Recombinant Rat TNF-alpha Protein

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Sequence Information

Species Gene ID **Swiss Prot** Rat 24835 P16599

Tags

C-His

Synonyms

DIF:TNF-

alpha;TNFA;TNFSF2;cachexin;cachectin;T NFα;TNFA

Product Information

Purification

HEK293 cells ≥ 95 % as

determined by SDS-

PAGE.

Calculated MW Observed MW

18.91 kDa 18 kDa

Endotoxin

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

Formulation

Lyophilized from a 0.22 µm filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4.

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

Tumor necrosis factor alpha is a cytokine produced primarily by monocytes and macrophages. It is found in synovial cells and macrophages in the tissues. The primary role of TNF α is in the regulation of immune cells. TNF α is able to induce apoptotic cell death, to induce inflammation, and to inhibit tumorigenesis and viral replication. Dysregulation of TNF α production has been implicated in a variety of human diseases, including major depression, Alzheimer's disease and cancer. Recombinant TNFα is used as an immunostimulant under the INN tasonermin.TNF-alpha is involved in fighting against the tumorigenesis, thus, is regarded as a molecular insight in cancer treatment.

Basic Information

Description

Recombinant Rat TNF-alpha Protein is produced by HEK293 cells expression system. The target protein is expressed with sequence (Leu80-Leu235) of Rat TNFA (Accession #NP 036807.1) fused with an 6×His tag at the C-terminus.

Bio-Activity

Recombinant Rat TNF-alpha induces cytotoxicity in the L-929 Mouse fibroblast cells in the presence of the metabolic inhibitor actinomycin D. The ED₅₀ for this effect is typically 3.37-13.48 pg/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of $7.42 \times 10^7 \sim 2.97 \times 10^8$ units/mg.

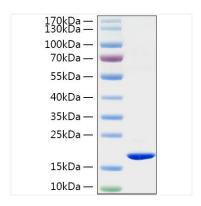
Storage

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

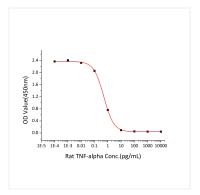
After reconstitution, the protein solution is stable at -20°C for 3 months, at 2-8°C for up to 1 week.

Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

Validation Data



Recombinant Rat TNF-alpha Protein was determined by SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions with Coomassie Blue.



Recombinant Rat TNF-alpha induces cytotoxicity in the L-929 Mouse fibroblast cells in the presence of the metabolic inhibitor actinomycin D. The ED $_{50}$ for this effect is typically 3.37-13.48 pg/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of $7.42\times10^7\sim2.97\times10^8$ units/mg.