

## Product Information

### Vitronectin, human recombinant, expressed in HEK 293 cells cell culture tested

Catalog Number **SRP3186**  
Storage Temperature  $-20\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$

Synonyms: Serum-spreading factor, V75, VTN,  
s-protein, epiboin

#### Product Description

Vitronectin is a secreted glycoprotein which is synthesized in the liver.<sup>1</sup> It circulates primarily in monomeric form, but can undergo conformational change to a structure that forms disulfide linked multimers.<sup>2</sup> Vitronectin can efficiently bind to and incorporate into the extracellular matrix (ECM) of various human tissues supporting cell adhesion and differentiation, as well as regulating ECM composition and stability.<sup>3</sup> Within the matrix, vitronectin can support cell adhesion through binding to various integrins and other proteoglycans.<sup>4</sup> Additionally, recombinant vitronectin can function as a chemically defined matrix component in human embryonic stem cell renewal media.<sup>5</sup>

Recombinant human vitronectin is a 459 amino acid single chain monomeric protein, which migrates at an apparent molecular mass of 75 kDa by SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions.

The biological activity of recombinant human vitronectin was tested in culture by measuring the ability of immobilized vitronectin to support adhesion of CHO cells.

Purity:  $\geq 95\%$  (SDS-PAGE)

Purity:  $\geq 95\%$  (HPLC)

Endotoxin level:  $\leq 1$  EU/ $\mu\text{g}$  of vitronectin

#### Precautions and Disclaimer

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

#### Storage/Stability

Store the lyophilized product at  $-20\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ . The product is stable for at least 2 years as supplied.

#### Preparation Instructions

Centrifuge the vial prior to opening. Reconstitute in water to a concentration of 0.1–1.0 mg/mL. Do not vortex. This solution can be stored at  $2\text{--}8\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  for up to 1 week. For extended storage, it is recommended to further dilute in a buffer containing a carrier protein (example 0.1% BSA) and store in working aliquots at  $-20\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $-80\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

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