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Recombinant Human Adiponectin (Acrp30)

CLCYT433 CLCYT433-2 Lot: 106ACRP301

Source: E.coli

Introduction:

Adiponectin, also referred to as Acrp30, AdipoQ and GBP-28, is a recently discovered 244 amino acid protein, the product of the *apM1* gene, which is physiologically active and specifically and highly expressed in adipose cells (adipokine). The protein belongs to the soluble defence collagen superfamily; it has a collagen-like domain structurally homologous with collagen VIII and X and complement factor C1q-like globular domain. Adiponectin forms homotrimers, which are the building blocks for higher order complexes found circulating in serum.

Description:

The Human Adiponectin is created as a recombinant protein with N-terminal fusion of HisTag. The Human Adiponectin His-Tagged Fusion Protein, produced in *E. coli*, is 26.4 kDa protein containing 230 amino acid residues of the human Adiponectin and 12 additional amino acid residues - HisTag (underlined).

Specificity:

The amino acid sequence of the recombinant human adiponectin is 100% homologous to the amino acid sequence of the human serum adiponectin.

Purification Method:

Three-step procedure using affinity Ni-NTA chromatography and size exclusion chromatography before and after refolding.

Purity:

>95% (SDS-PAGE analyzed).

Presentation:

10μg (CLCYT433) or 50μg (CLCYT433-2), sterile filtered and lyophilized from 0.5 mg/ml in 0.02M Tris buffer pH7.5, 0.15M NaCl.

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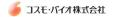


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Reconstitution:

Add 0.2 ml of 0.1M Acetate buffer pH4 and let the lyophilized pellet dissolve completely. For conversion into higher pH value, we recommend intensive dilution by relevant buffer to a concentration of $10\mu g/ml$. In higher concentrations the solubility of this antigen is limited.

Storage:

Store lyophilized protein at -20°C. Aliquot the product after reconstitution to avoid repeated freezing/thawing cycles. Reconstituted protein can be stored at 4°C for a limited period of time; it does not show any change after two weeks at 4°C.

Quality Control Test:

BCA - to determine content of the protein SDS PAGE - to determine purity of the protein.

Applications:

Western blotting.

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