# Human CD81 / TAPA-1 Protein (Fc Tag)

Catalog Number: 14244-H04H



# **General Information**

### Gene Name Synonym:

CVID6; S5.7; TAPA1; TSPAN28

### **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the human CD81 (NP\_004347.1) (Phe113-Lys201) was expressed with the Fc region of mouse IgG1 at the N-terminus.

Source: Human

Expression Host: HEK293 Cells

**QC** Testing

Purity: > 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

**Endotoxin:** 

< 1.0 EU per µg of the protein as determined by the LAL method

Predicted N terminal: Asp

#### Molecular Mass:

The recombinant human CD81/mFc comprises 325 amino acids and has a predicted molecular mass of 36.4 kDa. The apparent molecular mass of the monomer is approximately 38-42 kDa in SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions due to glycosylation.

## Formulation:

Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4.

Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization. Specific concentrations are included in the hardcopy of COA. Please contact us for any concerns or special requirements.

# **Usage Guide**

## Stability & Storage:

Samples are stable for twelve months from date of receipt at -20  $^{\circ}$ C to -80  $^{\circ}$ C.

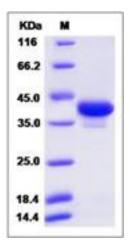
Store it under sterile conditions at -20°C to -80°C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

### Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

#### SDS-PAGE:



# **Protein Description**

CD81, also known as TAPA-1, belongs to the transmembrane 4 superfamily, also known as the tetraspanin family. Members of this family mediate signal transduction events that play a role in the regulation of cell development, activation, growth and motility.CD81 is a widely expressed cell-surface protein involved in an astonishing variety of biologic responses. It is related to adhesion, morphology, activation, proliferation, and differentiation of B, T, and other cells. On B cells CD81 is part of a complex with CD21, CD19, and Leu13. This complex reduces the threshold for B cell activation via the B cell receptor by bridging Ag specific recognition and CD21-mediated complement recognition.

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