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# 1. Description

Products	Human TSLP, research grade.	
	Recombinant human thymic stromal lymphopoietin.	
	Content in µg	Order no.
	2	130-106-271
	10	130-106-270
Primary structure	Single, non-glycosylated polypeptide chain including N-terminal methionine (132 amino acid residues).	
Molecular mass	15.1 kDa.	
Source	Produced in <i>E. coli</i> .	
Product format	Lyophilized from a filtered (0.2 $\mu m)$ buffer solution.	
Stabilizer	None.	
Purity	>97% as determined by SDS-PAGE analysis.	
Endotoxin level	Low endotoxin (<1.0 EU/µg cytokine) as determined by Limulus Amebocyte Lysate (LAL) assay.	
Storage	Lyophilized Human TSLP, research grade should be stored at –20 °C. The expiration date is indicated on the vial label. Upon reconstitution aliquots should be stored at –20 °C or below. Avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.	
Reconstitution	Human TSLP, researce sterile-filtered water t 0.1–1.0 mg/mL in a m Further dilutions show 0.1% bovine serum all	reconstitute lyophilized ch grade with deionized to a final concentration of inimal volume of 20 $\mu$ L. uld be prepared with bumin (BSA) or human ) in phosphate-buffered
1.1 Background information		

TSLP is a hematopoietic cytokine that plays a critical role as regulator of T helper (TH)2 driven inflammation. It is highly expressed in skin keratinocytes and airway epithelial cells as well as in gut and thymus. TSLP is an interleukin 7 (IL-7)-like cytokine that binds to a heterodimeric receptor complex consisting of the alpha chain of the IL-7 receptor (IL-7R $\alpha$ ) and the TSLP receptor chain (TSLPR). It is able to promote the activation of B cells and dendritic cells (DCs). TSLP activated DCs polarize naive CD4<sup>+</sup> T

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cells to differentiate into inflammatory TH2 cells that produce the pro-allergic cytokines IL-4, IL-5, IL-13, and TNF- $\alpha$ . Furthermore TSLP supports B cell expansion and differentiation. It induces the release of T cell-attracting chemokines from monocytes and enhances the maturation of CD11c<sup>+</sup> DCs. Like IL-7, TSLP has been shown to activate and phosphorylate the transcription factors STAT3 and STAT5.

# 1.2 Applications

Human TSLP can be used for a variety of applications, including:

- Activation of immature DCs.
- Expansion, differentiation, and activation of B cells.
- Support in T cell growth and survival.
- Studies on initiation of allergic diseases.

Optimal concentration for a specific application should be determined by a dose-response experiment.

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