

Product Information Sheet for HRP-11680

Raltegravir

Catalog No. HRP-11680

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Contributor:

Division of AIDS (DAIDS), National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID)

Manufacturer:

Biosynth® Carbosynth

Product Description:

Raltegravir (brand name: Isentress®; MK-0518; also referred to as raltegravir potassium) is an orally bioavailable Human Immunodeficiency Virus type 1 (HIV-1) integrase inhibitor. Inhibition of the viral integrase prevents the insertion of HIV DNA into the human DNA genome, blocking the ability of HIV-1 to replicate. Raltegravir inhibits the spread of HIV-1 IIIB infection in MT-4 cell culture with 95% cell culture inhibitory concentration values of 19 and 31 nM in medium containing 10% heat-inactivated fetal bovine serum or 50% normal human serum. Formulations containing raltegravir have been used in combination therapy in the treatment of HIV-1 infection.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 2.0 mg of raltegravir (potassium salt).

Note: Raltegravir is soluble in water and dimethylsulfoxide (DMSO), but only slightly soluble in methanol and ethanol. It is insoluble in acetonitrile and isopropanol.

Packaging/Storage:

HRP-11680 was packaged in amber glass vials and is provided on dry ice. HRP-12732 should be stored at 2°C to 8°C, protected from light immediately upon arrival. Once resuspended, working aliquots can be stored at -20°C. The vial should be centrifuged prior to opening.

Citation:

Acknowledgment for publications should read "The following reagent was obtained through the NIH HIV Reagent Program, NIAID, NIH: Raltegravir, HRP-11680, contributed by DAIDS/NIAID."

Biosafety Level: 1

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in the following publication: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories. 6th ed.

Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2020; see www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm.

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