



## Interleukin-17 A/F Heterodimer (IL-17A/F), mouse recombinant (rIL-17A/F)

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**Source:** *E. coli*  
**Synonyms:** IL17A/F, IL17 A/F, IL-17A/F, IL-17 A/F, IL17AF, IL-17 AF, Interleukin-17 A/F, Interleukin-17 AF

### Background

Human IL-17A/F is a 40 kDa glycoprotein which is secreted as a disulfide-linked heterodimer. IL-17A/F consists of two proteins of the IL-17 family, IL-17A and IL17F. Proteins of the 6 homodimeric IL17 family show a cysteine knot motif that contains two disulfide-bonds. Human IL17A is produced as a 155 a.a precursor that includes a 23 amino acids signal sequence and a 132 amino acid chain that includes an N-linked glycosylation site. Human IL17F is produced as a 153 amino acid precursor with a 20 amino acid signal sequence and a 133 amino acid region. Similar to IL17A, IL17F also has an N-linked glycosylation site. Both proteins (IL17A & IL17F) share 50% amino acid sequence identity. Human IL17A & IL17F show approximately 60% homology in their amino acid sequence to mouse IL-17A and IL-17F. Interleukin-17A/F and IL17A, IL17F homodimers are manufactured by activated CD4+ T cells, called Th17. IL-23 causes Th17 lymphocytes to manufacture IL-17A/F. IL17RA and IL17RC form a heterodimer for the binding of IL17A and IL17F. IL-17A/F binds IL-17RA. Interleukin-17A/F induces chemokine production and airway neutrophilia with intermediate potency between IL17A (most potent) and IL17F (least potent).

### Description

Interleukin-17A/F mouse recombinant produced in *E. coli* is a heterodimeric, non-glycosylated polypeptide comprised of IL17A monomeric subunit and IL17F monomeric subunit containing a total of 266 amino acids and having a total molecular mass of 29.8 kDa. IL-17 A/F is purified by proprietary chromatographic techniques.

### Physical Appearance

Sterile filtered white lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.

### Formulation

Lyophilized from a concentrated (1 mg/ml) solution containing no additives.

### Solubility

It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Interleukin-17A/F in sterile 18 MΩ-cm H<sub>2</sub>O not less than 100 µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

### Stability

Lyophilized IL17 A/F, although stable at room temperature for 3 weeks, should be stored desiccated below -18°C. Upon reconstitution Mouse IL17 A/F should be stored at 4°C between 2-7 days and for future use below -18°C. For long term storage it is recommended to add a carrier protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

### Purity

Greater than 97.0% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

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### Amino Acid Sequence

RKNPKAGVPA LQKAGNCPPL EDNTRVVDIR IFNQNGISV PREFQNRSSS PWDYNITRDP HRFPSIEIAEA QCRHSGCINA  
QGQEDSTMNS VAIQQEILVL RREPQGCSNS FRLEKMLLKV GCTCVKPIVH QAAAAIIPQS SACPNTEAKD FLQNVKVNK  
VFNSLGAKVS SRRPSDYLNK STSPWTLHRN EDPDRYPSVI WEAQCRHQRC VNAEGKLDHH MNSVLIQQEI LVLKREPESC  
PFTFRVEKML VGVGCTCVAS IVRQAA

### Usage

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