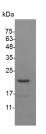
Recombinant Swine IL-6 protein(His Tag)

Catalog No. PKSS000005

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

Description	
Synonyms	IFN-β2;B-Cell Differentiation Factor (BCDF);BSF-2;HPGF;HSF;MGI-2
Species	Porcine
Expression Host	E.coli
Sequence	Arg 31-Met 212
Accession	P26893
Calculated Molecular Weight	21.9 kDa
Observed molecular weight	23 kDa
Tag	C-His
Bioactivity	Measure by its ability to induce proliferation in T1165.85.2.1 cells. The ED_{50} for this effect is < 1.5 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 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

Interleukin-6 (IL-6) is a multifunctional α -helical cytokine that regulates cell growth and differentiation of various tissues,

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which is known particularly for its role in the immune response and acute phase reactions. IL-6 protein is secreted by a variety of cell types including T cells and macrophages as phosphorylated and variably glycosylated molecule. It exerts actions through the its heterodimeric receptor composed of IL-6R that lacks the tyrosine/kinase domain and binds IL-6 with low affinity, and ubiquitously expressed glycoprotein 130 (gp130) that binds the IL-6. IL-6R complex with high affinity and thus transduces signals. IL-6 is also involved in hematopoiesis, bone metabolism, and cancer progression, and has been defined an essential role in directing transition from innate to acquired immunity.

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