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Product #104

CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS CHOLERA TOXIN B SUBUNIT (LOW SALT) Lot #10433A1

Contents

Each vial, when reconstituted with 0.25 ml water, contains 0.5 mg of Cholera Toxin B Subunit (choleragenoid) in 0.01 M Sodium Phosphate at pH 7.5. Handle the product gently; do not vortex.

Concentration

Protein concentration was determined by absorbance at 280 nm using an extinction coefficient of 0.96 for a 1 mg/ml solution.¹

Purity

When examined by gel electrophoresis in a non-denaturing system run at alkaline pH, this protein migrates as a single major band. Purity is >95% as estimated by densitometric analysis of an SDS-PAGE.

The endotoxin content, determined using a kinetic chromogenic LAL assay, is approximately 1 EU/mg.

Assay

Binding activity was assessed by hemagglutination using GM₁ fixed sheep red blood cells. This lot exhibited hemagglutination activity at < 0.4 μ g/ml when examined by a modification of Sato, et.al.²

Packaging/Storage

This product is supplied as lyophilized powder, sealed under vacuum. Store at $2 - 8^{\circ}$ C. **DO NOT FREEZE.**

<u>Handling</u>

Good laboratory technique should be employed in the safe handling of this product. Wear appropriate laboratory attire including lab coat, gloves and safety glasses. Nitrile gloves are recommended when handling lyophilized material.

This product is intended for research purposes by qualified personnel. It is not intended for use in humans or as a diagnostic agent. List Biological Laboratories, Inc. is not liable for any damages resulting from the misuse or handling of this product.

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References

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