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# Product datasheet

# Recombinant HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase protein (Active) ab63979

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**Description** 

Product name Recombinant HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase protein (Active)

**Biological activity** 5,000 units/ml.

Definition of activity: Activity of 1 nanomole intake of dTMP in 10 min is considered 1 unit with

poly(rA) and oligo(dT) as template and primer at 37°C.

Purity > 90 % SDS-PAGE.

(CBB staining) Fractionated by step-wise ammonium sulfate precipitation.

**Expression system** Escherichia coli

Accession P04585

Protein length Full length protein

Animal free No

**Nature** Recombinant

Species HIV-1

Additional sequence information Composed of two subunits whose molecular weights are 66 kD and 51 kD, same as the those of

the enzyme purified from AIDS virus particles. (GenBank AAA44988.1)

# **Specifications**

Our <u>Abpromise guarantee</u> covers the use of ab63979 in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

**Applications** ELISA

SDS-PAGE

**Functional Studies** 

Western blot

Form Liquid

Additional notes ab63979 has been derived from infectious plasmid clone pNL4-3 and belongs to Group B of HIV-

1.

Applications:

1) It is extremely effective for screening new specific inhibitors for HIV virus as a drug for treating

AIDS.

- 2) Generally, Gag and Env proteins are employed as antigens for detecting anti-HIV-1 antibody. However, by using this enzyme in combination as an antigen, the detection will be more sensitive.
- 3) Reverse transcriptases are used in the first step of RT-PCR reaction for converting RNA to DNA. The HIV-1 reverse transcriptase can also be applied for RT-PCR method.

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#### **Preparation and Storage**

# **Stability and Storage**

Shipped at 4°C. Upon delivery aliquot. Store at -20°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

pH: 6

Constituents: 0.1% Triton-X-100, 0.05% Magnesium chloride, 0.63% Tris HCl, 50% Glycerol, 0.29% Sodium chloride, 0.0154% DTT

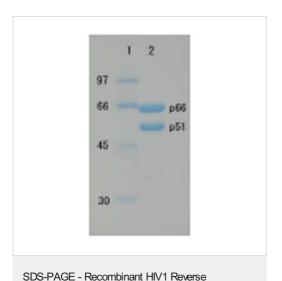
This product is an active protein and may elicit a biological response in vivo, handle with caution.

#### **General Info**

#### Relevance

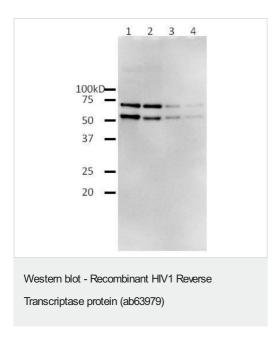
HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase is an RNA-dependent DNA polymerase of HIV1 (AIDS virus), subtype B origin. It is responsible for the production of a double stranded DNA copy of the single stranded RNA genome that is contained in the HIV1 virus particle and primed by the host cell lysine-tRNA which partly unfolds and anneals to the 5' end of the viral genomic RNA. This is extended by the polymerase function of RT to give a DNA-RNA hybrid. It also has RNaseH activity which degrades the RNA component of this hybrid once it has been copied.

# **Images**



Transcriptase protein (ab63979)

Polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis of ab63979.



**All lanes :** Anti-HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase antibody [39/4.12.2] (ab9066) at 1/2000 dilution

**Lane 1 :** Recombinant HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase protein (Active) (ab63979) at 0.04 μg

**Lane 2**: Recombinant HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase protein (Active) (ab63979) at 0.02 μg

Lane 3: Recombinant HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase protein (Active) (ab63979) at 0.004 µg

Lane 4: Recombinant HIV1 Reverse Transcriptase protein (Active) (ab63979) at 0.002 µg

# Secondary

**All lanes :** Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab6721) at 1/5000 dilution

Developed using the ECL technique.

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