

HumanKine[®] IFN beta (Recombinant Human)



Animal Component-Free	Human cell expressed	Tag-Free	Endotoxin Free
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Product Description

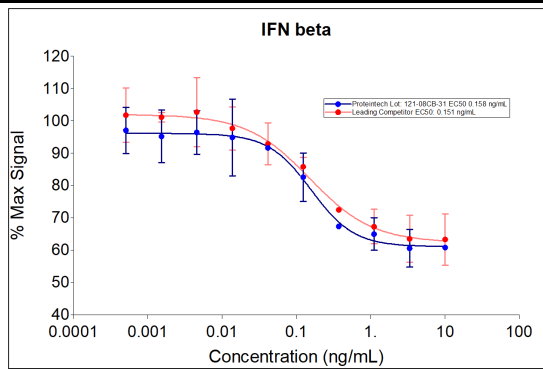
Animal-free Recombinant Human IFN beta (IFN beta 1/ IFN beta 1a), is a member of type I family of interferons. It binds to a heterodimeric receptor, known as the IFN α / β receptor (IFNAR) resulting in activation of a number of Jak/ STAT proteins. Activation of this signaling pathway results in activation of genes that inhibit viral infection and regulate MHC class I antigens. It is primarily produced by fibroblasts and monocytes. In addition to inhibiting viral infection, IFN beta is also involved in regulating and activating immune response against bacteria, parasite and tumor cells. Multiple sclerosis is characterized by a deficiency of IFN beta 1. An injectable form of IFN beta 1 is used for MS treatment.

Alternative Names	Fibroblast interferon, IFB, IFF, IFN beta, IFNB, IFNB1, Interferon beta, interferon, beta 1, fibroblast
Source	Human Embryonic Kidney cells (HEK293). HEK293-derived IFN beta protein
Species Reactivity	human

Specifications

Test	Method	Specification
Activity	Dose dependent inhibition of proliferation of TF-1 cells (human erythroleukemic indicator cell line)	0.015-0.08 ng/mL EC50
Molecular Mass	SDS-PAGE	18 to 22 kDa, glycosylated
Purity	SDS-PAGE	>95%
Endotoxin	LAL	<1 EU/ μ g

Activity Data



Proteintech IFN beta demonstrates equivalent induction of proliferation and EC50 to leading competitors. IFN beta dose-dependently inhibits growth of the TF-1 cell line. Cell number was quantitatively assessed by PrestoBlue[®] Cell Viability Reagent. TF-1 cells were treated with increasing concentrations of recombinant IFN beta for 72 hours. The EC50 was determined using a 4-

SDS-PAGE



Preparation	
Shipping Temperature	ambient temperature
Formulation	Sodium Acetate pH 4.8 + 150mM NaCl + CHAPS, See Certificate of Analysis for details
Reconstitution	Briefly centrifuge the vial before opening. It is recommended to reconstitute the protein in sterile water.

Stability and Storage	Product Form	Temperature Conditions	Storage Time (From Date of Receipt)
	Lyophilized	-20°C to -80°C	Until Expiry Date
	Lyophilized	Room Temperature	2 weeks
	Reconstituted as per CofA	-20°C to -80°C	6 months
	Reconstituted as per CofA	4°C	1 week
Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.			

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