

# **Mouse IL-7 Recombinant Protein**



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10 µg

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MW (kDa): UniProt ID: **Entrez-Gene Id:** #P10168 16196

# Background

Interleukin 7 (IL-7) plays a key role in lymphopoiesis and lymphoid homeostasis (1). Stromal and epithelial cells within the bone marrow and thymus produce IL-7 (1). The primary targets of IL-7 are T cells, B cells, and dendritic cells (1). IL-7 is crucial for T cell development, the importance of which is underscored by the lack of T cells in both mice and humans that are deficient in IL-7/IL-7R signaling (1,2). While IL-7 appears to be required for B cell development in mice, the role of IL-7 in human B cell development is unclear (1,3). In addition to its effects on T cell lymphopoiesis, IL-7 promotes the maintenance and survival of naïve and memory  $\alpha\beta$  T cells, as well as  $\gamma\delta$  T cells (1). The IL-7 receptor is a heterodimer of the common γ chain, γc, and the IL-7-specific IL-7Rα (1). IL-7 activates PI3K/Akt, Jak1/2, and Stat1, 3, and 5 (1).

**Endotoxin** 

Endotoxin levels are less than or equal to 1 EU / 1 μg mIL-7.

Purity

A greater than or equal to 95% purity was determined by SDS-PAGE.

Source / Purification

Recombinant mouse IL-7 was expressed in E. coli and is supplied in a lyophilized form.

**Bioactivity** 

The bioactivity of recombinant mIL-7 was determined in a 2E8 cell proliferation assay. The ED<sub>50</sub> of each

lot is less than or equal to 1 ng/mL.

**Background References** 

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