BioVision

Human PF-4

CATALOG #: 4356-20 20 μg

4356-1000 1 mg

LOT #:

SYNONYMS: CXCL4, PF-4, PF4, Iroplact, Oncostatin-A, SCYB4,

MGC138298.

SOURCE: Human platelets

PURITY: > 95 % by SDS-PAGE and RP-HPLC

FORM: Lyophilized from PBS buffer, pH 7.4.

RECONSTITUTION:

Centrifuge the vial prior to opening. Reconstitute in sterile ddH_2O to a concentration $\geq 100 \mu g/ml$. This solution can then be diluted into other aqueous buffers.

STORAGE CONDITIONS:

The lyophilized protein is best-stored desiccated at -20°C. Reconstituted human PF-4 should be stored at -20°C for future use. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles.

DESCRIPTION:

Platelet factor-4 is a 70-amino acid protein that is released from the alpha-granules of activated platelets and binds with high affinity to heparin. Its major physiologic role appears to be neutralization of heparin-like molecules on the endothelial surface of blood vessels, thereby inhibiting local antithrombin III activity and promoting coagulation. As a strong chemoattractant for neutrophils and fibroblasts, PF4 probably has a role in inflammation and wound repair. Oncostatin-A is a member of the CXC chemokine family. Human PF4 is used for the proof of heparin-induced thrombocytopenia. Furthermore it is used as an inhibitor in the angiogenesis during tumor therapy. Human PF-4 a 7.8 kDa protein consisting of 70 amino acid residues.

AMINO ACID SEQUENCE:

The sequence of the first four N-terminal amino acids was determined and was found to be Glu-Ala-Glu-Glu.

ACTIVITY CONTROL:

Binding of HIT-antibodies.

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