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# **General Information**

#### Gene Name Synonym

Basic fibroblast growth factor; Heparin-binding growth factor 2

## **Protein Construction**

A DNA sequence encoding the mature form of human bFGF (NP\_001997.5) (Pro 143-Ser 288) was expressed, with an additional Met at the N-terminus.

#### Organism

Human

## **Expression Host**

E. coli

## **QC Testing**

#### Activity

Measured in a cell proliferation assay using BALB/c 3T3 mouse embryonic fibroblasts. The  $ED_{50}$  for this effect is typically 0.02-0.1 ng/ml.

#### Purity

> 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

## Endotoxin

< 1.0 EU per mg protein as determined by the LAL method

## Stability

Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt at -70  $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$ 

## **Predicted N terminal**

Met

#### **Molecular Mass**

The recombinant human bFGF is a disulfide-linked homodimeric protein. The reduced monomer consists of 147 amino acids and has a calculated molecular mass of 16.5 kDa. In SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions, the apparent molecular mass of bFGF is approximately 17 kDa.

### Formulation

Lyophilized from sterile 20mM Tris, pH 7.41. 5 % trehalose and mannitol are added as protectants before lyophilization.2. Please contact us for any concerns or special requirements.

# **Usage Guide**

### Storage

Store it under sterile conditions at -20°C to -80°C. It is recommended that the protein be aliquoted for optimal storage. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

#### Reconstitution

Adding sterile water, prepare a stock solution of 0.25 mg/ml. Concentration is measured by UV-Vis.

## **SDS-PAGE**

KDa	М	
116	-	
66.2	-	
45.0	-	
35.0	-	
25.0	-	
18.4	_	_
14.4	_	-

Human bFGF / FGF2 Protein SDS-PAGE