# HSV-60c/LyoVec™

## Viral DNA motif complexed with LyoVec<sup>™</sup>- Negative Control

Catalog # tlrl-hsv60cc

## For research use only

Version # 13D08-MM

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

#### **Content:**

- 100 μg HSV-60c/LyoVec™

<u>Note:</u> Each vial contains 25  $\mu g$  of HSV-60c complexed with 50  $\mu g$  LyoVec.

- 10 ml endotoxin-free water

#### **Sequence:**

5'-TAAGACACGATGCGATAAAATCTGTTTGTAAAATTTATTA-AGGGTACAAATTGCCCTAGC-3'

#### **Storage:**

- HSV-60c/LyoVec<sup>™</sup> is provided lyophilized and shipped at room temperature. Store lyophilized product at -20°C. Lyophilized product is stable for 12 months when properly stored.
- Upon resuspension, store HSV-60c/LyoVec™ at 4°C. Resuspended product is stable 1 week when properly stored.

## **DESCRIPTION**

Intracellular DNA from pathogens is recognized by multiple cytosolic DNA sensors (CDSs), which display contextual preferences for the recognition of DNA¹. HSV-60 derives from the herpes simplex virus 1 genome². Transfected HSV-60 was shown to potently induce interferon-beta (IFN- $\beta$ ) in a TLR-, DAI and RNA Pol III-independent, but STING-, TBK1- and IRF3-dependent manner. HSV-60 is recognized by the CDSs, DDX41³ and IFI16².

HSV-60c is a control for HSV-60. HSV-60c is a single-stranded oligonucleotide, which unlike its double-stranded counterpart does not induce type I IFNs. HSV-60c is complexed with the cationic lipid LyoVec<sup>™</sup> to facilitate its uptake.

CDS ligands, including transfected HSV-60, trigger type I IFN production and the induction of interferon stimulated genes (ISG) through interferon regulatory factors (IRFs). In order to facilitate their study, InvivoGen has developed stable reporter cells in two well established immune cell models, the human monocytic THP-1 cell line and the murine RAW 264.7 macrophages. These cells express a reporter gene, either SEAP or Lucia®, a secreted luciferase, under the control of an IRF-inducible promoter. For more information visit http://www.invivogen.com/cds-cell-lines

#### **METHODS**

#### Preparation of stock solution (50 µg/ml)

- Add 500 µl endotoxin-free water (provided) per vial of 25 µg HSV-60c/LyoVec™. Mix gently. Allow at least 15 minutes for complete solubilization.
- Store at 4°C. Do not store for more than 1 week.

Below is a protocol for determining type I IFN induction with a CDS ligand. Please note that HSV-60c is a single-stranded oligonucleotide that does not induce type I IFNs. Use HSV-60c/LyoVec™ at the same concentration as the double-stranded oligonucleotide HSV-60/LyoVec™.

#### Induction of type I IFNs in THP1-Lucia ISG cells

Induction of type I IFNs can be studied in a variety of cells. The human monocytic cell line THP-1 has been shown to express all the CDSs<sup>2-4</sup>, with the exception of DAI<sup>5</sup>. A protocol for the induction of type I IFNs using THP1-Lucia™ ISG cells, an IRF-luciferase reporter cell line, is given below:

- Resuspend HSV-60c/LyoVec<sup>™</sup>, as described above.
- Monitor induction of type I IFNs by measuring the levels of IRF-induced Lucia® in the cell culture supernatant using QUANTI-Luc™, a Lucia® detection reagent.

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## RELATED PRODUCTS

Product	Catalog Code	
THP1-Lucia <sup>™</sup> ISG cells	thpl-isg	
Raw-Lucia™ ISG cells	rawl-isg	
QUANTI-Luc™	rep-qlc1	
CDS ligands		
HSV-60/LyoVec™	tlrl-hsv60c	
ISD/LyoVec™	tlrl-isdc	
pCpGfree-giant/LyoVec™	tlrl-cpgfc	
VACV-70/LyoVec™	tlrl-vav70c	

