Recombinant Human Interleukin-1 beta (rh IL-1beta / IL1F2)

Synonyms: Catabolin, Lymphocyte-activating factor (LAF), Endogenous Pyrogen (EP), Leukocyte Endogenous Mediator (LEM), Mononuclear Cell Factor (MCF)

Introduction: Interleukin-1beta is produced by activated macrophages, IL-1beta stimulates thymocyte proliferation by inducing II-2 release, b-cell maturation and proliferation and fibroblast growth factor activity. IL-1beta proteins are involved in the inflammatory response being identified as endogenous pyrogens and are reported to stimulate the release of prostaglandin and collagenase from synovial cells.

Description: Recombinant human IL-1beta produced in *E.Coli* is a non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 153 amino acids and having a molecular mass of 17 kDa. The rh IL-1beta is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

Source: Escherichia Coli

Physical Appearance: Sterile filtered white lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.22µm filtered solution in 25 mM Phosphate buffer, 100 mM NaCl, pH 7.1. The aliquots of 1µg and 2µg contain Trehalose 5% (w/vol) for better recovery

Solubility: It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized rh IL-1beta in sterile H_2O not less than 100 µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

Stability: Lyophilized rh IL-1beta although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18° C. Upon reconstitution rh IL-1beta should be stored at 4° C between 2-7 days and for future use below -18° C. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

Purity: 95.0% as determined by SDS-PAGE / silver stain.

Endotoxicity: The endotoxin level is less than 1 EU/µg determined by LAL method

Amino acid sequence: APVRSLNCTL RDSQQKSLVM SGPYELKALH LQGQDMEQQV VFSMSFVQGE ESNDKIPVAL GLKEKNLYLS CVLKDDKPTL QLESVDPKNY PKKKMEKRFV FNKIEINNKL EFESAQFPNW YISTSQAENM PVFLGGTKGG QDITDFTMQF VSS

Biological Activity: The specific activity as determined in the test of augmentation of lymphocyte proliferation assay using mouse thymus was found to be 2.0×10^8 IU/ mg.

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medium	10 µg	Cat.N°	11340013
large	50 µg	Cat.N°	11340015
x-large	250 µg	Cat.N°	11340017
xx-large	1000 µg	Cat.N°	11340018

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