

Active Recombinant Human DEFB104A Protein

Cat. No. DEFB104A-542H Lot. No. (See product label)

SPECIFICATION

Product Overview Recombinant Human DEFB104A Protein without tag was expressed in E. coli.

Species Human

Source E.coli

Description

Defensins (alpha and beta) are cationic peptides with antimicrobial activity against Gram-negative and Gram-positive bacteria, fungi, and enveloped viruses. They are 2-6 kDa proteins and take important roles in innate immune system. On the basis of their size and pattern of disulfide bonding, mammalian defensins are classified into alpha, beta and theta categories. β -defensins contain a six-cysteine motif that forms three intra-molecular disulfide bonds. Four human β -defensins have been identified and they are expressed on some leukocytes and at epithelial surfaces. Because β -defensins is cationic peptides, they can therefore interact with the membrane of invading microbes, which are negative due to lipopolysaccharides (LPS) and lipoteichoic acid (LTA) found in the cell membrane. Especially, they have higher affinity to the binding site compared to Ca^{2+} and Mg^{2+} ions. Furthermore, they can affect the stability of the membrane.

Form Sterile Filtered White lyophil

Bio-activity Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The determined by a chemotaxis bioassay using human monocytes is in a concentration range of 0.1-100.0 ng/mL.

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Molecular Mass	Approximately 6.0 kDa
AA Sequence	EFELDRICGYGTARCRKKCRSQEYRIGRCPNTYACCLRKWDESLNRTKP
Endotoxin	Less than 1 EU/μg of rHuBD-4 as determined by LAL method.
Purity	> 98% by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.
Storage	This lyophilized preparation is stable at 2-8 centigrade, but should be kept at -20 centigrade for long term storage, preferably desiccated. Upon reconstitution, the preparation is stable for up to one week at 2-8 centigrade. For maximal stability, apportion the reconstituted preparation into working aliquots and store at -20 to -70 centigrade. Avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles.
Storage Buffer	Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered concentrated solution in 20 mM PB, pH 7.4, 130 mM NaCl.
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.

GENE INFORMATION

Gene Name	DEFB104A defensin, beta 104A [Homo sapiens (human)]
Official Symbol	DEFB104A
Synonyms	DEFB104A; defensin, beta 104A; DEFB104, defensin, beta 104; beta-defensin 104; DEFB 4; DEFB4; beta-defensin 4; defensin, beta 4; BD-4; hBD-4; DEFB-4; DEFB104; DEFB104B; MGC118942; MGC118944; MGC118945;

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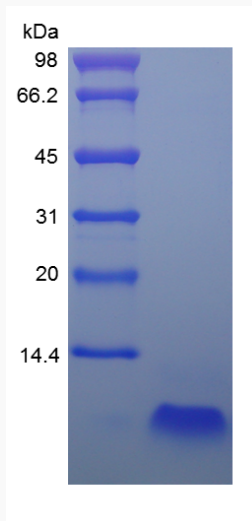
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