

Recombinant Human IL-2 Protein (GMP Grade)

Please read the manual carefully before use.

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Storage: at room temperature for two years.

Description

Interleukin-2 (IL-2), also referred to as T cell growth factor, was the first interleukin molecule to be cloned. It binds to the IL-2 receptor (IL-2R) and stimulates T cell proliferation, thereby enabling long-term survival of T cells in vitro^[1]. Additionally, IL-2 enhances the proliferative and cytotoxic activity of natural killer (NK) cells by binding to IL-2R on their surface^[2]. IL-2 is a pleiotropic cytokine that promotes the proliferation of tumor-infiltrating lymphocytes, stimulates B cell proliferation for immunoglobulin production, and activates macrophages to enhance their phagocytic function^[3].

The recombinant human IL-2 protein consists of 134 amino acids and is produced in Chinese Hamster Ovary (CHO) cells. It is subsequently isolated, highly purified, and subjected to lyophilization.

Product Information

Expressed system: CHO

Molecular weight: 15.5 kDa

Purity: > 95% by SEC-HPLC, SDS-PAGE analysis.

Endotoxin: < 10 EU/mg

Biological activity: Measured in a cell proliferation assay using CTLL-2. The biological activity is > 1×10⁷ IU/mg.

Form: lyophilized, sterile

Kit Content

Component	PM101-01	PM101-02
Recombinant Human IL-2 Protein (GMP Grade)	1×10 ⁶ IU/100 µg	1×10 ⁷ IU/1 mg

Usage guide

Reconstitution: We recommend the vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening. Reconstitute with sterile, distilled water on ice at a concentration no less than 100 µg/ml.

Storage: Lyophilized preparation at -20°C, preferably desiccated. Upon reconstitution, the protein may be stored at 2°C to 8°C for up to one week. For long term storage of the reconstituted protein, apportion into working aliquots and store at -80°C for up to 12 months. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

References

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