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# Recombinant Human TGM2/Transglutaminase 2 Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: PKSH031259

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

# **Description**

**Species** Human

Source Baculovirus-Insect Cells-derived Human TGM2/Transglutaminase 2 protein Met 1-Ala

687, with an N-terminal His

Calculated MW 79.6 kDa Observed MW 80 kDa Accession NP 004604.2

Not validated for activity **Bio-activity** 

## **Properties**

> 97 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE. **Purity** 

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.

This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs. Shipping Lyophilized from sterile 50mM Tris, 100mM NaCl, 2mM DTT, 10% glycerol, pH 8.0 **Formulation** 

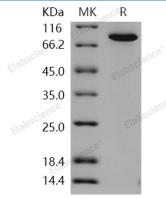
Normally 5% - 8% trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween 80 are added as protectants

before lyophilization.

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

Reconstitution Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

#### Data



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### Background

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Protein-glutamine gamma-glutamyltransferase 2, also known as Tissue transglutaminase, Transglutaminase C, Transglutaminase-2, and TGM2, is a member of the transglutaminase superfamily. TGM2 plays a role in cell growth and survival through the anti-apoptosis signaling pathway. It is a calcium-dependent acyltransferase which also undergoes a GTP-binding/GTPase cycle even though it lacks any obvious sequence similarity with canonical GTP-binding (G) proteins. TGM2 is a multi-functional protein which catalyzes transamidation reactions or acts as a G-protein in intracellular signalling. As an enzyme which is responsible for the majority of transglutaminase (TG) activity in the brain, TGM2 is likely to play a modulatory role in nervous system development and has regulatory effect on neuronal cell death as well. Most importantly, numerous studies have presented data demonstrating that dysregulation of TGM2 may contribute to the pathogenesis of many neurodegenerative disorders, including Huntington's disease, Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease and amyotrophic lateral sclerosis as well as nervous system injuries.

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