

# **California Bioscience**

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# **Product Datasheet**

Product NameInhibin-Alpha A Chain Human RecombinantCata NoCB500741SourceEscherichia Coli.Synonyms

#### Description

Inhibins are dimeric peptide hormones produced by female ovarian granulose cells and male Sertoli cells as well as a variety of other tissues. Inhibins have two isoforms, A and B, with the same alpha subunit but different beta subunits. Inhibin A is a dimer of alpha and beta A subunits, inhibin B is a dimer of alpha and beta B subunits.

Inhibins are thought to inhibit the production of follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH) by the pituitary gland. In addition, Inhibins are also thought to play a role in the control of gametogenesis, and embryonic and fetal development.

Inhibin-Alpha A chain Human Recombinant produced in E.Coli is a single, non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 134 amino acids fragment (233-366) and having an amino-terminal hexahistidine tag, having a total molecular weight of 19.2 kDa. The Inhibin-Alpha A chain is purified by standard chromatographic techniques.

## **Physical Appearance**

Sterile Filtered clear solution.

### Purity

Greater than 95.0% as determined by:

(a) Analysis by RP-HPLC.

(b) Analysis by SDS-PAGE.

#### Formulation

Inhibin-A alpha chain is supplied in 10mM Tris HCI (pH-8) and 50% glycerol.

#### Stability

Store at 4°C if entire vial will be used within 2-4 weeks.

Store, frozen at  $-20^{\circ}$  for longer periods of time. Please avoid freeze thaw cycles.