
IGFALS Antibody Blocking Peptide

Catalog Number: bs-9904P

Activity: Not tested

Purification: HPLC

Storage: Shipped at 4°C. Stored at -20°C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

Background: The Insulin-like growth factor binding proteins, or IGFbps, are a family of seven proteins that have co-evolved with the IGFs. IGFbps serve as shuttle molecules for both IGF-I and IGF-II and confer a level of regulation to the IGF signaling system by influencing the bio-availability, concentration and distribution of IGFs in the extracellular environment. In human circulation, the IGF-binding protein complex requires ALS (IGFBP acid-labile subunit), an extracellular protein involved in receptor-ligand binding and cell adhesion. ALS, detected primarily in plasma, is involved in protein-protein interactions that result in the formation of protein complexes.