# Recombinant Human IL-3 (C-6His)

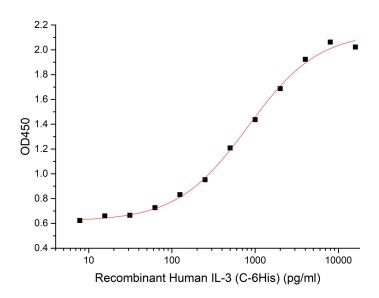
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### **Basic Information**

Information	
Source	Human Cells
Description	Recombinant Human Interleukin-3 is produced by our Mammalian expression system and the target gene encoding Ala20-Phe152 is expressed with a 6His tag at the C-terminus.
Accession	P08700
Known As	Interleukin-3; IL-3; Hematopoietic Growth Factor; Mast Cell Growth Factor; MCGF; Multipotential Colony-Stimulating Factor; P-Cell-Stimulating Factor; IL3
<b>Predicted Mol Mass</b>	16.1 KDa
<b>Apparent Mol Mass</b>	17-30 KDa, reducing conditions
Properties	
Formulation	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4.
Storage	Lyophilized protein should be stored at $\leq$ -20°C, stable for one year after receipt. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 2-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of reconstituted samples are stable at $\leq$ -20°C for 3 months.
Endotoxin	$< 0.01 \; EU/\mu g$ as determined by LAL test.
Reconstitution	Always centrifuge tubes before opening. Do not mix by vortex or pipetting. It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than $100\mu g/ml$ . Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water. Please aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles.
Shipping	The product is shipped at ambient temperature.  Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature listed below.

### **Experimental Data**

#### **Bioactivity-Cell Based Assay**



Measured in a cell proliferation assay using TF-1 human erythroleukemic cells. The ED50 for this effect is 0.3-1.5 ng/ml. (QC verified)

## **Background**

Interleukin-3 (IL-3) is a potent growth promoting cytokine. IL-3 can stimulate the proliferation and differentiation of pluripotent hematopoietic stem cells as well as various lineage committed progenitors. IL-3 exerts its biological function through binding to specific cell surface receptors. The amino acid sequences of this protein among different species share relatively low identity and its activity is highly species-specific. IL-3 has also been shown to possess neurotrophic activity, and is thought to be associated with neurologic disorders.