## **Cytokines**

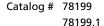
### Human Recombinant Oncostatin M, ACF

Oncostatin M, animal component-free

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10 μg 100 μg

78199.2 1000 μg

### **Product Description**

Oncostatin M (OSM) is a member of interleukin 6 (IL-6) family of cytokines and bears close resemblance to leukemia inhibitory factor (LIF) and granulocyte colony-stimulating factor (G-CSF) in amino acid sequence and its modulation of differentiation in a variety of cell types (Rose & Bruce). OSM signals through type I receptor (consisting of gp130 and LIF receptor [LIFR]) and type II receptor (consisting of gp130 and OSM receptor [OSMR]), which eventually activate the JAK/STAT pathway (Auguste et al.; Gómez-Lechón). OSM is primarily produced by activated T cells and monocytes, and also by activated macrophages, neutrophils, mast cells, and dendritic cells. OSM is also produced within the bone microenvironment by cells of both hematopoietic and mesenchymal origin, including osteocytes and osteoblasts. OSM is involved in differentiation, cell proliferation, hematopoiesis, and inflammation, and also has been shown to have implications in liver development and bone formation and resorption (Sims & Quinn; Tanaka & Miyajima). This product is animal component-free.

### **Product Information**

Alternative Names: MGC20461, OSM, Onc-M

Accession Number: P13725

Amino Acid Sequence: MAAIGSCSKE YRVLLGQLQK QTDLMQDTSR LLDPYIRIQG LDVPKLREHC RERPGAFPSE ETLRGLGRRG

FLQTLNATLG CVLHRLADLE QRLPKAQDLE RSGLNIEDLE KLQMARPNIL GLRNNIYCMA QLLDNSDTAE PTKAGRGASQ PPTPTPASDA FQRKLEGCRF LHGYHRFMHS VGRVFSKWGE SPNRSRRHSP HQALRKGVRR

Predicted Molecular Mass: 23.8 kDa Species: Human

Cross Reactivity: Reported to be species-specific

Formulation: Lyophilized from a sterile-filtered solution containing sodium phosphate, pH 7.5.

Source: E. coli

## Specifications

Activity: The specific activity is ≥ 2.5 x 10^5 units/mg (EC50 ≤ 4 ng/mL) as determined by a cell proliferation assay

using TF-1 cells.

Purity:  $\geq 95\%$ 

Endotoxin Level: Measured by kinetic Limulus amebocyte lysate (LAL) analysis and is ≤ 1 EU/µg protein.

## Preparation and Storage

Storage: Store at -20°C to -80°C.

Stability: Stable as supplied for 12 months from date of receipt.

Preparation: Centrifuge vial before opening. Reconstitute the product in sterile water to at least 0.1 mg/mL by pipetting the

solution down the sides of the vial. Do not vortex.

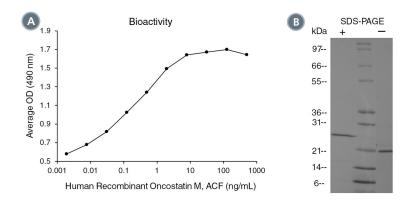
OPTIONAL: After reconstitution, if product will not be used immediately, dilute with concentrated bovine serum albumin (BSA) to a final BSA concentration of 0.1%. The effect of storage of stock solution on product performance should be tested for each application. As a general guide, do not store at 2 - 8°C for more than

1 month or at -80°C for more than 3 months. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

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#### Data



(A) The biological activity of Human Recombinant Oncostatin M, ACF was tested by its ability to promote the proliferation of TF-1 cells. Cell proliferation was measured using a fluorometric assay method. The EC50 is defined as the effective concentration of the cytokine at which cell proliferation is at 50% of maximum. The EC50 in the example above is 0.21 ng/mL.

(B) 1 µg of Human Recombinant Oncostatin M, ACF was resolved with SDS-PAGE under reducing (+) and non-reducing (-) conditions and visualized by Coomassie Blue staining. Human Recombinant Oncostatin M, ACF has a predicted molecular mass of 23.8 kDa.

### Related Products

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