

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Name	Anti-Chlamydia trachomatis 6701 SP-5
Specificity	Antibody recognizes <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> LPS
Description	Monoclonal mouse antibody, cultured <i>in vitro</i> under conditions free from animal-derived components
Product code	100141
Product buffer solution	0.9 % NaCl, 0.095 % NaN ₃ as a preservative
Shelf life and storage	24 months from manufacturing at 2-8 °C
Analyte description	<i>C. trachomatis</i> is a obligate intracellular pathogen and can cause numerous disease states in both men and women. Both sexes can display urethritis, proctitis, trachoma, and infertility. The bacterium can cause prostatitis and epididymitis in men. In women, cervicitis, pelvic inflammatory disease (PID), ectopic pregnancy, and acute or chronic pelvic pain are frequent complications. <i>C. trachomatis</i> is also an important neonatal pathogen, where it can lead to infections of the eye (trachoma) and pulmonary complications.

PARAMETERS TESTED ON EACH LOT

Product appearance	Liquid, may turn slightly opaque during storage
Product concentration	5.0 mg/ml (+/- 10 %)
Immunoreactivity	80-120 % compared to the reference sample in an FIA test
IEF Profile	6.5 - 6.9
Purity	≥ 95 %

PARAMETERS DETERMINED DURING PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

Subclass	IgG ₁
Association rate constant	Not Determined (N/D)
Dissociation rate constant	N/D
Affinity constant	N/D
Determination method	-
Determination antigen	For immunization Chlamydia LGV2 strain

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Cross-reactivities

C. pneumoniae
C. psittaci
S. aureus (unspecific binding to protein A)

Cross-reactivity with the following micro-organisms below 5%

A. Iwoffi, *A. baumannii*, *B. fragilis*, *C. albicans*, *C. freundii*, *C. xerosis*, *E. aerogenes*, *E. coli*, *Fusobacterium*, *G. vaginalis*, *K. pneumoniae*, *L. acidophilus*, *M. hominis*, *M. smegmatis*, *N. gonorrhoeae*, *Peptococcus*, *Peptostreptococcus*, *Propionebacterium*, *P. vulgaris*, *R. aeruginosa*, *S. cerevisiae*, *S. marcescens*, *S. faecalis*, *S. pyogenes*, *T. globrata*, *U. urealyticum*, *S. minnesota*

Epitope

Chlamydial LPS KDO-trisaccharide

Pair recommendations

CAPTURE ANTIBODY
6709

DETECTION ANTIBODY
6701

Please note that pair recommendations are based on results obtained by our laboratory. Equally good results may be obtained using other pairs and therefore these recommendations are only indicative.

Product stability

TEMPERATURE, TIME	RESULT
-70 °C, 21 days	N/D
-20 °C, 21 days	OK
+4 °C, 21 days	OK
+35 °C, 21 days	OK
+45 °C, 7 days	OK

Stability testing is performed in the product buffer to see whether different temperatures affect the antigen binding, charge or composition of the antibody. Please note that the shelf life given on the first page is based on real time stability testing at 2–8 °C in the product buffer.

Miscellaneous

Clone 6701 binds to chlamydial lipopolysaccharide (LPS) and therefore recognizes all chlamydias.

References

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