

Recombinant Macrophage Colony Stimulating Factor (rr M-CSF)

Synonyms: CSF-1, Lanimostim

Introduction: Granulocyte/Macrophage Colony-Stimulating Factors are cytokines that act in hematopoiesis by controlling the production, differentiation, and function of 2 related white cell populations of the blood, the granulocytes and the monocytes-macrophages. M-CSF induces cells of the monocyte/macrophage lineage. It plays a role in immunological defenses, bone metabolism, lipoproteins clearance, fertility and pregnancy.

Description: Recombinant rat Macrophage Colony Stimulating Factor produced in HEK-293 cells is a secreted protein (amino acids Glu33-Arg254). M-CSF is disulfide-linked homodimer containing 2 x 222 a.a chains.

Source: HEK293 cells

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

Formulation: Lyophilized after extensive dialysis against PBS
The aliquotes of 1 µg and 2 µg contain Trehalose 5% (w/vol) for better recovery

Solubility: It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized rr M-CSF in sterile PBS not less than 100 µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

Stability: Lyophilized rr M-CSF although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18° C. Upon reconstitution rr M-CSF 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: Greater than 95.0% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

Biological Activity: Measured by its ability to stimulate the proliferation of mouse M-NFS-60 cells the ED50 of 3 - 4ng/ml.

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<i>small</i>	2 µg	Cat.N°	13343112
<i>medium</i>	10 µg	Cat.N°	13343113

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