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## **Recombinant Human BMP-4 protein(His Tag)**

Catalog No. PKSH034130

Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

## **Description**

**Synonyms** BMP-2B;DVR4

**Species** Human E.coli **Expression Host** 

Lys 303-Arg 408 Sequence

Accession P12644 Calculated Molecular Weight 12.9 kDa Observed molecular weight 12 kDa Tag C-His

**Bioactivity** Measure by its ability to induce alkaline phosphatase production by ATDC5

cells. The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is < 0.58 ng/mL.

## **Properties**

Purity > 95 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

**Endotoxin** < 0.1 EU per µg of the protein as determined by the LAL method.

Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to **Storage** 

-80°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots

of reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

Shipping This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.

**Formulation** Lyophilized from sterile 20 mM sodium carbonate, pH 9.0.

Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as

protectants before lyophilization.

Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.

Reconstitution Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

## **Background**

Growth factor of the TGF-beta superfamily that plays essential roles in many developmental processes, including neurogenesis, vascular development, angiogenesis and osteogenesis. Acts in concert with PTHLH/PTHRP to stimulate ductal outgrowth during embryonic mammary development and to inhibit hair follicle induction. Initiates the canonical BMP signaling cascade by associating with type I receptor BMPR1A and type II receptor BMPR2. Once all three components are bound together in a complex at the cell surface, BMPR2 phosphorylates and activates BMPR1A. In turn, BMPR1A propagates signal by phosphorylating SMAD1/5/8 that travel to the nucleus and act as activators and repressors of transcription of target genes. Can also signal through non-canonical BMP pathways such as ERK/MAP kinase, PI3K/Akt, or SRC cascades. For example, induces SRC phosphorylation which, in turn, activates VEGFR2, leading to an angiogenic response.

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