### **Cytokines**

Mouse Recombinant SDF-1 beta (CXCL12)

Stromal cell-derived factor 1 beta



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78101.1 50 μg

10 µg

## **Product Description**

Stromal cell-derived factor 1 beta (SDF-1 beta) is a splicing variant of CXCL12 and a member of the CXC family of chemokines. SDF-1 beta is constitutively and ubiquitously expressed in most tissues as SDF-1a (89 amino acids) and SDF-1β (93 amino acids) resulting from alternative gene splicing (Janowski). These variants regulate hematopoiesis, lymphocyte homing, B-lineage cell growth, and angiogenesis (De La Luz Sierra et al.). SDF-1 beta binds primarily to CXC receptor 4 (CXCR4, CD184); this receptor has also been shown to serve as a co-receptor for T cell tropic HIV-1. The SDF-1 beta/CXCR4 axis is involved in tumor progression, angiogenesis, metastasis, and survival (Teicher & Fricker). SDF-1 beta is highly expressed in lymph nodes, lung, liver, and bone marrow under homeostatic conditions, and it modulates immune surveillance and development (Sánchez-Martín et al.).

#### **Product Information**

Alternative Names: PBSF, Pre-B-cell growth-stimulating factor, SDF-1β, Stromal cell-derived factor-1

Accession Number: P40224

Amino Acid Sequence: KPVSLSYRCP CRFFESHIAR ANVKHLKILN TPNCALQIVA RLKNNNRQVC IDPKLKWIQE YLEKALNKRL KM

Predicted Molecular Mass: 8.5 kDa Species: Mouse Cross Reactivity: Human

Formulation: Lyophilized after dialysis against phosphate-buffered saline.

Source: CHO

### **Specifications**

Activity: The specific activity is ≥ 400 units/mg (EC50 ≤ 2.5 µg/mL) as determined by Ca2+ mobilization assay in

CHO-K1/Ga15/mCXCR4 cells (human Ga15 and mouse CXCR4 stably expressed in CHO-K1 cells).

Purity:  $\geq 95 \%$ 

Endotoxin Level: Measured by kinetic limulus amebocyte lysate (LAL) analysis and is ≤ 0.2 EU/µg protein.

### Preparation and Storage

Storage: Store at -80°C.

Stability: Stable as supplied for 12 months from date of receipt.

Preparation: Centrifuge vial before opening. Resuspend the product in sterile water or phosphate-buffered saline to at

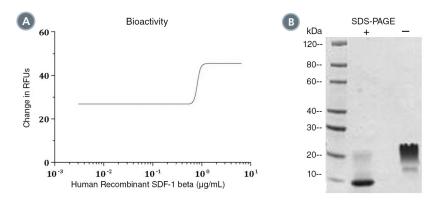
least 0.1 mg/mL by pipetting the solution down the sides of the vial. Do not vortex. Store at 2 - 8°C for up to

1 week or at -20°C to -80°C for up to 3 months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

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#### Data



(A) The biological activity of Human Recombinant SDF-1 beta (CXCL12) was tested by its ability to mobilize Ca2+ in CHO-K1/G $\alpha$ 15/mCXCR4 cells (human G $\alpha$ 15 and mouse CXCR4 stably expressed in CHO-K1 cells). Ca2+ mobilization was measured using a fluorometric assay method. The EC50 is defined as the effective concentration of the growth factor at which Ca2+ mobilization is at 50% of maximum. The EC50 in the example above is less than 2.5  $\mu$ g/mL.

(B) 5 μg of Human Recombinant SDF-1 beta (CXCL12) was resolved with SDS-PAGE under reducing (+) and non-reducing (-) conditions and visualized by Coomassie Blue staining. Human Recombinant SDF-1 beta (CXCL12) has a predicted molecular mass of 8.5 kDa.

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