# Mouse ICOS / AILIM / CD278 Protein (Fc Tag)

Catalog Number: 50466-M02H



## **General Information**

#### Gene Name Synonym:

AILIM; CCLP; CRP-1; H4; Ly115

#### **Protein Construction:**

A DNA sequence encoding the mouse ICOS (Q9WVS0) extracellular domain (Met 1-Leu 142) was fused with the Fc region of human IgG1 at the C-terminus.

Source: Mouse

Expression Host: HEK293 Cells

**QC** Testing

Purity: > 95 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

## **Bio Activity:**

Immobilized Recombinant Mouse ICOS Ligand / B7-H2 / ICOSLG Protein (His Tag)(Cat:50190-M08H) at 2  $\mu$ g/ml (100  $\mu$ l/well) can bind Recombinant Mouse ICOS / AlLIM / CD278 Protein (Fc Tag)(Cat:50466-M02H),The EC<sub>50</sub> is 100-300 ng/mL.

#### **Endotoxin:**

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

Predicted N terminal: Glu 21

## **Molecular Mass:**

The recombinant mouse ICOS consists of 363 amino acids and has a predicted molecular mass of 40.9 kDa.

#### 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

#### Stability & Storage:

Samples are stable for twelve months from date of receipt at -20°C to -80°C.

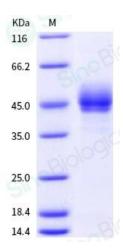
Store it under sterile conditions at  $-20^{\circ}$ C to  $-80^{\circ}$ C upon receiving. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage.

Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

#### Reconstitution:

Detailed reconstitution instructions are sent along with the products.

#### SDS-PAGE:



## **Protein Description**

Inducible costimulator (ICOS), also called AILIM (Activation-Inducible Lymphocyte Immunomediatory Molecule) is a cell-surface receptor and belongs to the CD28 family of immune costimulatory receptors consisting of CD28, CTLA-4, and PD-1. The interaction of B7-H2/ICOS plays a critical role in Th cell differentiation, T-B cell interactions which are essential for the germinal center formation, and humoral immune responses, and as well as the production of cytokine IL-4. Also, ICOS is more potent in the induction of IL-10 production, a cytokine important for the suppressive function of T regulatory cells. The B7-1/B7-2--CD28/CTLA-4 and ICOS-B7RP-1 pathway provide key second signals that can regulate the activation, inhibition, and fine-tuning of Tlymphocyte responses. ICOS stimulates both Th1 and Th2 cytokine production but may have a preferential role in Th2 cell development. Moreover, The B7-1/B7-2-CD28/CTLA-4 and ICOS-B7RP-1 pathway has been suggested as being involved in the development of airway inflammation and airway hyperresponsiveness.

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