

# Recombinant Human IL-6 Antigen

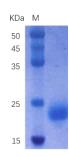
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## **Specification**

| Product name:                | Recombinant human IL-6 antigen   |
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| Source:                      | E.coli derived   |
| Accession #:                 | P05231   |
| SDS-PAGE:                    | 15-25 kDa, reducing conditions   |
| Construction:                | Val30-Met212   |
| Predicted<br>Molecular Mass: | 20.8kDa  |
| Activity:                    | Immunoreactivity was confirmed by reacting with monoclonal antibodies specific to human IL-6.            |
| Application:                 | ELISA, immunology, others unspecified.   |
| Form:                        | Liquid   |
| Formulation:                 | 10 mM Tris, 150 mM NaCl, 8M Urea, pH 8.0   |
| Stability & Storage:         | Stable at -80°C for at least 24 months   |
| Shipping condition:          | The product is shipped on ice pack. Upon receiving, store it immediately at the recommended temperature. |
| Conc. Determined:            | BCA  |
| Purity:                      | >98%   |
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### **SDS-PAGE**



Greater than 98% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE. (QC verified).

#### **BACKGROUND**

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Cytokines of the IL6/GCSF/MGF family are glycoproteins composed of approximately 170-180 amino acid residues, and contain four conserved cysteine residues that form two disulfide bonds. These proteins adopt a compact, globular fold similar to other interleukins, with the disulfide bonds providing structural stability. The core structure consists of a four- $\alpha$ -helix bundle with a left-handed twist; the helices are arranged in an anti-parallel fashion, connected by two overhand loops that form a two-stranded anti-parallel  $\beta$ -sheet. The fourth  $\alpha$ -helix plays a critical role in the biological activity of the molecule. Interleukin-6 (IL-6) is a key proinflammatory and immunoregulatory cytokine produced by various cell types, including macrophages, T cells, and endothelial cells. It plays diverse roles in immune responses, inflammation, hematopoiesis, and oncogenesis.

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