

## Recombinant Rat Interleukin-1beta (rr IL-1b)

**Synonyms:** Catabolin, Lymphocyte-activating factor (LAF), Endogenous Pyrogen (EP), Leukocyte Endogenous Mediator (LEM), Mononuclear Cell Factor (MCF), IL1F2, IL-1 beta.

**Introduction:** Interleukin-1b is produced by activated macrophages. It stimulates thymocyte proliferation by inducing IL-2 release, b-cell maturation and proliferation, and fibroblast growth factor activity. IL-1B 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 rat Interleukin-1b produced in E.Coli is a non-glycosylated, Polypeptide chain containing 153 amino acids and having a molecular mass of 17.3 kDa .  
The IL-1b is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

**Source:** *Escherichia Coli*.

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

**Formulation:** Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS, pH 7.4.  
The aliquotes of 1µg and 2 µg contain Trehalose 5% (w/vol) for better recovery

**Solubility:** It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized rr IL-1b in sterile 18MΩ-cm H<sub>2</sub>O not less than 100 µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

**Stability:** Lyophilized rr IL-1b, although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18° C. Upon reconstitution rr IL-1b 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:** 97.0% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

**Amino acid sequence:**

MVPIRQLHCRLRDEQQKCLVLSDPCELKALHLNGQNISQQVVFMSMF  
VQGETSNDKIPVALGLKGLNLYLSCVMKDGTPTLQLESVDPKQYPKK  
KMEKRFVFNKIEVKTKVEFESAQFPNWWYISTSQAEHRPVFLGNSNGRD  
IVDFTMEPVSS.

**Biological Activity:** The ED50 was found to be less than 0.1ng/ml, determined by the dose dependent proliferation of mouse D10S cells, corresponding to a specific activity of 10,000,000 units/mg.

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<i>small</i>	2 µg	Cat.N°	13340012
<i>medium</i>	10 µg	Cat.N°	13340013

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