

## Biotinylated Recombinant Human Macrophage Migration Inhibitory Factor, His, Avi (rHuMIF, His, Avi, Biotinylated)

**PrimeGene Technical Data Sheet** 

Catalog Number:

601-03C

Source:

Escherichia coli.

Molecular Weight:

Approximately 15.4 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 136 amino acids,

with 6 × His and Avi tag at the C-terminus.

Quantity:

 $10 \mu g / 100 \mu g / 500 \mu g$ 

**AA Sequence:** 

MPMFIVNTNV PRASVPDGFL SELTQQLAQA TGKPPQYIAV HVVPDQLMAF GGSSEPCALC

SLHSIGKIGG AQNRSYSKLL CGLLAERLRI SPDRVYINYY DMNAANVGWN NSTFAHHHHH

HGLNDIFEAQ KIEWHE

**Purity:** 

> 97 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.

**Biological Activity:** 

Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The specific activity is determined by binding

rhCD74 in a functional ELISA.

**Physical Appearance:** 

Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

Formulation:

Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered concentrated solution in PBS, pH 7.0, 5 % Trehalose, 0.02 %

Tween-20.

**Endotoxin:** 

Less than 0.1 EU/µg of rHuMIF, His, Avi, Biotinylated as determined by LAL method.

**Reconstitution:** 

We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1 % BSA to a concentration of

0.1-1.0 mg/mL. Stock solutions should be apportioned into working aliquots and stored at  $\leq$  -20 °C.

Further dilutions should be made in appropriate buffered solutions.

**Shipping:** 

The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature

recommended below.

Stability & Storage:

Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.

1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

3 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.

Usage:

This material is offered by Shanghai PrimeGene Bio-Tech for research, laboratory or further evaluation

purposes. NOT FOR HUMAN USE.

## Human Macrophage Migration Inhibitory Factor

Migration Inhibitory Factor (MIF) is a secreted protein without a cleavable signal sequence and is secreted via a specialized, nonclassical pathway. It is secreted by macrophages upon stimulation by bacterial lipopolysaccharide (LPS), or by M.tuberculosis antigens. MIF consists of two  $\alpha$ -helices and six  $\beta$ -strands, four of which form a  $\beta$ -sheet. The two remaining  $\beta$ -strands interact with other MIF molecules, creating a trimer. Structure-function studies suggest MIF is bifunctional with segregated topology. The Nand C-termini mediate enzyme activity (in theory). Phenylpyruvate tautomerase activity (enol-to-keto) has been demonstrated and is dependent upon Pro at position 1. Amino acids 50-65(a.a.) have also been suggested to contain thiol-protein oxidoreductase activity. MIF has proinflammatory cytokine activity centered around 49 - 65(a.a.). On fibroblasts, MIF induces, IL-1, IL-8 and MMP expression; on macrophages, MIF stimulates NO production and TNF-α release following IFN-γ activation. MIF apparently acts through CD74 and CD44, likely in some form of trimeric interaction. Human MIF is active on mouse cells. Human MIF is 90 %, 94 %, 95 %, and 90 % a.a. identical to mouse, bovine, porcine and rat MIF, respectively.

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