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# Recombinant Human/Mouse/Rat BMP-2 Protein

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

## Description

Species Human/Mouse/Rat

Source E.coli-derived Human/Mouse/Rat BMP-2 protein Gln283-Arg396, with an C-terminal

His

Calculated MW13.8 kDaObserved MW14 kDaAccessionP12643

**Bio-activity** Measure by its ability to induce alkaline phosphatase production by ATDC5 cells. The

ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is  $<1.0 \mu g/mL$ .

#### **Properties**

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

Endotoxin < 0.1 EU per µg 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.

**Shipping** This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.

**Formulation** Lyophilized from sterile 20 mM sodium citrate, 0.2 M NaCl, pH 3.5.

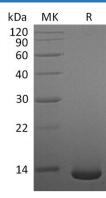
Normally 5% - 8% trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween 80 are added as protectants

before lyophilization.

Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.

**Reconstitution** Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

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# Background

Bone Morphogenetic Protein-2 (BMP-2) is one of the bone-growth regulatory factors that belong to the transforming growth factor-beta (TGF-beta) superfamily of proteins. BMPs are synthesized as large precursor molecules, which are cleaved by proteolytic enzymes. The active form of BMP-2 can consist of a dimer of two identical proteins or a heterodimer of two related bone morphogenetic proteins.

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