

# Product Data Sheet

## SLC16A2 Protein, Human (Sf9, His, MBP, FLAG)

Cat. No.:	HY-P702021
Synonyms:	SLC16A2; Monocarboxylate transporter 8; MCT 8; Monocarboxylate transporter 7; MCT 7; Solute carrier family 16 member 2; X-linked PEST-containing transporter
Species:	Human
Source:	Sf9 insect cells
Accession:	P36021 (A2-I539)
Gene ID:	6567
Molecular Weight:	

Inhibitors

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PROPERTIES	
Appearance	Solution.
Endotoxin Level	<1 EU/µg, determined by LAL method.
Reconsititution	Please use rapid thawing with running water to thaw the protein.
Storage & Stability	Stored at -80°C for 1 year. It is stable at -20°C for 3 months after opening. It is recommended to freeze aliquots at -80°C for extended storage. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
Shipping	Shipping with dry ice.

### DESCRIPTION

#### Background

SLC16A2, a specific thyroid hormone transmembrane transporter, plays a pivotal role in facilitating the uptake and efflux of thyroid hormones across the cell membrane, operating independently of pH or a Na(+) gradient. With a notable preference for substrates such as the iodothyronines T3 and T4, and to a lesser extent rT3 and 3,3-diiodothyronine (3,3'-T2), SLC16A2 emerges as a key mediator of thyroid hormone transport. Its significance is particularly pronounced in the transport of T3, notably through the blood-brain barrier, emphasizing its crucial role in enabling the entry of thyroid hormones into the brain. The transporter's ability to translocate thyroid hormones underscores its importance in regulating the cellular availability of these essential molecules, highlighting its impact on thyroid hormone homeostasis and its potential therapeutic relevance in various physiological contexts.

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

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