

Recombinant Rat Fibroblast Growth Factor-21 (rRtFGF-21)

PrimeGene Technical Data Sheet

Catalog Number: 144-21

Source: Escherichia coli.

Molecular Weight: Approximately 19.7 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 180 amino acids.

Quantity: $5\mu g/25\mu g/1000\mu g$

AA Sequence: AYPISDSSPL LQFGGQVRQR YLYTDDDQDT EAHLEIREDG TVVGTAHRSP

ESLLELKALK PGVIQILGVK ASRFLCQQPD GTLYGSPHFD PEACSFRELL LKDGYNVYQS EAHGLPLRLP QKDSQDPATR GPVRFLPMPG LPHEPQEQPG

VLPPEPPDVG SSDPLSMVEP LQGRSPSYAS

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

Biological Activity: Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED₅₀ as determined by thymidine uptake

assay using FGF-receptors transfected BaF3 cells is less than 0.5 μ g/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of $> 2.0 \times 10^3$ IU/mg in the presence of 5 μ g/ml of rMuKlotho- β and 10 μ g/ml of heparin.

Physical Appearance: White lyophilized powder.

Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered concentrated solution in PBS, 500 mM NaCl, pH 7.4.

Endotoxin: Less than 1EU/µg of rRtFGF-21 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**.

Rat Fibroblast Growth Factor-21

Fibroblast growth factor 21 (FGF-21) encoded by the FGF-21 gene belongs to the large FGF family and it is specifically induced by HMGCS2 activity. In mice, brown adipose tissue becomes a source of systemic FGF-21 after cold exposure. FGF-21 stimulates glucose uptake in differentiated adipocytes via the induction of glucose transporter SLC2A1/GLUT1 expression (but not SLC2A4/GLUT4 expression) and the activity depends on the presence of KLB. Recombinant rat FGF-21 contains 180 amino acids residues and show limited binding to heparin. In addition, rat FGF-21 respectively shows 81 % and 92 % a.a. identity to human and murine FGF-21, and it show activity on murine and human cells.

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