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<u>Description</u>: Recombinant Interferon gamma is a disulfide-linked monomer protein consisting of 135 amino acid residue subunits, and migrates as an approximately 16 kDa protein under non-reducing and reducing conditions.

<u>Source</u>: Optimized DNA sequence encoding rat Interferon gamma mature chain expressed in E. coli.

Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered PBS solution, pH 7.0.

Reconstitution: A quick spin of the vial followed by reconstitution in distilled water to a concentration not less than 0.1 mg/ml. This solution can then be diluted into other buffers.

Storage: The lyophilized protein is stable for at least 2 years from date of receipt when stored at -20°C. Upon reconstitution, store in working aliquots at 2 - 8° C for up to one month, or at -20°C for up to six months, in the presence of a carrier protein. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles.

<u>Purity</u>: >95%, as determined by SDS-PAGE and HPLC.

Endotoxin Level: Endotoxin level was found to be < 0.1 ng/µg (1EU/µg), using the LAL gel clot method.

Biological Activity: The ED(50) was determined by the cytopathic inhibition assay with murine L929 cells infected by EMC virus, and was found to be < 1 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of $> 1 \times 10^6$ units/mg.

Protein Sequence:

MSATRRVLVLQLCLMALSGC YCQGTLIESLESLKNYFNSS SMDAMEGKSLLLDIWRNWQK DGNTKILESQIISFYLRLFE VLKDNQAISNNISVIESHLI TNFFSNSKAKKDAFMSIAKF EVNNPQIQHKAVNELIRVIH QLSPESSLRKRKRSRC

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