

Recombinant Human Amphiregulin (rHuAmphiregulin)

PrimeGene Technical Data Sheet

Catalog Number: 105-11

Source: Escherichia coli.

Molecular Weight: Approximately 11.3 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 98 amino acid

residues.

Quantity: $10 \mu g / 50 \mu g / 1000 \mu g$

AA Sequence: SVRVEQVVKP PQNKTESENT SDKPKRKKKG GKNGKNRRNR KKKNPCNAEF

ONFCIHGECK YIEHLEAVTC KCQQEYFGER CGEKSMKTHS MIDSSLSK

Purity: > 95 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

Biological Activity: Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED₅₀ as determined by a cell proliferation

assay using murine Balb/c 3T3 cells is between 5-10 ng/ml.

Physical Appearance: Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered concentrated solution in PBS, pH 7.4. Endotoxin: Less than 1 EU/μg of rHuAmphiregulin as determined by LAL method.

Reconstitution: We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the

bottom. Reconstitute in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing $0.1\,\%$ BSA to a concentration of 0.1- $1.0\,$ mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots and

stored at \leq -20 °C. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

Shipping: The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature

recommended below.

Stability & Storage: Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.

• 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

• 3 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

Usage: This material is offered by Shanghai PrimeGene Bio-Tech for research, laboratory or further

evaluation purposes. NOT FOR HUMAN USE.

Human Amphiregulin

Amphiregulin is an EGF related growth factor and was originally isolated from the conditioned media of a PMA-treated MCF-7 human breast carcinoma cell line. It is mainly expressed numerous carcinoma cell lines and the epithelial cells of various human tissues including colon, stomach, breast, ovary, kidney, etc. Synthesized as a transmembrane protein, Amphiregulin's extracellular domain is proteolytically processed to release the mature protein. There are 6 conserved cysteine residues, which form 3 intramolecular disulfide bonds essential for biological activity. Amphiregulin signals through the EGF/TGF-a receptor, and stimulates growth of keratinocytes, epithelial cells and some fibroblasts. It also inhibits the growth of certain carcinoma cell lines. Mutations in this encoded protein are associated with a psoriasis-like skin phenotype.

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