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(57) Abstract: The present invention provides a chemically modified human Growth Hormone (hGH) prepared by binding a water soluble polymer to the protein. The chemically-modified protein according to the present invention may have a much longer lasting hGH activity than that of the unmodified hGH, enabling reduced dose and scheduling opportunities.