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## 32-6401: IGFBP4 Sf9, Human

Application: Functional Assay

Insulin-like growth factor-binding protein 4, IBP-4, IGF-binding protein 4, IGFBP-4, IGFBP4, IBP4, BP-4, **Alternative Name:** 

HT29-IGFBP.

## **Description**

Source: Sf9, Insect cells.

Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

Insulin-like growth factor-binding protein 4 (IGFBP-4) is a part of the insulin-like growth factor binding protein (IGFBP) family. IGFBP4 includes an IGFBP domain and a thyroglobulin type-I domain. IGFBP4 binds both insulin-like growth factors (IGFs) I and II. IGFBP-4 circulates in the plasma in both glycosylated and non-glycosylated forms. IGFBPs can either inhibit or enhance the biological activities of IGF, or act in an IGF independent manner. IGFBP-4 is consistently inhibits several cancer cells in vivo and in vitro, suggesting that it may function as an apoptotic factor. IGFBP4 is produced by all colon cancer cells. Binding of IGFBP-4 prolongs the half-life of the IGFs and changes their interaction with cell surface receptors.

Insulin Like Growth Factor Binding Protein-4 Human Recombinant produced in Sf9 Insect cells is a single, glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 237 amino acids and having a molecular mass of 30kDa. The IGFBP4 is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

## **Product Info**

Amount:  $2 \mu g / 10 \mu g$ 

**Purification:** Greater than 97.0% as determined by: (a) Analysis by RP-HPLC. (b) Analysis by SDS-PAGE.

Lyophilized from a 0.2µm filtered concentrated solution in 20mM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0 and 150mM

NaCl.

Content: It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Insulin Like Growth Factor Binding Protein-4 in

sterile 18M Omega -cm H2O not less than 100µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other

aqueous solutions.

Lyophilized IGFBP4 although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated Storage condition:

below -18°C. Upon reconstitution Insulin Like Growth Factor Binding Protein-4 should be stored at

4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -18°C. Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

DEAIHCPPCS EEKLARCRPP VGCEELVREP GCGCCATCAL GLGMPCGVYT PRCGSGLRCY **Amino Acid:** 

> PPRGVEKPLH TLMHGQGVCM ELAEIEAIQE SLQPSDKDEG DHPNNSFSPC SAHDRRCLQK HFAKIRDRST SGGKMKVNGA PREDARPVPQ GSCQSELHRA LERLAASQSR THEDLYIIPI PNCDRNGNFH PKQCHPALDG QRGKCWCVDR KTGVKLPGGL EPKGELDCHQ LADSFRE.

## **Application Note**

The ED50 is determined by its ability to inhibit IGF-II induced proliferation of MCF-7 cells and is 1.0 × 104 IU/mg in the presence of 14 ng/ml of rHulGF-II.