# Mouse IL-1a ELISA development kit

Product Code: 3417-1H-6

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### Vial 1 (green top)

Monoclonal antibody MT946 (300 µl)

Concentration: 0.5 mg/ml

# Vial 2 (yellow top)

Biotinylated monoclonal antibody MT951 (80 µl)

Concentration: 0.5 mg/ml

# Vial 3 (white top)

Streptavidin-Horseradish Peroxidase (80 µl)

#### Vial 4

Recombinant mouse IL-1 $\alpha$  standard (0.5  $\mu$ g)

To ensure total recovery of stated quantity, vials have been overfilled.

#### **STORAGE:**

Shipped at ambient temperature. On arrival box 1 should be stored refrigerated at 4-8°C and box 2 should be stored frozen at -20°C.

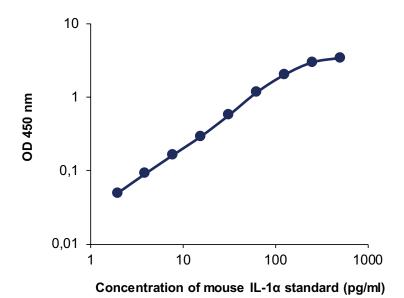
# General

**Intended use:** For quantitative determination of native and recombinant mouse IL-1 $\alpha$  in solution, e.g. cell culture supernatant.

Reagents: Antibodies are supplied in sterile-filtered (0.2  $\mu$ m) PBS with sodium azide (0.02%). Streptavidin-HRP is supplied in PBS with 1% BSA and 0.002% Kathon CG.

Standard range: 2-250 pg/ml

**Standard calibration:** No international standard exists for calibration.



# Guidelines for Mouse IL-1a ELISA

- Day 1 1. Coat a high protein binding ELISA plate with mAb MT946 , diluted to 2  $\mu$ g/ml in PBS, pH 7.4, by adding 100  $\mu$ l/well. Incubate overnight at 4-8°C.
- **Day 2** 2. Wash twice with PBS (200 μl/well).
  - 3. Block plate by adding 200 µl/well of PBS with 0.05% Tween 20 containing 0.1% BSA (incubation buffer). Incubate for 1 hour at room temperature.
  - 4. Wash five times with PBS containing 0.05% Tween20
  - 5. Prepare IL-1α standard by reconstituting contents of vial 4 in 1 ml PBS to a concentration of 0.5 μg/ml. Leave at room temperature for 15 minutes and then vortex the tube. The stock solution should be used immediately or stored in aliquots at -20°C for future use. We recommend the aliquots not be refrozen after initial use. For the test, prepare dilutions of the stock using the standard range as a guideline.
  - 6. Add 100 μl/well of samples or standards diluted in incubation buffer and incubate for 2 hours at room temperature.
  - 7. Wash as in step 4.
  - 8. Add 100  $\mu$ l/well of mAb MT951-biotin at 0.5  $\mu$ g/ml in incubation buffer. Incubate for 1 hour at room temperature.
  - 9. Wash as in step 4.
  - 10. Add 100 µl/well of Streptavidin-HRP diluted 1:1000 in incubation buffer. Incubate for 1 hour at room temperature. **Please note that sodium azide used in buffers will inhibit HRP activity.**
  - 11. Wash as in step 4.
  - 12. Add 100 μl/well of appropriate substrate solution e.g. TMB, available from Mabtech product code 3652-F10.
  - 13. Measure the optical density in an ELISA reader after suitable developing time. If required stop the reaction first.



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