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## 32-1491: mIL 21 Recombinant Protein

Alternative Name: Interleukin-21,IL-21,II21.

## **Description**

Source: Escherichia Coli. Interleukin-21 Mouse Recombinant produced in E.Coli is a single, non-glycosilated polypeptide chain containing 130 amino acids and having a total molecular mass of 15kDa. The Murine IL-21 is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques. IL-21 is produced by CD4+ T cells in response to antigenic stimulation. Its action enhances antigen-specific responses of immune cells. The biological effects of IL-21 include induction of differentiation of T-cells-stimulated B-cells into plasma cells and memory B-cells, stimulation (in conjuction) with IL-4 of IgG production, and induction of apoptotic effects in naive B-cells and stimulated B-cells in the absence of T-cell signaling. Additionally, IL-21 promotes the anti-tumor activity of CD8+ T-cells and NK cells. IL-21 exerts its effect through binding to a specific type I cytokine receptor, IL-21R, which also contains the gamma chain (C) found in other cytokine receptors including IL-2, IL-4, IL-7, IL-9 and IL-15. The IL-21/IL-21R interaction triggers a cascade of events which includes activation of the tyrosine kinases JAK1 and JAK3, followed by activation of the transcription factors STAT1 and STAT3.

## **Product Info**

Amount: 10 µg

**Purification:** Greater than 95.0% as determined by(a) Analysis by RP-HPLC.(b) Analysis by SDS-PAGE.

**Content:** Mouse IL-21 was lyophilized from 20mM NaHCO3, pH 8.5.

Lyophilized Mouse IL-21 although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18°C. Upon reconstitution Mouse IL21 should be stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for fixture use below 18°C. For long town of the recommended to add a consist.

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protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

Amino Acid: The sequence of the first five N-terminal amino acids was determined and was found to be Met-

His-Lys-Ser-Ser.

## **Application Note**

It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Mouse IL21 in sterile  $18M\tilde{A} \square \hat{A} \odot$ -cm H2O not less than  $100\tilde{A} \square \hat{A} \mu g/ml$ , which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions. The ED50=10 -50 ng/ml, determined by the cell proliferation assay of modified Ba/F3 cells.

