# Recombinant Mouse IL-36 alpha protein(His Tag)

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

### **Description**

Synonyms MDA-7 (Melanoma Differentiation-Associated gene 7 protein);FISP;St16

Species Mouse
Expression Host E.coli

SequenceMet 1-His 160AccessionQ9JLA2Calculated Molecular Weight18.8 kDaObserved molecular weight17-25 kDaTagC-His

### **Properties**

**Purity** > 98 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

**Endotoxin** < 0.1 EU per  $\mu$ 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 7.4.

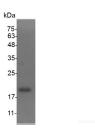
Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as

protectants before lyophilization.

Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.

**Reconstitution** Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

#### Data



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## **Background**

Human Interleukin- $36\alpha$  (IL- $36\alpha$ ) is a secreted cytokine that belongs to the Interleukin 1 cytokine family. IL- $36\alpha$  is expressed in the immune system and the fetal brain, but not in other tissues or multiple hematopoietic cell lines. IL- $36\alpha$  is the only IL-1 family member found to be expressed on T-cells. IL- $36\alpha$  and IL-1F8 are involved in the regulation of adipose tissue gene expression. Importantly, IL- $36\alpha$  inhibits PPAR $\gamma$  expression, which may lead to a reduction in adipocyte differentiation suggesting metabolic effects of this cytokine. IL- $36\alpha$ , along with IL-1F8 and IL-1F9, has been shown to act as an agonist by activating the pathway involving NF $\kappa$ B and MAPK in an IL-1Rrp2 dependent manner. This suggest that IL- $36\alpha$  may signal in a similar fashion to IL-1 and IL-18 in having a binding receptor which upon ligation, recruits a second receptor as a signaling component, forming an active heterodimeric receptor complex.

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