

# Recombinant Human DLK1 protein (rFc Tag)

Catalog Number: Eg2909

## Basic Information

**Species:**  
Human**Purity:**  
>90 %, SDS-PAGE**Tag:**  
rFc Tag

## Technical Specifications

**Purity:**

&gt;90 %, SDS-PAGE

**Endotoxin Level:**

&lt;0.1 EU/ µg protein, LAL method

**Source:**

HEK293-derived Human DLK1 protein Ala24-Pro297 (Accession# P80370-1) with a rabbit IgG Fc tag at the C-terminus.

**GeneID:**

8788

**Accession:**

P80370-1

**Predicted Molecular Mass:**

55.2 kDa

**SDS-PAGE:**

60-70 kDa, reducing (R) conditions

**Formulation:**

Lyophilized from 0.22 µm filtered solution in PBS, pH 7.4. Normally 5% trehalose and 5% mannitol are added as protectants before lyophilization.

## Biological Activity

Not tested

## Storage and Shipping

**Storage:**

It is recommended that the protein be aliquoted for optimal storage. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

- Until expiry date, -20°C to -80°C as lyophilized proteins.
- 3 months, -20°C to -80°C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

**Shipping:**

The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the recommended temperature.

## Reconstitution

Briefly centrifuge the tube before opening. Reconstitute at 0.1-0.5 mg/mL in sterile water.

## Background

DLK1, also named PREF1, FA1, or pG2, is a transmembrane protein belonging to the epidermal growth factor (EGF)-like superfamily. It contains six EGF-like repeats in the extracellular region. DLK1 is abundant in preadipocytes and regulate adipocyte differentiation negatively. Deficiency of DLK1 gives rise to growth retardation and accelerated adiposity in mouse model. Expression of DLK1 is found in tumors with neuroendocrine features that implies DLK1 may be involved in neuroendocrine differentiation. It has been reported overexpression of DLK1 could lead to the development of metabolic abnormalities by impairment of adipocyte function in mice. The gene of DLK1 maps to chromosome 14q32, and encodes a 383-amino acid protein with a calculated molecular mass of 41 kDa. In preadipocytes, multiple discrete forms of DLK1 protein of 45-60 kDa are present, owing in part to N-linked glycosylation.

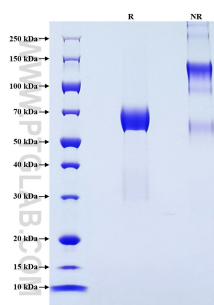
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## Synonyms

DLK1, DLK, DLK 1, DLK-1, FA1

## Selected Validation Data



Purity of Recombinant Human DLK1 was determined by SDS-PAGE. The protein was resolved in an SDS-PAGE in reducing (R) and non-reducing (NR) conditions and stained using Coomassie blue.

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