

Recombinant Human GM-CSF Protein

Product Name

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Size / Catalog Number

100 μ g / GMP-TL302-0100

Product Information

Synonyms: Colony-stimulating factor (CSF), Molgramostin, Sargramostim, CSF2

Accession: UniPort P04141

Expressed Region: Ala18-Glu144

Tag: C-terminal 6 \times His-tag

Expression system: HEK293 cells

Predicted Molecular weight: 15.3 kDa

Purity: > 95% as determined by SDS-PAGE

Endotoxin: < 0.1 EU per 1 μ g of protein (LAL method)

Activity: Measured in a cell proliferation assay using TF-1 cells, corresponding to a specific activity of $\geq 5.0 \times 10^6$ IU/mg.

Form: Lyophilized from sterile PBS (pH7.4), typically supplemented with 6% mannitol as a protectant.

Background

Granulocyte-Macrophage Colony-Stimulating Factor (GM-CSF) is a pivotal glycosylated cytokine functioning extracellularly as a homodimer. Its core function is to stimulate the proliferation and differentiation of hematopoietic stem/progenitor cells into granulocytes and monocytes (which mature into macrophages and dendritic cells). Leveraging this, GM-CSF finds extensive application in cell and gene therapy: In cell therapy, it is a critical factor for the *in vitro* expansion of immune cells (e.g., dendritic cells for DC vaccines) and acts as an immune modulator *in vivo* to activate DCs and T cells, enhancing anti-tumor immunity. In gene therapy, its encoding gene (located in the chromosome 5q31 region) serves as a potential target, or therapeutic GM-CSF can be delivered via vectors for localized and sustained expression. Recombinantly produced GM-CSF protein provides an essential tool for these applications, with its potential dual immunomodulatory effects requiring careful evaluation.

Stability & Storage

Lyophilized powder: Stable for 12 months at -80°C or 6 months at -20°C when stored in the original sealed container under desiccant.

Reconstitution: Dissolve in sterile water for injection, 0.9% NaCl, or PBS (pH7.4), maintaining a final concentration ≥ 100 μ g/mL to prevent adsorption.

Handling: Aliquot to avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

References

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Intended Use

For research and manufacturing purposes only.