

## **Animal-Free Recombinant Human BDNF**

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# **Specification**

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## **Description**

BDNF is a member of the NGF family of neurotrophic growth factors. Like other members of this family, BDNF supports neuron proliferation and survival. BDNF can bind to a low affinity cell surface receptor called LNGFR, which also binds other neurotrophins such as NGF, NT-3 and NT-4. However, BDNF mediates its neurotrophic properties by signaling through a high affinity cell surface receptor called gp145/trkB. BDNF is expressed as the C-terminal portion of a 247 amino acid polypeptide precursor, which also contains a signal sequence of 18 amino acid residue and a propeptide of 110 amino acid residues. Recombinant human BDNF is a 27.0 kDa homodimer of two 120 amino acid subunits linked by strong non-covalent interactions. <strong>Human and M BDNF sequences are identical.</strong>

## **Biological**Activity

Determined by its ability to stimulate the proliferation of rat C6 cells. The expected ED50 for this effect is  $0.5-1.0 \mu g/ml$ .

#### **Authenticity**

Verified by N-terminal and Mass Spectrometry analyses (when applicable).

#### **Endotoxin**

Endotoxin level is  $<0.1 \text{ ng}/\mu\text{g}$  of protein ( $<1\text{EU}/\mu\text{g}$ ).

### **Protein Content**

Verified by UV Spectroscopy and/or SDS-PAGE gel.

### Storage

-20°C

# **Precautions**

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

# **Animal-Free Recombinant Human BDNF - Protocols**

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

- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence





• Immunoprecipitation

- Flow CytometyCell Culture

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