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# **Product Sheet**

# **H\_TACI Reporter Cell Line**

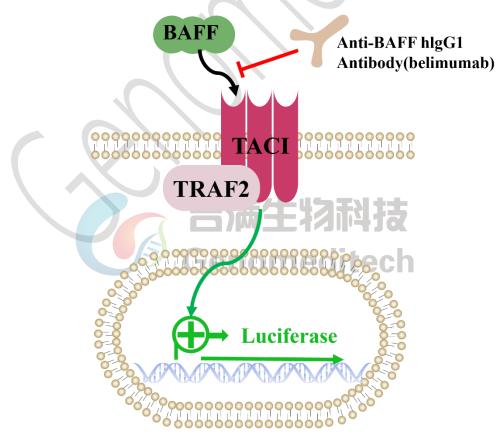
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TACI (Transmembrane Activator and CAML Interactor) is a key immune receptor mainly found on B cells, dendritic cells, and other immune cells. It regulates B cell survival, proliferation, and differentiation by binding to BAFF and APRIL, playing a crucial role in antibody production and immune homeostasis, especially in immune responses and autoimmune diseases.

In signaling pathways, TACI activation leads to receptor aggregation and downstream signaling upon binding to BAFF and APRIL. It primarily mediates signaling through TRAF (TNF receptor-associated factor) proteins, activating the NFκB and MAPK pathways. This activation promotes B cell survival, proliferation, and differentiation while enhancing antibody production.

H\_TACI Reporter Cell Line is a clonal stable cell line constructed using lentiviral technology, constitutive expression of the TACI gene, along with signal-dependent expression of a luciferase reporter gene. When BAFF binds to TACI, it activates downstream signaling pathways, leading to the expression of luciferase. Blockade antibodies can inhibit this signal transmission. The luciferase activity measurement indicates the activation level of the signaling pathway and can thus be used to evaluate the in vitro effects of drugs related to TACI.



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# Specifications

Quantity	5E6 Cells per vial,1 mL		
Product Format	1 vial of frozen cells		
Shipping	Shipped on dry ice		
Storage Conditions	Liquid nitrogen immediately upon receipt		
Recovery Medium	RPMI 1640+10% FBS+1% P.S		
Growth medium	RPMI 1640+10% FBS+1% P.S+3.5 µg/mL Blasticidin+0.75 µg/mL Puromycin		
Note	None		
Freezing Medium	90% FBS+10% DMSO		
Growth properties	Suspension		
Growth Conditions	37°C, 5% CO <sub>2</sub>		
Mycoplasma Testing	The cell line has been screened to confirm the absence of Mycoplasma species.		
Safety considerations	Biosafety Level 2		
Note	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/GM-040404
Puromycin	Genomeditech/GM-040401
Human BAFF Protein; His Tag	Genomeditech/GM-87735RP
Anti-BAFF hIgG1 Antibody(belimumab)	Genomeditech/GM-87690AB
APC anti-human CD267 (TACI) Antibody	BioLegend/311911
GMOne-Step Luciferase Reporter Gene Assay Kit	Genomeditech/GM-040503

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## Figures

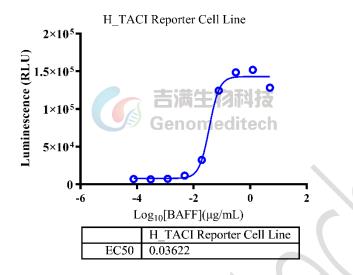


Figure 1 | Response to Human BAFF Protein. The H\_TACI Reporter Cell Line (Cat. GM-C35041) at a concentration of 1E5 cells/well (96-well format) was stimulated with serial dilutions of Human BAFF Protein (Cat. GM-87735RP) in assay buffer (RPMI 1640 + 1% FBS + 1% P.S) for 6 hours. The firefly luciferase activity was measured using the GMOne-Step Luciferase Reporter Gene Assay Kit (Cat. GM-040503). The maximum induction fold was approximately [18.2]. Data are shown by drug mass concentration.

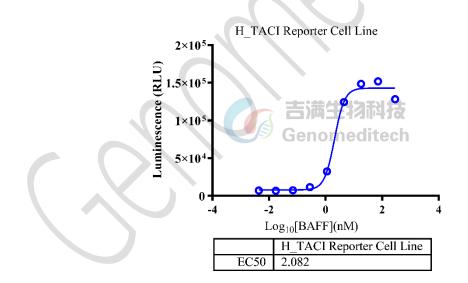


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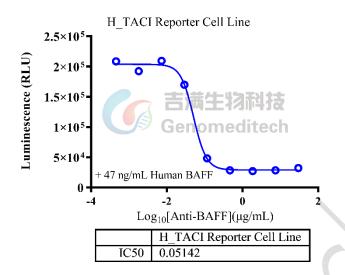


Figure 3 | Response to Anti-BAFF hlgG1 Antibody(belimumab). Serial dilutions of Anti-BAFF hlgG1 Antibody(belimumab) (Cat. GM-87690AB) was incubated with 4.7 ng/well of Human BAFF Protein (Cat. GM-87735RP) for 1 hour in assay buffer (RPMI 1640 + 1% FBS + 1% P.S). After pre-incubation, add the mixture to the H\_TACI Reporter Cell Line (Cat. GM-C35041) at a density of 1E5 cells/well in a 96-well format, and incubate for 6 hours. Firefly luciferase activity is then measured using the GMOne-Step Luciferase Reporter Gene Assay Kit (Cat. GM-040503). The results indicated maximum blocking folds of approximately [6.5]. Data are shown by drug mass concentration.

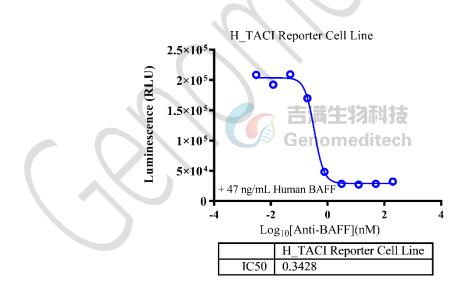


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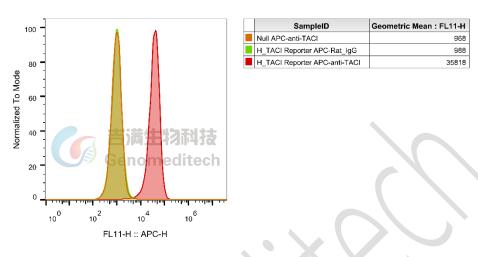


Figure 5 | H\_TACI Reporter Cell Line (Cat. GM-C35041) was determined by flow cytometry using APC anti-human CD267 (TACI) Antibody (BioLegend/311911).

# **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  $-70^{\circ}$ C. Storage at  $-70^{\circ}$ C will result in loss of viability.

- a) Thaw the vial by gentle agitation in a 37°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 x 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°C in a suitable incubator. A 5% CO<sub>2</sub> 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 x g for 3 minutes to collect cells.



- b) Resuspend the cells in pre-cooled freezing medium and adjust the cell density to 5E6 cells/mL.
- c) Aliquot 1 mL into each vial.
- d) Place the vial in a controlled-rate freezing container and store at -80°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 µg/mL Blasticidin+0.75 µg/mL Puromycin

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 2E6 cells/mL, subculture the cells. Do not allow the cell density to exceed 2E6 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 concentraion between 3E5 and 1E6 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**

CD40: CD40L		
H_CD40(TNFRSF5) Reporter 293 Cell Line	H_CD40(TNFRSF5) Reporter Jurkat Cell Line	
Cynomolgus_CD40 CHO-K1 Cell Line	Cynomolgus_CD40L CHO-K1 Cell Line	
H_CD40(TNFRSF5) CHO-K1 Cell Line	H_CD40(TNFRSF5) HEK-293 Cell Line	
H_CD40L CHO-K1 Cell Line	H_CD40L HEK-293 Cell Line	
Anti-H_CD40 hIgG1 Antibody(APX005M)	Anti-H_CD40 hIgG1 Antibody(ravagalimab)	
Anti-H_CD40L hIgG1 Antibody(dapirolizumab)	Anti-H_CD40L hIgG1 Antibody(frexalimab)	
Biotinylated Human CD40 Protein; His-Avi Tag	Cynomolgus CD40 Protein; His Tag	
Human CD40 Protein; His Tag	Human CD40L Protein; His Tag	
IFN-α		

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IFNα Reporter HEK-293 Cell Line	IFNα Reporter MDCK Cell Line			
IFNα Reporter THP1 Cell Line				
BCMA:BAFFR:TACI				
H_BAFFR Reporter Cell Line	H_BCMA Reporter Cell Line			
Cynomolgus_BCMA CHO-K1 Cell Line	H_BCMA CHO-K1 Cell Line			
H_BCMA HEK-293 Cell Line				
Anti-BAFF hIgG1 Antibody(belimumab)	Anti-BAFFR hIgG1 Antibody(ianalumab)			
Anti-BCMA hIgG1 Antibody(Belantamab)	Anti-BCMA hIgG1 Antibody(SEA-BCMA)			
Anti-BCMA hIgG4 Antibody(BCMB69)				
Biotinylated Human BAFF Protein; His-Avi Tag	Cynomolgus BAFF Protein; His Tag			
Human BAFF Protein; His Tag	Mouse BAFF Protein; His Tag			
BDCA2(CLEC4C)				
H_BDCA2 Reporter Jurkat Cell Line	Cynomolgus_BDCA2 CHO-K1 Cell Line			
Cynomolgus_BDCA2 Jurkat Cell Line	H_BDCA2 CHO-K1 Cell Line			
H_BDCA2 HEK-293 Cell Line	H_BDCA2 Jurkat Cell Line			
Anti-H_BDCA2 hIgG1 Antibody(Litifilimab)				
Cynomolgus BDCA2 Protein; His Tag	Human BDCA2 Protein; His Tag			
CD3				
Jurkat CD3-BsAb Reporter Cell Line	Cynomolgus_CD3 HEK-293 Cell Line			
Cynomolgus_CD3E(Membrane Bound ECD) CHO-K1 Cell Line	H_CD3 CHO-K1 Cell Line			
H_CD3 HEK-293 Cell Line	H_CD3E(Membrane Bound ECD) CHO-K1 Cell Line			
Mouse_CD3 HEK-293 Cell Line				
Anti-CD3 epsilon hIgG1 Antibody [OKT-3 (muromonab)]	Anti-CD3 hIgG1 Antibody(CH2527)			

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