

Animal-Free Recombinant Murine NOGGIN

Catalog # PBG10571

Specification

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Description

Noggin belongs to a group of diffusible proteins which bind to ligands of the TGF-β family and regulate their activity by inhibiting their access to signaling receptors. The interplay between TGF-β ligands and their natural antagonists has major biological significance during development processes, in which cellular response can vary considerably depending upon the local concentration of the signaling molecule. Noggin was originally identified as a BMP-4 antagonist whose action is critical for proper formation of the head and other dorsal structures. Consequently, Noggin has been shown to modulate the activities of other BMPs including BMP-2,-7,-13, and -14. Targeted deletion of Noggin in mice results in prenatal death and recessive phenotype displaying a severely malformed skeletal system. Conversely, transgenic mice over-expressing Noggin in mature osteoblasts display impaired osteoblastic differentiation, reduced bone formation, and severe osteoporosis. Recombinant murine Noggin is a 46.4 kDa disulfide-linked homodimer consisting of two 206 amino acid polypeptide chains.

BiologicalActivity

Determined by its ability to inhibit 5.0 ng/ml of BMP-4 induced alkaline phosphatase production by ATDC5 chondrogenic cells. The expected ED₅₀ for this effect is 1.0-2.0 ng/ml of Noggin.

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

Animal-Free Recombinant Murine NOGGIN is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Animal-Free Recombinant Murine NOGGIN - Protocols

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

Western Blot



- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation
- Flow Cytomety
- <u>Cell Culture</u>

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