

## **Synonym**

IL-18,Interleukin-18,IL18,IL-1 gamma,IGIF,IL1F4,IL-1F4

### Source

Mouse IL-18 Protein, His Tag(IL8-M51H3) is expressed from E. coli cells. It contains AA Asn 36 - Ser 192 (Accession # P70380).

Predicted N-terminus: Asn

## **Molecular Characterization**

IL-18(Asn 36 - Ser 192) P70380

Poly-his

This protein carries a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

The protein has a calculated MW of 20.0 kDa. The protein migrates as 20-22 kDa when calibrated against <u>Star Ribbon Pre-stained Protein Marker</u> under reducing (R) condition (SDS-PAGE).

#### Endotoxin

Less than 1.0 EU per µg by the LAL method.

## **Purity**

>90% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

#### **Formulation**

Lyophilized from  $0.22~\mu m$  filtered solution in PBS, pH7.4 with trehalose as protectant.

Contact us for customized product form or formulation.

#### Reconstitution

Please see Certificate of Analysis for specific instructions.

For best performance, we strongly recommend you to follow the reconstitution protocol provided in the CoA.

## **Storage**

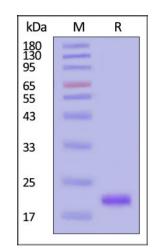
For long term storage, the product should be stored at lyophilized state at -20 $^{\circ}$ C or lower.

Please avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

This product is stable after storage at:

- -20°C to -70°C for 12 months in lyophilized state;
- -70°C for 3 months under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

# **SDS-PAGE**



Mouse IL-18 Protein, His Tag on SDS-PAGE under reducing (R) condition. The gel was stained with Coomassie Blue. The purity of the protein is greater than 90% (With <u>Star Ribbon Pre-stained Protein Marker</u>).

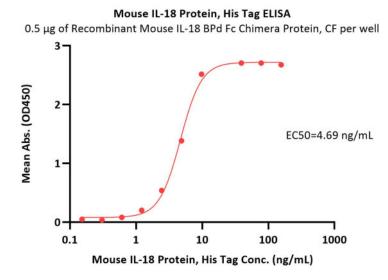
## **Bioactivity-ELISA**



# Mouse IL-18 Protein, His Tag

Catalog # IL8-M51H3





Immobilized Recombinant Mouse IL-18 BPd Fc Chimera Protein, CF at 5  $\mu$ g/mL (100  $\mu$ L/well) can bind Mouse IL-18 Protein, His Tag (Cat. No. IL8-M51H3) with a linear range of 0.2-10 ng/mL (QC tested).

## Background

Interleukin-18 (IL-18) is a potent proinflammatory cytokine that induces interferon-gamma (IFN-gamma) production from Th1 cells, NK cells and activated macrophages, particularly in the presence of IL-12. IL-18 also functions in developmental regulation of T-lymphocyte helper type I cells and in Fas-mediated cytotoxicity. Suppression of IL-18 activity is being investigated for treatment of chronic inflammatory diseases such as Crohn's disease and rheumatoid arthritis. It acts by inducing heterodimerization of the two subunits of its receptor, IL-18RAlpha and IL-18RBeta shows structural similarity to IL-1.

# **Clinical and Translational Updates**

