



## NIH AIDS Reagent Program

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### DATA SHEET

<b>Reagent:</b>	Human CD8 Expression Vector (T8-pMV7)
<b>Catalog Number:</b>	159
<b>Lot Number:</b>	PL-1714-101388
<b>Release Category:</b>	C
<b>Provided:</b>	1 ml (4.6 x 10 <sup>8</sup> ampicillin-resistant transformed HB101 bacteria).
<b>Description:</b>	<p>A 1.5 kb cDNA insert from pT8F1 (Catalog #179) was cloned into the EcoRI site of pMV7. pT8F1 encodes the human CD8 receptor and was originally cloned from the human T-cell leukemia Fro 2.2. T8-pMV7 contains two LTR repeats of Moloney murine sarcoma virus spanning a unique EcoRI site. Also contains the bacterial neomycin phosphotransferase gene (neo) fused to the HSV tk promoter, both located downstream of the cloning site.</p> <p>T8-pMV7 is a recombinant retroviral expression vector expressing the human CD8 receptor in mammalian cells. pMV7 contains two LTR repeats of Moloney murine sarcoma virus spanning a unique <i>EcoRI</i> cloning site. pMV7 also contains the bacterial neomycin phosphotransferase gene (neo) fused to the HSV thymidine kinase promoter (tk), both located downstream of the cloning site.</p> <p><a href="#">Plasmid Map</a></p>
<b>Special Characteristics:</b>	T8-pMV7 contains full length cDNA insert encoding CD8. Transfection of T8-pMV7 to a retrovirus helper cell line (AM or psi 2) results in the production of replication-defective recombinant retrovirus. The CD8 gene is also in pT8F1 (catalog #179).
<b>Recommended Storage:</b>	-70°C.
<b>Contributor:</b>	Dr. Richard Axel.

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**References:**

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**NOTE:**

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