

Recombinant Human Midkine (NEGF2)

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Overview

Quantity	1.0 ?g
Gene Symbol	MDK
Gene ID	4192
Accession	P21741
Alternative Name	MK, NEGF-2
Species	Human
Source	E. coli
Description	Midkine and its functionally-related protein Pleiotrophin (PTN), are heparin-binding neurotrophic factors that signal through the same receptor. Midkine is involved in a number of biological processes including the migration of neutrophils, inflammatory leukocytes, macrophages, neuronal cells, and osteoclasts. Midkine is a basic, non-glycosylated polypeptide that contains five intra-chain disulfide bonds. There is 87% identity between the human and murine Midkine and approximately 50% identity between human Midkine and human PTN with the conservation of all 10 cysteines.
Functions	The ED(50) was determined by the dose-dependent proliferation of AsPC-1 cells and was found to be <0.5ng/mL.
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 ?m filtered solution in PBS
Solubility	Reconstitute at 0.1 mg/ml in sterile PBS
Appearance	Lyophilized Powder
Molecular Weight	14
Purity	>95% as determined by SDS-PAGE
Concentration	<1.0 EU/?g of recombinant protein as determined by the LAL method.
Shipping Condition	Ambient Temperature
Storage Condition	The lyophilized protein is stable for at least one year from date of receipt at -70°C. Upon reconstitution, this cytokine can be stored in working aliquots at 2? - 8°C for one month, or at -20°C for six months, with a carrier protein without detectable loss of activity. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.