



Overview

Synonyms Catabolin, Interleukin-1 beta, IL1F2

Interleukin 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

Description properties. These cytokines have a bload 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.

Species Human Source CHO

Biological Activity ED₅₀< 10 pg/ml, measured in a cell proliferation assay using D10S cells, corresponding to

a specific activity of >1 x 10⁸ units/mg.

APVRSLNCTL RDSQQKSLVM SGPYELKALH LQGQDMEQQV
VFSMSFVQGE ESNDKIPVAL GLKEKNLYLS CVLKDDKPTL
QLESVDPKNY PKKKMEKRFV FNKIEINNKL EFESAQFPNW

YISTSQAENM PVFLGGTKGG QDITDFTMQF VSS

Properties

Measured Molecular 17kDa, observed by non-reducing SDS-PAGE.

Weight
Purity > 95% as analyzed by SDS-PAGE and HPLC.
Formulation Lyophilized after extensive dialysis against PBS.
Reconstitution Reconstituted in ddH₂O or PBS at 100 μg/ml.

Endotoxin Level <0.2 EU/µg, determined by LAL method.

Lyophilized recombinant human Interleukin 1 beta (IL-1 beta) remains stable up to 6

months at lower than -70°C from date of receipt. Upon reconstitution, rhIL-12 should be

stable up to 1 week at 4°C or up to 2 months at -20°C.

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