

GroPep Bioreagents



Human IGF-I (Media Grade)

Description

Human insulin-like growth factor-I (IGF-I) is a single chain 70 amino acid polypeptide that shares structural homology with insulin and human IGF-II. IGF-I plays a critical role in growth, differentiation and development via autocrine, paracrine and endocrine mechanisms. It is a mitogen and also has effects on cell migration and differentiation. IGF-I binds to the type I IGF receptor and most of its actions are probably mediated through inducing signal transduction via this receptor. IGF-I also binds to each of the six IGF binding proteins (IGFBPs). This binding also regulates the biological function of IGF-I. IGF-I is highly conserved across species which suggests an important role for the peptide. Human IGF-I is present in high concentrations in normal adult human serum in a complex with IGFBP-3 and the acid-labile subunit (ALS) and mediates many of the actions of Growth Hormone. IGF-I is a regulator of metabolism and is also implicated in the pathophysiology of cancer, diabetes and obesity.

Media grade human IGF-I is a high quality reagent at an economical cost to enable studies where higher quantities of peptide are required.

References	Humbel RE (1990) European Journal of Biochemistry 190 , 445-462 Stewart CEH and Rotwein P (1996) Physiological Reviews 76 , 1005-1026 Butler AA and Le Roith D (2001) Annual Review of Physiology 63 , 141-164
Source:	Produced in <i>E.coli</i> .
Molecular Weight:	7649 ± 2 Daltons
Purity:	≥ 85 % (by HPLC analysis) (Other species are micro heterogeneous forms which have biological activity)
N-terminal sequence:	Analysis of 5 residues
Biological Activity:	Proliferation of Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cells $(EC_{50} < 350 \text{ ng/ml})$
Endotoxin:	≤ 0.1 EU/µg
Appearance:	White powder freeze-dried from 0.1M acetic acid and stored under nitrogen at a slight vacuum.
Storage/Stability:	At least 2 years at 2-8°C (as a freeze dried product).
Reconstitution:	Handling of GroPep IGF-I, IGF-II and IGF analogues

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Product Codes

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Related Products:

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100 µg	IU100
1 mg	IM001
5 mg	IM005

Human IGF-I (Receptor Grade) Human IGF-I antiserum (Rabbit) Human IGF-I monoclonal antibody Human IGF-II (Media Grade)

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