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## Product Data Sheet

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### **IGF-I** Protein, Salmon

Cat. No.:	HY-P701241
Synonyms:	IGF1; IGF-1; insulin-like growth factor 1; Insulin-like growth factor I; Somatomedin C; somatomedin-C
Species:	Others
Source:	E. coli
Accession:	Q02815 (G45-A114)
Gene ID:	100136741
Molecular Weight:	Approximately 8 kDa

PROPERTIES	
AA Sequence	
	GPETLCGAEL VDTLQFVCGE RGFYFSKPTG YGPSSRRSHN RGIVDECCFQ SCELRRLEMY CAPVKSGKAA
Biological Activity	Measure by its ability by a dose-response proliferation assay using human FDC-P1 cells. The ED50 for this effect is <15 ng/mL. Thespecific activity of this protein is > 6.7 × 10 <sup>4</sup> IU/mg. (It is recommended to experimentally determine the optimal concentration for each specific application by performing a dose response assay.)
Appearance	Lyophilized powder.
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4.
Endotoxin Level	< 0.2 EU/µg of protein by gel clotting method
Reconsititution	It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100 μg/mL in ddH <sub>2</sub> O. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% BSA, 5% HSA, 10% FBS or 5% Trehalose).
Storage & Stability	Stored at -20°C for 2 years. After reconstitution, it is stable at 4°C for 1 week or -20°C for longer (with carrier protein). It is recommended to freeze aliquots at -20°C or -80°C for extended storage.
Shipping	Room temperature in continental US; may vary elsewhere.

### DESCRIPTION

BackgroundThe IGF-I protein, structurally and functionally related to insulin, exhibits significantly higher growth-promoting activity.<br/>Serving as a ligand for IGF1R, it binds to the alpha subunit of IGF1R, triggering the activation of the intrinsic tyrosine kinase<br/>activity. This activation leads to the autophosphorylation of tyrosine residues in the beta subunit, initiating a cascade of<br/>downstream signaling events that activate the PI3K-AKT/PKB and Ras-MAPK pathways. IGF-I also binds to integrins, forming<br/>a ternary complex with integrins and IGFR1, which proves essential for IGF1 signaling. This intricate molecular interaction<br/>highlights the multifaceted role of IGF-I in mediating cellular responses and growth-promoting functions.

### Caution: Product has not been fully validated for medical applications. For research use only.

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