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# **Product Information**

Anti-Fibroblast Growth Factor-Basic (1-24) produced in rabbit, fractionated antiserum

Catalog Number F3393

### Description

Anti-Fibroblast Growth Factor-Basic (1-24) is produced in rabbit using as immunogen the synthetic peptide sequence bovine FGF-Basic [1-24] conjugated to Keyhole Limpet Hemocyanin (KLH). The fractionation procedure yields primarily the immunoglobulin fraction of antiserum.

#### Reagent

Supplied as a lyophilized powder from 0.01 M phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.2, to which no preservatives have been added.

## **Precautions and Disclaimer**

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

## **Reconstitution and Storage Instructions**

To one vial of lyophilized powder, add 0.1 ml of deionized water. Rotate vial gently until powder dissolves. Prior to reconstitution store the product at 2-8 °C. After reconstitution, the solution may be stored at 2-8 °C for four weeks or frozen in working aliquots. Repeated freezing and thawing is not recommended. If slight turbidity occurs upon prolonged storage clarify the solution by centrifugation before use.

#### **Product Profile**

Western Blot: Anti-Fibroblast Growth Factor-Basic (1-24) detects bovine and human FGF-Basic at a dilution of 1:1,000. It does not cross react with bovine FGF-Acidic or bovine serum albumin.

Bioactivity: Anti-Fibroblast Growth Factor-Basic (1-24) was tested in cell culture using fetal bovine heart endothelial cells (ATCC CRL 1395) plated at low cell density. Various dilutions of Anti-Fibroblast Growth Factor-Basic (1-24) were pre incubated at 37 °C with FGF-Basic or FGF-Acidic for 2 hours. Anti-Fibroblast Growth Factor-Basic (1-24) caused a dose-dependent decrease in the mitogenic activity of FGF-Basic such that a final dilution of 1:50 neutralized the bioactivity of 1 unit of FGF Basic.

<u>Protein Concentration</u>: not more than 90 mg/ml by Biuret.

**Note**: In order to obtain the best results in various techniques and preparations we recommend determining the optimal working dilutions by titration.

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