



Recombinant Protein Technical Manual

Recombinant Human APRIL/TNFSF13 Protein (His & Flag Tag)
RPES4955

Product Data:

Product SKU: RPES4955

Size: 10µg

Species: Human

Expression host: Human Cells

Uniprot: O75888

Protein Information:

Molecular Mass: 50 kDa

AP Molecular Mass: 60 kDa

Tag: N-Flag-His

Bio-activity:

Purity: > 95% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

Endotoxin: < 1.0 EU per µg as determined by the LAL method.

Storage: Lyophilized protein should be stored at < -20°C, though stable at room temperature for 3 weeks. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-7°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

Shipping: This product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.

Formulation: Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered solution of PBS, pH 7.4.

Reconstitution: Please refer to the printed manual for detailed information.

Application:

Synonyms: Tumor necrosis factor ligand superfamily member 13; A proliferation-inducing ligand; APRIL; TNF- and APOL-related leukocyte expressed ligand 2; TALL-2; TNF-related death ligand 1; TRDL; CD256; TNFSF13; TALL2

Immunogen Information:

Sequence: Lys112-Leu250

Background:

APRIL (a proliferation-inducing ligand), also known as TNFSF13, TALL2, TRDL1, and CD256, is a member of the TNF ligand superfamily. It is synthesized as a 32 kDa proprotein which is cleaved by furin in the Golgi to release the active 17 kDa soluble molecule. Secreted human APRIL, which consists almost entirely of a single TNF homology domain, shares 85% amino acid sequence identity with mouse and rat APRIL. Both APRIL and its close relative BAFF bind and signal through the TNF superfamily receptors TACI and BCMA, while BAFF additionally functions through BAFF R. APRIL binds to heparan sulfate proteoglycans (HSPGs) independently of its binding to TACI and BCMA. APRIL can form bioactive heterotrimers with BAFF, and these circulate in the serum of patients with rheumatic immune disorders. APRIL enhances the proliferation and survival of plasma cells and also promotes T cell-dependent humoral responses. APRIL levels are elevated in the serum during coronary artery disease, and it is also elevated in many cancers primarily due to expression by tumor-infiltrating neutrophils.