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# Recombinant Human Complement Factor H/CFH Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: PKSH032273

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

### **Description**

**Species** Human

Source HEK293 Cells-derived Human Complement Factor H; CFH protein Glu19-Leu449, with

an C-terminal His

Calculated MW 50.0 kDa Observed MW 50 kDa Accession P08603-2

**Bio-activity** Not validated for activity

#### **Properties**

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

Concentration Subject to label value.

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

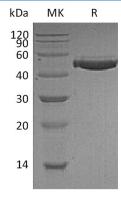
Store at < -20°C, stable for 6 months. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles. Storage

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.

Supplied as a 0.2 µm filtered solution of PBS,20%Glycerol,5% Trehalose,pH7.4. Formulation

#### Data



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## Background

Complement Factor H (CFH) is a secreted protein which is a member of the regulators of complement activation family and is a complement control protein. It is expressed by the liver and secreted in plasma. Its principal function is to regulate the Alternative Pathway of the complement system, ensuring that the complement system is directed towards pathogens or other dangerous material and does not damage host tissue. Factor H regulates complement activation on self cells and surfaces by possessing both cofactor activity for the Factor I mediated C3b cleavage, and decay accelerating activity against the alternative pathway C3-convertase, C3bBb. Factor H exerts its protective action on self cells and self surfaces but not on the surfaces of bacteria or viruses, because it binds to glycosaminoglycans (GAGs) that are generally present on host cells but not, normally, on pathogen surfaces.

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