

## ANGPTL8 Protein, Human, Recombinant (hFc)

### General Information

Synonyms:	$\beta$ trophin;Angiopoietin-like protein 8;Lipasin;Angptl8;Betatrophin
Protein Construction:	Ala22-Ala198
Species:	Human
Expression Host:	HEK293 Cells
Accession:	Q6UXH0
Molecular Weight:	54 KDa (reducing condition)
AA Sequence:	Ala22-Ala198

### QC Testing

Biological Activity:	Activity has not been tested. It is theoretically active, but we cannot guarantee it. If you require protein activity, we recommend choosing the eukaryotic expression version first.
Purity:	Greater than 80% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE. (QC verified)
Endotoxin:	< 0.1 ng/ $\mu$ g (1 EU/ $\mu$ g) as determined by LAL test.
Formulation:	Lyophilized from a solution filtered through a 0.22 $\mu$ m filter, containing 20 mM Histidine-HCl, 6% Trehalose, 4% Mannitol, 50 mM NaCl, 0.05% Tween 80, pH6.0.

### Preparation and Storage

#### Reconstitution:

Reconstitute the lyophilized protein in distilled water. The product concentration should not be less than 100  $\mu$ g/ml. Before opening, centrifuge the tube to collect powder at the bottom. After adding the reconstitution buffer, avoid vortexing or pipetting for mixing.

#### Stability & Storage:

Lyophilized powders can be stably stored for over 12 months, while liquid products can be stored for 6-12 months at -80°C. For reconstituted protein solutions, the solution can be stored at -20°C to -80°C for at least 3 months. Please avoid multiple freeze-thaw cycles and store products in aliquots.

Actual storage temperature shall be subject to the COA.

#### Shipping:

In general, lyophilized powders are shipped with blue ice, while solutions are shipped with dry ice.

### Protein Background

The protein specifically promotes pancreatic beta cell proliferation and beta cell mass expansion, thereby improving glucose tolerance. It promotes pancreatic beta cell proliferation without insulin resistance. Also it acts as a blood lipid regulator by regulating serum triglyceride levels and possibly by promoting ANGPTL3 cleavage. It interacts with ANGPTL3. It predominantly expressed in liver and also expressed in adipose tissues. The ability of the protein to induce pancreatic beta cell proliferation is promising in diabetes therapy. Betatrophin treatment

could supply or replace insulin injections by increasing the number of insulin-producing cells in diabetes.

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