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## Mouse IL-1α protein

Cat #: PRP1127 Size: 20µg/100µg/500µg

## **Product Information**

	Product Name: Mouse IL-1α protein		
REF	Catalog Number: PRP1127	LOT	Lot Number: Refer to product label
	Purity: > 98 % as determined by SDS-PAGE		
Å	Storage: Store at -20°C		Preparation method: E. coli
	Shipping: The product is shipped at ambient temperature.		

Background: IL-1α is a member of the interleukin 1 cytokine family. Cytokines are proteinaceous signaling compounds that are major mediators of the immune response. They control many different cellular functions including proliferation, differentiation, and cell survival/apoptosis but are also involved in several pathophysiological processes including viral infections and autoimmune diseases. Cytokines are synthesized under various stimuli by a variety of cells of both the innate (monocytes, macrophages, dendritic cells) and adaptive (T- and B-cells) immune systems. IL-1α is a pleiotropic cytokine involved in various immune responses, inflammatory processes, and hematopoiesis. It is produced by monocytes and macrophages as a proprotein, which is proteolytically processed and released in response to cell injury, and thus induces apoptosis. IL-1α stimulates thymocyte proliferation by inducing IL-2 release, B-cell maturation and proliferation, and fibroblast growth factor activity.

Sequence: Amino acid sequence derived from Mouse IL-1α (NP\_034684.2) (Ser 115-Ser 270) was expressed.

Protein length: The recombinant Mouse IL-1α consists of 156 amino acids and has a predicted molecular mass of 18 kDa.

**<u>Biological Activity</u>**: Immobilized Mouse IL-1 $\alpha$  at 1 µg/mL (100 µl/well) can bind mouse IL1R1, The EC50 of mouse IL1R1 is 0.65 µg/mL.

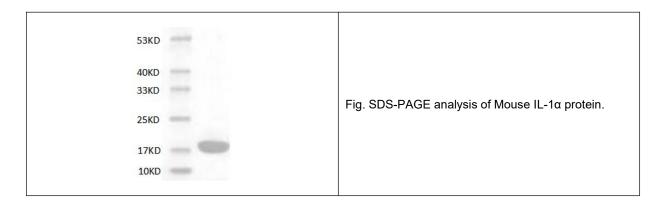
**Endotoxin:** < 0.01 EU per μg of the protein as determined by the LAL method.

Formulation: Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4.

<u>Storage Instructions</u>: Lyophilized Mouse IL-1α protein product should be stored desiccated below -20°C. Upon reconstitution, the protein should be stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -20°C. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.



<u>Usage notes</u>: Always centrifuge tubes before opening. It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Mouse IL-1 $\alpha$  protein using the buffer we provided not less than 100 $\mu$ g/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.



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