

Recombinant Mouse Platelet-derived Growth Factor AA (rm PDGF-AA)

Synonyms: Glioma-derived growth factor, GDGF, Osteosarcoma-derived Growth Factor, ODFG, PDGF-1.

Introduction: PDGF-AA, PDGF-BB and PDGF-AB, are potent mitogens for a variety of cell types including smooth muscle cells, connective tissue cells, bone and cartilage cells and some blood cells. The PDGF is stored in platelet alpha-granules and released upon platelet activation. The PDGF is involved in a number of biological processes including hyperplasia, chemotaxis, embryonic neuron development and respiratory tubule epithelial cell development. Two distinct signaling receptors used by PDGF have been identified and named PDGFR-alpha and PDGFR-beta. PDGFR-alpha is high-affinity receptor for each of the three PDGF forms. On the other hand PDGFR-beta interacts with only PDGF-BB and PDGF-AB.

Description: Recombinant mouse PDGF-AA is a disulfide linked homodimeric, non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 2 x 126 amino acids and having a total molecular mass of 28.9 kDa. PDGF-AA is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques

Source: *Escherichia Coli*

Physical Appearance: Sterile filtered white lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.22 µm filtered solution in 25 mM sodium acetate, pH 4.0. The aliquots of 1µg and 2µg contain Trehalose 5% (w/vol) for better recovery

Solubility: It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized rm PDGF-AA in sterile H₂O not less than 100 µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

Stability: Lyophilized PDGF-AA although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18°C. Upon reconstitution PDGF-AA should be stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -18°C. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

Purity: Greater than 97.0% as determined by RP-HPLC and by SDS-PAGE

Endotoxicity: The endotoxin level is less than 1 EU / µg determined by LAL method.

Amino Acid Sequence: SIEEAVPAVC KTRTVIYEIP RSQVDPTSAN FLIWPPCVEV KRCTGCCNTS SVKCQPSRVH HRSVKVAKVE YVRKKPKLKE VQVRLEEHL E CACATSNLNP DHREEETGRR RESGKNRKRK RLKPT

Biological Activity : Established by the dose-dependent stimulation of Balb/c 3T3 cells proliferation. The expected ED₅₀ for this effect is 8-10 ng/ml.

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| <i>medium</i> | 10 µg | Cat.N° | 12343683 |
| <i>large</i> | 50 µg | Cat.N° | 12343685 |
| <i>x-large</i> | 250 µg | Cat.N° | 12343687 |
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