APC-equivalent Human HLA-E*01:03&B2M&Peptide (VMAPRTLVL) Tetramer Protein

Cat. No. MHC-HM21CTC

Description

Source	Recombinant APC-equivalent Human HLA-E*01:03&B2M&Peptide (VMAPRTLVL) Tetramer Protein is expressed from HEK293 with His tag at the C-terminus.
	It contains Gly22-Thr302(HLA-E*01:03), Ile21-Met119(B2M) and VMAPRTLVL peptide.
Accession	P13747(HLA-E*01:03)&P61769(B2M)&VMAPRTLVL
Molecular Weight	The protein has a predicted MW of 301.60 kDa.
Endotoxin	Less than 1EU per μg by the LAL method.

Formulation and Storage

Formulation	Supplied as 0.22 μm filtered solution in PBS, 300mM NaCl (pH 7.4).
Storage	Valid for 12 months from date of receipt when stored at -80°C. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles.

Background

HLA-E is a nonclassical member of the major histocompatibility complex class I gene locus. HLA-E protein shares a high level of homology with MHC Ia classical proteins: it has similar tertiary structure, associates with β2-microglobulin, and is able to present peptides to cytotoxic lymphocytes. The main function of HLA-E under normal conditions is to present peptides derived from the leader sequences of classical HLA class I proteins, thus serving for monitoring of expression of these molecules performed by cytotoxic lymphocytes.