# Human IL6R / CD126 Protein (His Tag)

Catalog Number: 10398-H08H



## **General Information**

## Gene Name Synonym:

CD126; gp80; IL-6R; IL-6R-1; IL-6RA; IL6Q; IL6RA; IL6RQ

#### **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the extracellular domain of human IL6R (NP\_000556.1) corresponding to amino acid (Met 1-Pro 365) was expressed with a C-terminal polyhistidine tag.

Source: Human

Expression Host: HEK293 Cells

**QC** Testing

Purity: > 90 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

#### **Bio Activity:**

1. Measured by its binding ability in a functional ELISA. Immobilized recombinant human IL-6 at 8  $\mu$ g/mL (100 $\mu$ I/well) can bind recombinant human IL6R with a linear range of 1.25-20.0 ng/ml. 2. Measured by its ability to enhance the IL6 activity on M1 mouse myeloid leukemia cells. The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is typically 20-80 ng/ml.

#### **Endotoxin:**

< 1.0 EU per µg of the protein as determined by the LAL method

#### Stability:

Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt  $\,$  at -70  $\,$   $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$ 

Predicted N terminal: Leu 20

#### **Molecular Mass:**

The soluble form of recombinant human IL6R consists of 357 amino acids and has a predicted molecular mass of 40 kDa. In SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions, it migrates with an apparent molecular mass of 60-65 kDa due to glycosylation.

## Formulation:

Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4

Normally 5 % - 8 % trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween80 are added as protectants before lyophilization. Specific concentrations are included in the hardcopy of COA. Please contact us for any concerns or special requirements.

## **Usage Guide**

## Storage:

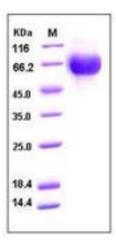
Store it under sterile conditions at  $-20^{\circ}$ C to  $-80^{\circ}$ C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

## Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

#### Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

### SDS-PAGE:



## **Protein Description**

Interleukin 6 receptor (IL-6R) also known as CD126 (Cluster of Differentiation 126) is a type I cytokine receptor. The low concentration of a soluble form of IL-6 receptor (sIL-6R) acts as an agonist of IL-6 activity. In the IL-6R/CD126/IL6R system, both a membrane-bound IL-6R and a sIL-6R protein are able to mediate IL-6 signals into the cells through the interaction of gp130. The resulting IL-6/sIL-6R protein complex is also capable of binding to gp130 and inducing intracellular signalling. Through this so-called 'trans-signalling' mechanism, IL-6 is able to stimulate cells that lack an endogenous mIL-6R. High levels of IL-6 and sIL-6R have been reported in several chronic inflammatory and autoimmune diseases as well as in cancer.

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