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## 32-5586: Recombinant HIV-1 TAT Clade-A

## **Description**

Source: Escherichia Coli. HIV-1 TAT Clade-A Recombinant produced in E.coli is a single, non-glycosylated, polypeptide chain having the Accession number: AY194047.1. Human immunodeficiency virus type-1 (HIV-1) regulatory Tat protein plays an essential role in viral replication (Jones KA, 1994) and infectivity (Arya SK, 1985; Fisher AG, 1986). In addition, during acute infection, Tat is released extracellularly by infected cells (Chang HC, 1997; Ensoli B, 1990) and is taken up by neighboring cells where it transactivates viral replication (Ensoli B, 1993) and increases virus infectivity. HIV-1 Tat activates transcription of HIV-1 viral genes by inducing phosphorylation of the C-terminal domain (CTD) of RNA polymerase II (RNAPII). Tat can also disturb cellular metabolism by inhibiting proliferation of antigen-specific T lymphocytes and by inducing cellular apoptosis. Tat-induced apoptosis of T-cells is attributed, in part, to the distortion of microtubules polymerization. LIS1 is a microtubule-associated protein that facilitates microtubule polymerization.

## **Product Info**

Amount:  $10 \mu g$ 

**Purification :** Greater than 90.0% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

**Content:** Lyophilized with 10% glycerol.

Lyophilized HIV-1 TAT although stable at room temperature for 1 week, should be stored desiccated below -18°C. Upon reconstitution HIV-1 TAT should be stored at 4°C between 2-7

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days and for future use below -18°C. For long-term storage it is recommended to add a carrier

protein (0.1% HSA or BSA). Please prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

## **Application Note**

It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized HIV-1 TAT in sterile  $18M\tilde{A}\Box\hat{A}\odot$ -cm H2O not less than  $100\tilde{A}\Box\hat{A}\mu g/ml$ , which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

