

#### Source

HIV-1 (HXB2) GP41 Pre-hairpin intermediate Protein, His Tag(GP1-H51H3) is expressed from E. coli cells. It contains AA Ala 533 - Leu 856 (Accession # P04578).

Predicted N-terminus: Met

#### **Molecular Characterization**

GP41(Ala 533 - Leu 856) P04578

Poly-his

This protein carries a polyhistidine tag at the C-terminus.

The protein has a calculated MW of 44.3 kDa. The protein migrates as Band dispersion when calibrated against <u>Star Ribbon Pre-stained Protein Marker</u> under reducing (R) condition (SDS-PAGE).

#### Endotoxin

Less than 1.0 EU per µg by the LAL method.

## **Purity**

>85% as determined by SDS-PAGE.

#### **Formulation**

Supplied as 0.2  $\mu m$  filtered solution in 50 mM HEPES, 150 mM NaCl, pH7.5 with glycerol as protectant.

Contact us for customized product form or formulation.

### **Shipping**

This product is supplied and shipped with dry ice, please inquire the shipping cost.

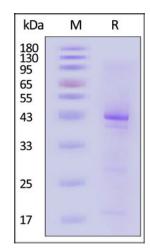
### **Storage**

Please avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.

This product is stable after storage at:

- The product MUST be stored at -70°C or lower upon receipt;
- -70°C for 3 months under sterile conditions.

#### **SDS-PAGE**



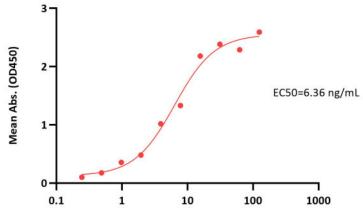
HIV-1 (HXB2) GP41 Pre-hairpin intermediate Protein, His Tag on SDS-PAGE under reducing (R) condition. The gel was stained with Coomassie Blue. The purity of the protein is greater than 85% (With <u>Star Ribbon Pre-stained Protein Marker</u>).

## **Bioactivity-ELISA**





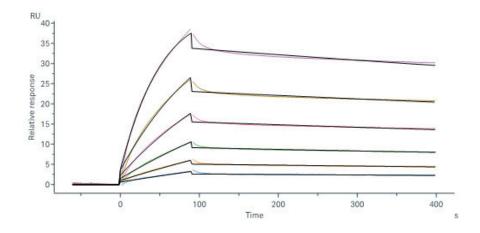
HIV-1 (HXB2) GP41 Pre-hairpin intermediate Protein, His Tag ELISA 0.1  $\mu$ g of HIV-1 (HXB2) GP41 Pre-hairpin intermediate Protein, His Tag per well



Monoclonal Anti-HIV-1 GP41 Antibody, Human IgG1 (2F5) Conc. (ng/mL)

Immobilized HIV-1 (HXB2) GP41 Pre-hairpin intermediate Protein, His Tag (Cat. No. GP1-H51H3) at 1  $\mu$ g/mL (100  $\mu$ L/well) can bind Monoclonal Anti-HIV-1 GP41 Antibody, Human IgG1 (2F5) with a linear range of 0.2-16 ng/mL (QC tested).

## **Bioactivity-SPR**



Monoclonal Anti-HIV-1 GP41 Antibody, Human IgG1 (2F5) captured on Protein A Chip can bind HIV-1 (HXB2) GP41 Pre-hairpin intermediate Protein, His Tag (Cat. No. GP1-H51H3) with an affinity constant of 0.468 nM as determined in a SPR assay (Biacore 8K) (Routinely tested).

# Background

Infection by HIV-1 involves the fusion of viral and cellular membranes with subsequent transfer of viral genetic material into the cell. The HIV-1 envelope glycoprotein that mediates fusion consists of the surface subunit gp120 and the transmembrane subunit gp41. gp120 directs virion attachment to the cell-surface receptors, and gp41 then promotes viral-cell membrane fusion. A soluble, alpha-helical, trimeric complex within gp41 composed of N-terminal and C-terminal extraviral segments has been proposed to represent the core of the fusion-active conformation of the HIV-1 envelope. Three N-terminal helices within the bundle form a central, parallel, trimeric coiled coil, whereas three C-terminal helices pack in the reverse direction into three hydrophobic grooves on the surface of the N-terminal trimer. This thermostable subdomain displays the salient features of the core structure of the isolated gp41 subunit and thus provides a possible target for therapeutics designed selectively to block HIV-1 entry.

#### **Clinical and Translational Updates**

