

Rev03 DATASHEET

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CNTF, Rat

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Product Introduction

Species	Rat
Protein Construction	CNTF (Ala2-Met200) Accession # P20294-1
Purity	> 95% as analyzed by SDS-PAGE
Endotoxin Level	< 0.2 EU/µg of protein by gel clotting method
Biological Activity	$\rm ED_{50}$ < 30.0 ng/ml, measured by its ability to induce alkaline phosphatase production by TF-1 Cells.
Expression System	E. coli
Apparent Molecular Weight	~22.9 kDa, on SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions.
Formulation	Lyophilized after extensive dialysis against 50 mM Tris, pH 8.0.
Reconstitution	It is recommended that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute the lyophilized powder in ddH ₂ O or PBS up to 100 μg/ml.
Storage & Stability	Upon receiving, this product remains stable for up to 6 months at lower than -70°C. Upon reconstitution, the product should be stable for up to 1 week at 4°C or up to 3 months at -20°C. For long term storage it is recommended that a carrier protein (example 0.1% BSA) be added. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Background

Target Background: Ciliary Neurotrophic Factor (CNTF) is a polypeptide hormone which acts within the nervous system where it promotes neurotransmitter synthesis and neurite outgrowth in certain neuronal populations. CNTF is a potent survival factor for neurons and oligodendrocytes and may play a role in reducing tissue damage during increased inflammation. A mutation in this gene, which results in aberrant splicing, leads to ciliary neurotrophic factor deficiency, however this phenotype is not causally related to neurologic disease.

Synonyms: Ciliary Neurotrophic Factor

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