

KNG1

Human Kininogen Two Chain HMW Form

Catalog No. CSI20182A Quantity: 1.0 mg

CSI20182B 5.0 mg

Alternate Names: BDK, KNG

Description: Human Kininogen, two chain form HMW, is prepared by digestion of single chain

kininogen.

Concentration: 2.0 mg/ml

Gene ID: 3827

Source: Human plasma

Molecular Weight: 120 kDa

Formulation: Frozen liquid in 4 mM Sodium Acetate Buffer + 0.15 M NaCl, pH 5.3

Purity: >95% by SDS-PAGE analysis

Endotoxin Level: $< 0.1 \text{ ng/}\mu\text{g}$ of protein

Storage & Stability: Store at -80°C. Stable for 3 years from delivery. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Background: HMW kininogen, synthesized by hepatocytes, is a multifunctional protein. It is the

precursor protein of bradykinin. In addition it is a nonenzymatic cofactor of the contact activation system of factor XI, XII, and prekallikrein and a major extracellular cysteine proteinase inhibitor. Kininogen links prekallikrein to a negatively charged surface thereby allowing activation to kallikrein by surface bound Factor alpha-XIIa. Kininogen also forms a complex with Factor XI and accelerates its activation to XIa by alpha-XIIa. Kininogens inhibit systemic proteases which are thought to have a part in various diseases such as cancer, muscular dystrophy and joint disease. The two chain form is prepared by kallikrein digestion of single chain kininogen. Two chain kininogen repurified to remove traces of kallikrein and is kinin free. >95% pure by SDS-PAGE and shows complete

reduction upon incubation with 2-mercaptoethanol.

Certification: Prepared from plasma found negative by FDA accepted methods for Anti-HIV1/2, Anti-

HTLV I & II, HBsAg, Anti-HCV, Syphilis, HBC Ab, HIV-1 p24 Ag or HIV-1 RNA, HCV RNA

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and HBV RNA. Donors are screened for CJD (Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease).

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