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## CHI3L1 Protein, Human (HEK293, His)

Cat. No.: HY-P70030

Synonyms: rHuChitinase-3-like protein 1/CHI3L1, His; Chitinase-3-Like protein 1; 39 kDa Synovial Protein;

Cartilage Glycoprotein 39; CGP-39; GP-39; hCGP-39; YKL-40; CHI3L1

Species: Human Source: HEK293

Accession: P36222 (Y22-T383)

Gene ID: 1116

Molecular Weight: 41-48 kDa

## **PROPERTIES**

AA Sequence	YKLVCYYTSW SQYREGDGSC FPDALDRFLC THIIYSFANI SNDHIDTWEW NDVTLYGMLN TLKNRNPNLK TLLSVGGWNF GSQRFSKIAS NTQSRRTFIK SVPPFLRTHG FDGLDLAWLY PGRRDKQHFT TLIKEMKAEF IKEAQPGKKQ LLLSAALSAG KVTIDSSYDI AKISQHLDFI SIMTYDFHGA WRGTTGHHSP LFRGQEDASP DRFSNTDYAV GYMLRLGAPA SKLVMGIPTF GRSFTLASSE TGVGAPISGP GIPGRFTKEA GTLAYYEICD FLRGATVHRI LGQQVPYATK GNQWVGYDDQ ESVKSKVQYL KDRQLAGAMV WALDLDDFQG SFCGQDLRFP LTNAIKDALA
Biological Activity	Measured by the ability of the immobilized protein to support the adhesion of FaDu human squamous cell carcinoma cells. The ED $_{50}$ for this effect is 2.603 $\mu$ g/mL, corresponding to a specific activity is 384.1721 units/mg.
Appearance	Lyophilized powder.
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution of 20 mM PB, 150 mM NaCl, 2 mM EDTA, pH 7.4 or 20 mM Tris-HCl, 300 mM NaCl, 2 mM EDTA, pH8.5.
Endotoxin Level	<1 EU/μg, determined by LAL method.
Reconsititution	It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100 $\mu$ g/mL in ddH <sub>2</sub> O. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% BSA, 5% HSA, 10% FBS or 5% Trehalose).
Storage & Stability	Stored at -20°C for 2 years. After reconstitution, it is stable at 4°C for 1 week or -20°C for longer (with carrier protein). It is recommended to freeze aliquots at -20°C or -80°C for extended storage.
Shipping	Room temperature in continental US; may vary elsewhere.

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## **DESCRIPTION**

## Background

Chitinase-3-like protein 1 (CHI3L1) is a carbohydrate-binding lectin with a specific affinity for chitin, although it lacks chitinase activity. Its main role extends beyond chitin degradation, as it is implicated in tissue remodeling and cellular responses to environmental changes. CHI3L1 plays a crucial role in T-helper cell type 2 (Th2) inflammatory responses and IL-13-induced inflammation, influencing allergen sensitization, inflammatory cell apoptosis, dendritic cell accumulation, and the differentiation of M2 macrophages. Additionally, it facilitates the invasion of pathogenic enteric bacteria into colonic mucosa and lymphoid organs. CHI3L1 is involved in the activation of the AKT1 signaling pathway, leading to IL8 production in colonic epithelial cells. Furthermore, it regulates antibacterial responses in the lungs, contributing to macrophage bacterial killing, controlling bacterial dissemination, and enhancing host tolerance. In lung tissues, CHI3L1 also plays a role in regulating hyperoxia-induced injury, inflammation, and epithelial apoptosis. Structurally, CHI3L1 functions as a monomer.

Caution: Product has not been fully validated for medical applications. For research use only.

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