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# Recombinant Human BDNF Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: PDEH100872

Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

### Description

Species Human

Source E.coli-derived Human BDNF protein His129-Arg247, with an N-terminal His

 Calculated MW
 13.0 kDa

 Observed MW
 15 kDa

 Accession
 P23560

Bio-activity Not validated for activity

#### **Properties**

**Purity** > 95% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

Endotoxin < 10 EU/mg of the protein as determined by the LAL method

Storage Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to -

80°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of

reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

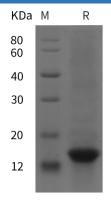
ShippingThis product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.FormulationLyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution in PBS with 5% Trehalose and 5%

Mannitol

**Reconstitution** It is recommended that sterile water be added to the vial to prepare a stock solution

of 0.5 mg/mL. Concentration is measured by UV-Vis.

#### Data



SDS-PAGE analysis of Human BDNF proteins, 2 µg/lane of Recombinant Human BDNF proteins was resolved with SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions, showing bands at 15 kDa.

## **Background**

The precursor form of Brain-Derived Neurotrophic Factor (pro-BDNF) interacts preferentially with the pan-neurotrophin receptor p75 (p75NTR) and vps10p domain-containing receptor sortilin and induces neuronal apoptosis, whereas mature BDNF selectively binds with high affinity to the TrkB kinase receptor and promotes the survival, growth and differentiation of neurons. As proneurotrophins and mature neurotrophins elicit opposite biological effects, Pro-BDNF cleavage in the neuronal system is regulated in a specific and cell-context dependent manner. Pro-BDNF plays important role in negative regulation of neurotrophic actions in the brain.

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