGVKVNY VSLLLRMNCS SSKGNGAVVY YALPKLEKSS KVTPFITHEN   
  
 430 440 450 460 470 480   
DVRKYDEIWS NWQEVISKDE LKGHSPVDIE YNDYFKYQWW KSEVNEKSLK DLAMTVPQGY   
  
 490 500 510 520 530 540   
HTFYCQGSIA GTPKGRSIRG TIQVDYDKGD PYRANKFVKL LFTDTEGIPY TLYYGGYNQG   
  
 550 560 570 580 590 600   
WKPLKQSETS TLLWKGTLDF GSTEAVNLND SLDNYDLIEV TYWTRSAGHF STKRLDIKNT   
  
 610 620 630 640 650 660   
SNLLYIRDFN ISNDSTGSSV DFFEGYCTFP TRTSVQPGMV KSITLDGSTN TTKVASWNEK   
  
 670   
ERIKVYNIMG INRG

**Methods**

The target protein was cross-linked and analyzed by mass spectrometry as described here:

*Lysine-specific chemical cross-linking of protein complexes and identification of cross-linking sites using LC-MS/MS and the xQuest/xProphet software pipeline*. Leitner, Walzthoeni and Aebersold. *Nature Protocols*, 2014. DOI: 10.1038/nprot.2013.168

The gp146 protein could not successfully be analyzed by the DMTMM/PDH cross-linking chemistry due to buffer incompatibilities.

The concentration of the protein or protein complex was adjusted to avoid over-cross-linking, e.g. introduction of non-native oligomerization states.

All cross-linking reactions were followed by SDS-PAGE. The cross-linked protein migrated as a trimer exclusively.

**Cross-links identified by mass spectrometry**

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| **Inter-chain cross-links\*** | | | | | | |
| **Protein1** | **Protein2** | **AbsPos1** | **AbsPos2** | **ld-Score\*** | **Chemistry\*\*** |
| gp146 | gp146 | 121 | 131 | 35.64 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 593 | 593 | 35.36 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 516 | 516 | 35.07 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 467 | 467 | 31.28 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 660 | 660 | 28.74 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 193 | 193 | 25.33 | DSS |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Intra-chain cross-links** | | | | | |
| **Protein1** | **Protein2** | **AbsPos1** | **AbsPos2** | **ld-Score\*** | **Chemistry\*\*** |
| gp146 | gp146 | 226 | 408 | 45.95 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 411 | 358 | 45.02 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 664 | 660 | 43.56 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 598 | 593 | 41.82 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 411 | 226 | 39.68 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 508 | 461 | 39.53 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 359 | 377 | 38.62 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 358 | 219 | 38.23 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 196 | 131 | 37.69 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 467 | 516 | 36.48 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 508 | 593 | 36.28 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 442 | 424 | 36.22 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 319 | 338 | 34.53 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 641 | 660 | 34.34 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 593 | 516 | 33.76 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 641 | 653 | 33.28 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 598 | 664 | 32.63 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 121 | 131 | 32.2 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 660 | 293 | 31.55 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 358 | 226 | 29.15 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 196 | 121 | 28.96 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 411 | 219 | 28.01 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 182 | 424 | 26.68 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 182 | 442 | 26.47 | DSS |
| gp146 | gp146 | 424 | 438 | 26.21 | DSS |

\* These cross-links connect two identical residues or peptides with overlapping sequence, pointing to a inter-subunit contact (native or non-native). Cross-links listed as intra-chain could also be inter-chain for this homotrimer.

\*\* The score is a measure of confidence for the identification of the tw-o connected peptides (i.e. computational assignment) that are identified by MS (the higher, the better). It is generally NOT correlated with the distance between the cross-linked residues. In addition, physicochemical properties of the peptides may affect the identification, so that some cross-linked peptides intrinsically have lower scores.

For the reported data, we expect a **false positive rate of identification of approximately 5%.**

\*\*\*Cross-linking chemistries:  
DSS: disuccinimidyl suberate – a lysine specific cross-linker.  
ZL: Zero-length cross-links formed between lysine and an aspartate/glutamate residue by the coupling reagent 4-(4,6-dimethoxy-1,3,5- triazin-2-yl)-4-methylmorpholinium chloride (DMTMM).  
PDH: pimelic acid dihydrazide – a carboxylic acid specific cross-linker (aspartate and glutamate).

For experimentally observed distance restraints, see the following plot (ADH, PDH and ZL are not used here):



(taken from Leitner et al., PNAS, 2014)

**Sub-optimal sequence regions for conventional cross-linking mass spectrometry**

Red residues: Lysine residues. Can be cross-linked by DSS and they are cleavage sites for trypsin (protease used in the process).

Black residues: Arginine residues. Cleavage sites for trypsin.

Residues highlighted in yellow are sub-optimal regions for mass spectrometric analysis.

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430 440 450 460 470 480

DV**RK**YDEIWS NWQEVIS**K**DE L**K**GHSPVDIE YNDYF**K**YQWW **K**SEVNE**K**SL**K** DLAMTVPQGY

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HTFYCQGSIA GTP**K**G**R**SI**R**G TIQVDYD**K**GD PY**R**AN**K**FV**K**L LFTDTEGIPY TLYYGGYNQG

550 560 570 580 590 600

W**K**PL**K**QSETS TLLW**K**GTLDF GSTEAVNLND SLDNYDLIEV TYWT**R**SAGHF ST**KR**LDI**K**NT

610 620 630 640 650 660

SNLLYI**R**DFN ISNDSTGSSV DFFEGYCTFP T**R**TSVQPGMV **K**SITLDGSTN TT**K**VASWNE**K**

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E**R**I**K**VYNIMG IN**R**G

**Residues labelled by cross-linking reagents**

Red residues: residues labeled by DSS (Lysine and N-terminus reactive).These residues are expected to be solvent exposed.

Green residues: reactive unlabeled residues.

Notes:

Absence of a modification may also mean that the corresponding modified peptide is present, but not identified by MS.

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