

## Animal-Free MCP-1/CCL2 Protein, Mouse (His)

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-P700164AF
<b>Synonyms:</b>	Monocyte Chemotactic Protein-1; MCP-1; JE
<b>Species:</b>	Mouse
<b>Source:</b>	E. coli
<b>Accession:</b>	P10148 (Q24-N148)
<b>Gene ID:</b>	20296
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	Approximately 14.65 kDa

### PROPERTIES

<b>AA Sequence</b>	<p>           Q P D A V N A P L T    C C Y S F T S K M I    P M S R L E S Y K R    I T S S R C P K E A            V V F V T K L K R E    V C A D P K K E W V    Q T Y I K N L D R N    Q M R S E P T T L F            K T A S A L R S S A    P L N V K L T R K S    E A N A S T T F S T    T T S S T S V G V T            S V T V N         </p>
<b>Biological Activity</b>	Measure by its ability to chemoattract BaF3 cells transfected with CCR2A. The ED <sub>50</sub> for this effect is <8 ng/mL.
<b>Appearance</b>	Lyophilized powder.
<b>Formulation</b>	Lyophilized from a solution containing 1X PBS, pH 7.4.
<b>Endotoxin Level</b>	<0.1 EU per 1 µg of the protein by the LAL method.
<b>Reconstitution</b>	It is not recommended to reconstitute to a concentration less than 100 µg/mL in ddH <sub>2</sub> O.
<b>Storage &amp; Stability</b>	Stored at -20°C for 2 years. After reconstitution, it is stable at 4°C for 1 week or -20°C for longer (with carrier protein). It is recommended to freeze aliquots at -20°C or -80°C for extended storage.
<b>Shipping</b>	Room temperature in continental US; may vary elsewhere.

### DESCRIPTION

<b>Background</b>	<p>MCP-1/CCL2 protein acts as a ligand for C-C chemokine receptor CCR2, initiating a robust chemotactic response and intracellular calcium mobilization through CCR2 binding and activation. It demonstrates chemotactic activity for monocytes and basophils while not affecting neutrophils or eosinophils. Playing a pivotal role in mediating peripheral nerve injury-induced neuropathic pain, MCP-1/CCL2 also enhances NMDA-mediated synaptic transmission in both dopamine D1 and D2 receptor-containing neurons, potentially involving MAPK/ERK-dependent phosphorylation of GRIN2B/NMDAR2B. Existing as a monomer or homodimer in equilibrium, it is tethered to endothelial cells by glycosaminoglycan (GAG) side chains of proteoglycans and interacts with TNFAIP6 through its Link domain.</p>
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**Caution: Product has not been fully validated for medical applications. For research use only.**

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