

## **DATASHEET** Version 20181206

## IFN-γ, Rat (CHO-expressed)

Cat. No.: Z02982-50

Size: 50.0 ug

**Synonyms**: Immune Interferon, type II interferon, T cell interferon, MAF

## **Description:**

Interferon-y (IFN-y), also known as Type II interferon or immune interferon, is a cytokine produced primarily by T-lymphocytes and natural killer cells. The active form of IFN-y is an antiparallel dimer that interacts with the receptor IFN-yR1 and sets off IFN-y/JAK/STAT pathway. IFN-y signaling does diverse biological functions primarily related to host defense and immune regulation, including antiviral and antibacterial defense, apoptosis, inflammation, and innate and acquired immunity. While IFN-γinduced inflammatory cascade summons a variety of immune-related cell types, such as macrophages, natural killer (NK) cells and cytotoxic T lymphocytes (CTLs), IFN-y is also implicated in resistance to NK cell and CTL responses and in immune escape in a variety of cancers.

## **Amino Acid Sequence:**

00001 QGTLIESLES LKNYFNSSSM DAMEGKSLLL DIWRNWQKDG 00041 NTKILESQII SFYLRLFEVL KDNQAISNNI SVIESHLITN 00081 FFSNSKAKKD AFMSIAKFEV NNPQIQHKAV NELIRVIHQL 00121 SPESSLRKRK RSRC Source: CHO
Species: Rat

**Biological Activity**:  $ED_{50}$  < 2.5 ng/ml, measured by cytotoxicity assay using WEHI-279 cells, corresponding to a specific activity of >  $4 \times 10^5$  units/mg.

**Molecular Weight**: 15-25 kDa, observed by non-reducing SDS-PAGE.

**Formulation**: Lyophilized after extensive dialysis against PBS.

**Reconstitution**: Reconstituted in ddH<sub>2</sub>O or PBS at 100 µg/ml.

**Purity**: > 95% as analyzed by SDS-PAGE and HPLC.

**Endotoxin Level**: < 0.2 EU/µg, determined by LAL method.

**Storage**: Lyophilized recombinant Rat Interferon gamma (IFN- $\gamma$ ) remains stable up to 6 months at lower than -70°C from date of receipt. Upon reconstitution, rrIFN- $\gamma$  should be stable up to 1 week at 4°C or up to 2 months at -20°C.