## 32-20338: Recombinant Murine IL-4(Discontinued)

## Reactivity : Human, Mouse, Rat

Alternative Name : BCGF, BCDF, B cell stimulating factor (BSF-1)

## Description

Source:E.colilL-4 is a pleiotropic cytokine that regulates diverse $T$ and $B$ cell responses including cell proliferation, survival and gene expression. Produced by mast cells, T cells and bone marrow stromal cells, IL-4 regulates the differentiation of naive CD4+ T cells into helper Th2 cells, characterized by their cytokine-secretion profile that includes secretion of IL-4, IL-5, IL-6, IL-10, and IL-13, which favor a humoral immune response. Another dominant function of IL-4 is the regulation of immunoglobulin class switching to the IgG1 and IgE isotypes. Excessive IL-4 production by Th2 cells has been associated with elevated IgE production and allergy. Recombinant Murine IL-4 is a 13.5 kDa globular protein containing 121 amino acid residues.

## Product Info

Amount: $\quad 5 \mu \mathrm{~g} / 20 \mu \mathrm{~g}$
Purification : Purity: $>=98 \%$ by SDS-PAGE gel and HPLC analyses.
Content: This recombinant protein is supplied in lyophilized form.

## Amino Acid : MHIHGCDKNH LREIIGILNE VTGEGTPCTE MDVPNVLTAT KNTTESELVC RASKVLRIFY LKHGKTPCLK KNSSVLMELQ RLFRAFRCLD SSISCTMNES KSTSLKDFLE SLKSIMQMDY S

## Application Note

TheÃ $\square \hat{A} E D_{50} \tilde{A} \square \hat{A}$ was determined by the dose-dependent proliferation of murine $\mathrm{HT}-2$ cells is $<==\tilde{A} \square \hat{A} 2.0 \mathrm{ng} / \mathrm{ml}$, corresponding to a specific activity of $>=\tilde{A} \square \hat{A} 5 \times 10^{5} \tilde{A} \square A ̂$ units $/ \mathrm{mg}$.

