

MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY TO $(1\rightarrow 4)$ - β -MANNAN AND GALACTO- $(1\rightarrow 4)$ - β -MANNAN

(MOUSE IgG₁, LAMBDA LIGHT)

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Cat. No. 400-4

SPECIFICITY

This antibody recognizes linear $(1\rightarrow 4)$ - β -manno-oligosaccharides in $(1\rightarrow 4)$ - β -mannans and galactomannans. This antibody can be used with second stage, gold-labelled rabbit anti-mouse antibody for immunohistochemical studies.

TITRE

Inhibition (IC $_{50}$) measured in indirect ELISA against the following β -mannan-BSA conjugates:-

Polysaccharide	Man/Ga Ratio	I IC ₅₀ (ug/mL)
Carob galactomannan	4	0.01
Guar galactomannan	3.2	0.023
Lily glucomannan	3	0.2
	(Man/Glc)	
Fenugreek galactomannan	1.1	5

Antibody binding to the β -mannan-BSA conjugate was inhibited (50 %) by Man₃, 0.85 mg/mL; Man₄, 0.08, Man₅, 0.018, Man₆, 0.013;

USE

Reconstitute in 150 μ L of 120mM NaCl. When reconstituted, the antibody concentration is 1mg/mL in 10mM phosphate buffer (pH 7.2), 0.8 % sodium chloride.

STORAGE

This freeze-dried product has been shipped at ambient temperature, however it should be stored for extended periods at less than $4^{\circ}C$, with desiccant.

Once reconstituted, store at 4°C short term, or at -20°C in aliquots for long term. Do not freeze again after thawing. Once thawed, store at 4°C.

REFERENCE

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