# **Recombinant Mouse IL-4 Protein**

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### **Sequence Information**

Species	Gene ID
Mouse	16189

**Tags** C-His

Synonyms

II-4; BSF-1;IL4

# **Product Information**

Source	Purification
HEK293 cells	> 95% by SDS- PAGE.

Calculated MW	Observed MW
14.15 kDa	20 kDa

### Endotoxin

< 0.1 EU/µg of the protein by LAL method.

### Formulation

Lyophilized from a 0.22  $\mu$ m filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4.Contact us for customized product form or formulation.

### Reconstitution

Centrifuge the vial before opening. Reconstitute to a concentration of 0.1-0.5 mg/mL in sterile distilled water. Avoid vortex or vigorously pipetting the protein. For long term storage, it is recommended to add a carrier protein or stablizer (e.g. 0.1% BSA, 5% HSA, 10% FBS or 5% Trehalose), and aliquot the reconstituted protein solution to minimize free-thaw cycles.

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### Background

Interleukin-4, also known as IL4, is a secreted protein that belongs to the IL-4 / IL-13 family. Interleukin-4 / IL4 has many biological roles, including the stimulation of activated B-cell and T-cell proliferation. It enhances both secretion and cell surface expression of IgE and IgG1. Interleukin-4 / IL4 also regulates the expression of the low-affinity Fc receptor for IgE (CD23) on both lymphocytes and monocytes. Interleukin-4 is essential for the switching of B cells to IgE antibody production and the maturation of T helper (Th) cells toward the Th2 phenotype.

# **Basic Information**

#### Description

Recombinant Mouse IL-4 Protein is produced by HEK293 cells expression system. The target protein is expressed with sequence (His23-Ser140) of mouse IL-4 (Accession  $\#NP_067258.1$ ) fused with a 6×His tag at the C-terminus.

#### **Bio-Activity**

1.Measured in a cell proliferation assay using MC/9 2 mouse mast cells. The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is 2.8-11.3 pg/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of  $8.85 \times 10^7 \sim 3.57 \times 10^8$  units/mg.|2.Measured in a cell proliferation assay using HT-2 mouse T cells. The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is 0.21-0.85 ng/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of  $1.18 \times 10^6 \sim 4.76 \times 10^6$  units/mg.

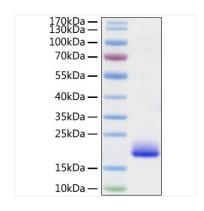
### Storage

Store at -20°C. Store the lyophilized protein at -20°C to -80 °C up to 1 year from the date of receipt.

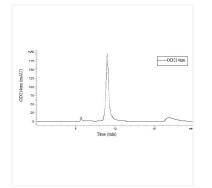
After reconstitution, the protein solution is stable at -20°C for 3 months, at 2-8°C for up to 1 week.

Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

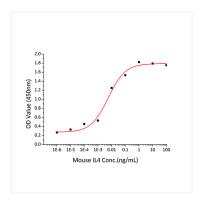




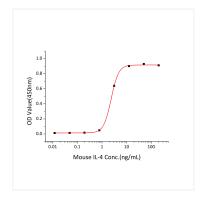
Recombinant Mouse IL-4 Protein was determined by SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions with Coomassie Blue.



Recombinant Mouse IL-4 Protein is greater than 95% as determined by SEC-HPLC.



Recombinant Mouse IL-4 promote the proliferation of MC/9 2 mouse mast cells. The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is 2.8-11.3 pg/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of  $8.85 \times 10^7 \sim 3.57 \times 10^8$  units/mg.



Recombinant Mouse IL4 stimulates cell proliferation of HT-2 mouse T cells. The  $ED_{50}$  for this effect is 1.18-4.70 ng/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of  $2.13 \times 10^5 \sim 8.51 \times 10^6$  units/mg.