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## Animal Free Recombinant Human IL-6

Catalog #: HIL6  
Lot #: 250505  
Expiration: May 2030

### Amino Acid Sequence

PVPPGEDSKD VAAPHRQPLT SSERIDKQIR YILDGISALR KETCNKSNMC ESSKEALAEN NLNLPKMAEK DGCQFQSGFNE ETCLVKIITG LLEFEVYLEY LQNRFSSEE  
QARAVQMSTK VLIQFLQKKA KNLDAITTPD PTTNASLLTK LQAQNQWLQD MTTHLILRSF KEFLQSSLRA LRQM

### Product Specifications

- Purity >98% by SDS-PAGE gel and HPLC
- Endotoxin <0.1 EU/μg by the LAL method.
- Molecular Weight 20.9 kDa, as determined by MALDI-TOF mass spectrometry.
- Source: E.coli

### Manufacturing

Produced using non animal derived components in a dedicated animal-free facility.

### Formulation

- Sterile-filtered and lyophilized with 5 mM sodium phosphate pH 7.5.

### Biological Activity

Determined by its ability to stimulate the proliferation of mouse B9 cells. ED50 is 0.003 - 0.005 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of  $\geq 2.5 \times 10^8$  units/mg.

### Storage and Handling

#### Reconstitution

Centrifuge the vial briefly before opening. Reconstitute with RO/DI water to a final concentration of 0.1–1 mg/mL (0.1–1 μg/μL). Do not vortex after reconstitution. Avoid repeated freeze–thaw cycles. The lyophilized powder is stable at room temperature, but it is best stored below 0°C. Reconstituted human IL-6 should be stored at –20°C.

#### Storage (Lyophilized Powder)

- 4°C: Stable for up to 12 months
- –20°C to –80°C: Recommended for long-term storage

Usage: For Research Use Only. Not for human use.

Country of Origin, USA

Director of QA/QC

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