



Recombinant Rat IL-15

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Cat.-no.:	R20-032S
Size:	2 µg
Lot. No.:	According to product label

Scientific Background

Gene-ID (NCBI):	25670
Synonyms:	Il15; 19q11

IL-15 is an immunomodulating cytokine that stimulates the proliferation of T lymphocytes and shares many biological properties with IL-2. IL-15 exerts its biological activities primarily on T cells. It is also essential in the development, survival and activation of NK cells. Increased expression of IL-15 has been implicated with rheumatoid arthritis, inflammatory bowel disease and diseases affiliated with retroviruses HIV and HTLV-I. Human IL-15 is biologically active on mouse cells as measured by the dose-dependent stimulation of the proliferation of mouse CTLL cells. Recombinant rat IL-15 is a 13.5 kDa protein consisting of 115 amino acid residues.

Sequence

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MNWIDVRYDL EKIESLIQFI HIDTTLYTDS DFHPSCKVTA  
MNCFLLELQV ILHEYSNMTL NETVRNVLYL ANSTLSSNKN  
VIESGCKECE ELEERNFTEF LQSFIVQOM FINTS
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Database References

Protein RefSeq:	NP_037261.1
Uniprot ID:	P97604
mRNA RefSeq:	NM_013129

Product Specifications

Expressed in	E. coli
Purity	> 96% by SDS-PAGE & HPLC analyses
Endotoxin level	< 0.1 ng /µg of protein (<1EU/µg).
Formulation	lyophilized
Length (aa):	115
MW:	13.5 kDa

Biological Activity: The ED50 as determined by the dose-dependent stimulation of the proliferation of murine CTLL-2 cells is < 10 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of > 1 x 10⁵ units/mg.



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