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# Recombinant Vibrio cholerae Toxin B Protein

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

### Description

**Species** Vibrio cholerae

Source E.coli-derived Vibrio cholerae Choleragenoid/CTXB/toxB protein Thr22-Asn124

 Calculated MW
 11.8 kDa

 Observed MW
 11 kDa

 Accession
 P01556

**Bio-activity** Not validated for activity

#### **Properties**

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

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

Storage Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to -80

°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of

reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

ShippingThis product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.FormulationLyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution of 50mM Tris-HCl, 200mM NaCl, pH 8.0.

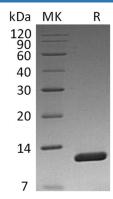
Normally 5% - 8% trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween 80 are added as protectants

before lyophilization.

Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.

**Reconstitution** Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

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### **Background**

Cholera toxin is protein complex secreted by the bacterium Vibrio cholerae. It is responsible for the massive, watery diarrhea characteristic of cholera infection. Cholera enterotoxin subunit B (CTXB) pentameric ring directs the A subunit to its target by binding to the GM1 gangliosides present on the surface of the intestinal epithelial cells. It can bind five GM1 gangliosides. It has no toxic activity by itself.