

## **Recombinant Human Interleukin 2**

Catalog Number	Size
AG113-10	10µg
AG113-50	50µg

### ***Specifications and Use***

<b>Description</b>	Recombinant human IL-2 produced in Yeast is a single, non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain containing 133 amino acids, one pair of disulfide bond and with 125 Cys. aa. mutated to Ala aa, having a molecular mass of approximately 15.4kDa.
<b>Source</b>	Yeast.
<b>Molecular Mass</b>	Approximately 15.4kDa.
<b>Purity</b>	≥97%, as determined by SDS-PAGE and HPLC method.
<b>Endotoxin Level</b>	≤1EU/µg, determined by the LAL method.
<b>Biological Activity</b>	Measured in a cell proliferation assay using an IL-2 dependent Mouse cytotoxic T cell line, CTLL-2. The specific activity shall be not less than $3 \times 10^7$ IU/mg.
<b>Formulation</b>	Lyophilized from a 0.2µm filtered solution in 10mM Phosphate buffer containing 0.3% human serum albumin.
<b>Reconstitution</b>	It is recommended that sterile ddH <sub>2</sub> O containing at least 0.1% human serum albumin or bovine serum albumin be added to the vial, to prepare a stock solution of not less than 1µg/ml.
<b>Storage</b>	Lyophilized samples are stable for greater than six months from date of receipt at -20°C to -70°C. The reconstituted samples can be stored under sterile conditions at 2-8°C for one month or at -20°C to -70°C for three months without detectable loss of activity. <b>Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.</b>

### ***Human Interleukin 2***

Human IL-2 (also known as TCGF) is an about 15.4KD factor produced mainly by activated CD4+ T cells. IL-2 induces cell cycle progression of resting cells in an antigen non-specific manner and allows clonal expansion of activated T cells. IL-2 also acts on activated B cells, monocytes, NK, LAK cells, and on oligodendroglial cells in vitro. In addition, IL-2 plays a role in hematopoiesis, tumor surveillance and anti-inflammatory reactions and hence is a central regulator of the immune response. Non-glycosylated IL-2 is biologically active. Recombinant human IL-2 is biologically active and can promote proliferation of T lymphocytes in culture.

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