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FGF8 Protein (AA 23-215)

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Background:

Quantity:	50 μg
Target:	FGF8
Protein Characteristics:	AA 23-215
Origin:	Human
Source:	Escherichia coli (E. coli)
Protein Type:	Recombinant
Biological Activity:	Active
Product Details	
Characteristics:	ED50 < 5.0 ng/mL, measured by a cell proliferation assay using 3T3 cells in the presence of 1 μ
	g/mL of heparin, corresponding to a specific activity of > 2.0x 10^5 units/mg.
	AA 23-215, expressed with an N-terminal Met.
Purity:	> 95 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.
Endotoxin Level:	< 0.2 EU/µg, determined by LAL method.
Target Details	
Target:	FGF8
Alternative Name:	Fibroblast Growth Factor-8 (FGF-8) (FGF8 Products)

Fibroblast Growth Factor-8 (FGF-8) is a heparin-binding growth factor of the FGF family. There

are 4 known forms of FGF8 produced by alternative splicing: FGF8a, FGF-8b, FGF-8e and FGF-

8f. The human and mouse FGF8b are identical of aa sequences. FGF-8 plays an important role

in the regulation of embryonic development, cell proliferation, cell differentiation and cell migration. FGF-8 is required for normal brain, eye, ear and limb development during embryogenesis. It is also required for normal development of the gonadotropin- releasing hormone (GnRH) neuronal system.Recombinant human Fibroblast Growth Factor-8 (rhFGF-8) produced in E. coli is a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 194 amino acids. A fully biologically active molecule, rhFGF-8 has a molecular mass of 22.5 kDa analyzed by reducing SDS-PAGE.

Synonyms: FGF-8b, AIGF, HBGF

Molecular Weight:

22.5kDa, observed by reducing SDS-PAGE.

UniProt:

P55075

Pathways:

RTK Signaling, Fc-epsilon Receptor Signaling Pathway, EGFR Signaling Pathway, Neurotrophin Signaling Pathway, Dopaminergic Neurogenesis

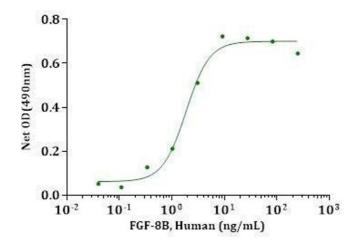
Application Details

Restrictions:

For Research Use only

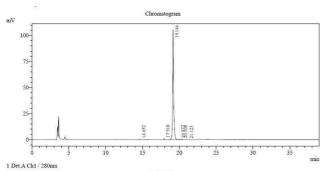
Handling

Format:	Lyophilized
Reconstitution:	Reconstituted in ddH2O at 100 µg/mL.
Buffer:	Lyophilized after extensive dialysis against PBS.
Storage:	-80 °C
Storage Comment:	Lyophilized recombinant human Fibroblast Growth Factor-8 (rhFGF-8) remains stable up to 6 months at -80 °C from date of receipt. Upon reconstitution, rhFGF-8 should be stable up to 2 weeks at 4 °C or up to 3 months at -20 °C.
Expiry Date:	6 months



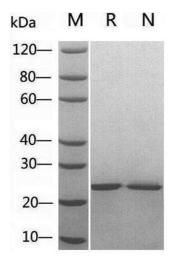
Activity Assay

Image 1. FGF-8B, Human stimulates cell proliferation of Balb/3T3 cells. The ED50 for this effect is less than 5ng/mL (1.8ng/mL)



Peak Table Peak Ret. Time Area Height Area % 1 1 4652 2388 349 0.238 2 17.918 5469 879 0.544 3 19.146 992125 105336 98.660 4 19.977 2248 326 0.224 5 20.308 22551 283 0.254 6 21.123 817 147 0.081

Image 2.



SDS-PAGE

Image 3. $2~\mu g$ of FGF-8B, Human was resolved with SDS-PAGE under reducing (R) and non-reducing (N) conditions and visualized by Coomassie Blue staining.