# Recombinant Human BCMA/TNFRSF17 Protein (His Tag)

### Catalog No. PKSH033486

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

Description		
Synonyms	Tumor necrosis factor receptor superfamily member 17;B-cell maturation protein;CD269;TNFRSF17;BCM;BCMA	
Species	Human	
Expression Host	P.Pichia	
Sequence	Met1-Ala54	
Accession	Q02223	
Calculated Molecular Weight	6.9 kDa	
Observed molecular weight	12&15-28 kDa	
Tag	C-His	
Bioactivity	Not validated for activity	
Properties		
Purity	> 95 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.	
Endotoxin	< 1.0 EU per $\mu$ 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 PBS, pH 7.4. Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization. Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.	
Reconstitution	Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.	
Data		

kDa	MK	R
120 90 60	=	
40		
30		
20		
14	-	

> 95 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

## Background

Tumor necrosis factor receptor superfamily; member 17 (TNFRSF17); also known as B cell maturation antigen (BCMA)

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or CD269 antigen; is a member of the TNF-receptor superfamily. This receptor is preferentially expressed in mature B lymphocytes; and may be important for B cell development and autoimmune response. This receptor has been shown to specifically bind to the tumor necrosis factor (ligand) superfamily; member 13b (TNFSF13BBAFF); and to lead to NF-kappaB and MAPK8/JNK activation. TNFRSF17/BCMA/CD269 also binds to various TRAF family members; and thus may transduce signals for cell survival and proliferation. TNFRSF17/BCMA/CD269 is a receptor for TALL-1 and BCMA activates NF-kappaB through a TRAF5-; TRAF6-; NIK-; and IKK-dependent pathway. The identification of TNFRSF17 as a NF-kappaB-activating receptor for TALL-1 suggests molecular targets for drug development against certain immunodeficient or autoimmune diseases. TNFRSF17/BCMA is a target of donor B-cell immunity in patients with myeloma who respond to DLI. Antibody responses to cell-surface BCMA may contribute directly to tumor rejection in vivo.