

## Recombinant Human COMT Protein, His&GST-tagged

**Cat. No.** COMT-827H    **Lot. No.** (See product label)

### SPECIFICATION

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| <b>Product Overview</b> | Recombinant Human COMT Protein (Arg27-Pro271) with His&GST tag was expressed in E. coli.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Species</b>          | Human                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>Source</b>           | E.coli                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>ProteinLength</b>    | Arg27-Pro271                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>Description</b>      | Catechol-O-methyltransferase catalyzes the transfer of a methyl group from S-adenosylmethionine to catecholamines, including the neurotransmitters dopamine, epinephrine, and norepinephrine. This O-methylation results in one of the major degradative pathways of the catecholamine transmitters. In addition to its role in the metabolism of endogenous substances, COMT is important in the metabolism of catechol drugs used in the treatment of hypertension, asthma, and Parkinson disease. COMT is found in two forms in tissues, a soluble form (S-COMT) and a membrane-bound form (MB-COMT). The differences between S-COMT and MB-COMT reside within the N-termini. Several transcript variants are formed through the use of alternative translation initiation sites and promoters. |
| <b>Form</b>             | Freeze-dried powder                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>Molecular Mass</b>   | Predicted Molecular Mass: 57.3 kDa; Accurate Molecular Mass: 57 kDa                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>Purity</b>           | > 80%                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |

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| <b>Applications</b>   | Positive Control; Immunogen; SDS-PAGE; WB.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Stability</b>      | The thermal stability is described by the loss rate. The loss rate was determined by accelerated thermal degradation test, that is, incubate the protein at 37 centigrade for 48h, and no obvious degradation and precipitation were observed. The loss rate is less than 5% within the expiration date under appropriate storage condition. |
| <b>Storage</b>        | Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. Store at 2-8 centigrade for one month. Aliquot and store at -80 centigrade for 12 months.                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Storage Buffer</b> | 20mM Tris, 150mM NaCl, pH8.0, containing 1mM EDTA, 1mM DTT, 0.01% SKL, 5% Trehalose and Proclin300.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Reconstitution</b> | Reconstitute in 20mM Tris, 150mM NaCl (pH8.0) to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Do not vortex.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |

## GENE INFORMATION

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| <b>Gene Name</b>       | COMT catechol-O-methyltransferase [ Homo sapiens (human) ]        |
| <b>Official Symbol</b> | COMT                                                              |
| <b>Synonyms</b>        | COMT; catechol-O-methyltransferase; catechol O-methyltransferase; |
| <b>Gene ID</b>         | 1312                                                              |
| <b>mRNA Refseq</b>     | NM_000754                                                         |
| <b>Protein Refseq</b>  | NP_000745                                                         |
| <b>MIM</b>             | 116790                                                            |

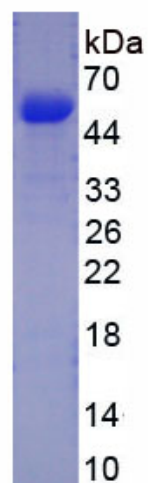
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