

Recombinant Murine Interleukin-2 (rMuIL-2)

PrimeGene Technical Data Sheet

Catalog Number: 121-02

Source: Escherichia coli.

Molecular Weight: Approximately 17.2 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 149 amino acids.

Quantity: $5\mu g/20\mu g/1000\mu g$

AA Sequence: APTSSSTSSS TAEAQQQQQQ QQQQQHLEQ LLMDLQELLS RMENYRNLKL

> PRMLTFKFYL PKQATELKDL QCLEDELGPL RHVLDLTQSK SFQLEDAENF ISNIRVTVVK LKGSDNTFEC QFDDESATVV DFLRRWIAFC QSIISTSPQ

Purity: > 95 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

Biological Activity: Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED₅₀ as determined by a cell proliferation

assay using murine CTLL-2 cells is less than 0.2 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of $> 5.0 \times$

 10^6 IU/mg.

Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder. Physical Appearance:

Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS, pH 7.4. **Endotoxin:** Less than 1EU/µg of rMuIL-2 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 \leq -20 °C. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

Shipping: The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature

recommended below.

Stability & Storage: Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.

1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

3 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

Usage: This material is offered by Shanghai PrimeGene Bio-Tech for research, laboratory or further

evaluation purposes. NOT FOR HUMAN USE.

Murine Interleukin-2

IL-2 is a powerful immunoregulatory lymphokine produced by T-cells in response to antigenic or mitogenic stimulation. It is expressed by CD4+ and CD8+ T cells, γδ T cells, B cells, dendritic cells, and eosinophils. IL-2/IL-2R signaling is required for Tcell proliferation and other fundamental functions which are essential for the immune response. The receptor for IL-2 consists of three subunits (55 k Da IL-2Rα, 75 k Da IL-2Rβ, 64 k Da common gamma chain γc/IL2Rγ) that are present on the cell surface in varying preformed complexes. Mature mouse IL-2 shares 56% and 73% amino acid sequence identity with human and rat IL-2 respectively. Mouse and human IL-2 exhibit cross-species activity. Mouse IL-2 has a specific N-terminal region that contains a poly glutamine (contain 12 glutamines) stretch.

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