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# Defensin beta 4 Protein (DEFB4) (AA 33-47)



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Quantity:	1 mg
Target:	Defensin beta 4 (DEFB4)
Protein Characteristics:	AA 33-47
Origin:	Human
Source:	Escherichia coli (E. coli)
Biological Activity:	Active

## **Product Details**

Sequence:	EFELDRICGY GTARCRKKCR SQEYRIGRCP NTYACCLRKW DESLLNRTK	
Characteristics:	Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED50 determined by a chemotaxis bioassay using human monocytes is less than 100 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of $>$ , $1.0 \times 104$ IU/mg.	
Purity:	> 98 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.	
Endotoxin Level:	Level Less than 1EU/μg of rHuBD-4 as determined by LAL method	

# **Target Details**

Target:	Defensin beta 4 (DEFB4)	
Alternative Name:	beta-Defensin 4 (BD-4) (DEFB4 Products)	
Background:	Defensins (alpha and beta) are cationic peptides with a broad spectrum of antimicrobial act that comprise an important arm of the innate immune system. The <sup>a</sup> -defensins are distinguished from the beta-defensins by the pairing of their three disulfide bonds. To date,	

#### **Target Details**

human beta-defensins have been identified, BD-1, BD-2, BD-3 and BD-4. The beta-defensin proteins are expressed as the C-terminal portion of precursors and are released by proteolytic cleavage of a signal sequence. beta-defensins contain a six-cysteine motif that forms three intra-molecular disulfide bonds. beta-defensins are 3-5 kDa peptides ranging in size from 33-47 amino acid residues. BD-4 is expressed in testis, stomach, uterus, neutrophils, thyroid, lung and kidney. In addition to its direct antimicrobial activities, BD-4 is chemoattractant towards human blood monocytes. Synonym: beta-Defensin 4 (BD-4), Human. Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.2µm filtered concentrated solution in 20mM PB, pH 7.4, 130mM NaCl.

Molecular Weight:

Approximately 6.0 KDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 50 amino acids.

### **Application Details**

Restrictions:

For Research Use only

#### Handling

Format:	Lyophilized
Reconstitution:	We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the
	bottom. Reconstitute in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1% BSA to a
	concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots
	and stored at
Storage:	4 °C