

## **DATASHEET** Version 20181206

## MIP-1β/CCL4, Human

**Cat. No.**: Z02831-1 **Size**: 1.0 mg

Synonyms: MIP-1 beta /CCL4, Human;

## **Description:**

Both MIP-1 alpha and MIP-1 beta are structurally and functionally related CC chemokines. They participate in the host response to invading bacterial, viral, parasite and fungal pathogens by regulating the trafficking and activation state of selected subgroups of inflammatory cells e.g. macrophages, lymphocytes and NK cells. While both MIP-1 alpha and MIP-1 beta exert similar effects on monocytes their effect on lymphocytes differ; with MIP-1 alpha selectively attracting CD8+ lymphocytes and MIP-1 beta selectively attracting CD4+ lymphocytes. Additionally, MIP-1 alpha and MIP-1 beta have also been shown to be potent chemoattractants for B cells, eosinophils and dendritic cells. Both human and mouse MIP-1 alpha and MIP-1 beta are active on human and mouse hematopoietic cells.

## **Amino Acid Sequence:**

00001 APMGSDPPTA CCFSYTARKL PRNFVVDYYE TSSLCSQPAV 00041 VF0TKRSKOV CADPSESWVQ EYVYDLELN Source: E. coli Species: Human

**Biological Activity**: Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The biological activity determined by a chemotaxis bioassay using human peripheral blood monocytes is in a concentration range of 5.0-20 ng/ml.

**Molecular Weight**: Approximately 7.8 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 69 amino acids.

**Formulation**: Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered concentrated solution in 20 mM PB, pH 7.4, 150 mM NaCl.

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

**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.

Purity: > 96 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

Endotoxin Level: Less than 1 EU/ $\mu$ g of rHuMIP-1 $\beta$ /CCL4 as determined by LAL method.

**Storage**: This lyophilized preparation is stable at 2-8 °C, but should be kept at -20 °C for long term storage, preferably desiccated. Upon reconstitution, the preparation is stable for up to one week at 2-8 °C. For maximal stability, apportion the reconstituted preparation into working aliquots and store at -20 °C. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.