# IL-28A, Human CellExp™, human recombinant

**CATALOG #**: 6471-10 10 μg

6471-50 50 μg

ALTERNATE NAMES: Interleukin-28A, IL-28A, IFN-Lambda 2, Interferon-

Lambda 2, Cytokine ZCYTO20, IL28A, IFNL2,

ZCYTO20.

**SOURCE**: Human 293 Cell Expressed

**PURITY:** > 95% by SDS - PAGE

MOL. WEIGHT: 24 kDa, monomer, non-glycosylated

**ENDOTOXIN LEVEL:** < 1.0 EU per 1 μg of protein

FORMULATION: Lyophilized in PBS.

**RECONSTITUTION:** Reconstitute in sterile PBS containing 0.1%

endotoxin-free recombinant human serum albumin.

STORAGE CONDITIONS: Aliquot and store at -20°C or -70°C. Avoid repeated

freezing and thawing cycles.

#### **ADVANTAGES:**

- Animal-derived product free
- High Activity
- Authentic Glycosylation

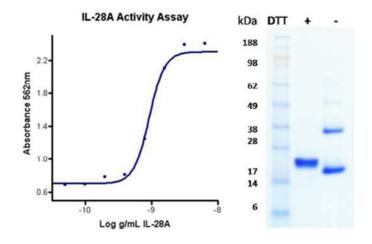
## **DESCRIPTION:**

IL-28A is distantly related to type I interferons and the IL-10 family. Expression of IL-28A is induced by viral infection which interacts with a heterodimeric class II cytokine receptor that consists of interleukin 10 receptor, beta (IL10RB) and interleukin 28 receptor, alpha. IL-28A exhibits common features with type I IFNs such as antiviral activity, antiproliferative activity and in vivo antitumor activity. They act similarly to IFNs, but are less effective generally and have activity in a more limited range of cell lines. IL-28A induces ELR (-) CXC chemokine mRNA in human peripheral blood mononuclear cells, in an IFN-gamma-independent manner. It is able to generate tolerogenic DCs, an activity that could thwart IFN-beta functions. IL-28A produced in response to viral infection, activates both monocytes and macrophages

Producing a restricted panel of cytokines and therefore is an important factor in activating innate immune responses at the site of viral infection.

### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

 $ED_{50}$  is typically 0.5 to 5 ng/mL. The specific activity was determined by the dose-dependent protection of the cytopathic effect on A549 cells (human lung adenocarcinoma epithelial cell line) that were challenged with encephalomyocarditis (EMC) virus.



Human Cellexp Human Recombinant IL-28A

#### **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

- Human Cell<sup>exp</sup> Human Recombinant IL-28B (Cat # 6472-10, -50)
- IL-28, human recombinant (Cat # 4978-20, -1000)

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