

## **DATASHEET** Version 20181206

## IL-1α, Rat

Cat. No.: Z03115-50

Size: 50.0 ug

**Synonyms**: Hematopoietin-1, Lymphocyte-activating factor (LAF), Endogenous Pyrogen (EP), Leukocyte Endogenous Mediator (LEM), Mononuclear Cell Factor (MCF)

## **Description:**

Interleukin-1 alpha (IL-1 $\alpha$ ), is produced in a variety of cells including monocytes, tissue macrophages, keratinocytes and other epithelial cells. Both IL-1alpha and IL-1beta bind to the same receptor and have similar if not identical biological properties. These cytokines have a broad range of activities including stimulation of thymocyte proliferation via IL-2 release, B-cell maturation and proliferation, mitogenic FGF-like activity, and the ability to stimulate the release of prostaglandin and collagenase from synovial cells. However, whereas IL-1beta is a secreted cytokine, IL-1alpha is predominantly a cell-associated cytokine.

## **Amino Acid Sequence:**

00001 APHSFQNNLR YKLIRIVKQE FIMNDSLNQN IYVDMDRIHL 00041 KAASLNDLQL EVKFDMYAYS SGGDDSKYPV TLKVSNTQLF 00081 VSAQGEDKPV LLKEIPETPK LITGSETDLI FFWEKINSKN 00121 YFTSAAFPEL LIATKEQSQV HLARGLPSMI DFQIS Source: CHO Species: Rat

**Biological Activity**:  $ED_{50}$  <5 pg/ml, measured in a

proliferation assay using D10S cells.

Molecular Weight: 17 22 kDa, observed by reducing

SDS-PAGE.

Formulation: Lyophilized after extensive dialysis

against PBS.

**Reconstitution**: Reconstituted in ddH<sub>2</sub>O or PBS at

100 ua/ml.

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

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

method.

**Storage**: Lyophilized recombinant Rat Interleukin-1 alpha remains stable up to 6 months at lower than -70°C from date of receipt. Upon reconstitution, Rat Interleukin-1 alpha should be stable up to 1 week at 4°C or up to 2 months at -20°C.