Product Name: Recombinant Human Hemopexin (C-6His) Enkilife Catalog #: PHH0784

Summary

Name Hemopexin

Purity Greater than 95% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE

Endotoxin level <1 EU/μg as determined by LAL test.

Construction Recombinant Human Hemopexin is produced by our Mammalian expression

system and the target gene encoding Thr24-His462 is expressed with a 6His

tag at the C-terminus.

Accession # P02790

Host Human Cells

Species Human

Predicted Molecular Mass 50.1 KDa

Formulation Supplied as a 0.2 µm filtered solution of 20mM MES, 150mM NaCl, pH 5.5.

Shipping The product is shipped on dry ice/polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately

at the temperature listed below.

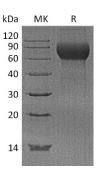
Stability&Storage Store at \leq -70°C, stable for 6 months after receipt. Store at \leq -70°C, stable for 3

months under sterile conditions after opening. Please minimize freeze-thaw

cycles.

Reconstitution

SDS-PAGE image



Background

Alternative Names Hemopexin;Hpx;Hpxn

Background Hemopexin (HPX) is plasma glycoprotein belongs to the family of the acute-phase

proteins whose synthesis is induced after an inflammatory event. Hemopexin with

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two four-bladed beta -propeller folds has been found in other proteins including collagenases and provides sites for protein-protein interactions. The liver is the major synthesizing organ. Hemopexin participates in maintaining and recycling the iron pool by utilizing its high binding affinity toward heme composed of protoporphyrin IX and iron. It also functions in preventing oxidation caused by heme after hemolysis. Hydrophobic heme molecules can intercalate into lipid membranes and participate in the oxidation of lipid membrane components through the Fenton reaction resulting in lipid peroxidation. Hemopexin undergoes a conformational change upon the binding of heme. The conformational change allows hemopexin to interact with a specific receptor, forming a complex which is then internalized. Heme concentrations in plasma increase after hemolysis, which is associated with several pathological conditions such as reperfusion injury and ischemia.

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