# Sugar-modified G-quadruplexes: Effects of LNA-, 2'F-RNA- and 2'F-ANAguanosine chemistries on G-quadruplex structure and stability

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Name <sup>a</sup>	Sequence $(5' \rightarrow 3')^{b}$	$T_m^c$	$\Delta H^{d}$ (kacl•mol <sup>-1</sup> )	$\Delta S^{d}$ (kacl•mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> )	$\Delta G_{37^{\circ}C}^{d}$
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(4+0) native	TTGGGTGGGTGGGTGGGT	$77.1\pm0.5$	59.6	0.170	$6.8\pm0.0$
PS-L3	TT <b>LGGTGGGTGGGTGGGT</b>	$82.0\pm0.4$	65.4	0.184	$8.3 \pm 0.0$
PS-L4	TTGLGTGGGTGGGTGGGT	$85.3\pm0.3$	67.1	0.187	$9.0 \pm 0.1$
PS-L5	TTGGLTGGGTGGGTGGGT	$36.0\pm0.4$	-	-	-
PS-L7	TTGGGT <b>L</b> GGTGGGTGGGT	$84.3\pm0.0$	77.9	0.218	$10.3 \pm 0.1$
PS-L8	TTGGGTGLGTGGGTGGGT	$80.2\pm0.2$	69.2	0.196	$8.5 \pm 0.1$
PS-L9	TTGGGTGGLTGGGTGGGT	$32.2 \pm 0.1$	-	-	-
PS-L11	TTGGGTGGGTLGGTGGGT	$84.9\pm0.1$	74.1	0.207	$9.9 \pm 0.2$
PS-L12	TTGGGTGGGTGLGTGGGT	$79.8\pm0.1$	68.4	0.194	$8.3 \pm 0.1$
PS-L13	TTGGGTGGGTGGLTGGGT	$31.7\pm0.5$	-	-	-
PS-L15	TTGGGTGGGTGGGTLGGT	$83.2\pm0.1$	74.3	0.208	$9.6 \pm 0.9$
PS-L16	TTGGGTGGGTGGGTGLGT	$81.0\pm0.1$	61.8	0.174	$7.7 \pm 0.2$
PS-L17	TTGGGTGGGTGGGTGGLT	$80.4\pm0.1$	80.5	0.228	$9.9\pm0.8$
(3+1) native	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$57.4\pm0.2$	61.8	0.187	$3.7\pm0.2$
HT-L3	TT <b>LGG</b> TTA <b>GGG</b> TTA <b>GGG</b> A	$55.4 \pm 0.3$	60.1	0.183	$3.4 \pm 0.1$
HT-L4	TTGLGTTAGGGTTAGGGGTTAGGGA	$61.6\pm0.0$	63.7	0.190	$4.7 \pm 0.0$
HT-L5	TTGGLTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$56.8\pm0.4$	55.1	0.167	$3.3 \pm 0.1$
HT-L9	TTGGGTTALGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	-	-	-	-
HT-L10	TTGGGTTAGLGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$59.3\pm0.5$	62.9	0.189	$4.2 \pm 0.1$
HT-L11	TTGGGTTAGGLTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$58.3\pm0.3$	62.6	0.189	$4.0 \pm 0.1$
HT-L15	TTGGGTTAGGGTTA <b>L</b> GGTTAGGGA	-	-	-	-
HT-L16	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGLGTTAGGGA	-	-	-	-
HT-L17	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGLTTAGGGA	$55.1\pm0.4$	47.5	0.145	$2.6 \pm 0.1$
HT-L21	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTA <b>L</b> GGA	-	-	-	-
HT-L22	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGLGA	-	-	-	-
HT-L23 <sup>e</sup>	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGLA	$60.5\pm0.1$	52.8	0.158	$3.7\pm0.0$

 Table S1.
 Thermodynamic Parameters of LNA-modified G-quadruplex

[a] The "HT-series" denotes sequences modified from the (3+1) G-quadruplex forming sequence, while the "PS-series" denotes sequences modified from a (4+0) G-quadruplex forming sequence.

[b] Residues with LNA-modified guanosine are denoted as (L)

[c] Thermal stability data was obtained via UV melting (HT-series) and CD melting (PS-series) experiments. Salt conditions were (20 mM KPi) for the HT-series and (1.1 mM KPi) for the PS-series. Thermal stability data for the HT-series is presented for sequences which demonstrate a single species in NMR spectra. The uncertainties ( $\pm$  values) indicate the hysteresis between heating and cooling curves. [d] The values of  $\Delta$ H and  $\Delta$ S were deduced from a slope analysis of fraction folded curves assuming a G-quadruplex to single strand transition (unfolding event).  $\Delta$ G<sub>37°C</sub> was calculated from the relation  $\Delta$ G(T) =  $\Delta$ H-T $\Delta$ S where T=310°K. The uncertainties ( $\pm$  values) indicate the difference between  $\Delta$ G<sub>37°C</sub> calculated from heating and cooling curves.

[e] Sequence contains a small secondary melting transition at the low temperature range.



**Figure S1** – <sup>1</sup>H NMR imino proton spectra of (4+0) G-quadruplex-forming PS-Series sequences.



**Figure S2** – <sup>1</sup>H NMR imino proton spectra of (3+1) G-quadruplex-forming HT-Series sequences.



**Fig S3** – CD spectra of the (4+0) G-quadruplex-forming PS-series sequences: CD spectra of modified sequences (black) and the (4+0) G-quadruplex native sequence (grey) are shown.



**Figure S4** – CD spectra of the (3+1) G-quadruplex-forming HT-series sequences: CD Spectra of modified sequences (black) and the (3+1) G-quadruplex native sequence (grey) are shown. CD Difference spectra (red) are determined by subtracting the (3+1) G-quadruplex native from the modified spectra. The CD spectrum and CD difference spectrum of the (4+0) G-quadruplex native sequence is shown for reference (top).



**Fig S5** –CD Melting (4+0) G-quadruplex-forming PS-series sequences. Cooling curve is shown in blue, heating in red.



**Fig S6** – Fraction folded CD Melting (4+0) G-quadruplex-forming PS-series sequences. Cooling curve is shown in blue, heating in red. The melting curve of the (4+0) G-quadruplex native sequence is shown in black.



**Fig S7** – UV Melting (3+1) G-quadruplex-forming HT-Series sequences. Cooling curve is shown in blue, heating in red.



**Fig S8** – Fraction folded CD melting (3+1) G-quadruplex-forming HT-Series sequences. Cooling curve is shown in blue, heating in red. The melting curve of the (3+1) G-quadruplex native sequence is shown in black.

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Nama <sup>a</sup>	Sequence $(5' \rightarrow 2')^{b}$	T <sub>m</sub> <sup>c</sup>	$\Delta H^{a}$	$\Delta S^{a}$	$\Delta G_{37^{\circ}C}^{a}$
Ivallie	Sequence $(3 \rightarrow 3)$	(°C)	(kacl•mol <sup>-1</sup> )	(kacl•mol <sup>-1</sup> K <sup>-1</sup> )	(kacl•mol <sup>-1</sup> )
$(1 \mid 0)$ native	TTCCCTCCCTCCCT	$76.5 \pm 0.4$	68.0	0 107	$78 \pm 0.1$
(4+0) hauve	110001000100010001	70.5 ± 0.4	00.9	0.197	$7.0 \pm 0.1$
PS-F-3	TTFGGTGGGTGGGTGGGT	$76.8 \pm 0.1$	70.6	0 202	$80 \pm 03$
DS = A	TTCFCTCCCTCCCTCCCT	$70.8 \pm 0.1$	70.0 60.2	0.108	$7.0 \pm 0.0$
DC E 5	TTCCFTCCCTCCCTCCCT	$77.0 \pm 0.0$	09.2	0.198	$7.9 \pm 0.0$
PS-F-5		$75.4 \pm 0.1$	00.0	0.191	$7.5 \pm 0.5$
PS-F-8		$76.9 \pm 0.1$	67.5	0.193	$/./\pm 0.1$
PS-F-11	TIGGGIGGGIFGGIGGGI	$77.2 \pm 0.2$	74.2	0.212	$8.5 \pm 0.0$
PS-F-12	TTGGGTGGGTGFGTGGGT	$75.4 \pm 0.1$	67.9	0.195	$7.5 \pm 0.0$
PS-F-13	TTGGGTGGGTGG <b>F</b> TGGGT	$76.6 \pm 0.3$	66.1	0.189	$7.5 \pm 0.2$
PS-F-17	TTGGGTGGGTGGGTGG <b>F</b> T	$75.2 \pm 0.0$	72.5	0.208	$7.9 \pm 0.2$
PS-FANA-3	TT <u>F</u> GGTGGGTGGGTGGGT	$77.1 \pm 0.2$	67.5	0.193	$7.7 \pm 0.2$
PS-FANA-4	TTG <u>F</u> GTGGGTGGGTGGGT	$79.7 \pm 0.0$	68.2	0.193	$8.3 \pm 0.1$
PS-FANA-5	TTG <mark>GF</mark> TGGGTGGGTGGGT	$77.2 \pm 0.3$	68.8	0.196	$7.9 \pm 0.2$
PS-FANA-8	TTGGGTGFGTGGGTGGGT	$79.7 \pm 0.3$	64.5	0.183	$7.8 \pm 0.2$
PS-FANA-11	TTGGGTGGGTFGGTGGGT	$77.2 \pm 0.2$	69.8	0.199	$8.0 \pm 0.0$
PS-FANA-12	TTGGGTGGGTGFGTGGGT	$79.3 \pm 0.0$	72.4	0.205	$87 \pm 02$
PS-FANA-13	TTGGGTGGGTGGFTGGGT	$75.5 \pm 0.0$ 76.6 ± 0.3	66.9	0.101	$7.6 \pm 0.2$
DS EANA 17	TTCCCTCCCTCCCTCCT	$76.0 \pm 0.3$	68.0	0.105	$7.0 \pm 0.3$
гэ-гана-1/	110001000100100 <u>F</u> 1	$70.3 \pm 0.2$	08.0	0.195	$7.0 \pm 0.1$
(3+1) native	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$51.4 \pm 0.2$	61.7	0.190	$2.7 \pm 0.1$
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HT-F-3	TTFGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	-	-	-	-
HT-F-4	TTGFGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$51.6 \pm 0.4$	63.1	0.194	$2.8 \pm 0.1$
HT-F-5	TTGGFTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$51.0 \pm 0.1$	62.9	0 194	$2.8 \pm 0.2$
HT_F_9	TTGGGTTAFGGTTAGGGA	-	-	-	2.0 = 0.2
$HT_{-}F_{-}10$	TTGGGTTAGEGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$180 \pm 12$	60.4	0.187	22 + 04
	TTCCCTTACCETTACCCTTACCCA	$40.9 \pm 1.2$	62.9	0.107	$2.2 \pm 0.4$
		$49.8 \pm 0.8$	05.8	0.197	$2.5 \pm 0.5$
HI-F-15		-	-	-	-
HT-F-16	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGFGTTAGGGA		-	-	-
HT-F-17	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGFTTAGGGA	$48.7 \pm 0.5$	59.0	0.183	$2.2 \pm 0.3$
HT-F-21	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTA <b>F</b> GGA	-	-	-	-
HT-F-22	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAG <b>F</b> GA	$49.8\pm0.8$	66.5	0.206	$2.7 \pm 0.4$
HT-F-23	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGFA	$49.5\pm0.1$	62.3	0.193	$2.4 \pm 0.2$
HT-FANA-3	TT <u>F</u> GGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	-	-	-	-
HT-FANA-4	TTG <u>F</u> GTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$54.5 \pm 0.3$	66.9	0.204	$3.6 \pm 0.2$
HT-FANA-5	TTGGFTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	$51.9 \pm 0.6$	61.3	0.189	$2.8 \pm 0.3$
HT-FANA-9	TTGGGTTAFGGTTAGGGTTAGGGA	-	-	-	-
HT-FANA-10	TTGGGTTAGEGTTAGGGA	545 + 07	65.5	0.200	$35 \pm 02$
HT-FANA-11	TTGGGTTAGG <b>F</b> TTAGGGTTAGGGA	$52.9 \pm 0.7$	62.2	0 191	$3.0 \pm 0.2$ $3.0 \pm 0.2$
HT_FANA 15	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAFGGTTAGGGA	52.7 ± 0.5	02.2	0.171	$5.0 \pm 0.2$
UT EANA 17	TTCCCTTACCCTTACCCCA	-	-	-	-
FII-FANA-10		-	-	-	-
ПІ-ГАNA-1/		$55.8 \pm 0.0$	00.0	0.185	$3.1 \pm 0.3$
HI-FANA-21	TIGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTA <u>F</u> GGA		-	-	-
HT-FANA-22	TTGGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAG <u>F</u> GA	$53.5 \pm 0.7$	61.8	0.189	$3.1 \pm 0.1$
HT-FANA-23	TT <b>GGGTTAGGGTTAGGGTTAGG<u>F</u>A</b>	$51.9 \pm 0.5$	66.3	0.204	$3.1 \pm 0.2$

Table S2. Thermodynamic Parameters of 2'-F- and2'-F-ANA-modified G-quadruplex

[a] The "HT-series" denotes sequences modified from the (3+1) G-quadruplex forming sequence, while the "PS-series" denotes sequences modified from a (4+0) G-quadruplex forming sequence.

[b] Residues with modified nucleotides are denoted as such: 2'F-guanosine (F) and 2'F-ANA-guanosine (F).

[c] Thermal stability data was obtained via UV melting experiments. Salt conditions were (5 mM KCl and 5 mM KPi) for the HT-

series and (1 mM KPi) for the PS-series. Data for the HT-series is presented for sequences which demonstrate a single species in NMR spectra. The uncertainties (± values) indicate the hysteresis between heating and cooling curves.

[d] The values of  $\Delta$ H and  $\Delta$ S were deduced from a slope analysis of fraction folded curves assuming a G-quadruplex to single strand transition (unfolding event).  $\Delta G_{37^{\circ}C}$  was calculated from the relation  $\Delta G(T) = \Delta$ H-T $\Delta$ S where T=310°K. The uncertainties (± values) indicate the difference between  $\Delta G_{37^{\circ}C}$  calculated from heating and cooling curves.





<sup>1</sup>H (p.p.m.) **Figure S10:** <sup>1</sup>H NMR imino proton spectra of <sup>FANA</sup>G modified (3+1) G-quadruplex-forming sequences



Figure S11: <sup>1</sup>H NMR imino proton spectra of <sup>F</sup>G modified (4+0) G-quadruplex-forming sequences



Figure S12: <sup>1</sup>H NMR imino proton spectra of <sup>FANA</sup>G modified (4+0) G-quadruplex-forming sequences



**Figure S13**: CD spectra (black) of <sup>F</sup>G-modified HT-series. Native (3+1) G-quadruplex is shown as a reference (grey). Difference spectra (red) compare the modified sequence to the native one.



**Figure S14**: CD spectra (black) of <sup>FANA</sup>G-modified HT-series. Native (3+1) G-quadruplex is shown as a reference (grey). Difference spectra (red) compare the modified sequence to the native one.



**Figure S15**: CD spectra (black) of <sup>F</sup>G-modified PS-series. Native (4+0) G-quadruplex is shown as a reference (grey).



**Figure S16**: CD spectra (black) of <sup>FANA</sup>G-modified PS-series. Native (4+0) G-quadruplex is shown as a reference (grey).



**Figure S17**: UV absorbance spectra at 295 nm of thermal denaturing experiments of <sup>F</sup>G-modified HT-series sequences. Both heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown.



**Figure S18**: Fraction folded UV spectra of thermal denaturing experiments of <sup>F</sup>G-modified HT-series sequences. Heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown. The native sequence (back line) is shown for reference



**Figure S19**: UV absorbance spectra at 295 nm of thermal denaturing experiments of TAVAGmodified (solid line) HT-series sequences. Both heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown.



**Figure S20**: Fraction folded UV spectra of thermal denaturing experiments of <sup>FANA</sup>G-modified HT-series sequences. Heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown. The native sequence (back line) is shown for reference



**Figure S21**: UV absorbance spectra at 295 nm of thermal denaturing experiments of <sup>F</sup>G-modified PS-series sequences. Both heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown.



**Figure S22**: Fraction folded UV spectra of thermal denaturing experiments of <sup>F</sup>G-modified PSseries sequences. Heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown. The native sequence (back line) is shown for reference



**Figure S23:** UV absorbance spectra at 295 nm of thermal denaturing experiments of <sup>FANA</sup>G-modified PS-series sequences. Both heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown.



**Figure S24:** Fraction folded UV spectra of thermal denaturing experiments of <sup>FANA</sup>G-modified PS-series sequences. Heating (red) and cooling (blue) curves are shown. The native sequence (back line) is shown for reference