

CD25/IL-2R α

Catalog # PVGS1536

Product Information

Primary Accession Species	P01589 Human
Sequence	Glu22-Cys213
Purity	> 95% as analyzed by SDS-PAGE
Endotoxin Level	
Biological Activity	Immobilized Human IL-2 at 5.0 μ g/ml (100 μ l/well) can bind CD25/IL-2R α , hFc, Human.
Expression System	HEK 293
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 μ m filtered solution in PBS.
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 ddH ₂ O or PBS up to 100 μ g/ml.
Storage & Stability	Upon receiving, this product remains stable for up to 6 months at lower than -70°C. Upon reconstitution, the product should be stable for up to 1 week at 4°C or up to 3 months at -20°C. For long term storage it is recommended that a carrier protein (example 0.1% BSA) be added. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

Additional Information

Gene ID	3559
Other Names	Interleukin-2 receptor subunit alpha, IL-2 receptor subunit alpha, IL-2-RA, IL-2R subunit alpha, IL2-RA, TAC antigen, p55, CD25, IL2RA
Target Background	The IL-2 receptor system consists of three non-covalently linked subunits termed IL-2R α , IL-2R β , and IL-2R γ . The IL-2R α is a type I transmembrane protein consisting of a 219 amino acid (a.a.) extracellular domain, a 19 a.a. transmembrane domain and a 13 a.a. intracellular domain, which is not involved in the transduction of IL-2 signal. Activated T cells, regulatory T cells (Tregs) and NK cells express high levels of CD25 and expression of the high-affinity IL-2R α is mostly limited to these cell populations. Signaling via IL-2R α mediates multiple biological processes in various cell populations, e.g. proliferation and differentiation of B cells and NK cells. A soluble form of IL-2R α (IL-2R α) appears in serum, concomitant with its increased expression on cells. The function of the soluble IL-2R α is unclear. Increased levels of IL-2R α in biological fluids reportedly correlate with increased T and B cell activation and immune system activation. Increased serum concentration of

IL-2R α has been observed in patients with a variety of inflammatory conditions and in the course of some leukemias and lymphomas.

Protein Information

Name	IL2RA
Function	Receptor for interleukin-2. The receptor is involved in the regulation of immune tolerance by controlling regulatory T cells (TREGs) activity. TREGs suppress the activation and expansion of autoreactive T-cells.
Cellular Location	Membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein.

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