

## 32-7038: Recombinant Human Interleukin-16/IL-16

**Gene :** eIL16  
**Gene ID :** 3603  
**Uniprot ID :** Q14005

### Description

Source: E. coli.  
MW :13.4kD.

Recombinant Human Interleukin-16 is produced by our E.coli expression system and the target gene encoding Met1-Ser130 is expressed. Interleukin-16 (IL-16) is a CD8+ T cell-derived cytokine that induces chemotaxis of CD4+ T cells and CD4+ monocytes and eosinophils. Analysis by gel filtration suggests that, under physiological conditions, human IL-16 exists predominantly as a noncovalently linked multimer, but that some IL-16 may exist as a monomer. However, only the multimeric form appears to possess chemotactic activity, suggesting that receptor cross-linking may be required for activity. IL-16 also induces expression of IL-2 receptor (IL-2R) and MHC class II molecules on CD4+ T cells. Human and murine IL-16 show significant cross-species reactivity.

### Product Info

**Amount :** 10 µg / 50 µg  
**Content :** Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution of 20mM PB, 150mM NaCl, pH 7.0.  
Lyophilized protein should be stored at -20°C, though stable at room temperature for 3 weeks.  
**Storage condition :** Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-7°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of reconstituted samples are stable at -20°C for 3 months.  
**Amino Acid :** MPDLNSSTDSAASASAASDVSVSTAEATVCTVTLEKMSAGLGFSLEGGKGSLSHGDKPLTINRIFKGAASEQSE  
TVQPGEILQLGGTAMQGLTRFEAWNIKALPDGPVTIVIRKSLQSKETTAAGDS

### Application Note

Always centrifuge tubes before opening. Do not mix by vortex or pipetting. It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100 µg/ml. Dissolve the lyophilized protein in ddH<sub>2</sub>O. Please aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles.

**Endotoxin :** Less than 0.1 ng/µg (1 IEU/µg) as determined by LAL test.

**Biological Activity :** The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is less than 100 ng/mL, measured by its to chemoattract human CD4+ T-lymphocytes.