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Certificate of Analysis

Anti-Mouse Interferon Gamma, Rabbit Serum (PAb)

Catalog No: 32500-1 Lot No: Size: ⁻ 2 x 10⁴ Neutralizing Units/vial

 Description: Rabbit polyclonal antibody against Mouse Interferon Gamma

 Volume:
 ml

 Activity:
 x10
 NU / ml

 Concentration:
 mg/ml (estimate)

 Buffer: Neat serum
 Antigen: Mouse interferon gamma

Assay Used to Measure Bioactivity: One neutralization unit is the amount of antiserum required to neutralize one unit of mouse interferon gamma (mouse IFN-) to a 50% endpoint. Interferon was titrated with the use of the cytopathic effect inhibition assay as described [Rubinstein, S., Familletti, P.C., and Pestka, S. (1981) "Convenient Assay for Interferons," *J. Virol.* 37, 755-758; Familletti, P.C., Rubinstein, S., and Pestka, S. (1981) "A Convenient and Rapid Cytopathic Effect Inhibition Assay for Interferon," in *Methods in Enzymology*, Vol. 78 (S. Pestka, ed.), Academic Press, New York, 387-394]. In this antiviral assay for interferon about 1 unit/ml of interferon is the quantity necessary to produce a cytopathic effect of 50%. The units are determined with respect to the international reference standard for mouse IFN- provided by the National Institutes of Health [see Pestka, S. (1986) "Interferon Standards and General Abbreviations," in *Methods in Enzymology* (S. Pestka, ed.), Academic Press, New York 119, 14-23]. This material is prepared specifically for effective neutralization of mouse IFN-.

Tested Applications: Neutralization

Suggested Applications: Western blot (1:500); immunoprecipitation; immunohistochemistry; ELISA *Please note that these applications are presented for suggested use only and have not been fully evaluated by PBL.*

Shipping Conditions: Dry ice

Physical State of Product During Shipping: Frozen

Storage Conditions/Comments: After receipt, this product should be kept at -70_C or below for retention of full activity. Thaw product vial by incubation in cold tap water until just thawed . the contents of the tube should be apportioned in separate tubes so that freezing and thawing is kept to a minimum. Refreezing should be done on dry ice or in a dry ice/alcohol bath. Further dilution of the product should be in buffers containing protein such as 0.1% bovine serum albumin (BSA). For more information on protein handling, visit our Resource Library at <u>www.pblassaysci.com</u>.

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