

California Bioscience

Product Datasheet

Product Name	Pro-Nerve Growth Factor Human Recombinant
Cata No	CB500328
Source	Escherichia Coli.
Synonyms	Human Pro-NGF, ProNGF.

Description

Pro NGF is the pro-form of the neurotrophin nerve growth factor. Like the mature protein pro NGF is characterized by the cysteine knot motif consisting of three cysteine bridges. The protein predominantly exists as a non-covalently linked homodimer. Pro-Nerve Growth Factor Human Recombinant produced in E.Coli is a non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 222 amino acids and having a molecular mass of 49,738 Dalton. The Pro NGF is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

Physical Appearance

Sterile Filtered clear solution.

Biological Activity

The activity of the protein can by measured by its stimulating effect on the proliferation of TF1 cells (Chevalier *et al.* 1994 *Blood* **83**, 1479-85). EC_{50} 130 ± 30 pM (TF1 cell assay).

Purity

Greater than 98.0% as determined by:

- (a) Analysis by RP-HPLC.
- (b) Analysis by SDS-PAGE.

Formulation

The sterile protein solution contains 50mM sodium phosphate buffer pH 7.2, 150mM sodium chloride.

Stability

Pro-Nerve Growth Factor although stable at 15° for 1 week, should be stored at -20°C. For long ter m storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA).

Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

Sequence

MEPHSESNVPAGHTIPQVHWTKLQHSLDTALRRA RSAPAAAIAARVAGQTRNI TVDPRLFKKRRLRSPRVLFSTQPPREAADTQDLD FEVGGAAPFNRTHRSKRS SSHPIFHRGEFSVCDSVSVWVGKTTATDIKGKEV MVLGEVNINNSVFKQYFFET KCRDPNPVDSGCRGIDSKHWNSYCTTTHTFVKAL TMDGKQAAWRFIRIDTAC VCVLSRKAVR