
Normal/Pre-immune Control Sheep IgM

Cat # 20006-2- **Size:** 1 mg **Form:** Liquid Lyophilized **Storage:** Store at -20oC

Description

A healthy non-immunized population of Sheep was used to collect serum. IgM was prepared by selective salt precipitation, column chromatography (Sephadex, and DEAE-ion exchange columns), and affinity purification. The resulting preparation was judged to be >95% pure by IEP and SDS-Page.

Form and Storage

The normal Sheep IgM is provided as liquid (1 mg/ml in PBS pH 7.4 + 0.05% sodium azide as preservative) or in lyophilized form. The product should be **stored at 4°C** for short term and **-20oC** for long term storage. It is stable for a minimum of 1 year. Do not store diluted solutions. Sodium azide, an inhibitor of peroxidase, must be avoided if used with antibody-HRP conjugates.

The **lyophilized products** should be dissolved in 1 ml PBS, pH 7.4 to prepare 1 mg/ml solution or any other desired concentration by gentle rocking or vortexing at room temperature. Centrifuge the IgG solution briefly (10,000 g, 15 min) to remove any particulate matter. It should be aliquoted and stored frozen for long term use.

Suggested Uses

This preparation of normal Sheep IgM is suitable for coating the ELISA plates or as a non-immune control for ELISA, dot blot, Western or IHC. Recommended testing concn. is approx. 1-10 ug/ml. It is, however, possible that this preparation may be unsuitable for some antigens or cell/tissue extracts and may give slightly higher background. Switching to another preparation from different Sheep or vendor may alleviate this problem.

This product is for in vitro research use only.

MSDS: A Material Safety Data Sheet is not required for this product. The product does not contain any hazardous components above 1% or any carcinogens above 0.1% as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1200, the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard. The product contains natural purified proteins in a buffer containing 0.1% or less sodium azide. MSDS can be consulted for these items. Please note that although the product is defined as not hazardous, it is still advisable to follow prudent laboratory practices when handling laboratory reagents.

This material is sold for research purposes only and is not required to appear on the TSCA inventory. It is not intended for food, diagnostic, drug, household, agricultural or cosmetic use. Its use must be supervised by a technically qualified individual experienced in handling potentially hazardous chemicals.

Anti-rabbit IgG, Chicken, Sheep, Human IgG-HRP/AP Conjugates are also available.

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