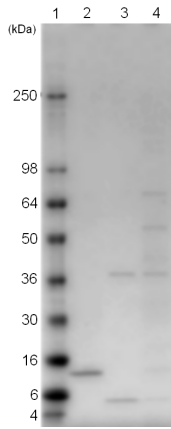


**human cell expressed PDGF-B<sup>hex</sup>**

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| <b>Source</b>               | A DNA sequence encoding the human PDGF-B protein sequence (containing the signal peptide sequence, N propeptide, and the mature PDGF-B sequence) was expressed in modified human 293 cells.  |
| <b>Molecular Mass</b>       | Under reducing conditions Symansis PDGF-B <sup>hex</sup> migrates as a broad band between 15.2 and 16.1 kDa on SDS-PAGE due to post-translational modifications, in particular glycosylation. This compares with unmodified PDGF-B polypeptide that has a predicted monomeric molecular mass of 12.29 kDa. |
| <b>pI</b>                   | Symansis PDGF-B <sup>hex</sup> has a predicted pI of 9.38.   |
| <b>% Carbohydrate</b>       | Symansis purified PDGF-B <sup>hex</sup> consists of 30-45% carbohydrate by weight.   |
| <b>Glycosylation</b>        | Symansis PDGF-B <sup>hex</sup> contains N-linked oligosaccharides and a predicted O-linked Mannose.  |
| <b>Purity</b>               | >95%, as determined by SDS-PAGE, visualized by Coomassie Brilliant Blue.   |
| <b>Formulation</b>          | When reconstituted in 0.5 ml sterile phosphate-buffered saline, the solution will contain 1% human serum albumin (HSA) and 10% trehalose.  |
| <b>Reconstitution</b>       | It is recommended that 0.5 ml of sterile phosphate-buffered saline be added to the vial.   |
| <b>Storage</b>              | Lyophilized products should be stored at 2 to 8°C. Following reconstitution short-term storage at 4°C is recommended, with longer-term storage in aliquots at -18 to -20°C. Repeated freeze thawing is not recommended.  |
| <b>Activity</b>             | The ED <sub>50</sub> of PDGF-B <sup>hex</sup> s typically 14-25 ng/mL as measured in a cell proliferation assay using the murine Balb/3T3 fibroblast cell line.  |
| <b>Theoretical Sequence</b> | SLGSLTIAEPAMIAECKTRTEVFEISRRLIDRTNANFLVWPPCVEVQRCSGCCNNRNVQCR<br>PTQVQLRPPVQRKIEIVRKKPIFKKATVTLEDHLACKGETVAAARPV   |

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### 1D gel



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Lane 1– MW markers; Lane 2– PDGF-B<sup>hex</sup>; Lane 3– PDGF-B<sup>hex</sup> treated with PNGase F to remove potential N-linked glycans; Lane 4– PDGF-B<sup>hex</sup> treated with a glycosidase cocktail to remove potential N- and O-linked glycans. Approximately 5 µg of protein was loaded per lane; Gel was stained using Coomassie.

Drop in MW after treatment with PNGase F indicates presence of N-linked glycans. Additional bands in lane 3 and lane 4 are glycosidase enzymes.

### Background Information

The platelet-derived growth factor (PDGF) family consists of four different polypeptide chains; PDGF-A, PDGF-B, PDGF-C and PDGF-D, sharing approximately 25% sequence homology. The biological effects of PDGF-B are exerted via two receptor tyrosine kinases, PDGFRA and PDGFRB. PDGF-B is expressed predominantly in platelets and the heart, but has been detected in the majority of human organs.

PDGF-B is a potent mitogen for mesenchymal cells such as fibroblasts, smooth muscle cells, and neuroectodermal cells such as oligodendrocytes, and plays a critical role in wound healing and tumor development. PDGF-B is an important growth factor contributing to angiogenesis and possibly lymphatic metastasis due to lymphangiogenesis. Additionally, PDGF-B plays a crucial role in wound healing. Studies have also suggested that PDGF-B is involved in the CNS including having a neuroprotective or neurotrophic effect in the developing or adult CNS, promoting angiogenic responses to injury in the CNS and remyelination.

For a review of PDGF-B and the PDGF family, please see Fredriksson et. al. (2004) Cytokine Growth Factor Rev. 2004 Aug;15(4):197-204



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