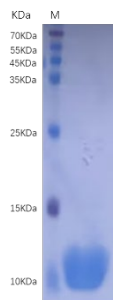


## Specification

<b>Product name:</b>	Recombinant human S100 antigen (S100B)
<b>Source:</b>	<i>E.coli</i> derived
<b>Accession #:</b>	P04271
<b>SDS-PAGE:</b>	10-15 kDa, reducing conditions
<b>Construction:</b>	S100B
<b>Predicted Molecular Mass:</b>	12kDa
<b>Activity:</b>	Immunoreactivity was confirmed by reacting with monoclonal antibodies specific to human S100B .
<b>Application:</b>	ELISA, immunology, others unspecified.
<b>Form:</b>	Liquid
<b>Formulation:</b>	20 mM Tris, 300 mM NaCl, pH 8.0
<b>Stability &amp; Storage:</b>	Stable at -80°C
<b>Shipping condition:</b>	The product is shipped on ice pack.Upon receiving, store it immediately at the recommended temperature.
<b>Conc. Determined:</b>	BCA
<b>Purity:</b>	>90%

## SDS-PAGE



Greater than 90% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE. (QC verified).

## BACKGROUND

S100B, is an acidic protein with a molecular weight of 21 kDa belonging to the S100 family. S100-B contains two EF-hand-type calcium-binding motifs separated by a hinge region with a hydrophobic cleft. S100-B plays an important role in neurodevelopment, differentiation, and brain construction. S100-B has neuroprotective effects, but at high concentrations S100-B is neurotoxic. Extracellular concentration of S100-B increases following brain damage, which easily penetrates into cerebrospinal fluid in brain damage and then into the blood. S100-B is expressed and produced by astrocytes in vertebrate brains and in the CNS, and the astrocytes are the major cells producing S100-B protein in gray matter, as well as oligodendrocytes are the predominant S100-B in protein producing cells in white matter. The major advantage of using S100-B is that elevations in serum or CSF levels provide a sensitive measure for determining CNS injury at the molecular level before gross changes develop, enabling timely delivery of crucial medical intervention before irreversible damage occurs. In addition, S100-B, which is also present in human melanocytes, is a reliable marker for melanoma malignancy both in bioptic tissue and in serum.

## References:

1. As CSF-S100B levels in calves with neurologic diseases widely differed, the utility of CSF-S100B as a diagnostic marker for neurologic diseases in cattle remains inconclusive..
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3. Development of a sensitive ELISA for S100B detection in traumatic brain injury using recombinant protein standards.
4. Structural basis of S100B protein dimerization and calcium-dependent conformational changes.
5. Expression and purification of recombinant human S100B protein in Escherichia coli for antibody production.