General Information

Gene Name Synonym:
IFNG

Protein Construction:
A DNA sequence encoding the rat IFNG (P01581) (Met 1-Cys 156) was fused with the Fc region of human IgG1 at the C-terminus.

Source: Rat
Expression Host: HEK293 Cells

QC Testing

Purity: > 92 % as determined by SDS-PAGE

Bio Activity:
1. Measured in antiviral assay using L929 cells infected with vesicular stomatitis virus (VSV). The ED_{50} for this effect is typically 1-5 ng/mL. 2. Measured by its binding ability in a functional ELISA. Immobilized rat IFNG-Fc (cat:80234-R02H) at 10 μg/ml (100 μl/well) can bind biotinylated rat IFNGR-Fc (Cat:80182-R02H). The EC_{50} of biotinylated rat IFNGR-Fc (Cat:80182-R02H) is 20.1-46.9 ng/ml.

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

Stability:
Samples are stable for up to twelve months from date of receipt at -70 °C

Predicted N terminal: Gln 23

Molecular Mass:
The secreted recombinant rat IFNG/Fc is a disulfide-linked homodimer. The reduced monomer comprises 375 amino acids and predicts a molecular mass of 42.5 kDa. The apparent molecular mass of the rat IFNG/Fc monomer is approximately 52 kDa in SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions.

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

Storage:
Store it under sterile conditions at -20°C to -80°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
IFN gamma, also known as IFNG, is a secreted protein which belongs to the type I interferon family. IFN gamma is produced predominantly by natural killer and natural killer T cells as part of the innate immune response, and by CD4 and CD8 cytotoxic T lymphocyte effector T cells once antigen-specific immunity develops. IFN gamma has antiviral, immunoregulatory, and anti-tumor properties. IFNG, in addition to having antiviral activity, has important immunoregulatory functions, it is a potent activator of macrophages, and has antiproliferative effects on transformed cells and it can potentiate the antiviral and antitumor effects of the type I interferons. The IFNG monomer consists of a core of six α-helices and an extended unfolded sequence in the C-terminal region. IFN gamma is critical for innate and adaptive immunity against viral and intracellular bacterial infections and for tumor control. Aberrant IFN gamma expression is associated with a number of autoinflammatory and autoimmune diseases. The importance of IFN gamma in the immune system stems in part from its ability to inhibit viral replication directly, and most importantly from its immunostimulatory and immunomodulatory effects. IFNG also promotes NK cell activity.

References