

Product datasheet for TP727601

GDF 5 (GDF5) Human Recombinant Protein

Product data:

Product Type: Recombinant Proteins

Description: Recombinant Human GDF-5/BMP-14

Species: Human

Expression cDNA Clone

or AA Sequence:

Ala382-Arg501

Buffer: Lyophilized from a 0.2 um filtered solution of 4mM HCl.

Note: Recombinant Human Growth/Differentiation Factor 5 is produced by our E.coli expression

system and the target gene encoding Ala382-Arg501 is expressed.

Stability: 12 months from date of despatch

Locus ID: 8200 **UniProt ID:** P43026

Summary: Growth Differentiation Factor 5(GDF-5, BMP-14) is a member of the BMP family of TGFÎ²

superfamily proteins. Human GDF-5, -6, and -7 are a defined subgroup of the BMP family. GDF-5 is synthesized as a homodimeric precursor protein consisting of a 354 amino acid (aa) Nterminal proregion and a 120 aa C-terminal mature peptide. Mature human GDF-5 shares

99% aa sequence identity with both mature mouse and rat GDF-5. GDF-5 signaling is mediated by formation of a heterodimeric complex consisting of a type 1 (BMPR-IB) and a

type II (BMPR-IIor Activin RII) serine/threonine kinase receptor which results in the phosphorylation and activation of cytosolic Smad proteins (Smad1, 5, and 8). GDF-5 is involved in multiple developmental processes including limb generation, cartilage development, joint formation, bone morphogenesis, cell survival, and neuritogenesis. Inhibition of GDF-5 expression or alteration of its signaling can facilitate the development of

osteoarthritis.



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