## Human aFGF / FGF1 Protein

Catalog Number: 10013-HNAE



## **General Information**

### Gene Name Synonym:

AFGF; ECGF; ECGF-beta; ECGFA; ECGFB; FGF-1; FGF-alpha; FGFA; GLIO703; HBGF-1; HBGF1

#### **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the mature form of human FGF acidic (AAA79245.1) (Phe 16-Asp 155) was expressed, with an additional Met at the N-terminus.

Source: Human

Expression Host: E. coli

**QC** Testing

Purity: > 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

**Bio Activity:** 

Measured in a cell proliferation assay using Balb/c 3T3 mouse embryonic fibroblasts. The  $\rm ED_{50}$  for this effect is typically 0.15-0.75 ng/mL.

#### **Endotoxin:**

Please contact us for more information.

### Stability:

Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt at -70 °C

Predicted N terminal: Met

### **Molecular Mass:**

The recombinant human FGF acidic consists of 141 amino acids and has a calculated molecular mass of 16 kDa as estimated by SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions.

## Formulation:

Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4

Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization. Specific concentrations are included in the hardcopy of COA. Please contact us for any concerns or special requirements.

## **Usage Guide**

## Storage:

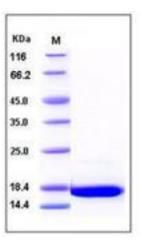
Store it under sterile conditions at -20°C to -80°C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

#### Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

#### SDS-PAGE:



# **Protein Description**

aFGF, also known as FGF1 and HBGF-1, is a member of the fibroblast growth factor family. The biological activity of aFGF protein is exerted through binding to four high affinity cell surface receptors (FGFR1–4), which results in receptor dimerization and transphosphorylation in the tyrosine kinase domain. aFGF protein shows a wide range of endocrine-like activities. As a multiple function growth factor, this protein is involved in embryo development and tissue repair. Additionally, this protein is considered to function in several important physiological and pathological processes, such as embryonic development, morphogenesis, angiogenesis, wound healing and atheromatosis, carcinogenesis, development, and invasion of cancer. References

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