

# **Recombinant Mouse IFN-alpha 2 Protein**

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# **Sequence Information**

**Species Gene ID Swiss Prot**Mouse 15965 P01573

**Tags** No tag

**Synonyms** IFNA2;IFN-alpha 2

# **Product Information**

Source Purification
HEK293 > 95% by Tris-Bis
PAGE;> 95% by
SEC-HPLC

# **Endotoxin**

< 1 EU/µg of the protein by LAL method.

#### **Formulation**

0.22 µm filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4.

### Reconstitution

0.2 mg/mL in sterile PBS, pH7.4

# **Background**

Interferon-alpha 2 (IFN alpha -2) is one of 14 subtypes within the IFN-alpha class of Type?I Interferons (1). The members of the IFN-alpha class, also known as alpha leukocyte interferons, encompass a group of distinct but closely related proteins which share approximately 80%?amino acid (aa) sequence identity and have a similar globular structure composed of five alpha-helices (1,73,74). IFN-alpha class members signal through a common cell surface receptor complex composed of IFN-alpha R2 and IFN-alpha R1 subunits (3). As the first highly active IFN to be cloned and produced, IFN alpha -2 has become the prototypic IFN for academic and pharmaceutical research (2). The mature extracellular domain (ECD) of mouse IFN alpha -2 shares 60%?and 83%?aa sequence identity with human and rat, respectively. Murine IFN-alpha 2 can eliminate cardiac viral load and protect cardiomyocytes from injury in animals infected with coxsackievirus B3 (CVB3) (5). IFN alpha -2 derived mutants with reduced IFNR2 binding inhibited HIV replication and mutants with more IFNAR1 binding potentiated antiviral activity (6)

# **Basic Information**

#### Description

Recombinant mouse IFN-alpha 2 Protein is produced by HEK293 expression system. The target protein is expressed with sequence (Cys24-Glu191) of mouse IFN-alpha 2 (Accession #) fused with additional amino acid free.

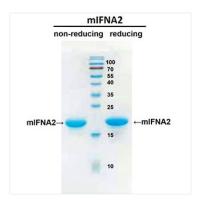
### **Bio-Activity**

# Storage

Store at  $\leq$ -70°C, stable for 12 months after receipt. Store at  $\leq$ -70°C, stable for 3 months under sterile conditions after opening. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

# **Contact**

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Mouse IFN-alpha 2 on Tris-Bis PAGE under reduced condition. The purity is greater than 95%.