

DATA SHEET

Product Information

Product Name	:	Recombinant Human Interleukin-6 (rhIL-6)
Synonyms	:	B-cell stimulatory factor 2 (BSF-2), CTL differentiation factor (CDF),
Description NCBI Accession No.	:	Interferon beta-2 (IFN-beta-2) IL-6 is an interleukin that acts as both a pro-inflammatory cytokine and an anti-inflammatory myokine. In humans, it is encoded by the IL6 gene. IL-6 is secreted by T cells and macrophages to stimulate immune response. IL-6 also plays a role in fighting infection, as IL-6 has been shown in mice to be required for resistance against bacterium <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> . In addition, osteoblasts secrete IL-6 to stimulate osteoclast formation. Advanced/metastatic cancer patients have higher levels of IL-6 in their blood. One example of this is pancreatic cancer, with noted elevation of IL-6 present in patients correlating with poor survival rates. (Ref. From Wikipedia) NM 000600.3
Amino acid sequence	:	MPAPVPPGEDSKDVAAPHRQPLTSSERIDKQIRYILDGISALRKETCNKSNM CESSKEALAENNLNLPKMAEKDGCFQSGFNEETCLVKIITGLLEFEVYLEYL QNRFESSEEQARAVQMSTKVLIQFLQKKAKNLDAITTPDPTTNASLLTKLQA QNQWLQDMTTHLILRSFKEFLQSSLRALRQM*
Molecular Mass	:	21.17 kDa (187 aa)
Protein Tags Source Cat. No.	:	No tagging <i>E. coli.</i> JW-H011-0010, JW-H011-0025, JW-H011-0050, JW-H011-0100, JW-H011-0250, JW-H011-0500, JW-H011-1000
Storage	:	Should be at ≤ -70 °C as undiluted aliquots of handy size. Avoid
Cross Reactivity	:	repeated freezing and thawing. Human, Mouse Rat, Monkey, Pig

Quality Control

Test items	Specifications
Appearance	: Clear, colorless liquid
Purity	: Greater than 95 % by RP-HPLC and SDS-PAGE
Specificity	: Using Western blot, detection Cell Proliferation Assay (TF-1)
Concentration	: 0.1 mg/ml, Bradford method
Biological Activity	Determined by proliferation of TF-1 indicator cells. : The ED50 is <0.1 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of > 1.0 × 10 ⁷ U/mg
Endotoxin	: Less than 1.0 EU/µg as determined by the LAL method
Formulation	. 30mM sodium citrate-citric acid, 5% glycerol (pH 4.5) without preservative or carrier proteins.
Stability	: Stable for up to 12 months at -70 $^{\circ}$ C. Stable for a month at 4 $^{\circ}$ C.
Sterility	: Sterilized through a 0.2 μm membrane filter and packaged aseptically. Culture for 2 weeks, no growth

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