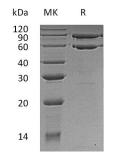


Summary

Name	COL8A1/Collagen alpha-1(VIII) chain
Purity	Greater than 95% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE
Endotoxin level	<1 EU/µg as determined by LAL test.
Construction	Recombinant Human Collagen Alpha-1(VIII) Chain is produced by our Mammalian expression system and the target gene encoding Gly28-Met744 is expressed with a 6His tag at the C-terminus.
Accession #	P27658
Host	Human Cells
Species	Human
Predicted Molecular Mass	71.6 KDa
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution of 20mM PB, 150mM NaCl, pH 7.2.
Shipping	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature listed below.
Stability&Storage	Store at \leq -70°C, stable for 6 months after receipt. Store at \leq -70°C, stable for 3 months under sterile conditions after opening. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles.
Reconstitution	Always centrifuge tubes before opening. Do not mix by vortex or pipetting. It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100µg/ml. Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water. Please aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles.Always centrifuge tubes before opening. Do not mix by vortex or pipetting. It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100µg/ml. Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water. Please aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles.

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Background



Alternative NamesCollagen Alpha-1(VIII) Chain; Endothelial Collagen; Vastatin; COL8A1; C3orf7BackgroundCollagen alpha-1(VIII) chain, also known as endothelial collagen, C3orf7 and
COL8A1, can be cleaved into vastatin chain. COL8A1 is a short chain collagen and a
major component of the basement membrane of the corneal endothelium.
COL8A1 forms homotrimers, or heterotrimers in association with alpha 2(VIII) type
collagens. Four homotrimers can form a tetrhedron stabilized by central interacting
C-terminal NC1 trimers. COL8A1 contains one C1q domain and is primarily
expressed in the subendothelium of large blood vessels. The expression level can
be up-regulated during vascular injury, in atherosclerosis and in diabetes. COL8A1
may have a role in the maintenance of vessel wall integrity and structure, in
particular in atherogenesis.

Note

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