

## **Synonym**

VEGFC,Flt4-L,VRP

### Source

Human VEGF-C Protein, His Tag(VEC-H52H3) is expressed from human 293 cells (HEK293). It contains AA Thr 103 - Arg 227 (Accession # <u>AAH35212.1</u>).

### **Molecular Characterization**

VEGF-C(Thr 103 - Arg 227) AAH35212.1

Poly-his

This protein carries a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

The protein has a calculated MW of 31 kDa. The protein migrates as 40-45 kDa when calibrated against <u>Star Ribbon Pre-stained Protein Marker</u> under reducing (R) condition (SDS-PAGE) due to glycosylation.

#### **Endotoxin**

Less than 1.0 EU per µg by the LAL method.

# **Purity**

>95% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

>90% as determined by SEC-MALS.

#### **Formulation**

Lyophilized from 0.22  $\mu m$  filtered solution in PBS, pH7.4 with trehalose as protectant.

Contact us for customized product form or formulation.

#### Reconstitution

Please see Certificate of Analysis for specific instructions.

For best performance, we strongly recommend you to follow the reconstitution protocol provided in the CoA.

## Storage

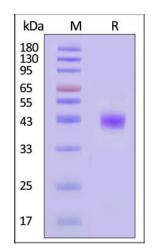
For long term storage, the product should be stored at lyophilized state at -20°C or lower.

Please avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

This product is stable after storage at:

- -20°C to -70°C for 12 months in lyophilized state;
- -70°C for 3 months under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

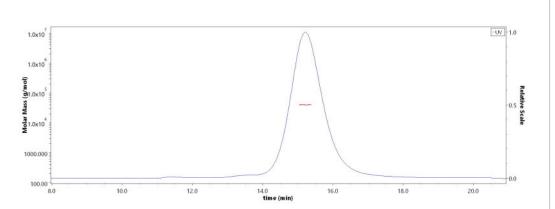
## **SDS-PAGE**



Human VEGF-C Protein, His Tag on SDS-PAGE under reducing (R) condition. The gel was stained with Coomassie Blue. The purity of the protein is greater than 95% (With <u>Star Ribbon Pre-stained Protein Marker</u>).

## **Bioactivity-ELISA**

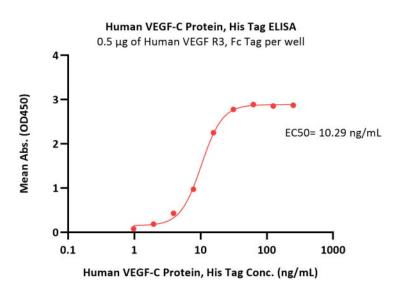
## **SEC-MALS**



The purity of Human VEGF-C Protein, His Tag (Cat. No. VEC-H52H3) is more than 90% and the molecular weight of this protein is around 30-45 kDa verified by SEC-MALS.

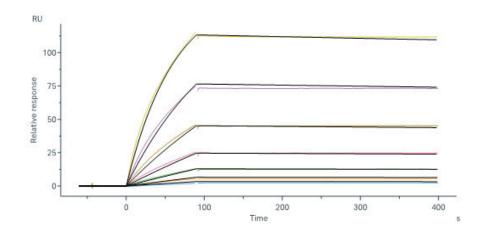
Report





Immobilized Human VEGF R3, Fc Tag (Cat. No. FL4-H5251) at 5  $\mu$ g/mL (100  $\mu$ L/well) can bind Human VEGF-C Protein, His Tag (Cat. No. VEC-H52H3) with a linear range of 1-16 ng/mL (QC tested).

# **Bioactivity-SPR**



Human VEGF-C Protein, His Tag (Cat. No. VEC-H52H3) capture on NTA-Series S sensor chip can bind Human VEGF R3, Fc Tag (Cat. No. FL4-H5251) with an affinity constant of 0.130 nM as determined in a SPR assay (Biacore 8K) (Routinely tested).

# Background

Vascular endothelial growth factor C is also known as VEGFC, Flt4-L and VRP, it contains the C-terminal propeptide which has an unusual structure with tandemly repeated cysteine-rich motifs. Upon biosynthesis, VEGFC is secreted as a non-covalent momodimer in an anti-parellel fashion. VEGFC is a member of the platelet-derived growth factor/vascular endothelial growth factor (PDGF/VEGF) family, is active in angiogenesis, lymphangiogenesis and endothelial cell growth and survival, and can also affect the permeability of blood vessels. This secreted protein undergoes a complex proteolytic maturation, generating multiple processed forms that bind and activate VEGFR-3 receptors. Only the fully processed form can bind and activate VEGFR-2 receptors. The structure and function of this protein is similar to those of vascular endothelial growth factor D (VEGF-D). VEGFC may function in angiogenesis of the venous and lymphatic vascular systems during embryogenesis, and also in the maintenance of differentiated lymphatic endothelium in adults. Overexpression of VEGF-C causes lymphatics to enlarge possibly facilitates metastasis.

# **Clinical and Translational Updates**

