

## Recombinant Human GDF-5

## **Datasheet**

Catalog Number: PR27028 Product Type: Recombinant Protein

Source: E. Coli

Amino Acid Sequence: APSATRQGKR PSKNLKARCS RKALHVNFKD MGWDDWIIAP LEYEAFHCEG LCEFPLRSHL

EPTNHAVIQT LMNSMDPEST PPTCCVPTRL SPISILFIDS ANNVVYKQYE DMVVESCGCR

Description/Molecular Growth Differentiation Factor 5 Human Recombinant produced in E.Coli is a homodimer, non-

glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 2 x 120 amino acids and having a total molecular mass of

2748 Dalton. To enable bacterial expression of GDF-5 we removed the N-terminal sequence Ala-Pro-Leu-Thr and added the Lvs.

GDF5 is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques

Protein Content: Protein quantitation was carried out by two independent methods:

1. UV spectroscopy at 280 nm using the absorbency value of 1.15 as the extinction coefficient for a

0.1% (1mg/ml) solution. This value is calculated by the PC GENE computer analysis program of

protein sequences (IntelliGenetics).

2. Analysis by RP-HPLC, using a standard solution of GDF-5 as a Reference Standard.

**Purity:** Greater than 98.0% as determined by:

(a) Analysis by RP-HPLC.

(b) Analysis bySDS-PAGE.

Format: The protein was lyophilized without any additives.

Reconstitution: It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Growth Differentiation Factor 5 in sterile 20mM AcOH

not less than 100µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

Storage: Lyophilized Growth Differentiation Factor 5 although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should

be stored desiccated below -18°C. Upon reconstitution Growth Differentiation Factor-5 should be

stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -18°C. For long term storage it is

recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please avoid freeze-thaw cycles.

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