# Recombinant Human Galectin 9/LGALS9 Protein (His Tag)

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Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

### **Description**

Synonyms Galectin-9;Gal-9;Ecalectin;Tumor Antigen HOM-HD-21;LGALS9

Species Human

Expression Host

Sequence

Met 1-Thr323

Accession

Q3B8N1-2

Calculated Molecular Weight

Observed molecular weight

Tag

HEK293 Cells

49 kDa

C-His

### **Properties**

**Purity** > 95 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

**Endotoxin**  $< 1.0 \text{ EU per } \mu \text{g of the protein as determined by the LAL method.}$ 

**Storage** Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to

-80°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots

of reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

**Shipping** This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.

Formulation Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution of 50mM MOPS, 150mM NaCl, 1mM

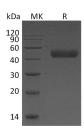
DTT, 1mM EDTA, 5% Trehalose, pH 7.4.

Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as

protectants before lyophilization. Please refer to the specific bu

**Reconstitution** Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

#### Data



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## **Background**

Galectin-9 is a cytoplasmic protein that contains two galectin domains. Galectin-9 is an S-type lectin that is over-expressed in Hodgkin's disease tissue. Galectin-9 binds galactosides and has high affinity for the Forssman pentasaccharide. Galectin-9 plays a role in thymocyte-epithelial interactions relevant to the biology of the thymus and Inhibits cell proliferation. Galectin-9 is a ligand for HAVCR2/TIM3 and induces T-helper type 1 lymphocyte (Th1) death. In addition, Galectin-9 suppresses tumor cell metastasis by interfering with the associations CD44, VCAM-1, Integrin  $\alpha 4\beta 1$ .

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