

HCC-4/CCL16

Catalog # PVGS1126

Product Information

Primary Accession O15467
Species Human

Sequence Gln24-Gln120

Purity > 97% as analyzed by SDS-PAGE

> 97% as analyzed by HPLC

Endotoxin Level

Biological Activity Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The biological activity

determined by a chemotaxis bioassay using human monocytes is in a

concentration range of 10.0-100.0 ng/ml.

Expression System E. coli

Theoretical Molecular Weight 11.2 kDa

Formulation Lyophilized from a 0.2 Im filtered solution in 20 mM PB, pH 7.4, 150 mM

NaCl.

Reconstitution It is recommended that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to

bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute the lyophilized powder in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1% BSA to a

concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/ml.

Storage & Stability Upon receiving, this product remains stable for up to 6 months at -70°C or

-20°C. Upon reconstitution, the product should be stable for up to 1 week at

4°C or up to 3 months at -20°C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Additional Information

Gene ID 6360

Other Names C-C motif chemokine 16, Chemokine CC-4, HCC-4, Chemokine LEC,

IL-10-inducible chemokine, LCC-1, Liver-expressed chemokine, Lymphocyte

and monocyte chemoattractant, LMC, Monotactin-1, MTN-1, NCC-4,

Small-inducible cytokine A16, CCL16, ILINCK, NCC4, SCYA16

Target Background Human HCC-4, also named NCC-4, liver-expressed chemokine (LEC), and

lymphocyte and monocyte chemoattractant (LMC), is a novel CC chemokine identified through bioinformatics. HCC-4 cDNA encodes a 120 amino acid (aa) residue precursor protein with a 23 aa residue predicted signal peptide that is cleaved to generate a 97 aa residue mature protein. HCC-4 is distantly related to other CC chemokines, exhibiting less than 30% sequence identity. Among these CC chemokines, HCC-4 has the most similarity to HCC-1. Two potential

polyadenylation signals are present on the human HCC-4 gene, and as a result, two transcripts containing approximately 1,500 base pairs and 500 base pairs have been detected. HCC-4 is expressed weakly by some lymphocytes, including NK cells, T cells, and some T cell clones. The expression of HCC-4 in monocytes is highly upregulated in the presence of IL-10.

Protein Information

Name CCL16

Synonyms ILINCK, NCC4, SCYA16

Function Shows chemotactic activity for lymphocytes and monocytes but not

neutrophils. Also shows potent myelosuppressive activity, suppresses proliferation of myeloid progenitor cells. Recombinant SCYA16 shows chemotactic activity for monocytes and THP-1 monocytes, but not for resting lymphocytes and neutrophils. Induces a calcium flux in THP-1 cells that were

desensitized by prior expression to RANTES.

Cellular Location Secreted.

Tissue Location Mainly expressed in liver, also found in spleen and thymus. Highly expressed

in LPS- and IFN-gamma-activated monocytes, weakly in some lymphocytes, including natural killer cells, gamma-delta T-cells, and some T-cell clones

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