

DESCRIPTION

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| Source | Chinese Hamster Ovary cell line, CHO-derived | | |
| | Viral 136R/Y136 (Tyr17-Lys351) Accession # Q9DHH7 | HPGGGSGGGSGGGG | HHHHHH |
| | N-terminus | | C-terminus |

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| N-terminal Sequence Analysis | Tyr17 |
| Predicted Molecular Mass | 41 kDa |

SPECIFICATIONS

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| SDS-PAGE | 88-120 kDa, reducing conditions |
| Activity | Measured by its ability to inhibit Type-I and Type-III IFN-mediated anti-viral activity. Huang, J. <i>et al.</i> (2007) PANS 104 :9822. The ED ₅₀ for this effect is 2-12 ng/mL in the presence of 20 pg/mL Recombinant Human IFN-β (Catalog # 8499-IF). |
| Endotoxin Level | <0.10 EU per 1 µg of the protein by the LAL method. |
| Purity | >95%, by SDS-PAGE visualized with Silver Staining and quantitative densitometry by Coomassie® Blue Staining. |
| Formulation | Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS with BSA as a carrier protein. See Certificate of Analysis for details. |

PREPARATION AND STORAGE

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| Reconstitution | Reconstitute at 500 µg/mL in PBS. |
| Shipping | The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature recommended below. |
| Stability & Storage | <p>Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 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. |

BACKGROUND

136R, also known as Y136, is an approximately 80 kDa glycosylated and secreted protein encoded by the Yaba-like disease virus genome (1). 136R binds directly to type I and type III interferons (IFN-alpha and IFN-lambda) (1). It prevents the interaction of rhesus and human IFN-alpha as well as human IFN-beta with the IFN-gamma R1 complex, although it shares only 14% amino acid sequence identity with the ECD of human IFN-gamma R1 (1). 136R blocks STAT1 signaling and the anti-viral protective functions of IFN-alpha, -beta, -omega, -kappa, and -lambda 1/IL-29 (1).

References:

1. Huang, J. *et al.* (2007) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA **104**:9822.