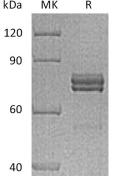
Recombinant Human CTGF/CCN2 Protein (Fc Tag)

Catalog Number: PKSH032276

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

| Description | |
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| Species | Human |
| Source | HEK293 Cells-derived Human CTGF; CCN2 protein Gln27-Ala349, with an C-terminal |
| | Fc |
| Calculated MW | 62.6 kDa |
| Observed MW | 67-81 kDa |
| Accession | Q5M8T4 |
| Bio-activity | Not validated for activity |
| Properties | |
| Purity | >90 % 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 $< -20^{\circ}C$ for 3 months. |
| Shipping | This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs. |
| Formulation | Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution of 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. |
| Data | |
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Background

CTGF belongs to the CCN (CTGF/Cyr61/Cef10/NOVH) protein family; which is comprised of six secreted proteins that reside in the extracellular matrix (ECM). CTGF causes a variety of cellular responses including reduced cell adhesion and enhanced cell migration and proliferation. CTGF has also been shown to be essential for epithelial to mesenchymal transition (EMT); a process whereby normal functioning cells morph into ones that produce mainly scar tissue (of which collagen in the major protein component).