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# Recombinant Human IL15RA/IL-15RA Protein (Fc Tag)

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Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

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Species Human

Source HEK293 Cells-derived Human IL15RA; IL-15RA protein Ile31-Thr172, with an C-

terminal Fc

Calculated MW 42.0 kDa
Observed MW 60-75 kDa
Accession Q13261-3

**Bio-activity** Measured by its ability to block human IL-15-induced proliferation of CTLL- 2 mouse

cytotoxic T cells. The ED<sub>50</sub> for this effect is 0.35-3.5 ng/ml.

### **Properties**

**Purity** > 95 % as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

Endotoxin < 1.0 EU per μg of the protein as determined by the LAL method.

Storage Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to -80

°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of

reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

ShippingThis product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.FormulationLyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution of 20mM PB, 150mM NaCl, pH 7.4.

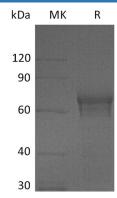
Normally 5% - 8% trehalose, mannitol and 0.01% Tween 80 are added as protectants

before lyophilization.

Please refer to the specific buffer information in the printed manual.

**Reconstitution** Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

## Data



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## Background

Interleukin 15 Receptor alpha (IL-15R $\alpha$ ) is a transmembrane glycoprotein that plays a pleiotropic role in immune development and function, including the positive maintenance of lymphocyte homeostasis. IL-15R $\alpha$  chain can bind soluble IL-15 and "transpresent" cytokine to the cells, allowing them to respond to IL-15. Soluble IL-15R $\alpha$  can function as a specific high-affinity IL-15 antagonist. The soluble IL-15/IL-15R $\alpha$  complexes exhibit a strong agonistic activity which is mediated through membrane-bound IL-15 receptor  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  heterodimers and enables signaling to cells.

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