
Mouse IL-17AF Recombinant Protein Carrier-Free

Catalog Number: 34-8172

Also known as: Interleukin-17A/F, IL17A/F

RUO: For Research Use Only

Product Information

Contents: Mouse IL-17AF Recombinant Protein Carrier-Free

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Handling Conditions: For best recovery, quick-spin vial prior to opening. Use in sterile environment.

Source: Insect cell expressed mouse IL-17A disulfide-linked with IL-17F (accession # NM_010552, NM_145856).

Molecular Mass: 32.2 kDa

Purity: Greater than 98% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

Endotoxin: Less than 0.01ng/ug cytokine as determined by the LAL assay.

Bioactivity: Measured by induction of IL-6 production by NIH/3T3 cells. The ED50 is typically 10 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of 1.0 x 10E5 Units/mg.

Formulation: Sterile liquid; 20mM Sodium Phosphate, 0.2M NaCl, pH 6.5, 0.22 um filtered.

Temperature Limitation: Store at less than or equal to -70°C.

Batch Code: Refer to vial

Use By: Refer to vial







Description

The interleukin 17 (IL-17) family proteins comprise six members (17A through 17F). However, recent studies found that co-expression of IL-17F and IL-17A in HEK293 cells results in the formation of biologically active IL-17F/IL-17A heterodimers, in addition to the IL-17F homodimers and IL-17A homodimers. Activated human CD4+ T cells were found to produce the IL-17A/F heterodimer, along with the corresponding homodimers. IL-17A was most potent, followed by IL-17A/F heterodimer, then IL-17F (100fold lower than IL-17A). Activated human CD4+ T cells in culture were found to secrete IL-17F homodimer at 10-fold higher levels than IL-17A homodimer, suggesting that the majority of the IL-17A protein expressed exists in the form of the IL-17A/F heterodimer.

Applications Reported

For research use only, not for diagnostic or therapeutic use. For research use only, not for diagnostic or therapeutic use. The recombinant mouse IL-17A/F has been reported useful for bioassay and ELISA.

Applications Tested

This recombinant mouse IL-17A/F has been tested in bioassay for its ability to induce IL-6 production by NIH/3T3 cells. The ED50 for this effect is typically 10 ng/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of 1.0 x 10E5 U/mg.

References

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