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HIV-1 p31 Integrase

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VAG0332

Product Overview

Name	HIV-1 p31 Integrase

Description

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Introduction

Integrase is an enzyme produced by the HIV which enables its genetic material to be integrated into the DNA of the infected cell and is a key component in the pre-integration complex. HIV integrase contains 3 domains, an N-terminal HH-CC zinc fingerdomainwhich is partially responsible for multimerization, a central catalytic domain and a C-terminal domain. Both Central catalytic domain and C-terminal domains have been shown to bind both viral and cellular DNA. No crystal structure data exists with Integrase bound to its DNA substrates. HIV-1 integrase functions as a dimeror a tetramer. Additionally, several host cellular proteins interact with integrase and may facilitate the integration process.

Source

Escherichia Coli.

Physical Appearance

Sterile filtered colorless clear solution.

Formulation

1.5M urea, 25mM Tris-HCl pH 8.0, 0.2% Triton-X & 50% Glycerol.

Stability

HIV-1 Integrase p31 although stable at 4°C for 1 week, should be stored below -18°C. Please prevent freeze thaw cycles.

Purity

Greater than 95.0% as determined by HPLC analysis and SDS-PAGE.

Applications

HIV-1 Integrase p31 antigen is suitable for ELISA and Western blots, excellent antigen for early detection of HIV seroconvertors with minimal specificity problems.

Specificity

Immunoreactive with all sera of HIV-1 infected individuals.

Precautions

HIV-1 p31 Integrase is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

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