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# **Product Information**

SILu™Lite APOD, Apolipoprotein D, human recombinant, expressed in HEK 293 cells MS Protein Standard

Catalog Number **MSST0062** Storage Temperature –20 °C

Synonyms: Apo-D, ApoD

#### **Product Description**

SILu™Lite APOD is a recombinant human protein expressed in human 293 cells. It consists of 189 amino acids (including C-terminal polyhistidine and FLAG® tags), with a calculated molecular mass of 21.69 kDa. SILu™Lite APOD is an analytical standard designed to be used as starting material for preparation of calibrators and controls in LC-MS applications.

Apolipoprotein D is a member of the Apolipoprotein family. Unlike other lipoproteins, which are mainly produced in the liver, apolipoprotein D is primarily produced in the brain and testes. It was found to be a putative biomarker of androgen receptor function in androgen insensitivity syndrome, the most common cause of disorders of sex development. Apolipoprotein D is associated with neurological disorders and nerve injury, especially related to myelin sheath. It was shown to be elevated in a rat model of stroke, and is elevated in patients with schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, and Alzheimer's disease.

Each vial contains 50 μg of SILu™Lite APOD standard, lyophilized from a solution of phosphate buffered saline. Vial content was determined by the Bradford method using BSA as a calibrator.

Purity: ≥95% (SDS-PAGE)

UniProt: P05090

## Sequence Information:

The C-terminal polyhistidine and FLAG tags are italicized.

QAFHLGKCPNPPVQENFDVNKYLGRWYEIEKIPTTFE NGRCIQANYSLMENGKIKVLNQELRADGTVNQIEGEA TPVNLTEPAKLEVKFSWFMPSAPYWILATDYENYALV YSCTCIIQLFHVDFAWILARNPNLPPETVDSLKNILTSN NIDVKKMTVTDQVNCPKLSDYKDDDDKGHHHHHHH HGGQ

#### **Precautions and Disclaimer**

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

## **Preparation Instructions**

Briefly centrifuge the vial before opening. It is recommended to reconstitute the protein in sterile ultrapure water to a final concentration of 100  $\mu$ g/mL.

### Storage/Stability

Store the lyophilized product at -20 °C. The product is stable for at least 2 years as supplied.

After reconstitution, it is recommended to store the protein in working aliquots at –20 °C.

## References

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