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# Recombinant Human Vaspin/SerpinA12 Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: PKSH033533

Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

### Description

Species Human

Source HEK293 Cells-derived Human Vaspin/SerpinA12 protein Leu21-Lys414, with an C-

terminal His

Calculated MW 46.5 kDa
Observed MW 50-60 kDa
Accession Q8IW75

**Bio-activity** Not validated for activity

# **Properties**

**Purity** > 95 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

**Concentration** Subject to label value.

**Endotoxin** < 1.0 EU per µg of the protein as determined by the LAL method.

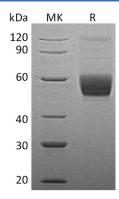
Storage Storage Store at < -20°C, stable for 6 months. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles.

**Shipping** This product is provided as liquid. It is shipped at frozen temperature with blue ice/gel

packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at < - 20°C.

Formulation Supplied as a 0.2 μm filtered solution of 20mM Tris-HCl, 150mM NaCl, pH 7.5.

### Data



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# Background

Vaspin (Visceral Adipose-Specific SERPIN) is a newly described adipokine. Vaspin has three  $\beta$ -sheets; nine  $\alpha$ -helices; and one central loop; the structure is part of the set of distinctive features that are descriptive of Serpin family members. Vaspin is also a unique insulin sensitizing adipocytokine in obesity. A recent publication indicates that Vaspin mRNA expression in visceral fat is positively correlated with BMI and percent of body fat. and could be associated with parameters of obesity; insulin resistance; and glucose metabolism. These findings suggest a potential clinical use for Vaspin in ameliorating certain aberrations seen in the obesity metabolic syndrome.