

**IL-6**  
**Catalog # PVGS1042****Specification**

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**IL-6 - Product Information**Primary Accession [A0A1D5QM02](#)**Species**  
Rhesus Macaque**Sequence**  
Ala82-Met266 (Asp92Asn), expressed with an N-terminal Met**Purity**  
> 97% as analyzed by SDS-PAGE  
> 97% as analyzed by HPLC**Endotoxin Level**  
< 1 EU/ µg of protein by LAL method**Biological Activity**  
Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED<sub>50</sub> as determined by a cell proliferation assay using IL-6-dependent murine 7TD1 cells is less than 0.1 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of > 1.0 × 10<sup>7</sup> IU/mg.**Expression System**  
E. coli**Theoretical Molecular Weight**  
21.1 kDa**Formulation** **Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution in PBS, pH 7.4.****Reconstitution**  
It is recommended that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the bottom. Reconstitute the lyophilized powder in sterile distilled water or aqueous buffer containing 0.1 % BSA to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/ml.**Storage & Stability**  
Upon receiving, this product remains stable for up to 6 months at -70°C or -20°C. Upon reconstitution, the product should be stable for up to 1 week at 4°C or up to 3 months at -20°C. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.**IL-6 - Additional Information****Target Background**  
Interleukin-6 (IL-6), also known as BSF-2, CDF and IFNβ2, is a pleiotropic cytokine that participates in both pro-inflammatory and anti-inflammatory responses. It is produced mainly by T cells, macrophages, monocytes, endothelial cells and muscle cells. IL-6 binds to IL-6 receptor (IL-6R) to trigger the association of IL-6R with gp130, inducing signal transduction through JAKs and STATs. The biological functions of IL-6 are diverse. It stimulates B cell differentiation and antibody

production, myeloma and plasmacytoma growth, and nerve cell differentiation. It also acts as a myokine, produced by muscle cells in response to muscle contraction and released into the blood stream to help break down fats and improve insulin resistance.

## **IL-6 - Protein Information**

## **IL-6 - Protocols**

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

## **IL-6 - Images**