

# Human IL-2 Protein; His Tag

## Product Information

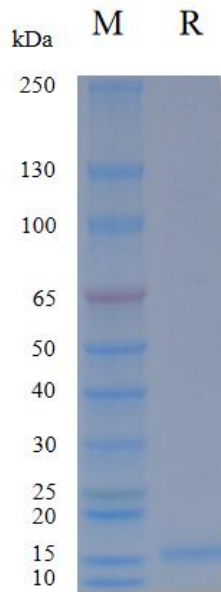
<b>Product Name</b>	Human IL-2 Protein; His Tag
<b>Storage temp</b>	Store at $\leq -70^{\circ}\text{C}$ , stable for 6 months after receipt. Recommend to aliquot the protein into smaller quantities for optimal storage. Please minimize freeze-thaw cycles.
<b>Catalog# / Size</b>	<b>GM-88499RP-100 / 100 <math>\mu\text{g}</math></b> <b>GM-88499RP-1000 / 1 mg</b>

## Protein Information

<b>Alternative Names</b>	IL2, TCGF, lymphokine, Interleukin 2
<b>Source</b>	Human IL-2 Protein; His Tag (GM-88499RP) is expressed from human 293 cells (HEK-293). It contains AA Ala 21 - Thr 153 (Accession # P60568-1). This protein carries a His tag at the N-terminus.
<b>Purity</b>	> 95% as determined by SDS-PAGE
<b>Endotoxin</b>	< 1 EU/ $\mu\text{g}$ , determined by LAL gel clotting assay
<b>Predicted Mol Mass</b>	16.2 KDa
<b>Formulation</b>	Supplied as a 0.2 $\mu\text{m}$ filtered solution of PBS, pH7.2-7.4.
<b>Description</b>	Interleukin-2 (IL-2), also known as T-cell growth factor (TCGF), is a cytokine mainly produced by activated CD4 <sup>+</sup> T cells (and also by other immune cells in some contexts). IL-2 acts as a key regulator of immune responses, promoting T cell proliferation, survival, and differentiation, and it is especially important for the maintenance and function of regulatory T cells (Tregs). IL-2 exerts its effects by binding to the IL-2 receptor complex, which is composed of an IL-2R $\alpha$ (CD25) subunit and the shared IL-2R $\beta$ (CD122) and IL-2R $\gamma$ (CD132) subunits. Upon IL-2 binding, the receptor complex brings together and activates the intracellular kinases associated with IL-2R $\beta$ and IL-2R $\gamma$ , leading to phosphorylation of downstream signaling molecules. The main pathways include JAK/STAT signaling, where STAT5 is activated and translocates to the nucleus to drive transcription of genes involved in proliferation and survival. In parallel, IL-2 can stimulate PI3K/AKT and MAPK/ERK pathways, supporting metabolic activation and cell-cycle progression. By coordinating these signaling cascades, IL-2 helps determine whether immune cells expand, persist, or differentiate during an immune response.

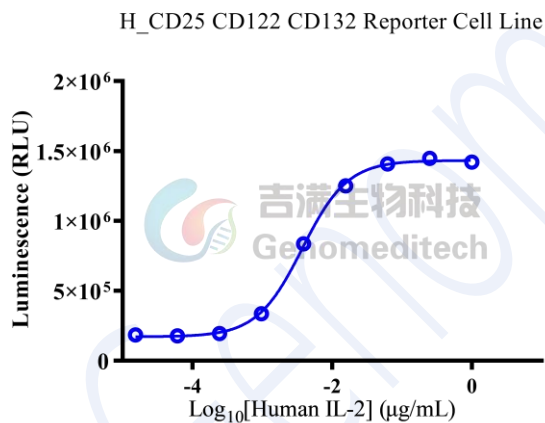
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## SDS-PAGE



On SDS-PAGE under reducing (R) condition. The gel was stained overnight with Coomassie Blue. The purity of the protein is greater than 95%.

## Bioactivity-CELL BASE



H_CD25 CD122 CD132 Reporter Cell Line	EC50
	0.003740

Human IL-2 Protein; His Tag (Catalog # GM-88499RP) was added into H\_CD25 CD122 CD132 Reporter Cell Line (Catalog # GM-C29055) and stimulates related signals.