

# Human VEGF-D / VEGFD / FIGF Protein (His Tag)

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## General Information

### Gene Name Synonym:

FIGF

### Protein Construction:

A DNA sequence encoding the human VEGFD (NP\_004460.1) (Phe93-Ser201) was expressed with a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

**Source:** Human

**Expression Host:** Baculovirus-Insect Cells

## QC Testing

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

### Endotoxin:

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

### Stability:

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

**Predicted N terminal:** Phe 93

### Molecular Mass:

The recombinant human VEGFD consists of 120 amino acids and predicts a molecular mass of 13.6 kDa.

### Formulation:

Lyophilized from sterile pH 8.0, 20 mM Tris, 150 mM NaCl, 10 % glycerol.

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:

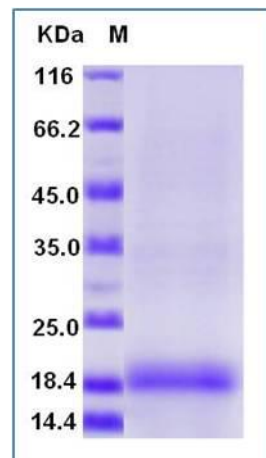
Store it under sterile conditions at -20°C to -80°C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

**Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.**

### Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

## SDS-PAGE:



## Protein Description

Vascular endothelial growth factor D (VEGF-D), also known as C-fos induced growth factor (FIGF), belongs to the platelet-derived growth factor/vascular endothelial growth factor (PDGF/VEGF) family. FIGF protein is active in angiogenesis, lymphangiogenesis, and endothelial cell growth. FIGF protein is secreted as a non-covalent homodimer in an antiparallel fashion. Human FIGF protein is expressed in adult lung, heart, muscle, and small intestine, and is most abundantly expressed in fetal lungs and skin. FIGF protein is structurally and functionally similar to VEGF-C. Therefore, FIGF protein binds and activates VEGFR-2 (Flk1) and VEGFR-3 (Flt4) receptors, and may particularly be involved in cancers, such as breast cancer, epithelial ovarian carcinoma and so on.

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