

# Product Sheet

## TCR Knockout Reporter Cell Line(CD4+)

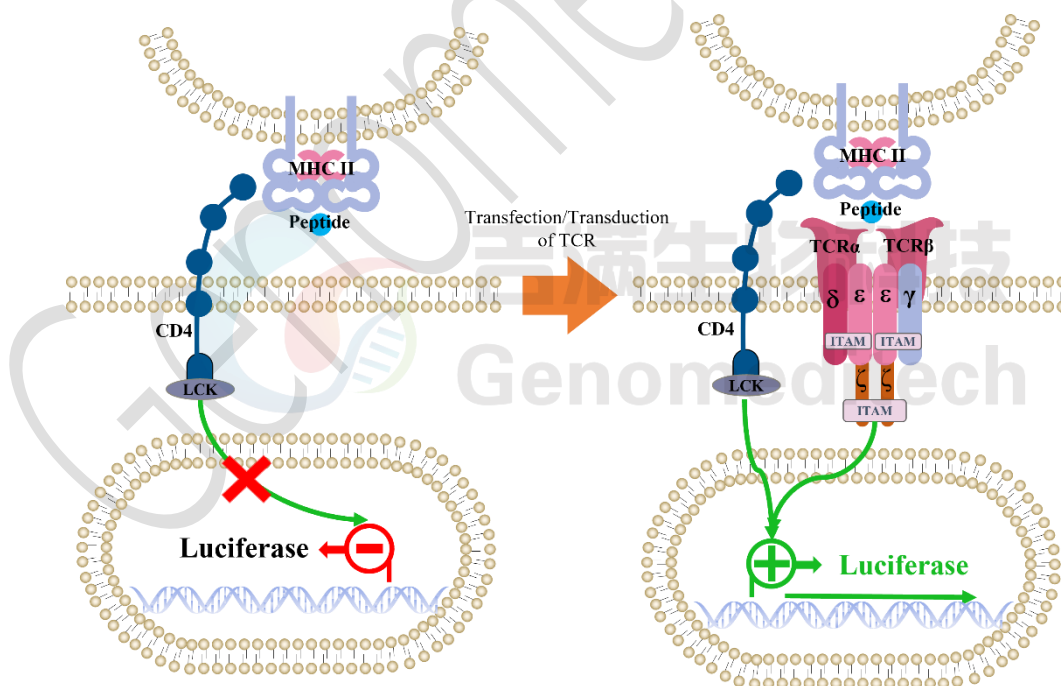
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The T cell receptor (TCR) is crucial for T cells to recognize and bind to antigen peptides presented by major histocompatibility complex (MHC) molecules. CD4 acts as a co-receptor, facilitating T cell recognition and adhesion to MHC class II molecules. Introducing exogenous TCRs enhances T cell's ability to target specific tumor antigens, improving immunotherapy. Sometimes, a patient's T cells may struggle to attack tumor cells effectively; exogenous TCRs can be used to reprogram T cells for greater anti-tumor activity and specificity.

Each T cell has a unique TCR for recognizing various pathogens and tumors. Adding exogenous TCR  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  chains can create a mixed TCR that alters antigen specificity, while mismatches can lessen the effectiveness of the exogenous TCR.

TCR Knockout Reporter Cell Line(CD4+) is a clonal stable cell line constructed using lentiviral technology, knockout endogenously TCR gene, along with signal-dependent expression of a luciferase reporter gene. Researchers can create transgenic TCR cells by introducing a TCR complex, activating them with specific peptides and MHC-expressing APC cells, and measuring luciferase activity afterward. This approach allows for efficient assessment of transgenic TCR efficacy in T cell activation, independent of endogenous TCR interference.



## Specifications

<b>Quantity</b>	5E6 Cells per vial, 1 mL
<b>Product Format</b>	1 vial of frozen cells
<b>Shipping</b>	Shipped on dry ice
<b>Storage Conditions</b>	Liquid nitrogen immediately upon receipt
<b>Recovery Medium</b>	RPMI 1640+10% FBS+1% P.S
<b>Growth medium</b>	RPMI 1640+10% FBS+1% P.S+3.5 µg/mL Blasticidin+400 µg/mL G418+200 µg/mL Hygromycin
<b>Note</b>	None
<b>Freezing Medium</b>	90% FBS+10% DMSO
<b>Growth properties</b>	Suspension
<b>Growth Conditions</b>	37°C, 5% CO <sub>2</sub>
<b>Mycoplasma Testing</b>	The cell line has been screened to confirm the absence of Mycoplasma species.
<b>Safety considerations</b>	Biosafety Level 2
<b>Note</b>	It is recommended to expand the cell culture and store a minimum of 10 vials at an early passage for potential future use.

## Materials

Reagent	Manufacturer/Catalogue No.
RPMI 1640	VivaCell/C3010-0500
Fetal Bovine Serum	Cegrogen biotech/A0500-3010
Pen/Strep	Thermo/15140-122
Blasticidin	Genomeditech/ <a href="#">GM-040404</a>
G418	Genomeditech/ <a href="#">GM-040402</a>
Hygromycin	Genomeditech/ <a href="#">GM-040403</a>
NY-ESO-1 Peptide	GenScript/ RP30225
H_HLA-A*02:01 CHO-K1 Cell Line	In house/
Endogenous TCR Reporter Cell Line(CD4+)	In house/
NY-ESO-1-Specific TCR Reporter Jurkat(TCR KO) Cell Line(CD4+)	In house/
Anti-H_CD4 hIgG1 Antibody(Tregalizumab)	Genomeditech/ <a href="#">GM-28752AB</a>
Anti-CD3 epsilon hIgG1 Antibody [OKT-3 (muromonab)]	Genomeditech/ <a href="#">GM-51478AB</a>
PE anti-human CD8a Antibody	BioLegend/300907

PE/Cyanine7 anti-human TCR  $\alpha/\beta$  Antibody

BioLegend/306719

GMOne-Step Luciferase Reporter Gene Assay Kit

Genomeditech/GM-040503

## Figures

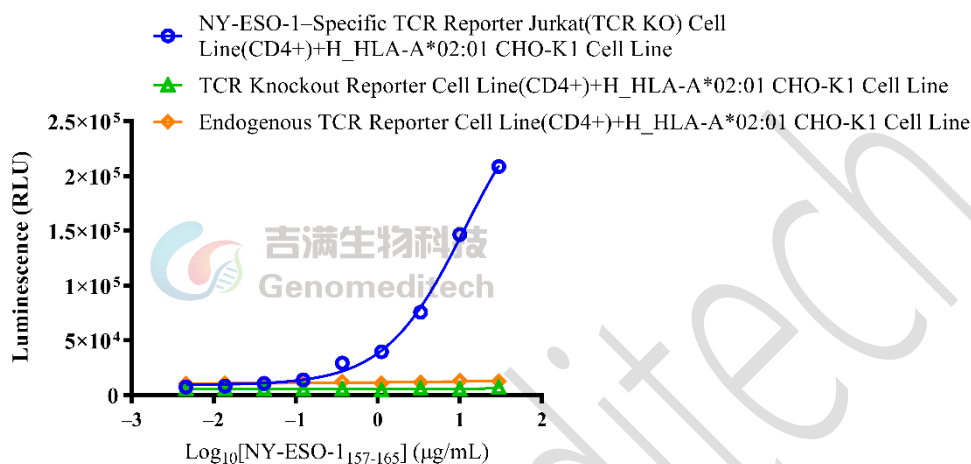


Figure 1 | Response to NY-ESO-1 Peptide. The TCR Knockout Reporter Cell Line(CD4+) (Cat. GM-C28018), NY-ESO-1-Specific TCR Reporter Jurkat(TCR KO) Cell Line(CD4+) and Endogenous TCR Reporter Cell Line(CD4+) at a concentration of 1E5 cells/well were co-cultured with H\_HLA-A\*02:01 CHO-K1 Cell Line at a concentration of 1.5E4 cells/well, in the presence of serial dilutions of the NY-ESO-1 Peptide (GenScript/ RP30225) in assay buffer (RPMI 1640 + 1% FBS + 1% P.S) for 6 hours (96-well format). The firefly luciferase activity was measured using the GMOne-Step Luciferase Reporter Gene Assay Kit (Cat. GM-040503). Data are shown by drug mass concentration.

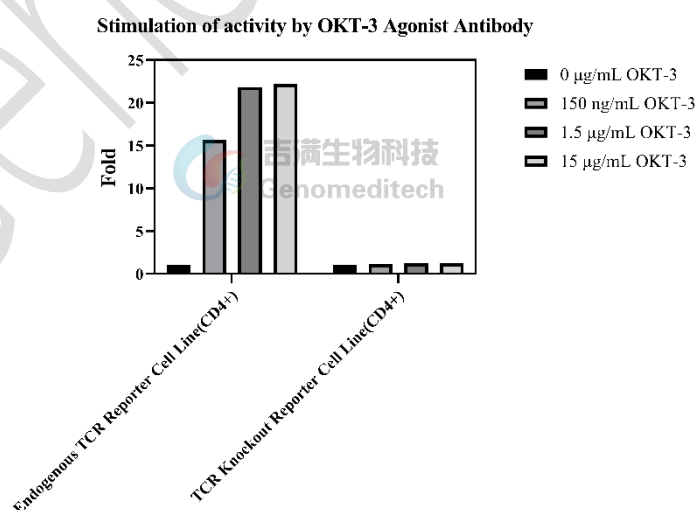


Figure 2 | Response to Anti-CD3 epsilon Antibody [OKT-3 (muromonab)]. The TCR Knockout Reporter Cell Line(CD4+) (Cat. GM-C28018) and Endogenous TCR Reporter Cell Line(CD4+) at a concentration of 1E5 cells/well (96-well format) was stimulated with serial dilutions of Anti-CD3 epsilon Antibody [OKT-3 (muromonab)] (Cat. GM-

51478AB) in assay buffer (RPMI 1640 + 1% FBS + 1% P.S). The firefly luciferase activity was measured using the GMOne-Step Luciferase Reporter Gene Assay Kit (Cat. GM-040503). Data are shown by drug mass concentration.

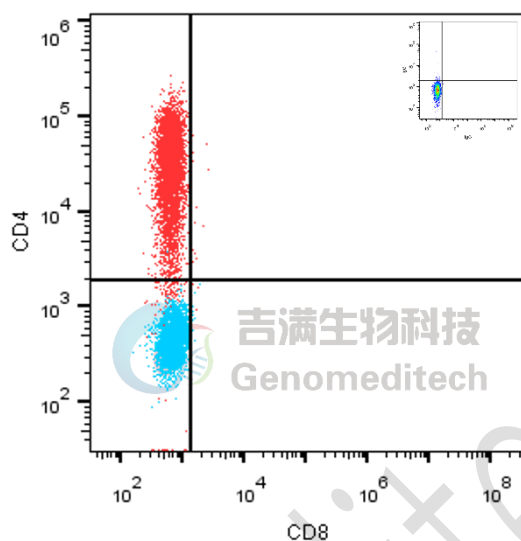


Figure 3 | TCR Knockout Reporter Cell Line(CD4+) (Cat. GM-C28018) was determined by flow cytometry using Anti-H\_CD4 hIgG1 Antibody(Tregalizumab) (Cat. GM-28752AB) and PE anti-human CD8a Antibody (BioLegend/300907).

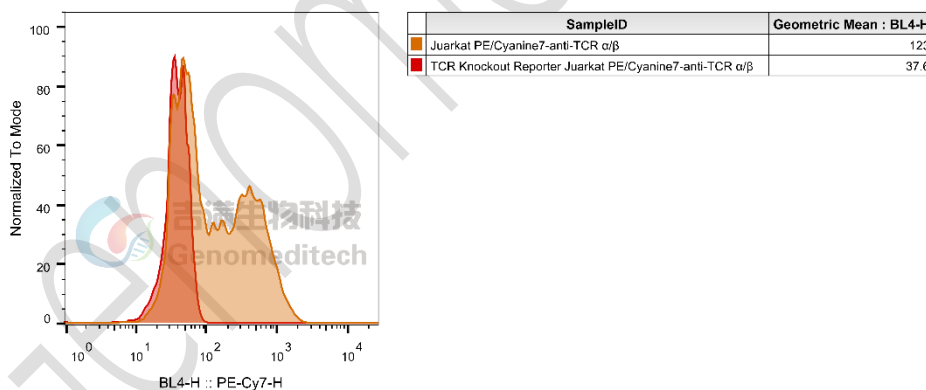


Figure 4 | TCR Knockout Reporter Cell Line(CD4+) (Cat. GM-C28018) was determined by flow cytometry using PE/Cyanine7 anti-human TCR α/β Antibody (BioLegend/306719).

## Cell Recovery

Recovery Medium: RPMI 1640+10% FBS+1% P.S

To insure the highest level of viability, thaw the vial and initiate the culture as soon as possible upon receipt. If upon arrival, continued storage of the frozen culture is necessary, it should be stored in liquid nitrogen vapor phase and not at  $-70^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Storage at  $-70^{\circ}\text{C}$  will result in loss of viability.

- a) Thaw the vial by gentle agitation in a  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$  water bath. To reduce the possibility of contamination, keep the O-ring and cap out of the water. Thawing should be rapid (approximately 2 - 3 minutes).
- b) Remove the vial from the water bath as soon as the contents are thawed, and decontaminate by dipping in or spraying with 70% ethanol. All of the operations from this point on should be carried out under strict aseptic conditions.
- c) Transfer the vial contents to a centrifuge tube containing 5.0 mL complete culture medium. And spin at approximately  $176 \times g$  for 5 minutes. Discard supernatant.
- d) Resuspend cell pellet with the recommended complete medium. And dispense the suspension into 1 - 2 T-25 culture flasks.
- e) Incubate the culture at  $37^{\circ}\text{C}$  in a suitable incubator. A 5%  $\text{CO}_2$  in air atmosphere is recommended if using the medium described on this product sheet.

## Cell Freezing

Freezing Medium: 90% FBS+10% DMSO

- a) Centrifuge at  $176 \times g$  for 3 minutes to collect cells.
- b) Resuspend the cells in pre-cooled freezing medium and adjust the cell density to  $5 \times 10^6$  cells/mL.
- c) Aliquot 1 mL into each vial.
- d) Place the vial in a controlled-rate freezing container and store at  $-80^{\circ}\text{C}$  for at least 1 day, then transfer to liquid nitrogen as soon as possible.

## Cell passage

Growth medium: RPMI 1640+10% FBS+1% P.S+3.5  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  Blasticidin+400  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  G418+200  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  Hygromycin

Approximately 48-72 hours after the initial thawing, the cells can be passaged for the first time. After this initial passage, the culture medium can be adjusted to growth medium supplemented with antibiotics. If cells are not passaged within 48 hours, it is recommended to add some fresh recovery medium and place the flask horizontally.

- a) When the cell density reaches  $1.5 - 2 \times 10^6$  cells/mL, subculture the cells. Do not allow the cell density to exceed  $2 \times 10^6$  cells/mL.
- b) It is recommended to use T-25 flasks for subculturing.
- c) These cells are suspension cells, and it is recommended to use the "half-medium change" method to maintain optimal cell conditions during passaging.
- d) During passaging, you can directly add fresh growth medium to the culture flask, gently pipette to resuspend the cells, and then transfer the cell suspension to a new T-25 flask for continued culture.

**Subcultivation Ratio: Maintain cultures at a cell concentration between  $3 \times 10^5$  and  $1 \times 10^6$  viable cells/mL.**

**Medium Renewal: Every 2 to 3 days**

## Notes

- a) These cells are sensitive to density, so please ensure that the cell density is maintained within an appropriate range during culture and subculturing.
- b) During the first passage, pay attention to the nutrient supply; if not subculturing, make sure to add fresh recovery medium every other day as needed.

## Related Products

TCR	
<a href="#">H_FOXP3-Promoter Reporter Jurkat Cell Line</a>	<a href="#">H_IL2-Promoter Reporter Jurkat Cell Line</a>
<a href="#">NFAT-Luc Reporter Jurkat Cell Line</a>	<a href="#">OKT3(CD3 ScFv) CHO-K1 Cell Line</a>
<a href="#">Anti-CD3-CD19 Bispecific Antibody(Blinatumomab)</a>	

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