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Mouse flt3-Ligand (flk2-Ligand) - Purified

Catalog No.: PA1020XC

Quantity: 1 mg

Background: FLT3 ligand is a receptor for the fl cytokine has a tyrosine-protein kinase activity & a growth

factor that regulates proliferation of early hematopoietic cells. Flt3-Ligand synergizes with

other CSFs and interleukins to induce growth and differentiation.

Species: Mouse
Source: E. coli

Format: State: Sterile filtered, white lyophilized powder without additives

Purity: >98% greater than 98.0% as determined by:

(a) Analysis by RP-HPLC.

(b) Analysis by reducing and non-reducing SDS-PAGE

Reconstitution: It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Flt3-Ligand in sterile 18 $M\Omega$ -cm H2O not less than 100 μ g/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous

solutions.

Description: Flt3-Ligand Mouse Recombinant produced in E.coli is non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain

containing 144 amino acids. The sequence of the first five N-terminal amino acids was determined and was found to be Thr-Gln-Asp-Cys-Ser. Flt3-Ligand is purified by proprietary

chromatographic techniques.

Biological Activity: The activity is determined by the ability to generate CD11c+ splenic dendritic cells in vivo in C57B1/6-12 week female mice. To obtain the desired affect, mice were treated with approximately 25ug of flt3-ligand once daily for 9 consecutive days via

intraperitoneal injection.

Molecular weight: 16 kDa 16431 Dalton

Storage: Lyophilized FLT3-Ligand although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored

desiccated below -18°C.

Upon reconstitution FLT3 should be stored at 2-8°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 avoid freeze-thaw cycles. Shelf life: one year from despatch.

General Readings: 1. Prostate tumor microenvironment alters immune cells and prevents long-term survival in

an orthotopic mouse model following flt3-ligand/CD40-ligand immunotherapy. J

Immunother 2004 Jan-Feb; 27(1):13-26

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cancer. Cancer Immunol Immunother 2003 Sep;52(9):535-45

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