# **Recombinant Human Pepsin A-4/PGA4 Protein**

Catalog No.: RP01749 Recombinant

# **Sequence Information**

Species Gene ID Human 643847

Swiss Prot

PODID7

Tags

C-6His

Synonyms Pepsin A-4[]PGA4

# **Product Information**

Source	Purification
HEK293 cells	> 97% by SDS-
	PAGE.

Calculated MW	Observed MW
42.82 kDa	45-50 kDa

Endotoxin <0.001EU/µg

## Formulation

Lyophilized from a 0.22  $\mu m$  filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4.

## Reconstitution

Centrifuge the vial before opening. Reconstitute to a concentration of 0.1-0.5 mg/mL in sterile distilled water. Avoid vortex or vigorously pipetting the protein. For long term storage, it is recommended to add a carrier protein or stablizer (e.g. 0.1% BSA, 5% HSA, 10% FBS or 5% Trehalose), and aliquot the reconstituted protein solution to minimize free-thaw cycles.

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## Background

PGA4 (Pepsinogen 4, group I), or Pepsinogen A, is a member of the peptidase A1 family. Pepsin is expressed as a pro-form zymogen, pepsinogen, whose primary structure has an additional 44 amino acids. Pepsin is stored as pepsinogen so it will only be released when needed, and does not digest the body's own proteins in the stomach's lining. Five types of zymogens of pepsins, gastric digestive proteinases, are known: pepsinogen A, B, and F, progastricsin, and prochymosin. There are two major groups of pepsinogen, namely pepsinogen A (PGA) and pepsinogen C (PGC) (or progastricsin), and each frequently has isozymogens. The PGA3, PGA4 and PGA5 genes encode identical human pepsinogen A enzymes.

# **Basic Information**

#### Description

Recombinant Human Pepsin A-4/PGA4 Protein is produced by HEK293 cells expression system. The target protein is expressed with sequence (Met1-Ala388) of human Pepsin A-4/PGA4 (Accession #NP\_001073276.1) fused with a 6×His tag at the C-terminus.

#### **Bio-Activity**

Measured by its ability to cleave the fluorogenic peptide substrate, Mca-RPKPVE-Nval-WRK(Dnp)-NH2 (RD,Catalog # ES002). The specific activity is >27408 pmol/min/µg, as measured under the described conditions.

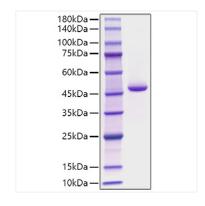
### Storage

Store at -20°C.Store the lyophilized protein at -20°C to -80 °C up to 1 year from the date of receipt.

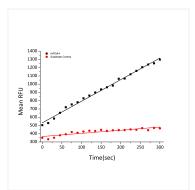
After reconstitution, the protein solution is stable at -20°C for 3 months, at 2-8°C for up to 1 week.

Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.





Recombinant Human Pepsin A-4/PGA4 Protein was determined by SDS-PAGE with Coomassie Blue, showing a band at 45 kDa.



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