

Recombinant Equine Interleukin-1 Receptor Antagonist (rEqIL-1RA)

ChemWhat Technical Data Sheet (TDS)

Catalog Number:

1F1-01C

Source:

Escherichia coli.

Molecular Weight:

Approximately 17.4 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 152 amino acids.

Quantity:

5μg/20μg/1000μg

AA Sequence:

HPLGKRPCKM QAFRIWDVNQ KTFYMRNNQL VAGYLQESNT KLQEKIDVVP

IEPDALFLGL HGRKLCLACV KSGDEIRFQL EAVNITDLSK NKEENKRFTF IRSNSGPTTS

FESAACPGWF LCTAQEADRP VSLTNKPKES FMVTKFYLQE DQ

Purity:

> 95 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

Biological Activity:

Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED₅₀ as determined by inhibiting IL-1 α -dependent proliferation of murine D10S cells is less than 3.0 μ g/ml, corresponding to a specific

activity of > 333 IU/mg in the presence of 50 pg/ml rHuIL-1 α .

Physical Appearance:

Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

Formulation:

Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered concentrated solution in PBS, pH 7.4.

Endotoxin:

Less than 1 EU/µg of rEqIL-1RA as determined by LAL method.

Reconstitution:

We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1 % BSA to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots and

stored at \leq -20 $\mathbb C$. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

Shipping:

The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature

recommended below.

Stability & Storage:

Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

■ 12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.

1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

3 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

Usage:

ChemWhat Limited in UK offers this branded product for research, development or further

evaluation purposes. NOT FOR HUMAN USE.

Equine Interleukin-1 Receptor Antagonist

IL-1RA was initially called the IL-1 inhibitor which is encoded by the IL1RN gene and it is a member of the interleukin 1 cytokine family. It is secreted by various types of cells including immune cells, epithelial cells, and adipocytes. IL-1RA has functions of inhibiting the activity of interleukin-1 by binding to receptor IL1R1 and preventing its association with the coreceptor IL1RAP for signaling. IL-1RA is also used in the treatment of rheumatoid arthritis, an autoimmune disease in which IL-1 plays a key role. The equus caballus IL-1RA is a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 152 amino acids and it has been shown to block the inflammatory responses induced by IL-1 both in vitro and in vivo. The protein shows 26 % amino acid homology to IL-1 β and 19 % homology to IL-1 α . It also shares 78 %~80 % a.a. sequence identity with murine, rat, porcine IL-1RA.

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