

**PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term)**  
**Synthetic peptide**  
**Catalog # BP21972a****Specification**

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**PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term) - Product Information**

Primary Accession [P02776](#)  
Other Accession [P10720](#)

**PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term) - Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 5196

**Other Names**

Platelet factor 4, PF-4, C-X-C motif chemokine 4, Iroplact, Oncostatin-A, Platelet factor 4, short form, PF4, CXCL4, SCYB4

**Target/Specificity**

The synthetic peptide sequence is selected from aa 48-59 of HUMAN PF4

**Format**

Peptides are lyophilized in a solid powder format. Peptides can be reconstituted in solution using the appropriate buffer as needed.

**Storage**

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C.

**Precautions**

This product is for research use only. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term) - Protein Information**

**Name** PF4

**Synonyms** CXCL4, SCYB4

**Function**

Chemokine released during platelet aggregation that plays a role in different biological processes including hematopoiesis, cell proliferation, differentiation, and activation (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/29930254" target="\_blank">29930254</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/9531587" target="\_blank">9531587</a>). Acts via different functional receptors including CCR1, CXCR3A or CXCR3B (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18174362" target="\_blank">18174362</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/29930254" target="\_blank">29930254</a>). Upon interaction with CXCR3A receptor, induces activated T-lymphocytes migration mediated via downstream Ras/extracellular signal-regulated kinase (ERK) signaling (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18174362" target="\_blank">18174362</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24469069" target="\_blank">24469069</a>). Neutralizes

the anticoagulant effect of heparin by binding more strongly to heparin than to the chondroitin-4-sulfate chains of the carrier molecule. Plays a role in the inhibition of hematopoiesis and in the maintenance of hematopoietic stem cell (HSC) quiescence (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/9531587" target="\_blank">9531587</a>). Chemotactic for neutrophils and monocytes via CCR1 (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/29930254" target="\_blank">29930254</a>). Inhibits endothelial cell proliferation. In cooperation with toll-like receptor 8/TLR8, induces chromatin remodeling and activates inflammatory gene expression via the TBK1-IRF5 axis (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/35701499" target="\_blank">35701499</a>). In addition, induces myofibroblast differentiation and collagen synthesis in different precursor cells, including endothelial cells, by stimulating endothelial-to-mesenchymal transition (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/34986347" target="\_blank">34986347</a>). Interacts with thrombomodulin/THBD to enhance the activation of protein C and thus potentiates its anticoagulant activity (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/9395524" target="\_blank">9395524</a>).

#### **Cellular Location**

Secreted.

#### **PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term) - Protocols**

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Blocking Peptides](#)

#### **PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term) - Images**

#### **PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term) - Background**

Released during platelet aggregation. Neutralizes the anticoagulant effect of heparin because it binds more strongly to heparin than to the chondroitin-4-sulfate chains of the carrier molecule. Chemotactic for neutrophils and monocytes. Inhibits endothelial cell proliferation, the short form is a more potent inhibitor than the longer form.

#### **PF4 Blocking Peptide (N-Term) - References**

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