# **Product** Data Sheet



## BMPR1A/ALK-3 Protein, Mouse (129a.a, HEK293, His-Fc)

Cat. No.: HY-P7483

Synonyms: Bone morphogenetic protein receptor type-1A; ALK-3; SKR5; CD292; ACVRLK3; BMPR-IA

Species: HEK293 Source:

P36895 (Q24-R152) Accession:

Gene ID: 12166 55-60 kDa Molecular Weight:

### **PROPERTIES**

**AA Sequence** 

QNLDSMLHGT GMKSDLDQKK PENGVTLAPE DTLPFLKCYC SGHCPDDAIN NTCITNGHCF AIIEEDDQGE TTLTSGCMKY EGSDFQCKDS PKAQLRRTIE CCRTNLCNQY LQPTLPPVVI

GPFFDGSIRH HHHHH

**Biological Activity** The enzyme activity of this recombinant protein is testing in progress, we cannot offer a guarantee yet.

Lyophilized powder. **Appearance** 

**Formulation** Lyophilized after extensive dialysis against 20 mM PB, 150 mM NaCl, pH 7.4.

**Endotoxin Level** <1 EU/µg, determined by LAL method.

Reconsititution It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100 μg/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.

### **DESCRIPTION**

Background

ALK-3 (BMPR1A; ACVRLK3) is the receptor bone morphogenetic protein (BMP) type I receptors, for BMP2, BMP4, GDF5 and GDF6. Among BMP type I receptors, ALK-2 and 3 are widely expressedin tissues, while ALK-1 is more selectively expressed in endothelial cells (ECs)<sup>[1]</sup>. Hepcidin, the main regulator of iron metabolism, is synthesized and released by hepatocytes in response to increased body iron concentration and inflammation. BMP/ALK/SMAD pathway controls hepcidin expression, while BMP type I receptors ALK-2 and ALK-3 are responsible for iron-dependent hepcidin upregulation and basal hepcidin expression, respectively, to avoid low hepcidin which causes iron overload or high hepcidin levels which induce ironrestricted erythropoiesis<sup>[2]</sup>. ALK-3 positively regulates chondrocyte differentiation through GDF5 interaction and mediates induction of adipogenesis by GDF6<sup>[3]</sup>. ALK-3 protein shows function for the initiation of chondrogenesis, for regulating differentiation along the chondrogenic lineage, and for endochondral bone formation<sup>[5]</sup>. Components of BMP signaling have been implicated in both pathogenesis of pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) and endothelial-mesenchymal transition (EndoMT), and BMPR1A is key to maintain endothelial identity and to prevent excessive EndoMT. BMPR1A-ID2/ZEB1-TGFBR2 signaling axis could serve as a potential novel target for PAH and other EndoMT-related vascular disorders<sup>[4]</sup>.

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