

FGF-8a/AIGF/HBGF-8, Human, Recombinant

Cat. No. : PCK137

General Information

Synonyms	AIGF;HBGF-8
Species	Human
Expression host	E.coli
Sequence	MQHVREQSLVTDQLSRRLIRTYQLYSRTSGKHVQVLANKRINAMAEDGDPFAKLIVETDTFGS RVRVARGAETGLYICMNKKGKLIAKSNGKGDVCFTEIVLENNYALQNAKYEGWYMAFTRKGR PRKGSKTRQHQRVHFMKRLPRGHHTTEQSLRFEFLNYPFTRSLRGSQRTWAPEPR with polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.
Accession	P55075.1
Tag	His-tag at the C-terminus
Mol mass	22.14 kDa
Expiration date	12 months
Bio activity	Measure by its ability to induce 3T3 cells proliferation. The ED50 for this effect is < 2 µg/mL.

Product feature

Purity	> 98% as determined by SDS-PAGE. Ni-NTA chromatography.
Endotoxin (EU/µg)	< 0.1
Storage	Lyophilized protein should be stored at -5~-20°C for 1 year. Upon reconstitution, store at 2-8°C for up to 1 week. Further dilute in a buffer containing a carrier protein or stabilizer (e.g. 0.1% BSA, 10% FBS, 5% HSA or 5% trehalose solution), protein aliquots should be stored at -5~-20°C or -80°C for 3-6 months.
Shipping	Ice bag
Formulation	The protein was lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution containing 1 × PBS, pH 8.0.
Reconstitution	It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized protein in sterile water to a concentration not less than 100 µg/mL. Do Not Vortex! Vigorous shaking may impair the biological activity of the protein.

Background

FGF-8a is a member of the fibroblast growth factor (FGF) family. FGF family members possess broad mitogenic and cell survival activities and are involved in a variety of biological processes, including embryonic development, cell growth, morphogenesis, tissue repair, tumor growth, and invasion. FGF-8 shows limited expression in the normal adult, but low levels are found in the reproductive and genitourinary tract, peripheral leukocytes and bone marrow hematopoietic cells.