

MATERIAL DATA SHEET

Recombinant Human Tau 381 (1N3R)

Cat. # SP-498

Tau is a microtubule-associated protein expressed primarily in neurons. Carboxy-terminal domains of Tau associate with and stabilize microtubule structure, while other domains bind to the plasma membrane. Abnormal Tau phosphorylation may result in the self-assembly of tangles of paired helical and/or straight filaments, which are involved in the pathogenesis of Alzheimer's disease and other neurodegenerative diseases. Properly folded Tau is highly soluble, but when the protein becomes misfolded it forms insoluble aggregates that can damage cytoplasmic functions, interfere with axonal transport and ultimately lead to cell death. There are multiple forms of Tau--this 381 amino acid isoform is known as "1N3R," "Isoform Tau-B" or "Tau 381" and is referenced in UniProt as P10636-4. This recombinant protein is untagged.

Product Information

Quantity:	100 µg
MW:	40 kDa
Source:	<i>E. coli</i> -derived human Tau protein Accession # P10636-4
Stock:	2.0 mg/ml (50 µM) in PBS pH 7.4
Purity:	>95%, by SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions and visualized by Colloidal Coomassie® Blue stain.

Use & Storage

Use:	Concentrations for in vitro assays will depend on experimental conditions and detection methods.
Storage:	Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 12 months from date of receipt, -70 °C as supplied.• 3 months, -70 °C under sterile conditions after opening.

Literature

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