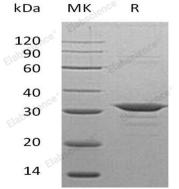
Recombinant Human CLIC4 Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: PKSH030859

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

Description	
Species	Human
Source	E.coli-derived Human CLIC4 protein Ala 2-Lys 253, with an N-terminal His
Calculated MW	29.6 kDa
Observed MW	30 kDa
Accession	Q9Y696-1
Bio-activity	Not validated for activity
Properties	
Purity	>97 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.
Endotoxin	Please contact us for more information.
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 $< -20^{\circ}C$ for 3 months.
Shipping	This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.
Formulation	Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4
	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

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Chloride intracellular channel protein 4; also known as Intracellular chloride ion channel protein p64H1 and CLIC4; is a member of the chloride channel CLIC family. It contains oneGST C-terminal domain. CLIC4 is a member of a family of intracellular chloride channels. It is regulated by p53; c-Myc; and tumor necrosis factor-alpha. CLIC4 is detected in epithelial cells from colon; esophagus and kidney (at protein level). CLIC4 has alternate cellular functions like a potential role in angiogenesis or in maintaining apical-basolateral membrane polarity during mitosis and cytokinesis. CLIC4 could promote endothelial cell proliferation and regulate endothelial morphogenesis (tubulogenesis). Expression of CLIC4 is prominent in heart; kidney; placenta and skeletal muscle. Overexpression of CLIC4 in cancer cells inhibits tumor growth. Conversely; overexpression of CLIC4 in tumor stromal cells stimulates tumor growth. Thus; CLIC4 participates in normal and pathological processes and may serve as a useful target for therapies in disturbances of homeostasis and neoplastic transformation. Loss of CLIC4 in tumor cells and gain in tumor stroma is coincident with myofibroblast conversion; generally a poor prognostic indicator. Reactivation and restoration of CLIC4 in tumor cells or the converse in tumor stromal cells could provide a novel approach to inhibit tumor growth.