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# **Recombinant Human IL-4**

**CATALOG NO**: 4137-10 10 μg

4137-50 50 μg 4137-1000 1 mg

SOURCE: E. coli

PURITY: >98% by SDS-PAGE

MOL. WEIGHT: 15.0 kDa

**FORMULATION:** Sterile filtered and lyophilized with no additives

#### RECONSTITUTION:

Centrifuge the vial prior to opening. Reconstitute in water to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/ml. The solution can then be diluted into other aqueous buffers and stored at  $4^{\circ}$  C for 1 week or  $-20^{\circ}$  C for future use.

#### STORAGE CONDITIONS:

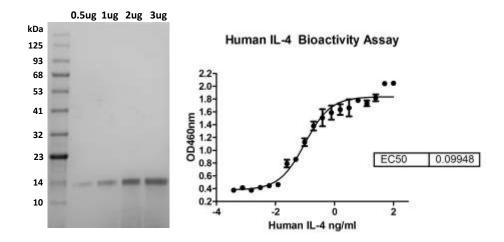
The lyophilized human IL-4 is best-stored desiccated below 0° C. Reconstituted IL-4 should be stored at working aliquots at -20° C.

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

IL-4 is a potent lymphoid cell growth factor that stimulates the growth and survivability of certain B cells and T cells. Human IL-4 is a 15.0 kDa globular protein containing 130 amino acid residues.

### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

The EC<sub>50</sub> as determined by the dose-dependent stimulation of human TF-1 cells is  $\leq$ 0.1 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of  $\geq$ 5 x 10<sup>6</sup> units/mg.



**Fig. A. SDS-PAGE (4-20%) of recombinant human IL-4 (Left):** Recombinant Protein loaded under reducing conditions and stained with Coomassie Blue. Lane M-MW marker, Lanes 2-4 IL-4

Fig. B. Biological activity of recombinant human IL-4 to stimulate TF-1 cell growth (Right): TF-1 cells were stimulated with human recombinant IL-4 for 36 hrs. and cell proliferation was measured using the BioVision Quick Cell Proliferation Colorimetric Assay Kit Plus (Cat. No. K302). EC<sub>50</sub> <0.1 mg/mL

## **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

- Human CellExp™ IL-4, Human Recombinant (Cat. No. 6463)
- Human CellExp™ IL-4 Rα, Human Recombinant (Cat. No. 7101)
- IL-4, murine recombinant (Cat. No. 4138)
- IL-4, rat recombinant (Cat. No. 4139)
- IL-4 (Human) ELISA Kit (Cat. No. K4164)

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