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### PRODUCT INFORMATION SUMMARY

# Rat IL 1 Alpha

Purified Factor Product Number RC100111B 10.0 ug
Product Number RC100111A 2.0 ug

#### **DESCRIPTION:**

Rat Interleukin-1 (IL 1) Alpha, a potent immunomodulator which acts to stimulate lymphocytes and induce a wide range of inflammatory responses. Molecular weight of 17.7 kDa, with 155 aa. residues.

**SOURCE:** E. Coli

Purity > 98% by HPLC analysis

Endotoxin < 0.1 ng per ug Rat IL 1 Alpha

#### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

### Fully biologically active when compared to standards.

Specific activity of 2 x  $10^8$  units/mg, as determined by dose dependent stimulation of murine D10S cells (<0.005 ng/mL half maximal).

#### HANDLING AND STORAGE:

Purified Rat IL 1 Alpha factor is provided lyophilized from Tris Buffered Saline. Store lyophilized, at -20 ° C. Upon reconstitution with distilled water to a concentration of 100 ug/mL, dilute in PBS or other buffered solutions. Store small aliquots at -20° C, with addition of 0.1% BSA, for long-term storage— up to 3 months, at high concentration.

Before opening vial to reconstitute, it is recommended to microcentrifuge vial for 30 seconds - this will help recovery of full contents that may have adhered to surfaces of vial during lyophilization.

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