PRODUCT DATA SHEET



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Recombinant Human IL-8 (77a.a.)

Catalog Number: PR1047 Source: Escherichia coli. Quantity: 5µg/25µg/1.0mg

Description

Interleukin 8/CXCL8 was originally discovered and purified independently by a number of laboratories as a neutrophil chemotactic and activating factor. It was also referred to as neutrophil chemotactic factor (NCF), neutrophil activating protein (NAP), monocytederived neutrophil chemotactic factor (MDNCF), T-lymphocyte chemotactic factor (TCF), granulocyte chemotactic protein (GCP) and leukocyte adhesion inhibitor (LAI). Many cell types, including monocyte/macrophages, T cells, neutrophils, fibroblasts, endothelial cells, keratinocytes, hepatocytes, chondrocytes, and various tumor cell lines, can produce CXCL8 in response to a wide variety of pro-inflammatory stimuli such as exposure to IL-1, TNF, LPS, and viruses. CXCL8 is a member of the alpha (C-X-C) subfamily of chemokines, which also includes platelet factor 4, GRO, IP-10, etc.

Molecular Weight:

8,904 Da, a single, non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 77 amino acids.

Purity:

>95% by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

Biological Activity:

Fully biologically active when compared to standard. Determined by its ability to chemoattract human peripheral blood neutrophils using a concentration range of 25-150 ng/ml, corresponding to a Specific Activity of \Box 6.7 x 103 IU/mg.

Physical Appearance:

Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

Formulation:

Lyophilized from a 0.2mm filtered concentrated solution in PBS, pH 7.4.

AA Sequence:

A V L P R S A K E L R C Q C I K T Y S K P F H P K F I K E L R V I E S G P H C A N T E I I V K L S D G R E L C L D P K E N W V Q R V V E K F L K R A E N S

Endotoxin:

Less than 1EU/mg of rHuIL-8 as determined by LAL method.

Reconstitution:

We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1% BSA to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots and stored at <-20°C. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

Storage:

This lyophilized preparation is stable at 2-8°C, but should be kept at -20°C for long term storage, preferably desiccated. Upon reconstitution, the preparation is stable for up to one week at 2-8°C. For maximal stability, apportion the reconstituted preparation into working aliquots and store at -20°C to -70°C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

Usage:

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