

# **Recombinant Porcine Interleukin-1 beta (Porcine IL-1** $\beta$ )

### **Product Information**

Product Name	Cat#	Size
Recombinant Porcine Interleukin-1 beta (Porcine IL-1 $\beta$ )	90181ES10	10 µg
	90181ES60	100 µg
	90181ES76	500 µg

# **Product Description**

IL-1 is a name that designates two pleiotropic cytokines, IL-1 alpha (IL-1F1) and IL-1 beta (IL-1F2), which are the products of distinct genes. IL-1 alpha and IL-1 beta are structurally related polypeptides that share approximately 27% amino acid (aa) identity in porcine. Both proteins are produced by a wide variety of cells in response to inflammatory agents, infections, or microbial endotoxins. While IL-1 alpha and IL-1 beta are regulated independently, they bind to the same receptor and exert identical biological effects. IL-1 RI binds directly to IL-1 alpha or IL-1 beta and then associates with IL-1 R accessory protein (IL-1 R3/IL-1 R AcP) to form a high-affinity receptor complex that is competent for signal transduction. IL-1 RII has high affinity for IL-1 beta but functions as a decoy receptor and negative regulator of IL-1 beta activity. IL-1ra functions as a competitive antagonist by preventing IL-1 alpha and IL-1 beta from interacting with IL-1 RI. The porcine IL-1 beta cDNA encodes a 267 aa precursor. A 114 aa propeptide is cleaved intracellularly by the cysteine protease IL-1 beta -converting enzyme (Caspase-1/ICE) to generate the active cytokine. The 17 kDa mature porcine IL-1 beta shares 63%-70% aa sequence identity with canine, cotton rat, equine, feline, human, mouse, rat, and rhesus IL-1 beta.

#### **Product Properties**

Synonyms	IL-1 beta		
Accession	P26889		
GeneID	397122		
Source	E.coli-derived Porcine IL-1 $\beta$ , Ala115-Pro267.		
Molecular Weight	Approximately 17.6 kDa.		
AA Sequence	ANVQSMECKL QDKDHKSLVL AGPHMLKALH LLTGDLKREV VFCMSFVQGD		
	DSNNKIPVTL GIKGKNLYLS CVMKDNTPTL QLEDIDPKRY PKRDMEKRFV FYKTEIKNRV		
	EFESALYPNW YISTSQAEQK PVFLGNSKGR QDITDFTMEV LSP		
Tag	None		
Physical Appearance	Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.		
Purity	> 95% by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.		
<b>Biological Activity</b>	The ED <sub>50</sub> as determined by a cell proliferation assay using murine D10S cells is less than 5.0		
	ng/mL, corresponding to a specific activity of > $2.0 \times 10^5$ IU/mg. Fully biologically active when		
	compared to standard.		
Endotoxin	< 1.0 EU per 1µg of the protein by the LAL method.		
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered concentrated solution in PBS, pH 7.4, 3 % trehalose.		
Reconstitution	We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the		
	bottom. Reconstitute in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1% BSA to a		
	concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots and		
	stored at $\leq$ -20°C. Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.		



# **Shipping and Storage**

The products are shipped with ice pack and can be stored at -20°C to -80°C for 1 year. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities when first used and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

# Cautions

- 1. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
- 2. For your safety and health, please wear lab coats and disposable gloves for operation.
- 3. For research use only!