

Recombinant Murine Betacellulin

Catalog # PBG10038

Specification

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Description

Betacellulin is an EGF-related polypeptide growth factor that signals through the EGF receptor. It is produced in several tissues, including the pancreas, small intestine, and in certain tumor cells. Betacellulin is a potent mitogen for retinal pigment epithelial cells and vascular smooth muscle cells. Betacellulin is initially synthesized as a glycosylated 32.0 kDa transmembrane precursor protein, which is processed by proteolytic cleavage to produce the mature sequence. Recombinant murine Betacellulin is a 9.0 kDa monomeric protein, containing 80 amino residues, which comprises the mature EGF homologous portion of the Betacellulin protein.

BiologicalActivity

Determined by its ability to stimulate the proliferation of M Balb/3T3 cells. The expected ED₅₀ is \leq 0.01 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of \geq 1 x 10⁸ units/mg.

Authenticity Verified by N-terminal and Mass Spectrometry analyses (when applicable).

Endotoxin Endotoxin level is <0.1 ng/ μ g of protein (<1EU/ μ g).

Protein Content

Verified by UV Spectroscopy and/or SDS-PAGE gel.

Storage -20°C

Precautions

Recombinant Murine Betacellulin is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Recombinant Murine Betacellulin - Protocols

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- <u>Western Blot</u>
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation



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