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## **GDF-8 Antibody Blocking Peptide**

Catalog Number:	bs-23011P
Activity:	Not tested
Purification:	HPLC
Storage:	Shipped at 4°C. Stored at -20°C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.
Background:	Myostatin (GDF8)is expressed uniquely in human skeletal muscle as a 12 kDa mature
	glycoprotein consisting of 113 amino acid residues and secreted into plasma. Myostatin is a
	member of the transforming growth factor beta superfamily of secreted growth and
	differentiation factors that is essential for proper regulation of skeletal muscle mass. Studies
	have shown that myostatin could play an important role in cardiac development and
	physiology.