## Product Details

### Description:
RECOMBINANT HUMAN INTERLEUKIN-6

### Name:
IL-6

### Format:
Rec. Protein

### Product Type:
Recombinant Protein

### Quantity:
20 µg

### Applications
This product has been reported to work in the following applications. This information is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information. For general protocol recommendations, please visit [www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols](http://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols).

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Where this product has not been tested for use in a particular technique this does not necessarily exclude its use in such procedures. Suggested working dilutions are given as a guide only. It is recommended that the user titrates the product for use in their own system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

### Target Species
Human

### Product Form
Purified recombinant protein - lyophilised

### Reconstitution
Reconstitute with 0.2ml distilled water. Care should be taken during reconstitution as the protein may appear as a film at the bottom of the vial. Bio-Rad recommend that the vial is gently mixed after reconstitution. DO NOT VORTEX. For long term storage the addition of 0.09% sodium azide is recommended.

N.B. For functional studies do not add sodium azide

### Preparation
Recombinant protein expressed in *E. coli*.

### Preservative Stabilisers
None present.

### Endotoxin Level
<0.1 ng/ug

### Approx. Protein Concentrations
0.1 mg/ml after reconstitution

### External Database Links
- **UniProt:** [P05231](http://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/P05231)
- Related reagents
- Entrez Gene:
**Product Information**

*Recombinant Human Interleukin-6 protein* produced in *E. coli* constitutes full length non-glycosylated human IL-6 and retain full biological activity. Interleukin-6 is a potent lymphoid cell growth factor, acting on B cells, T cells and hybridoma cells. This preparation has an ED50 of 0.1ng/ml when assayed by proliferation of murine 7TD1 cells.

**Protein Molecular Weight**

20.9 kDa (184 amino acids)

**Activity**

$>1 \times 10^7$ units/mg

**Purity**

$>98\%$ by SDS PAGE analysis and HPLC analysis

**ELISA**

Recombinant Human IL-6 *(PHP045)* may be used as a standard for ELISA applications with biotinylated Rabbit anti Human Interleukin-6 *(AHP1040B)* for detection.

**Western Blotting**

Recombinant Human IL-6 may be used as the positive control for western blotting applications with Rabbit anti Human Interleukin-6 *(AHP1040)* for detection.

**References**


**Storage**

Prior to reconstitution store at -20°C. Following reconstitution store at -20°C.

This product should be stored undiluted.

Storage in frost-free freezers is not recommended. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the protein. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

**Guarantee**

Guaranteed for 3 months from the date of reconstitution or until the date of expiry, whichever comes first. Please see label for expiry date.

**Health And Safety Information**

Material Safety Datasheet documentation #10345 available at:


**Regulatory**

For research purposes only

**Related Products**

**Recommended Useful Reagents**

- **RABBIT ANTI HUMAN INTERLEUKIN-6 (AHP1040)**
- **RABBIT ANTI HUMAN INTERLEUKIN-6:Biotin (AHP1040B)**