

Human Follicle Stimulating Hormone (FSH)

CATALOG #: 4781-50 50 μg 4781-1000 1 ma

LOT #:

SOURCE: Urine of post-menopausal women

PURITY: ≥ 98% as determined by SDS-PAGE and HPLC

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 35.5

PHYSICAL APPEARANCE: Lyophilized powder without additives

RECONSTITUTION: Centrifuge the vial prior to opening. Reconstitute in H_2O to

a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/ml.

STORAGE CONDITIONS:

Lyophilized FSH should be stored desiccated below 0°C. Upon reconstitution FSH can be stored at 4°C for 2-7 days. For long-term storage, it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA) and store aliquots at –20°C or –70°C. Avoid freeze-thaw cycles.

DESCRIPTION:

Human FSH is a glycoprotein produced from urine of post-menopausal women and having a total molecular mass of 35,500 Dalton. hFSH is a heterodimeric hormone consisting of 165 amino acids chain (non-active) and 115 amino acids chain (active). hFSH induces maturation of Graafian follicles of the ovary, promotes development of germinal cells in males and activates cytosolic tyrosine kinase. The hFSH is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

ACTIVITY:

BioVision's hFSH is biologically active when compared to standard. The activity was found to be 626IU/mg.

CONTAMINANTS:

Less than: 0.1% hCG, 0.5%TSH, 0.5% LH, 0.5%GH and 0.5%Prl. Free of HbsAg, antibodies to HIV and HCV.

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