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Recombinant human bFGF protein, His

Catalog Number: bs-41087P

Concentration: >0.5 mg/ml

AA Seq: 143-288/288

Predicted MW: 16.5 Detected MW: 26 kDa

Tags: His

Activity: Not tested Endotoxin: Not analyzed

Purity: >95% as determined by SDS-PAGE

Purification: AC

Storage: Stored at -70°C or -20°C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

Background: The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the fibroblast growth factor (FGF) family. FGF family members bind heparin and possess broad mitogenic and angiogenic activities. This protein has been implicated in diverse biological processes, such as limb and nervous system development, wound healing, and tumor growth. The mRNA for this gene contains multiple polyadenylation sites, and is alternatively translated from non-AUG (CUG) and AUG initiation codons, resulting in five different isoforms with distinct properties. The CUGinitiated isoforms are localized in the nucleus and are responsible for the intracrine effect, whereas, the AUG-initiated form is mostly cytosolic and is responsible for the paracrine and autocrine effects of this FGF. [provided by RefSeq, Jul 2008].

VALIDATION IMAGES

The purity of the protein is greater than 90% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.