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# Recombinant Rat Cyt-C protein (GST Tag)

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Note: Centrifuge before opening to ensure complete recovery of vial contents.

### Description

**Species** Rat

Source E.coli-derived Rat Cyt-C protein Met1-Glu 105, with an N-terminal GST

Calculated MW11.4 kDaObserved MW28 kDaAccessionP62898

**Bio-activity** Not validated for activity

#### **Properties**

**Purity** > 90% as determined by reducing SDS-PAGE.

**Endotoxin** < 10 EU/mg of the protein as determined by the LAL method

Storage Generally, lyophilized proteins are stable for up to 12 months when stored at -20 to -80

°C. Reconstituted protein solution can be stored at 4-8°C for 2-7 days. Aliquots of

reconstituted samples are stable at < -20°C for 3 months.

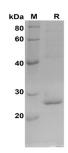
ShippingThis product is provided as lyophilized powder which is shipped with ice packs.FormulationLyophilized from a 0.2 μm filtered solution in PBS with 5% Trehalose and 5%

Mannitol.

**Reconstitution** It is recommended that sterile water be added to the vial to prepare a stock solution of

0.5 mg/mL. Concentration is measured by UV-Vis.

## Data



SDS-PAGE analysis of Rat Cyt-C proteins, 2µg/lane of Recombinant Rat Cyt-C proteins was resolved with SDS-PAGE under reducing conditions, showing bands at 28 KD.

# Background

Electron carrier protein. The oxidized form of the cytochrome c heme group can accept an electron from the heme group of the cytochrome c1 subunit of cytochrome reductase. Cytochrome c then transfers this electron to the cytochrome oxidase complex, the final protein carrier in the mitochondrial electron-transport chain. Plays a role in apoptosis. Suppression of the anti-apoptotic members or activation of the pro-apoptotic members of the Bcl-2 family leads to altered mitochondrial membrane permeability resulting in release of cytochrome c into the cytosol. Binding of cytochrome c to Apaf-1 triggers the activation of caspase-9, which then accelerates apoptosis by activating other caspases.

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