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## **Human bFGF protein**

Cat #: PRP1010 Size: 10µg/50µg/100µg/1mg

## **Product Information**

	Product Name: Human bFGF protein		
REF	Catalog Number: PRP1010	LOT	Lot Number: Refer to product label
	Purity: > 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE		
Ŷ	Storage: Store at -20°C		Preparation method: E. coli
	Shipping: The product is shipped at ambient temperature.		

**Background:** Basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF), also known as FGF2, is a member of the fibroblast growth factor (FGF) family. It is a highly specific chemotactic and mitogenic factor for many cell types, appears to be involved in remodeling damaged tissue, such as ulcer healing, vascular repair, traumatic brain injury (TBI). bFGF is a critical component of human embryonic stem cell culture medium. In addition, bFGF protein is a heparin-binding cationic protein involved in a variety of pathological conditions including angiogenesis and solid tumour growth. Thus, bFGF is regarded as a target for cancers chemopreventive and therapeutic strategies.

<u>Sequence</u>: Amino acid sequence derived from human bFGF soluble form (NP\_09038) (Ala135-Ser288) was expressed, with an initial Met at the N-terminus.

<u>Protein length</u>: The recombinant human bFGF protein consists of 158 amino acids and predicts a molecular mass of 17.3 kDa.

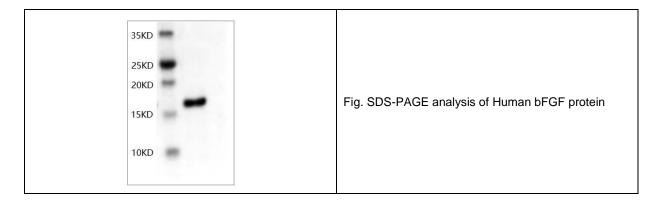
<u>Biological Activity</u>: Measured in a cell proliferation assay using Balb/c 3T3 mouse embryonic fibroblasts. The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is typically 0.6 ng/mL.

Formulation: Lyophilized from sterile 150mM NaCl 20mM Tris, pH 7.5.

**Storage Instructions:** Lyophilized Human bFGF protein product should be stored desiccated below -20°C. Upon reconstitution, the protein should be stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -20°C. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

<u>Usage notes</u>: Always centrifuge tubes before opening. It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Human bFGF protein in sterile ddH2O not less than 100µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.





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