# PRODUCT DATA SHEET



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# Recombinant Human Interleukin-1 beta (rHu IL-1β)

Catalog Number: PR1055 Source:Escherichia coli Quantity:2µg/10µg/1.0mg

# **Description**

IL-1 beta is a proinflammatory cytokine produced in a variety of cells including monocytes, tissue macrophages, keratinocytes and other epithelial cells. Both IL-1 alpha and IL-1 beta binds to the same receptor and has similar if not identical biological properties. These cytokines have a broad range of activities including, stimulation of thymocyte proliferation, by inducing IL-2 release, B-cell maturation and proliferation, mitogenic FGF-like activity and the ability to stimulate the release of prostaglandin and collagenase from synovial cells. However, whereas IL-1 beta is a secreted cytokine, IL-1 alpha is predominantly a cell-associated cytokine.

# **Molecular Weight:**

Approximately 17.3 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 153 amino acids.

# **Purity:**

>97% by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

# **Biological Activity:**

Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED50 as determined by the dose-dependant stimulation of murine D10S cells is less than 1.0 pg/ml, corresponding to a Specific Activity of  $\Box 1.0 \times 109$  IU/mg.

# **Physical Appearance:**

Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

#### **Formulation:**

Lyophilized from a  $0.2 \square m$  filtered concentrated solution in PBS, pH 7.5.

# **AA Sequence:**

APVRSLNCTLRDSQQKSLVMSGPYELK
ALHLQGQDMEQQVVFSMSFVQGEESN
DKIPVALGLKEKNLYLSCVLKDDKPTL
QLESVDPKNYPKKKMEKRFVFNKIEIN
NKLEFESAQFPNWYISTSQAENMPVFL
GGTKGGQDITDFTMQFVSS

# **Endotoxin:**

Less than  $1EU/\Box g$  of rHuIL-1 $\beta$  as determined by LAL method.

# **Reconstitution:**

We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1% BSA to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots and stored at <-20  $\square$  C. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

# **Storage:**

This lyophilized preparation is stable at  $2-8\Box C$ , but should be kept at  $-20\Box C$  for long term storage, preferably desiccated. Upon reconstitution, the preparation is stable for up to one week at  $2-8\Box C$ . For maximal stability, apportion the reconstituted preparation into working aliquots and store at  $-20\Box C$  to  $-70\Box C$ . Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

# Usage:

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