

CD44 Protein, Human (220a.a, HEK293, Fc)

Cat. No.:	HY-P74293
Synonyms:	CD44 antigen; CDw44; Epican; ECMR-III; CD44; LHR; MDU2
Species:	Human
Source:	HEK293
Accession:	P16070 (Q21-P220)
Gene ID:	960
Molecular Weight:	Approximately 76 kDa

PROPERTIES

Appearance	Lyophilized powder.
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4. Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween 80 are added as protectants before lyophilization.
Endotoxin Level	<1 EU/µg, determined by LAL method.
Reconstitution	It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100 µg/mL in ddH ₂ O.
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.

DESCRIPTION

Background	CD44, a cell-surface receptor, plays a pivotal role in cell-cell interactions, adhesion, and migration, enabling cells to sense and respond to alterations in the tissue microenvironment. Its involvement extends to diverse cellular functions, including the activation, recirculation, and homing of T-lymphocytes, hematopoiesis, inflammation, and response to bacterial infection. CD44 engages various extracellular matrix components, such as hyaluronan/HA, collagen, growth factors, cytokines, or proteases through its ectodomain, serving as a platform for signal transduction. This involves the assembly of protein complexes via its cytoplasmic domain, containing receptor kinases and membrane proteases. Effectors like PKN2, RAC1, RHOA, Rho-kinases, and phospholipase C coordinate signaling pathways with CD44, leading to calcium mobilization and actin-mediated cytoskeleton reorganization, crucial for cell migration and adhesion. CD44 interacts with a spectrum of molecules, including PKN2, TIAM1, TIAM2, hyaluronan, collagen, laminin, fibronectin, UNC119, PDPN, RDX, EZR, MSN, EGFR, and CD74, forming a complex network essential for its diverse cellular functions.
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