# Human NRG1-alpha Protein (EGF Domain, Fc Tag)

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## **General Information**

#### Gene Name Synonym:

ARIA; GGF; GGF2; HGL; HRG; HRG1; HRGA; MST131; MSTP131; NDF; Neuregulin 1; NRG1-IT2; SMDF

#### **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the human NRG1 isoform alpha (Q02297-1) EGFlike domain (Ser 177-Lys 241) was fused with the Fc region of human IgG1 at the N-terminus.

Source: Human

Expression Host: HEK293 Cells

## **QC** Testing

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

#### **Bio Activity:**

1. Measured by its ability to biotinylated Human ErbB4-Fc (cat:10363-H03H) in functional Elisa. 2. Measured by its ability to biotinylated Rhesus ErbB3 (Cat:90043-K02H) in functional Elisa.

#### Endotoxin:

< 1.0 EU per  $\mu$ g of the protein as determined by the LAL method

#### Stability:

Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt  $% 10^{\circ}$  at -70  $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$ 

Predicted N terminal: Glu

#### **Molecular Mass:**

The recombinant human NRG1(177-241)/Fc chimera is a disulfide-linked homodimeric protein. The reduced monomer consists of 326 amino acids and has a calculated molecular mass of 35.8 kDa. In SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions, the apparent molecular mass of the protein is approximately 38 kDa.

#### 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 $^\circ\!C$  to -80 $^\circ\!C$  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**

Neuregulin 1 or NRG1 is one of four proteins in the neuregulin family that act on the EGFR family of receptors. This growth factor was originally identified as a 44-kD glycoprotein that interacts with the NEU / ERBB2 receptor tyrosine kinase to increase its phosphorylation on tyrosine residues. NRG1 is a trophic factor that has been implicated in neural development, neurotransmission, and synaptic plasticity. NRG1 has multiple isoforms that are generated by usage of different promoters and alternative splicing of a single gene. Neuregulin 1 (NRG1) is essential for the development and function of multiple organ systems, and its dysregulation has been linked to diseases such as cancer and schizophrenia. NRG1 is a schizophrenia candidate gene and plays an important role in brain development and neural function. Schizophrenia is a complex disorder, with etiology likely due to epistasis.

#### References

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