

## Product datasheet

# Human C9 peptide ab71329

### Overview

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**Product name** Human C9 peptide

### Description

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**Nature** Synthetic

### Specifications

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Our [Abpromise guarantee](#) covers the use of **ab71329** in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

**Purity** 70 - 90% by HPLC.

**Form** Liquid

### Additional notes

- First try to dissolve a small amount of peptide in either water or buffer. The more charged residues on a peptide, the more soluble it is in aqueous solutions.
- If the peptide doesn't dissolve try an organic solvent e.g. DMSO, then dilute using water or buffer.
- Consider that any solvent used must be compatible with your assay. If a peptide does not dissolve and you need to recover it, lyophilise to remove the solvent.
- Gentle warming and sonication can effectively aid peptide solubilisation. If the solution is cloudy or has gelled the peptide may be in suspension rather than solubilised.
- Peptides containing cysteine are easily oxidised, so should be prepared in solution just prior to use.

### Preparation and Storage

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**Stability and Storage** Shipped at 4°C. Upon delivery aliquot and store at -20°C or -80°C. Avoid repeated freeze / thaw cycles.

Information available upon request.

### General Info

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**Function** Constituent of the membrane attack complex (MAC) that plays a key role in the innate and

adaptive immune response by forming pores in the plasma membrane of target cells. C9 is the pore-forming subunit of the MAC.

**Tissue specificity**

Plasma.

**Involvement in disease**

Defects in C9 are a cause of complement component 9 deficiency (C9D) [MIM:613825]. A rare defect of the complement classical pathway associated with susceptibility to severe recurrent infections, predominantly by *Neisseria gonorrhoeae* or *Neisseria meningitidis*.

**Sequence similarities**

Belongs to the complement C6/C7/C8/C9 family.

Contains 1 EGF-like domain.

Contains 1 LDL-receptor class A domain.

Contains 1 MACPF domain.

Contains 1 TSP type-1 domain.

**Post-translational modifications**

Thrombin cleaves factor C9 to produce C9a and C9b.

Phosphorylation sites are present in the extracellular medium.

**Cellular localization**

Secreted. Cell membrane. Secreted as soluble monomer. Oligomerizes at target membranes, forming a pre-pore. A conformation change then leads to the formation of a 100 Angstrom diameter pore.

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