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Product Information

Anti-Dog IgG (whole molecule)-FITC produced in rabbit, affinity isolated antibody

Catalog Number F 7884

Product Description

Anti-Dog IgG is produced in rabbit using purified dog IgG as the immunogen. Affinity isolation removes essentially all rabbit serum proteins, including immunoglobulins which do not specifically bind to dog IgG. Anti-Dog IgG is then conjugated to fluorescein isothiocyanate (FITC), Isomer I, Catalog Number F7250. Following conjugation, unbound FITC is removed by extensive dialysis.

Specificity of the anti-dog IgG is determined by immunoelectrophoresis, prior to conjugation, against normal dog serum and dog IgG.

Identity and purity of the antibody is established by immunoelectrophoresis (IEP), prior to conjugation. Electrophoresis of the antibody preparation followed by diffusion against anti-rabbit IgG and anti-rabbit whole serum results in single arcs of precipitation.

Reagents

The conjugate is provided as a solution in 0.01 M phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.4, containing 1% BSA with 15 mM sodium azide as a preservative.

Precautions and Disclaimer

This product is for R&D use only, not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Material Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

Storage/Stability

For continuous use, store at 2-8 °C for up to one month. For extended storage, the solution may be frozen in working aliquots. Repeated freezing and thawing, or storage in "frost-free" freezers, is not recommended. If slight turbidity occurs upon prolonged storage, clarify the solution by centrifugation before use.

Note: Store product protected from light.

Product Profile

<u>Direct immunofluorescence</u>: a minimum working dilution of 1:32 was determined using dog peripheral blood lymphocytes.

Note: In order to obtain best results, it is recommended that each individual user determine their optimum working dilution by titration assay.

F/P Molar Ratio: 3.0-5.0

The F/P molar ratio is determined spectrophotometrically as follows:

$$\frac{F}{P} = \frac{A_{495} \times 1.4 \times 0.41}{0.2 \times [A_{280} - (0.36 \times A_{495})]}$$

Where:

0.2 = The extinction coefficient of bound FITC at a concentration of 1 μg per ml at pH 7.2

0.36 = The fluorochrome absorbance correction factor (non-protein absorbance).

0.41 = The factor for conversion of fluorochrome to protein ratios from weight to molar ratios.

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