

## **Product Datasheet**

## Neurturin Protein, Human, Recombinant (orb1961048)

## **Description**

Neurturin is a member of the GDNF family of ligands, which include glial cellderived neurotrophic factor (GDNF), Neurturin, Persephin, and Artemin. Neurturin is expressed in both neuronal and nonneuronal tissues. Similarly to other TGF\$\beta\$ family proteins, Neurturin is synthesized as a precursor protein that is cleaved at the dibasic cleavage site (RXXR) to release the carboxyterminal domain. The carboxy terminal domain of Neurturin contains the characteristic seven conserved cysteine residues necessary for the formation of the cysteineknot and the single interchain disulfide bond. Biologically active human Neurturin is a disulfide-linked homodimer of the carboxy-terminal 102 amino acid residues. Unlike other members of TGF-β family, bioactivities of all GDNF family ligands are mediated through a unique multicomponent receptor complex composed of high affinity ligand binding component (GFR $\alpha$ -1-GFR $\alpha$ -4) and a common signaling component (cRET receptor tyrosine kinase). Each member of the GDNF family ligands has its preferred binding protein. Neurturin preferentially binds to GFR $\alpha$ -2 but can also bind GFR $\alpha$ -1 at higher concentrations. It may play a role in regulating the development and maintenance of the central and peripheral nervous systems and as well as non neuronal systems.

Storage -20°C

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**Note** For research use only

**Application notes** Reconstitute the lyophilized protein in distilled water. The product concentration

should not be less than 100  $\mu$ g/ml. Before opening, centrifuge the tube to collect powder at the bottom. After adding the reconstitution buffer, avoid vortexing or

pipetting for mixing.

Protein Sequence Ala96-Val197

**Purity** 98.00%

MW 15 KDa (reducing condition)

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