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# Recombinant Human NOGGIN (rHuNOGGIN)

Catalog Number: PR1103

Source: Escherichia coli.

Quantity:5µg/20µg/1.0mg

#### Description

Noggin belongs to a group of diffusible proteins which bind to ligands of the TGF- $\beta$  family and regulate their activity by inhibiting their access to signaling receptors. Noggin was originally identified as a BMP-4 antagonist whose action is critical for proper formation of the head and other dorsal structures. Consequently, Noggin has been shown to modulate the activities of other BMPs including BMP-2,-7,-13, and -14. Targeted deletion of Noggin in mice results in prenatal death and recessive phenotype displaying a severely malformed skeletal system. Conversely, transgenic mice over-expressing Noggin in mature osteoblasts display impaired osteoblastic differentiation, reduced bone formation, and severe osteoporosis.

#### **Molecular Weight:**

Approximately 46.2 kDa non-disulfide-linked homodimer consisting of two 206 amino acid polypeptide chains.

#### **Purity:**

>95% by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

#### **Biological Activity:**

The ED50 was determined by its ability to inhibit 5.0 ng/ml of BMP-4 induced alkaline phosphatase production by ATDC-5 chondrogenic cells. The expected ED50 for this effect is 0.05-0.08  $\mu$ g/ml of NOGGIN, corresponding to a Specific Activity of  $\Box$ 1.25 x 104 IU/mg.

#### **Physical Appearance:**

Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

#### **Formulation:**

Lyophilized from a  $0.2\mu m$  filtered concentrated solution in 30% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA.

AA Sequence: MQHYLHIRPAPSDNLPLVDLIEHPDPIF DPKEKDLNETLLRSLLGGHYDPGFMAT SPPEDRPGGGGGGAAGGAEDLAELDQLL RQRPSGAMPSEIKGLEFSEGLAQGKKQ RLSKKLRRKLQMWLWSQTFCPVLYAW NDLGSFWPRYVKVGSCFSKRSCSVPEG MVCKPSKSVHLTVLRWRCQRRGGQRC GWIPIQYPIISECKCSC

#### **Endotoxin:**

Less than  $1\text{EU}/\Box g$  of rHu NOGGIN as determined by LAL method.

#### **Reconstitution:**

We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute in 10mM HAc to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots and stored at <-20°C. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

### Storage:

This lyophilized preparation is stable at  $2-8 \square C$ , but should be kept at  $-20 \square C$  for long term storage, preferably desiccated. Upon reconstitution, the preparation is stable for up to one week at  $2-8 \square C$ . For maximal stability, apportion the reconstituted preparation into working aliquots and store at  $-20 \square C$  to  $-70 \square C$ . Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

#### Usage:

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