

# **Antibody Datasheet**

### **Product name**

Human Granulocyte Macrophage Colony-Stimulating Factor antibody (1-9F)

### **Product description**

Human monoclonal antibody to hGM-CSF

### **Catalog Number**

EVHM0102-100

#### Source

Human (recombinant production in CHO-K1)

### **Clonality and Clone name**

Monoclonal, 1-9F

### **Isotype**

IgG1 Lambda

# Form Supplied and Size

Liquid, 100 μg

# Concentration and storage buffer

1 mg/mL in Phosphate buffer saline pH 7.4 (containing no preservative)

### Storage

Antibody can be kept at 4°C for up to 1 month and should be kept at -20°C or below for long-term storage. To avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles, antibody should be aliquoted before frozen.

### **Purification**

Purified by protein A chromatography. The purity is greater than 95% by SDS-PAGE.

### **Antigen for Screening**

Recombinant hGM-CSF produced by E.coli

#### Epitope

Epitope has not been determined.

# **Applications**

ELISA, Neutralization assay. Other applications have not been tested

### Limitations

This product is to be used for research purposes only.



### **Background information**

Granulocyte/Macrophage colony-stimulating factor (GM-CSF) is a hematopoietic growth factor that stimulates the development of neutrophils and macrophages and induces the proliferation and development of erythroid, megakaryocyte and eosinophil progenitors. GM-CSF is produced by endothelial cells, fibroblasts, activated T cells, NK cells and macrophages. The antibody reacts with human GM-CSF and can neutralize the bioactivity of natural or recombinant GM-CSF.

# **Immunogen and Recombinant Production Host**

This antibody was generated from a healthy individual by a method based on Epstein-Barr virus transformation of peripheral blood mononuclear cells followed by the isolation of antibody-producing cells. The antibody reactivity for the target antigen was screened by enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA) using recombinant hGM-CSF. The antibody genes were cloned from the antibody-producing cells and introduced into CHO-K1 cells for antibody production.

# **Application Note**

Recommended Starting Dilutions:

For ELISA: Use at 1:500 – 1:4000 Not yet tested in other applications.

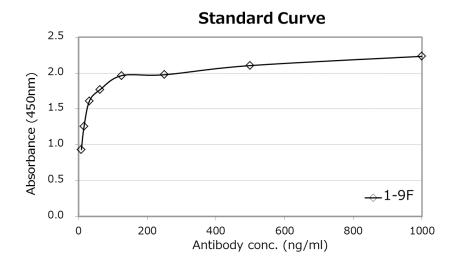
The optimal working dilution should be determined experimentally by the end user.

### **Neutralization assay**

GM-CSF requiring TF-1 proliferation (see Procedure, "Neutralizing assay")

The 50% and 90% inhibitory dose (IC50 and IC90) were calculated as the concentration of anti-hGM-CSF (1-9F, IC50  $\geq$  8.6 ng/ml and IC90  $\geq$  183.2 ng/ml) within the range of inhibition curve. Neutralization effect of 1-9F was observed even at low concentration, however 1-9F could not completely inhibit TF-1 proliferation even at 8 µg/ml.

#### **ELISA Results**





### **NEUTRALIZATION ASSAY USING TF-1 CELLS**

#### INTRODUCTION

TF-1 cells are derived from erythroleukemia patients. The cells require hGM-CSF or IL-3 cytokine for its proliferation. Cells are maintained by suspension culture.

# PROCEDURE

### CELL MAINTENANCE AND PREPARATION

TF-1 cells are routinely maintained with 10% FBS-RPMI medium containing hGM-CSF (f.c. 1 ng/ml). Human GM-CSF should be supplied every other day. Final passage before neutralizing assay, medium is changed into macrophage SFM with same concentration of human GM-CSF.

Seed cells at  $5 \times 10^4$  cells/mL or higher in Growth Medium. Split cells every 2-3 days and reseed in fresh Growth Medium.

### TF-1 NEUTRALIZATION ASSAY

- 1. Ahead of neutralization assay, wash TF-1 cells with Macrophage SFM without hGM-CSF to eliminate endogenous hGM-CSF that is present in the old medium.
- 2. Incubate for 3 hrs at 37 °C, 5% CO<sub>2</sub>.
- 3. Prepare antibody 4-fold serial dilution solutions (from 32 ug/ml~) and 2 ng/ml of GM-CSF solution.
- 4. Use equal volume of antibody and antigen solutions for mixing.
- 5. Pre-incubate mixture for 1hr at 37 °C.
- 6. TF-1 cell-counting: collect cells by centrifugation (1,200 rpm).
- 7. Re-suspend cells with Macrophage SFM and adjust  $2.4 \times 10^5$  cell/ml.
- 8. Add equal volume of washed cells into each well.
- 9. Keep plates at 37 °C, 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 40 hrs.
- 10. Perform WST-1 cell proliferation assay using a commercial kit.

