

## Human FGF-2, Tag free, E. coli

Catalog Number LDG189PHE

Package 5 μg / 20 μg / 100 μg / Customized package

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## **Specifications**

**Species of Origin** 

Human

**Affinity Tag** 

Tag Free

**Purity** 

>98% as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis.

**Activity** 

Measure by its ability to induce 3T3 cells proliferation. The ED $_{50}$  for this effect is <1 ng/mL. The specific activity of recombinant human FGF-2 is approximately >5 x  $10^5$  IU/mg.

Form

Lyophilized

**Expression System** 

Escherichia coli

**Storage Buffer** 

Lyophilized from a 0.2  $\mu m$  filtered solution contain 20 mM Tris, 1 M NaCl, pH 7.4.

Molecular weight

The protein has a calculated MW of 18.1 kDa. The protein migrates as 15-18 kDa under reducing condition (SDS-PAGE analysis).

**Endotoxin Level** 

<0.1 EU per 1  $\mu$ g of the protein by the LAL method.

# **Background**



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Basic fibroblast Growth Factors (FGF-2, bFGF, FGF-β), a 18 kDa pleiotropic cytokine, plays multiple roles in different cells and tissues. FGF-2 can stimulate smooth muscle cell growth, wound healing, and tissue repair. In addition, FGF-2 has been shown to regulate the generation of neurons and astrocytes from progenitor cells. FGF-2 are also involved in a variety of biological processes, including embryonic development, morphogenesis, tissue repair, tumor growth, and invasion. As a multifunctional cytokine, FGF-2 is first isolated from the pituitary. Later, it was identified from various cell types including cardiac myocytes, cardiac fibroblasts, endothelial cells, and smooth muscle cells.

**Uniprot ID** 

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#### **Synonyms**

Fibroblast Growth Factors 2, Basic fibroblast Growth Factors, bFGF, Heparin-binding Growth Factors 2, HBGF-2

**Sequence Note** 

Ala144-Ser288

## Instruction

#### Reconstitution

It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized protein in sterile H<sub>2</sub>O to a concentration not less than 200 µg/mL and incubate the stock solution for at least 20 min to ensure sufficient re-dissolved.

### Stability & Storage

This product is stable after storage at:

- -20°C for 12 months in lyophilized state from date of receipt.
- -20°C or -80°C for 1 month under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

#### **Shipping**

The product is shipped with polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately at -20°C or lower for long term storage.

### **Image**

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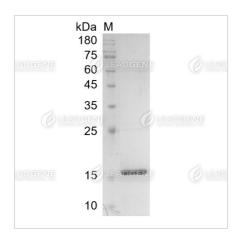
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SDS-PAGE analysis of recombinant human FGF-2.

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