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# IFN a 2b Human

**Description:**Interferon-a 2b Human Recombinant produced in E.Coli is a single, non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 166 amino acids and having a molecular mass of 19400 Dalton.The Interferon-alpha 2b gene was obtained from human leukocytes.The IFN-a 2b is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

Synonyms:Interferon alpha 2b, IFNA, INFA2, MGC125764, MGC125765.

Source: Escherichia Coli.

Physical Appearance: Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

## Amino Acid Sequence:

MCDLPQTHSLGSRRTLMLLAQMRRISLFSCLKDRHDFGFPQEEFGNQFQKAETIPVLHEMIQQIF

STMDSSAAWDETLLDKFYTELYQQLNDLEACVIQGVGVTETPLMKEDSILAVRKYFQRITLYLKEK KYSP CAWEVVRAEIMRSFSLSTNLQESLRSKE.

**Purity:**Greater than 98.0% as determined by(a) Analysis by RP-HPLC.(b) Analysis by SDS-PAGE.

#### Formulation:

Lyophilized from a (1 mg/ml) solution in containing 2.3 mg Sodium phosphate dibasic and 0.55 mg sodium phosphate monobasic buffer.

## Stability:

Lyophilized Interferon although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18°C. Upon reconstitution IFN alpha 2b should be stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -18°C. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

# Usage:

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### Solubility:

It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Interferon-alpha 2b in sterile 18M-cm H2O not less than  $100\mu g/ml$ , which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

#### Introduction:

IFN-alpha is produced by macrophages and has antiviral activities. Interferon stimulates the production of two enzymes: protein kinase and an oligoadenylate synthetase.

# **Biological Activity:**

The specific activity as determined in a viral resistance assay using bovine kidney MDBK cells was found to be 260,000,000 IU/ mg.

# References:

Title:Interferon- induces apoptosis in human SH-SY5Y neuroblastoma cells through activation of







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