

Spike Glycoprotein (Stabilized) from SARS-Related Coronavirus 2, Delta Variant with C-Terminal Histidine and Avi Tags, Recombinant from HEK293 Cells

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Product Description:

A recombinant form of the spike (S) glycoprotein from severe acute respiratory syndrome-related coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2), Delta variant (B.1.617.2 lineage) was produced in human embryonic kidney HEK293 cells and purified by immobilized metal affinity chromatography.^{1,2,3,4} NR-55614 lacks the signal sequence and contains 1194 residues (ectodomain) of the SARS-CoV-2 S glycoprotein; the recombinant protein was stabilized by substitution at the furin S1/S2 cleavage site (RRAR→GSAS; residues 682 to 685) and KV→PP mutations (residues 986 and 987; wild type numbering), and includes a T4 foldon trimerization domain, HRV3C protease cleavage site and C-terminal octa-histidine tag fused to an AviTag™ BirA biotinylation acceptor sequence.^{1,2,3} NR-55614 includes T19R, G142D, delE156-F157, R158G, L452R, T478K, D614G, P681R and D950N mutations in the S glycoprotein as compared to the SARS-CoV-2 reference sequence (GenPept: [QHD43416](#)).^{1,5,6} The predicted protein sequence is shown in Figure 1.¹ NR-55614 has a theoretical molecular weight of 139,500 daltons. The crystal structure for trimeric S glycoprotein from SARS-CoV-2 has been solved at 3.46 Å resolution (PDB: [6VSB](#)).²

The S glycoprotein mediates viral binding to the host angiotensin converting enzyme 2 (ACE2). This protein forms a trimer, and when bound to a host receptor allows fusion of the viral and cellular membranes.⁷ B.1.617.2 is one of several lineages and sublineages designated Delta by the World Health Organization (WHO) and was first identified in India.⁸ This lineage contains multiple mutations in the N-terminal domain (NTD) and the receptor-binding domain (RBD), such as L452R which has already been identified in other variants.^{8,9} The L452R mutation has been shown to decrease sensitivity to neutralizing antibodies, increase viral infectivity and enhance viral replication capacity.^{9,10,11}

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 100 µL of NR-55614 in 10 mM HEPES, pH 7, 150 mM NaCl and 2 mM ethylenediamine-tetraacetic acid (EDTA). The concentration, expressed as mg per mL, is shown on the Certificate of Analysis.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-55614 was packaged aseptically in cryovials. The product is provided on dry ice and should be stored at -20°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Storage at warmer temperatures is not recommended due to a low bioburden. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

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Figure 1: Predicted Protein Sequence

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1  SQCVNLRTRT QLPPAYTNSF TRGVYYPDKV FRSSVLHSTQ DLFLPFFSNV
51  TWFHAIHVSG TNGTKRFDNP VLPFNDGVYF ASTEKSNIIR GWIFGTTLDS
101  KTQSLLIVNN ATNVVIKVCE FQFCNDPFLD VYYHKNNKSW MESGVYSSAN
151  NCTFEYVSQP FLMDLEGKQG NEKNLREFVF KNIDGYFKIY SKHTPINLVR
201  DLPQGFSALE PLVDLPIGIN ITRFQTLAL HRSYLTPGDS SSGWTAGAAA
251  YYVGYLQPRF FLLKYNENGT ITDAVDCALD PLSETKCTLK SFTVEKGIYQ
301  TSNFRVQPTE SIVRFPNITN LCPLFGEVFN TRFASVYAWN RKRISNCVAD
351  YSVLYNSASF STFVKYGVSP TKLNDLCFTN VYADSFVIRG DEVRQIAPGQ
401  TGKIADYNYK LPDDFTGCVI AWNSNLDLSD VGGNYNYR YR LFRKSNLKP
451  ERDISTEIQ AGSKPCNGVE GFNCYFPLQS YGFQPTNGVG YQPYRVVLS
501  FELLHAPATV CGPKKSTNLV KNKCVNFNFN GLTGTGVLTE SNKKFLPFQ
551  FGRDIADTTD AVRDPQTLEI LDITPCSF GG VSVITPGTNT SNQVAVLYQ
601  VNCTEVPVAI HADQLTPTWR VYSTGSNVFQ TRAGCLIGAE HVNNSYECDI
651  PIGAGICASY QTQTSRGS SA SSVASQSI IA YTMSLGAENS VAYSNNIAI
701  PTNFTISVTT EILPVSMTKT SVDCTMYICG DSTECSNLLL QYGSFCTQLN
751  RALTGIAVEQ DKNTQEVFAQ VKQIYKTPPI KDFGGFNFSQ ILPDPSKPSK
801  RSFIEDLLFN KVTLADAGFI KQYGDCLGDI AARDLICAQK ENGLTVLPPL
851  LTDEMIAQYT SALLAGTITS GWTFGAGAAL QIPFAMQMAY RFNGIGVTQN
901  VLYENQKLIA NQFNSAIGKI QDSLSTASA LGKLQNVVNO NAQALNTLVK
951  QLSSNFGAIS SVLNDILSRL DPPEAEVQID RLITGRLOSL QTYVTQQLIR
1001  AAEIRASANL AATKMSECVL GQSKRVDFCG KGYHLMSFPQ SAPHGVVFLH
1051  VTYVPAQEK FTTAPAICHG GKAHFPREGV FVSNQTHWV TQRNFYEPQI
1101  ITTDNTFVSG NCDVVIGIVN NTVYDPLQPE LDSFKEELDK YFKNHTSPDV
1151  DLGDISGINA SVVNIQKEID RLNEVAKNLN ESLIDLQELG KYEQSGSYIP
1201  EAPRDGQAYV RKDGEWVLLS TFLGRSLEVL FQPGGSHHH HHHHGLNDIF
1251  EAQKIEWHE

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Spike ectodomain – **Residues 1 to 1194** (represents WT amino acid residues 13 to 1208)

RRAR to GSAS substitution of S1/S2 cleavage site – Residues 668 to 671

KV to PP stabilizing mutations – Residues 972 and 973

T19R, G142D, R158G, L452R, T478K, D614G, P681R and D950N mutations –

Residues 7, 130, 144, 438, 464, 600, 667 and 936

T4 foldon trimerization domain – Residues 1197 to 1223

HRV3C protease cleavage site – Residues 1227 to 1234

Octa-histidine tag and AviTag™ – Residues 1237 to 1259