# Human ACVR2 / ACTRII / ACVR2A Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: 10257-H08H



## **General Information**

## Gene Name Synonym:

ACTRII: ACVR2

## **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the extracellular domain of human ACVR2A (NP\_001607.1) (Met 1-Pro 134) was expressed, with a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

Source: Human

Expression Host: HEK293 Cells

**QC** Testing

**Purity:** > 97 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

## **Bio Activity:**

Measured by its ability to neutralize Activin-mediated inhibition on MPC11 cell proliferation. The ED $_{50}$  for this effect is typically 0.4-3  $\mu$ g/mL in the presence of 10 ng/mL recombinant Activin A.

#### **Endotoxin:**

< 1.0 EU per µg of the protein as determined by the LAL method

## Stability:

Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt at -70  $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$ 

Predicted N terminal: Ala 20

## **Molecular Mass:**

The recombinant human ACVR2A comprises 126 amino acids and predicts a molecular mass of 14.9 kDa. As a result of glycosylation, the apparent molecular mass of the protein is approximately 35-40 kDa in 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:

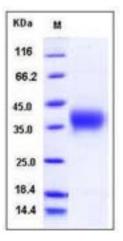
Store it under sterile conditions at  $-20\,^\circ\mathbb{C}$  to  $-80\,^\circ\mathbb{C}$  upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

## Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

## Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

#### SDS-PAGE:



# **Protein Description**

ACVR2A and ACVR2B are two activin type II receptors. ACVR2A has been shown to interact with INHBA, SYNJ2BP and ACVR1B. The bovine ACVR2A gene encodes a protein of 513 amino acids which is highly homologous (approximately 98% identity) to the rat, mouse, and human ACVR2A proteins. Inactivation of ACVR2A is a common event in prostate cancer cells suggesting it may play an important role in the development of prostate cancer. The ACVR2A gene is a putative tumor suppressor gene that is frequently mutated in microsatellite-unstable colon cancers (MSI-H colon cancers). Frameshift mutation of ACVR2A may contribute to MSI-H colon tumorigenesis via disruption of alternate TGF-beta effector pathways.

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