# Tau Protein

Active Human Recombinant Tau441 (2N4R), P301S mutant Protein Pre-formed Fibrils Catalog No. SPR-329



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### **Product Name**

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### Description

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#### Applications

WB, SDS-PAGE, In vivo assay, In vitro assay

#### Concentration

Lot/batch specific. See included datasheet.

#### Conjugates

No tag

Nature

Recombinant

**Species** 

Human

#### **Expression System**

E. coli

## **Amino Acid Sequence**

MAEPRQEFEV MEDHAGTYGL GDRKDQGGYT MHQDQEGDTD AGLKESPLQT PTEDGSEEPG SETSDAKSTP TAED VTAPLV DEGAPGKQAA AQPHTEIPEG TTAEEAGIGD TPSLEDEAAG HVTQARMVSK SKDGTGSDDK KAKGADGKTK IATPRGAAPP GQKGQANATR IPAKTPPAPK TPPSSGEPPK SGDRSGYSSP GSPGTPGSRS RTPSLPTPPT REPKKVAV VR TPPKSPSSAK SRLQTAPVPM PDLKNVKSKI GSTENLKHQP GGGKVQIINK KLDLSNVQSK CGSKDNIKHVSGGGS VQIVY KPVDLSKVTS KCGSLGNIHH KPGGGQVEVK SEKLDFKDRV QSKIGSLDNI THVPGGGNKK IETHKLTFRE NA KAKTDHGA EIVYKSPVVS GDTSPRHLSN VSSTGSIDMV DSPQLATLAD EVSASLAKQG L

## **Protein Length**

Full Length

## **Biological Activity**

Thioflavin T emission curve shows increased fluorescence (correlated to tau protein fibrillation) when active tau PFFs are combined with active tau monomers.

### **Field Of Use**

Not for use in humans. Not for use in diagnostics or therapeutics. For in vitro research use only.

## **Properties**

#### **Storage Buffer**

10 mM HEPES, 100 mM NaCl pH 7.4

#### **Storage Temperature**

-80°C

#### **Shipping Temperature**

Dry Ice. Shipping note: Product will be shipped separately from other products purchased in the same order.

#### **Purification**

Ion-exchange Purified

#### Specificity

~45.8 kDa

### **Cite This Product**

Human Recombinant Tau Protein (StressMarq Biosciences Inc., Victoria BC CANADA, Catalog # SPR-329)

## **Biological Description**

#### **Alternative Names**

Active tau PFFs, active tau protein preformed fibrils, active tau aggregates, microtubule-associated protein tau, MAPT, MAP, microtubule-associated protein, tau-441, Paired Helical Filament-Tau, Phf-Tau, Neurofibrillary Tangle Protein, G Protein Beta1/Gamma2 Subunit-Interacting Factor 1, Isoform 2, tubulin-associated unit

Alzheimer's Disease, Axon Markers, Cell Markers, Cell Signaling, Cytoskeleton, Microtubules, MT Associated Proteins, Neurodegeneration, Neuron Markers, Neuroscience, Tangles & Tau

## **Cellular Localization**

Cytoplasm, Axolemma, Axolemma Plasma Membrane, Axon, Cell Body, Cell membrane, Cytoplasmic Ribonucleoprotein Granule, Cytoplasmic Side, Cytoskeleton, Cytosol, Dendrite, Growth cone, Microtubule, Microtubule Associated Complex, Neurofibrillary Tangle, Neuronal Cell Body, Nuclear Periphery, Nuclear Speck, Nucleus, Peripheral membrane protein, Plasma Membrane, Tubulin Complex

Accession Number	
NP_005901.2	
Gene ID	
4137	
Swiss Prot	
P10636	

## Scientific Background

Alzheimer's Disease (AD) is the most common neurodegenerative disease, affecting 10% of seniors over the age of 65 (1). It was named after Alois Alzheimer, a German scientist who discovered tangled bundles of fibrils where neurons had once been in the brain of a deceased patient in 1907 (2). Tau (tubulinassociated unit) is normally located in the axons of neurons where it stabilizes microtubules. Tauopathies such as AD are characterized by neurofibrillary tangles containing hyperphosphorylated tau fibrils (3). There are six isoforms of tau in the adult human brain: three with four repeat units (4R) and three with three repeat units (3R) (4). 2N4R, or Tau-441 is the full length tau protein. P301S is a mutation encoded by exon 10 (4) that impairs the ability of tau to assemble microtubules (5).

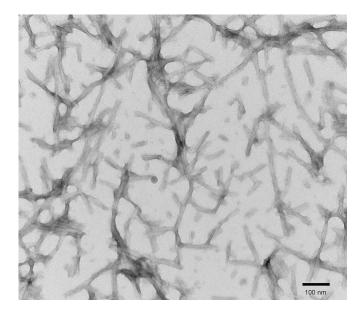
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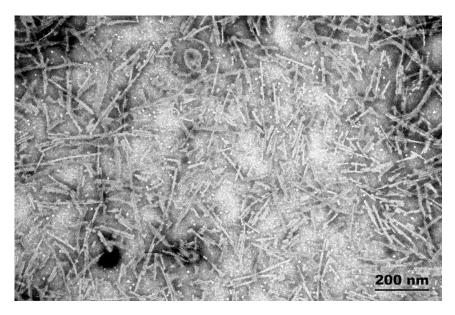
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## **Product Images**

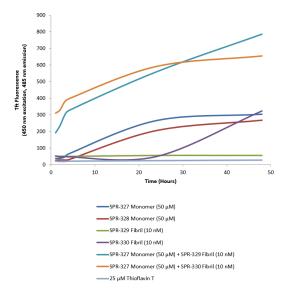


TEM of recombinant Tau441 (2N4R), P301S mutant preformed fibrils (PFFs) at 150kx magnification. HV = 80kV. Fibrils were sonicated and stained with uranyl acetate.

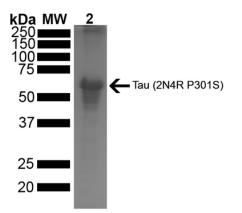


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Thioflavin T is a fluorescent dye that binds to beta sheet-rich structures such as those in tau fibrils. Upon binding, the emission spectrum of the dye experiences a red-shift, and increased fluorescence intensity. Thioflavin T emission curves show increased fluorescence (correlated to tau aggregation) when tau preformed fibrils (SPR-329) are combined with tau monomers (SPR-327). The preformed fibrils seed the formation of new fibrils from a pool of monomers. Thioflavin T ex = 450 nm, em = 485 nm.



SDS-PAGE of ~67 kDa Human Tau Protein 2N4R P301S Preformed Fibrils (SPR-329). Lane 1: MW Ladder. Lane 2: Tau Protein Preformed Fibrils (SPR-329)