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## Datasheet for ABIN2648785

### CXCL2 ELISA Kit

#### Overview

Quantity:	96 tests
Target:	CXCL2
Reactivity:	Mouse
Application:	ELISA

#### Product Details

Sample Type:	Serum, Plasma, Cell Culture Cells
Detection Method:	Colorimetric
Sensitivity:	4 pg/ml

**Characteristics:** Mouse macrophage inflammatory protein-2 (MIP-2), also known as CXCL2, was originally identified as a heparin-binding protein secreted by an LPS-stimulated mouse macrophage cell line (1). A cDNA clone encoding the protein was isolated from this cell line and characterized (2). Based on its protein and DNA sequences, mouse MIP-2 was classified as a member of the alpha (CXC) chemokine family of inflammatory and immunoregulatory cytokines (3). Mouse MIP-2 cDNA encodes a 100 amino acid residue precursor protein from which the amino-terminal 27 amino acid residues are cleaved to generate the mature mouse MIP-2. The protein sequence of mouse MIP-2 shows approximately 63 % identity to that of mouse KC, another mouse alpha chemokine. Mouse MIP-2 is also 60 % identical to human GRO $\beta$  and GRO $\gamma$ (2). Based on these protein sequence similarities, it is likely that mouse KC and MIP-2 are homologs of human GRO $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  chemokines. Since chemokines with protein sequence homology to human IL-8 have not been identified in mice, it has been suggested that the mouse KC and MIP-2 are functional homologs of human IL-8 in mice (3, 4). A putative mouse homolog of the human IL-8 receptor beta (IL-8 R $\beta$ ) has also been cloned. This receptor shows 71 % identity to

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human IL-8 R $\beta$  and 68 % identity to human IL-8 R $\alpha$ . Both mouse KC and MIP-2 bind mouse IL-8 R $\beta$  with high affinity (5). Like human IL-8, mouse MIP-2 exhibits potent neutrophil chemotactic activity and may be a key mediator of neutrophil recruitment in response to tissue injury and infection (3, 4). Increased MIP-2 expression has been found to be associated with neutrophil influx in various inflammatory conditions (6 - 10).

## Target Details

Target: CXCL2

Alternative Name: MIP-2 ([CXCL2 Products](#))

Pathways: [Cellular Response to Molecule of Bacterial Origin](#)

## Application Details

Application Notes: Optimal working dilution should be determined by the investigator.

Sample Volume: 100  $\mu$ L

Assay Time: 3 h

Plate: Pre-coated

Protocol: Mouse Macrophage Inflammatory Protein 2 (MIP-2) ELISA Assay Kit employs quantitative sandwich enzyme immunoassay technique. A monoclonal antibody specific for MIP-2 has been pre-coated onto a microplate. Standards and samples are pipetted into the wells and any MIP-2 present is bound by the immobilized antibody. Following incubation unbound samples are removed during a wash step, and then a detection antibody specific for MIP-2 is added to the wells and binds to the combination of capture antibody-MIP-2 in sample. Following a wash to remove any unbound combination, and enzyme conjugate is added to the wells. Following incubation and wash steps a substrate is added. A colored product is formed in proportion to the amount of MIP-2 present in the sample. The reaction is terminated by addition of acid and absorbance is measured at 450nm. A standard curve is prepared from seven MIP-2 standard dilutions and MIP-2 sample concentration determined.

Restrictions: For Research Use only

## Handling

Storage: 4 °C