



Data Sheet

Recombinant Human Epidermal Growth Factor (EGF)

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Source A DNA sequence encoding the mature EGF protein was expressed in *E. coli*

Production Final manufacturing steps and QC are performed in a GMP facility

Molecular mass The methionyl form of the *E. coli* expressed mature human EGF contains 60

amino acid residues (including a C-terminal His6-tag) and has a molecular mass

of 7.2 kDa

Purity ≥ 95%, as determined by HPLC

Endotoxin level < 1000 EU/mg, as determined by LAL gel clot test

Activity $\geq 0.5 \times 10^6 \text{ IU/mg}$ calibrated against the 1st International Standard NIBSC,

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Measured in a cell proliferation assay using an EGF-dependent cell line,

Balb/3T3

Sterility Sterility test of the vialed product (direct inoculation)

Formulation Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm-filtered solution containing 25 mM Na-acetate

Mass per vial $250 \mu g$, $50 \mu g$ or $10 \mu g$, as determined by spectrophotometrical measurement

at 280 nm

Transport Ambient temperature

Storage at -20°C or below. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles

Shelf life 3 years from date of shipment

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