# Recombinant Human SELENOI/EPT1 Protein (GST Tag)

**Catalog Number: PKSH032407**

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

## Description

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| **Species** | Human |
| **Source** | E.coli-derived Human SELENOI;EPT1 protein Met 1-Pro50, with an N-terminal GST |
| **Calculated MW** | 32.6 kDa |
| **Observed MW** | 29 kDa |
| **Accession** | Q9C0D9 |
| **Bio-activity** | Not validated for activity |

## Properties

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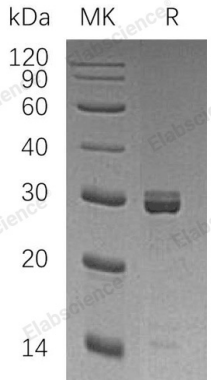
| **Purity** | > 95 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE. |
| **Concentration** | Subject to label value. |
| **Endotoxin** | < 1.0 EU per μg of the protein as determined by the LAL method. |
| **Storage** | Store at < -20°C, stable for 6 months. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles. |
| **Shipping** | 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. |
| **Formulation** | Supplied as a 0.2 μm filtered solution of 20mM Tris-HCl, 150mM NaCl, 1mM EDTA, pH 8.0. |

## Data

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## Background

Ethanolaminephosphotransferase 1 (EPT1) is an enzyme that belongs to the CDP-Alcohol Phosphatidyltransferase Class-I Family. EPT1 is a Selenoprotein, which contains a Selenocysteine (Sec) residue at its active site. The Selenocysteine is encoded by the UGA codon that normally signals translation termination. The 3' UTR of Selenoprotein genes have a common stem-loop structure, the sec insertion sequence (SECIS), that is necessary for the recognition of UGA as a Sec codon rather than as a stop signal. EPT1 catalyzes Phosphatidylethanolamine biosynthesis from CDP-Ethanolamine. It plays a central role in the formation and maintenance of vesicular membranes. EPT1 is involved in the formation of Phosphatidylethanolamine via the 'Kennedy' pathway.