

Recombinant Human Activin A

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Catalog Number:	PHG9014
Quantity:	5 µg
Lot Number:	See product label.
Molecular Weight:	26.0 kDa. Recombinant human Activin A is a disulfide-linked homodimer. Each A subunit contains 116 amino acid residues.
Purity:	≥95% by SDS PAGE and HPLC analyses.
Biological Activity:	ED ₅₀ ≤2 ng/mL (corresponding to a specific activity ≥5 × 10 ⁵ units/mg), determined by the dose dependent proliferation of mouse MPC-11 cells.
Formulation:	Lyophilized from a solution containing 10 mM citric acid, pH 3.0. Filtered through a 0.2 micron filter prior to lyophilization.
Endotoxin:	<0.1 ng/µg
Production:	Produced in baculovirus-infected High-5 cells and purified by sequential chromatography.
Reconstitution Recommendation:	We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute in sterile, distilled water, to a concentration of 0.5 mg/mL. <i>Do not vortex</i> . This solution can be stored at 2°C to 8°C for up to 1 week. For extended storage, it is recommended to further dilute in a buffer containing a carrier protein, such as 0.1% BSA and store in working aliquots at -20°C to -80°C.
Suggested Working Dilutions:	The optimal concentration should be determined for each specific application.
Storage:	The lyophilized protein is stable at room temperature for 1 month, but should be kept at -20°C for long term storage, preferably desiccated. Working aliquots stored with a carrier protein are stable for at least 7 months at -20°C to -80°C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.
Expiration Date:	See product label.
References:	Butler, C.M., et al. (2005) Should activin betaC be more than a fading snapshot in the activin/TGFbeta family album? Cytokine Growth Factor Review 16(4-5):377-385. Florio, P., et al. (2004) Inhibins and activins in pregnancy. Mol. Cell Endocrinol. 225(1-2):93-100. Thompson, T.B., et al. (2004) Beta A versus beta B: is it merely a matter of expression? Mol. Cell Endocrinol. 225(1-2):9-17.

Explanation of Symbols

The symbols present on the product label are explained below:

Symbol	Description
	Catalog Number
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	Without, does not contain
	Protect from light
	Directs the user to consult instructions for use (IFU), accompanying the product.

Symbol	Description
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	In vitro diagnostic medical device
	Temperature limitation
	European Community authorized representative
	With, contains
	Consult accompanying documents

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