## Human IFN-alpha A (alpha 2a) Recombinant Protein

| Product Details |  |
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| Size | $5 \mu \mathrm{~g}$ |
| Species | Human |
| Expression system | E. coli |
| Molecular weight | 19.2 kDa |
| Class | Recombinant |
| Type | Protein |
| Purity | 95\% |
| Activity | Specific Activity $=2.5 \times 10 \mathrm{e} 8$ units $/ \mathrm{mg}$; Assay used to measure bioactivity: Interferon was titrated with the use of the cytopathic effect inhibition assay as described [Rubinstein, S., Familletti, P.C., and Pestka, S. (1981 "Convenient Assay for Interferons," J. Virol. 37, 755-758; Familletti, P.C., Rubinstein, S., and Pestka, S. (1981) "A Convenient and Rapid Cytopathic Effect Inhibition Assay for Interferon," in Methods in Enzymology, Vol. 78 (S. Pestka, ed.), Academic Press, New York, 387394]. In this antiviral assay for interferon about 1 unit/mL of interferon is the quantity necessary to produce $50 \%$ cytopathic effect. The units are determined with respect to the international reference standard for human interferon alpha (Hu-IFN- provided by the National Institutes of Health [see Pestka, S. (1986) "Interferon Standards and General Abbreviations," in Methods in Enzymology, Vol. 119 (S. Pestka, ed.), Academic Press, New York, 14-23]. The activity was determined using bovine MDBK cells challenged with vesicular stomatitis virus (VSV). |
| Conjugate | Unconjugated |
| Form | Liquid |
| Purification | sequential chromatography |
| Storage buffer | PBS |
| Contains | no preservative |
| Storage conditions | $-80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |


| Applications | Tested Dilution | Publications |
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| Western Blot (WB) | Assay-dependent | - |
| Immunohistochemistry (IHC) | Assay-dependent | - |
| ELISA (ELISA) | Assay-dependent | - |
| Functional Assay (FN) | Assay-dependent | - |
| Control (Ctrl) | Assay-dependent | - |

## Product Specific Information

## Carrier-Free

Dilution Recommendation: Further dilutions should be made in medium or buffered solution containing carrier protein such as PBS with $0.1 \%$ BSA.

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