

# **Recombinant Human IGF-BP5**

**CATALOG #**: 4723-25 25 μg

4723-1000 1 mg

LOT #: \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE: E. coli

PURITY: >98% by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses

Endotoxin level is <0.1 ng per µg of IGF-BP5.

MOL. WEIGHT: 28.6 kDa

FORM: Sterile filtered and lyophilized from 10 mM Sodium Citrate

solution, pH 3.0.

### RECONSTITUTION:

Centrifuge the vial prior to opening. Reconstitute in water to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/ml. The solution can then be diluted into other aqueous buffers and store at 4°C for 1 week or – 20°C for future use.

### STORAGE CONDITIONS:

The lyophilized protein is best-stored desiccated below 0°C. Reconstituted IGF-BP5 should be stored at working aliquots at -20°C.

# **DESCRIPTION:**

Human IGF-BP5 is a 28.6 kDa cysteine-rich secreted protein produced by vascular smooth muscle cells. It is the major IGF-binding protein present in bone tissue and helps potentiate the action of IGF-I on smooth muscle cells, fibroblasts or osteoblasts. Studies show that IGF-BP5 acts as a growth inhibitor and pro-apoptotic agent in breast cancer cells. IGF-BP5 overexpressing mice show an increase in neonatal mortality, reduced female fertility, whole body growth inhibition, and retarded muscle development. Recombinant human IGF-BP5 is a 28.6 kDa protein consisting of 253 amino acid residues.

#### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

The ED<sub>50</sub> as determined by its ability to inhibit IGF-II induced proliferation of MCF-7 is  $\leq$ 0.3  $\mu$ g/mI, in the presence of 15 ng/mI of human IGF-II.

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