

# Recombinant Influenza A H7N9 (A/Anhui/1/2013) Hemagglutinin / HA Protein

Catalog No.: RP03134 **Recombinant**

## Sequence Information

**Species**    **Gene ID**    **Swiss Prot**  
Influenza A

**Tags**  
C-His

**Synonyms**  
Hemagglutinin; HA

## Product Information

**Source**                      **Purification**  
Baculovirus-Insect    ≥ 95 % as  
Cells                      determined by SDS-  
PAGE.

**Calculated MW**    **Observed MW**  
57.6 kDa                      58 kDa

**Endotoxin**  
< 1 EU/μg of the protein by LAL method.

**Formulation**  
Lyophilized from sterile 20mM Tris,  
500mM NaCl, 10% glycerol, pH 7.4.  
Contact us for customized product form  
or formulation.

**Reconstitution**  
Centrifuge the vial before opening.  
Reconstitute to a concentration of  
0.1-0.5 mg/mL in sterile distilled water.  
Avoid vortex or vigorously pipetting the  
protein. For long term storage, it is  
recommended to add a carrier protein or  
stabilizer (e.g. 0.1% BSA, 5% HSA, 10%  
FBS or 5% Trehalose), and aliquot the  
reconstituted protein solution to  
minimize free-thaw cycles.

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## Background

The influenza viral Hemagglutinin (HA) protein is a homotrimer with a receptor binding pocket on the globular head of each monomer. HA has at least 18 different antigens. These subtypes are named H1 through H18. HA has two functions. Firstly, it allows the recognition of target vertebrate cells, accomplished through the binding to these cells' sialic acid-containing receptors. Secondly, once bound it facilitates the entry of the viral genome into the target cells by causing the fusion of the host endosomal membrane with the viral membrane. The influenza virus Hemagglutinin (HA) protein is translated in cells as a single protein, HA, or hemagglutinin precursor protein. For viral activation, hemagglutinin precursor protein (HA) must be cleaved by a trypsin-like serine endoprotease at a specific site, normally coded for by a single basic amino acid (usually arginine) between the HA1 and HA2 domains of the protein. After cleavage, the two disulfide-bonded protein domains produce the mature form of the protein subunits as a prerequisite for the conformational change necessary for fusion and hence viral infectivity.

## Basic Information

### Description

Recombinant Influenza A H7N9 (A/Anhui/1/2013) Hemagglutinin / HA Protein is produced by Baculovirus-Insect cells expression system. The target protein is expressed with sequence (Met1-Val524) of Influenza A H7N9 (A/Anhui/1/2013) Hemagglutinin/HA (Accession #EPI439507) fused with a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

### Bio-Activity

Measured by its ability to agglutinate guinea pig red blood cells. HA titer is 4-40 ng/mL for 1% GRBC.

### Shipping

The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below.

### Storage

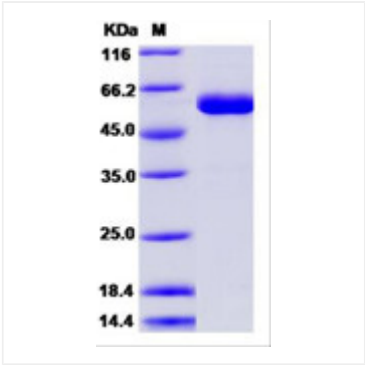
Store at -20°C. Store the lyophilized protein at -20°C to -80 °C up to 1 year from the date of receipt.  
After reconstitution, the protein solution is stable at -20°C for 3 months, at 2-8°C for up to 1 week.  
Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

### Operational Notes

For your safety and health, please wear a lab coat and disposable gloves for handling.

## Validation Data

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Recombinant Influenza A H7N9 (A/Anhui/1/2013) Hemagglutinin / HA Protein was determined by SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions with Coomassie Blue.