



User Manual

Keratinocyte Growth Factor-2/FGF-10 (KGF-2/FGF-10) (Human)
Cat. No. HEGFP-08023

Description:

Keratinocyte Growth Factor-2 (KGF-2), also known as FGF-10, was originally identified from rat embryos by homology-based polymerase chain reaction. Human and mouse KGF-2 were subsequently cloned. The human KGF-2 cDNA encodes a 208 amino acid residue protein with a hydrophobic amino-terminal signal peptide. Human KGF-2 shares approximately 92% and 95% amino acid sequence identity with mouse and rat KGF-2, respectively. Among the FGF family members, KGF-2 is most closely related to FGF-7. The expression of KGF-2 transcripts has been shown to be most abundant in the embryo and adult lung. Recombinant KGF-2 preparations have been shown to be mitogenic for epithelial and epidermal cells but not fibroblasts. Based on its in vitro biological activities and in vivo expression pattern, KGF-2 has been proposed to play unique roles in the brain, in lung development, wound healing and limb bud formation.

Source:

Escherichia coli

Unit:

1 mg

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 < -20°C. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

Formulation:

Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered concentrated solution in 2 × PBS, pH 7.4.

Storage:

This lyophilized preparation is stable at 2-8°C, but should be kept at -20°C for long term storage, preferably desiccated. Upon reconstitution, the preparation is stable for up to one week at 2-8°C. For maximal stability, apportion the reconstituted preparation into working

aliquots and store at -20°C to -70°C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

Molecular Weight:

Approximately 19.3 kDa, 169 amino acid residues consisting of the mature human KGF-2 (amino acid residues 40 – 208).

Endotoxin:

Less than 1 EU/μg of KGF-2/FGF-10 as determined by LAL method.

Usage:

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Biological Activity:

The ED50 determined by a cell proliferation assay using monkey 4MBr-5 cells is less than 100 ng/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of $> 1.0 \times 10^4$ IU/mg.

Physical Appearance:

Sterile filtered white lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

AA Sequence:

LGQDMVSPE ATNSSSSSFS SPSSAGRHVR SYNHLQGDVR WRKLFSTKY
FLKIEKNGKV SGTKKENCYPY SILEITSVEI GVVAVKAINS NYLAMNKKG KLYGSKEFNN
DCKLKERIEE NGYNTYASFN WQHNGRQMYV ALNGKGAPRR GQKTRRKNTS
AHFLPMVVHS

Purity:

> 97% by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDSs) are available upon request.

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