

# **Bovine Leptin**

Synonyms: OB Protein, Obesity Protein, OBS, Obesity factor.

PLEASE NOTE: ALWAYS CENTRIFUGE VIAL BEFORE OPENING

Size	Order #	Lot #	Expiry Date
20 µg	1650.910.020		
100 µg	1650.910.100		
1 mg	1650.910.199		

Please enquire for bulk quantities and other vial sizes

## Description

Leptin Bovine Recombinant produced in *E.Coli* is a single, non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 146 amino acids and having a molecular mass of 16 kDa.

• Source E. Coli

• Purity ≥ 95 % (SDS-PAGE, SEC-HPLC)

• Endotoxin level  $\leq 0.1 \text{ng/µg} (\leq 1 \text{EU/µg})$ 

Buffer The protein was lyophilized from a concentrated (1mg/ml) solution with

0.0045mM NaHCO<sub>3</sub>\*

Physical state
Sterile filtered, lyophilized

## **Biological Activity**

Biological active as evidenced by inducing proliferation of BAF/3 cells stably transfected with the long form of human leptin receptor.

# Reconstitution

We recommend a quick spin followed by reconstitution in sterile water to a concentration of at least 100  $\mu$ g/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions. Do not vortex.

## Stability

Lyophilized Leptin although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18°C. Upon reconstitution Leptin should be stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -18°C. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

# **Amino Acid Sequence**

The sequence of the first five N-terminal amino acids was determined and was found to be Ala-Val-Pro-Ile-Arg.

Usage: For research use only. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures. Not for human use.

<sup>\*</sup>The Buffer may vary depending on the Lot #. Please contact our technical support if you have specific requirements.