

Active GMP Recombinant Human IL18 Protein

Cat. No. IL18-01HG **Lot. No.** (See product label)

SPECIFICATION

Product Overview	Recombinant human IL18 protein, was expressed in CHO-K1 cell-derived in an animal component free process under cGMP guidelines.
Species	Human
Source	CHO
Description	The protein encoded by this gene is a proinflammatory cytokine of the IL-1 family that is constitutively found as a precursor within the cytoplasm of a variety of cells including macrophages and keratinocytes. The inactive IL-18 precursor is processed to its active form by caspase-1, and is capable of stimulating interferon gamma production, and of regulating both T helper (Th) 1 and Th2 responses. This cytokine has been implicated in the injury of different organs, and in potentially fatal conditions characterized by a cytokine storm. In humans, IL-18 gene is located on chromosome 11. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been found for this gene
Form	Lyophilized powder
Endotoxin	<20 EU/mg
Bio-activity	>5.0 x 10 ⁴ IU/mg
Purity	>95.0% by high performance liquid chromatography (SEC-HPLC) and SDS-PAGE.

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Storage Buffer	10mM Phosphate-Buffered Saline (pH 7.2)
Storage	Stable storage at 4°C for 7-10 days; for long-term storage, please store at -20°C after dispensing.
Sterility	Sterility
Instructions	It is recommended that lyophilized GMP rhIL18 be dissolved in water for injection or sterilized ultrapure water at a concentration of not less than 100 µg/ml, pending further dilution to working concentration.

GENE INFORMATION

Gene Name	IL18 interleukin 18 [Homo sapiens (human)]
Official Symbol	IL18
Synonyms	IGIF; IL-18; IL-1g; IL1F4
Gene ID	3606
mRNA Refseq	NM_001243211.2
Protein Refseq	NP_001230140.1
UniProt ID	Q14116
MIM	600953

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