Recombinant Human IL-28A protein(His Tag)

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Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

Description	
Synonyms	IFN-λ2
Species	Human
Expression Host	E.coli
Sequence	Pro 27-Val 200
Accession	Q8IZJ0
Calculated Molecular Weight	20.6 kDa
Observed molecular weight	20 kDa
Tag	C-His
Bioactivity	Measure by its ability to protect HepG2 cells infected with encephalomyocarditis (EMC) virus. The ED_{50} for this effect is < 20 ng/mL.
Properties	
Purity	> 98 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.
Endotoxin	< 0.1 EU per μ g of the protein as determined by the LAL method.
Storage	Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to -80°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.
Shipping	This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.
Formulation	Lyophilized from sterile PBS,pH 8.0. Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization. Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.
Reconstitution	Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

Background

IL-28A (Interferon- $\lambda 2$,IFN- $\lambda 2$), IL-28B/IFN- $\lambda 3$, and IL-29/IFN- $\lambda 1$ are type III interferons which are distantly related to IL-10 family and type I IFN family cytokines. Mature human IL-28A is an approximately 22-25 kDa protein that shares 66% amino acid (aa) sequence identity with mouse and rat IL-28A and shows cross-species activity. It shares 96% and 70% aa sequence identity with human IL-28B and IL-29, respectively. IL-28A promotes the Th1 polarization of dendritic cells in the airway and inhibits Th2 and Th17 mediated inflammation. IL-28A additionally exhibits anti-tumor activity, in part by enhancing IL-12 dependent anti-tumor CTL responses in vivo. In contrast, it is up-regulated in invasive bladder cancer where it promotes tumor cell migration.

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