

Product datasheet for **TP724354**

Human IL18BP Protein, hFc Tag

Product data:

Product Type:	Recombinant Proteins
Description:	Human IL18BP Protein, hFc Tag
Expression Host:	HEK293
Tag:	C-Human Fc
Predicted MW:	The protein has a predicted molecular mass of 43.8 kDa after removal of the signal peptide. The apparent molecular mass of IL18BP-hFc is approximately 53-70 kDa due to glycosylation.
Purity:	The purity of the protein is greater than 95% as determined by SDS-PAGE and Coomassie blue staining.
Reconstitution Method:	Lyophilized from sterile PBS, pH 7.4. Normally 5 % - 8% trehalose is added as protectants before lyophilization.
Storage:	Store at -20°C to -80°C for 12 months in lyophilized form. After reconstitution, if not intended for use within a month, aliquot and store at -80°C (Avoid repeated freezing and thawing). Lyophilized proteins are shipped at ambient temperature.
Stability:	12 months from date of despatch
Summary:	The protein encoded by this gene functions as an inhibitor of the proinflammatory cytokine, IL18. It binds IL18, prevents the binding of IL18 to its receptor, and thus inhibits IL18-induced IFN-gamma production, resulting in reduced T-helper type 1 immune responses. This protein is constitutively expressed and secreted in mononuclear cells. Elevated level of this protein is detected in the intestinal tissues of patients with Crohn's disease. Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding different isoforms have been described for this gene. [provided by RefSeq, Feb 2011]



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