# RMCM018

Recombinant IL-21 (Interleukin-21), Mouse, AF



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# Synonym/Alternative name(s) : Zall

## Activity:

Measure by its ability to enhance IFN gamma secretion in NK-92 cells.

The ED50 for this effect is <6 ng/mL.

The specific activity of recombinant mouse IL-21 is > 1.6 x 105 IU/mg.

## **Protein Description:**

Interleukin-21 (IL21) belongs to the IL-15/IL-21 family. It is a cytokine with immunoregulatory activity. 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. Interleukin-21 is a cytokine that has potent regulatory effects on cells of the immune system, including natural killer (NK) cells and cytotoxic T cells that can destroy virally infected or cancerous cells. This cytokine induces cell division/proliferation in its target cells.

## Protein Accession : Q9ES17.1

Gene ID : 60505

## **Expression Sequence:**

MHKSSPQGPDRLLIRLRHLIDIVEQLKIYENDLDPELLSAPQDVKGHCEHAAFACFQKAKLKPSNPGNNKTFIIDLVAQLRRRLPARRGGK KQKHIAKCPSCDSYEKRTPKEFLERLKWLLQKMIHQHLS with polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

Fusion tag : His-tag?at?the?C-terminus

Species : Mouse

Reactivity : Mouse

Expression Host : Escherichia coli

Source : E. coli

#### Purity/method:

>95% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

Ni-NTA chromatography.

#### Endotoxin level:

<0.1 EU per 1  $\mu$ g of the protein by the LAL method.

#### Calculated Molecular Weight: 15.9 kDa

#### Formulation:

The protein was lyophilized from a solution containing 1X PBS, pH 7.4.

## **Reconstitution:**

It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized protein in sterile H2O to a concentration not less than 100  $\mu$ g/mL and incubate the stock solution for at least 20 min to ensure sufficient re-dissolved.

## Shipping : Blue Ice

## Stability and Storage:

Lyophilized protein should be stored at -20°C for 1 year.

Upon reconstitution, store at 2°C to 8°C for up to 1 week. Further dilute in a buffer containing a carrier protein or stabilizer (e.g. 0.1%

BSA, 10%FBS, 5%HSA or 5% trehalose solution), protein aliquots should be stored at -20°C or -80°C for 3-6 months.

# Category : Cytokines

# Application : Cell culture, Elisa

# Image:

