

## Recombinant Rat Cardiotrophin-1 (rRtCT-1)

## **ChemWhat Technical Data Sheet (TDS)**

Catalog Number:	641-30
Source:	Escherichia coli.
Molecular Weight:	Approximately 21.4 kDa, a single non-glycosylated polypeptide chain containing 203 amino acids.
Quantity:	2µg/10µg/1000µg
AA Sequence:	MSQREGSLED HQTDSSFSFL PHLEAKIRQT HNLARLLTKY ADQLLEEYVQ QQGEPFGLPG
	FSPPRLPLAG LSGPAPSHAG LPVSERLRQD AAALSALPAL LDAVRRRQAE LNPRAPRLLR
	SLEDAARQVR ALGAAVETVL AALGAAARGP VPEPVATSAL FTSNSAAGVF
	SAKVLGLHVC GLYGEWVSRT EGDLGQLVPG GVA
Purity:	> 95 % by SDS-PAGE and HPLC analyses.
<b>Biological Activity:</b>	Fully biologically active when compared to standard. The ED <sub>50</sub> as determined by a cell proliferation
	assay using human TF-1 cells is less than 0.5 ng/ml, corresponding to a specific activity of > 2.0 $ imes$
	10 <sup>6</sup> IU/mg.
Physical Appearance:	Sterile Filtered White lyophilized (freeze-dried) powder.
Formulation:	Lyophilized from a 0.2 µm filtered concentrated solution in 30 % Acetonitrile, 0.1 % TFA.
Endotoxin:	Less than 1 EU/µg of rRtCT-1 as determined by LAL method.
<b>Reconstitution:</b>	We recommend that this vial be briefly centrifuged prior to opening to bring the contents to the
	bottom. Reconstitute in 4mM HCl to a concentration of 0.1-1.0 mg/ml. Stock solutions should be
	apportioned into working aliquots and stored at $\leq$ -20 °C. Further dilutions should be made in
	appropriate buffered solutions.
Shipping:	The product is shipped at ambient temperature. Upon receipt, store it immediately at the temperature
	recommended below.
Stability & Storage:	Use a manual defrost freezer and avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles.
	<ul> <li>12 months from date of receipt, -20 to -70 °C as supplied.</li> </ul>
	• 1 month, 2 to 8 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.
	• 3 months, -20 to -70 °C under sterile conditions after reconstitution.
Usage:	ChemWhat Limited in UK offers this branded product for research, development or further
	evaluation purposes. NOT FOR HUMAN USE.

## Rat Cardiotrophin-1

Cardiotrophin-1 (CT-1) is a member of the cytokine family which also includes IL-6, IL-11, leukemia inhibitory factor (LIF), oncostatin M (OSM), and ciliary neurotrophic factor (CNTF). CT-1 is a pleiotropic cytokine which is expressed in various tissues including the adult heart, skeletal muscle, ovary, colon, prostate and fetal lung. Studies showed CT-1 which induces cardiac myocyte hypertrophy in vitro can bind to and activate the ILST/gp130 receptor. Rat CT-1 encodes a 203 amino acid (a.a.) residue protein that lacks a hydrophobic signal peptide and it shares 94 % a.a. and 79 % a.a. sequence identity with human and murine CT-1.

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