

REPRESENTATIVE DATASHEET

Sheep anti-human Factor VII (FVII)

Whole IgG from antiserum 10 mg

Product #: SAFVII-IG

Lot #: XXXX Expiry date: XXXX

Store at -10 to -20°C

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Not for use in diagnostic procedures.

Description of Factor VII (FVII)

Factor VII (FVII, also known as Stable Factor and Proconvertin) is a vitamin K-dependent glycoprotein produced in the liver. Plasma concentration of FVII is normally ~0.5 µg/ml (10 nM) in plasma. A deficiency of FVII is associated with bleeding in a clinical pattern similar to haemophilia, but is inherited as an autosomal recessive trait. The deficiency can be characterized by a quantitative (low activity and low antigen) or a qualitative (low activity and normal antigen) defect in FVII function. In its zymogen form FVII is a single chain molecule of ~50 kDa. It contains two EGF-like domains and an amino-terminal domain containing 10 y-carboxyglutamic acid (Gla) residues. These Gla residues allow FVII to bind divalent metal ions and participate in calcium-dependent binding interactions. FVII and activated FVII (FVIIa) bind to tissue factor exposed at the site of vascular injury. FIXa, FXa or FVIIa rapidly activate tissue factorbound FVII to FVIIa in the presence of calcium and phospholipid. Thrombin and FXIIa are able to activate FVII in the fluid phase in the absence of cofactors. The activation of the single chain zymogen FVII occurs by proteolysis after residue Arg¹⁵², resulting in a twochain active serine protease consisting of a 30 kDa heavy chain and an 18 kDa light chain. In complex with tissue factor, phospholipid and calcium, FVIIa is able to activate FX and FIX. Free FVIIa in plasma is remarkably stable, but the activity of FVIIa/TF complex is regulated by Tissue Factor Pathway Inhibitor (TFPI) in the presence of FXa, and also by Antithrombin (ATIII) in the presence of heparin¹⁻³.

REFERENCES and REVIEWS

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Product Specifications

Description:

Vial containing XXXX ml of whole IgG representing approximately 1 ml of antiserum. Total protein is 10 mg.

Format:

Whole IgG, clear liquid.

Host Animal:

Sheep

Immunogen:

Human F.VII purified from plasma.

Concentration:

IgG concentration is $\frac{XXXX}{M}$ mg/ml, determined by absorbance using an extinction coefficient ($E^{1\%}_{280}$) of 13.4.

Buffer:

10 mM HEPES, pH 7.4, 150 mM NaCl, 50% (v/v) glycerol.

Storage:

Store between -10 and -20°C. Product will become viscous but will not freeze. Avoid storage in frost-free freezers. Keep vial tightly capped. Allow product to warm to room temperature and gently mix before use.

Specificity:

This antibody is specific for factor VII as demonstrated by immunoelectrophoresis and ELISA.

Applications:

Suitable as a source of antibodies to human factor VII.

Neutralizing activity:

Not determined.

Species Cross Reactivity:

Not determined.

Related Products:

Cat #: SAFVII-AP
Cat #: SAFVII-HRP
Cat #: FVII-EIA
Cat #: FVII-DP
Sheep anti-human FVII, IgG-peroxidase
Paired antibody set for ELISA of FVII, 5 x 96 wells
Human plasma deficient in FVII, immune depleted

Cat #: FVII-AG VisuLize FVII Antigen ELISA Kit

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