# Product Name: Recombinant Human/Mouse/Rat Activing Enkilife Catalog #: PHV0949

# **Summary**

Name Activin A/INHBA

**Purity** Greater than 95% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE

**Endotoxin level** <0.01 EU/μg as determined by LAL test.

Construction Recombinant Human Activin A is produced by our Mammalian expression

system and the target gene encoding Gly311-Ser426 is expressed.

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**Host** Human Cells

Species Human/Mouse/Rat

Predicted Molecular Mass 13 KDa

Formulation Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution of 4mM HCl.

Shipping The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it

immediately at the temperature listed below.

**Stability&Storage** Lyophilized protein should be stored at ≤ -20°C, stable for one year after receipt.

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

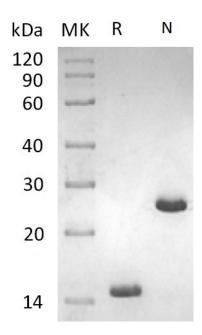
reconstituted samples are stable at  $\leq$  -20°C for 3 months.

**Reconstitution** Always centrifuge tubes before opening. Do not mix by vortex or pipetting. It is

not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than  $100\mu g/ml$ . Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water. Please aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles. Always centrifuge tubes before opening. Do not mix by vortex or pipetting. It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than  $100\mu g/ml$ . Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water. Please aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles.

# **SDS-PAGE** image

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### **Alternative Names**

Inhibin beta A chain; INHBA; Activin A

# **Background**

Activin and inhibin are two closely related protein complexes that have almost directly opposite biological effects. Activins, members of the TGF-beta superfamily, are disulfide-linked dimeric proteins originally purified from gonadal fluids as proteins that stimulated pituitary follicle stimulating hormone (FSH) release. Inhibins/activins are involved in regulating a number of diverse functions such as hypothalamic and pituitary hormone secretion, gonadal hormone secretion, germ cell development and maturation, erythroid differentiation, insulin secretion, nerve cell survival, embryonic axial development or bone growth, depending on their subunit composition. Activins are homodimers or heterodimers of the various beta subunit isoforms, while inhibins are heterodimers of a unique alpha subunit and one of the various beta subunits.

#### Note

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