ANTIGENIX AMERICA Inc.

PRODUCT INFORMATION SUMMARY

Human ICAM-3 (CD50)

Purified Factor Product Number HC67739A 10.0 ug Product Number HC67739B 50.0 ug

DESCRIPTION:

Human IntraCellular Adhesion Molecule (ICAM)-3, also known as the CD50 antigen, is a protein belonging to the Ig superfamily. **ICAM**-3 is the ligand for Beta-2 Integrins and Lymphocyte Function Associated antigen-1(LFA) and C-type Lectin receptor.

ICAM-3 is believed to primarily function as adhesion between T-cells and APCs and induces stimulatory signals in the immune response.

This recombinant protein represents a disulfide-linked homodimer with 689 as residues, with 456 as extracellular portion - fused to a 231 as Fc portion (human IgG) The 75.5 kDs glycoprotein (cell-derived) migrates with apparent MW of 130 kDs under reducing conditions (SDS-PAGE).

SOURCE: CHO cells

Purity > 98% by HPLC analysis Endotoxin < 0.1 ng per ug ICAM-3

Sterile-filtered and lyophilized from PBS

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:

ICAM-3 Fc supported the adhesion of more than 50% PMA-stimulate d HSB2 cells to plates coated with 1.0-4.0 μ g/ml ICAM-3 Fc concentration .

HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Purified Human ICAM-3 factor is provided lyophilized. Store lyophilized, at -20° C. **Microcentrifuge** before reconstitution (see below). Upon reconstitution to approx. 100.0 ug/uL in sterile or distilled water, further dilute in PBS or other buffered solutions. Store small aliquots, with addition of 0.1% BSA, at -20° C for long-term storage - up to 3 months, at high concentration.

Before opening vial, it is recommended to microcentrifuge vial for 30 seconds to spin-down any lyophilized material that may adhere to top of vial. The small amounts of protein may adhere to the vial as a very thin coat of lyophilized material, and may be difficult to see as a pellet.

RESEARCH USE ONLY -NOT for DRUG USE