

Human Midkine Protein

Cat. No. MID-HE401

Description

Source	Recombinant Human Midkine Protein is expressed from E.coli with His tag and Avi Tag at the N-Terminus. It contains Val21-Asp143.
Accession	P21741-1
Molecular Weight	The protein has a predicted MW of 16.46 kDa same as Bis-Tris PAGE result.
Endotoxin	Less than 1EU per µg by the LAL method.
Purity	> 95% as determined by Bis-Tris PAGE

Formulation and Storage

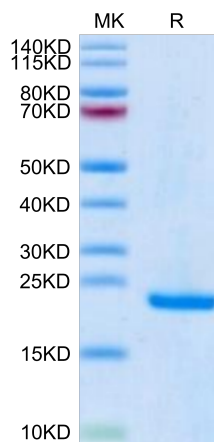
Formulation	Lyophilized from 0.22µm filtered solution in PBS (pH 7.4). Normally 8% trehalose is added as protectant before lyophilization.
Reconstitution	Centrifuge the tube before opening. Reconstituting to a concentration more than 100 µg/ml is recommended. Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water.
Storage	-20 to -80°C for 12 months as supplied from date of receipt. -80°C for 3 months after reconstitution. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles.

Background

Midkine is a heparin-binding growth factor, originally reported as the product of a retinoic acid-responsive gene during embryogenesis, but currently viewed as a multifaceted factor contributing to both normal tissue homeostasis and disease development. Midkine is abnormally expressed at high levels in various human malignancies and acts as a mediator for the acquisition of critical hallmarks of cancer, including cell growth, survival, metastasis, migration, and angiogenesis.

Assay Data

Bis-Tris PAGE



Human Midkine on Bis-Tris PAGE under reduced condition. The purity is greater than 95%.