## **Product Name: Recombinant Human IL-21(hFc Tag)**

Catalog #: PCH2553



#### **Summary**

Name IL-21(hFc Tag)

**Purity** Greater than 98% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE

**Endotoxin level** ≤10 EU/mg

Construction Recombinant Human IL-21(hFc Tag) is produced by our Mammalian cell

expression system and the target gene encoding His25-Ser162 is expressed

with hFc-tag.

Accession # Q9HBE4

**Host** Human Cells

**Species** Human

Predicted Molecular Mass 51 kDa

Formulation Lyophilized From PBS,5% mannitol and 0.01% Tween 80, pH7.4

Shipping The product is shipped on dry ice/polar packs. Upon receipt, store it immediately

at the temperature listed below.

**Stability&Storage** Store at  $\leq$ -70°C, stable for 6 months after receipt. Store at  $\leq$ -70°C, stable for 3

months under sterile conditions after opening. Please minimize freeze-thaw

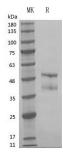
cycles.

**Reconstitution** Always centrifuge tubes before opening.Do not mix by vortex or pipetting.It is not

recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100µg/ml.Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water.Please aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles.Always centrifuge tubes before opening.Do not mix by vortex or pipetting.It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100µg/ml.Dissolve the lyophilized protein in distilled water.Please

aliquot the reconstituted solution to minimize freeze-thaw cycles.

### **SDS-PAGE** image



## **Background**

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Alternative Names Interleukin-21; IL-21; Za11; IL21

Background Interleukin-21 (IL-21) is a secreted protein which belongs to the IL-15 / IL-21

family. Interleukin-21 / IL-21 belongs to a family of cytokines that bind to a composite receptor consisting of a private receptor (IL21R) and the common cytokine receptor gamma chain (gamma(C)). Interleukin-21 / IL-21 impacts a number of cell types, including CD8+ memory T cells, NK cells and subsets of CD4 memory T cells. The IL-21R is widely distributed on lympho-haematopoietic cells. IL-21 is a pleiotropic cytokine produced by CD4+ T cells in response to antigenic stimulation. Its action generally enhances antigen-specific responses of immune cells. IL-21 promotes the anti-tumor activity of CD8+ T-cells and NK cells. IL-21 exerts its effect through binding to a specific type I cytokine receptor, IL-21R, which also contains the  $\gamma$  chain ( $\gamma$ c) found in other cytokine receptors including IL-2, IL-4, IL-7, IL-9 and IL-15. The IL-21/IL-21R interaction triggers a cascade of events which includes activation of the tyrosine kinases JAK1 and JAK3, followed by

activation of the transcription factors STAT1 and STAT3.

#### Note

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