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Anti-Trypanosoma brucei phosphorylated GPEET procyclin Monoclonal Antibody - Ascites

CLP008A LOT: P0811

DESCRIPTION: Cedarlane's CLP008A antibody recognizes an immunodominant, species-specific glycoprotein antigen found on procyclic culture forms of *Trypanosoma brucei* spp. (1). The molecule, called procyclin, is exposed on the surface of the culture and tsetse fly midgut form of trypanosomes. CLP009A is specific for phosphorylated GPEET forms of procyclin expressed on *Trypanosoma brucei* spp. procyclic forms. Cedarlane's CLP008A can be used in immunofluorescence on both living and fixed trypanosomes. It also works in ELISA and in immunoblots and detects a broad band at 22-32 kDa. The antibody does not cross-react with other species of trypanosomes or with *Leishmania*.

PRESENTATION: 0.5 ml lyophilized

STORAGE: Store at -20°C or below before reconstitution. Reconstitute with 0.5 ml cold distilled water. Aliquot and freeze the unused portion in volumes appropriate for single use (to avoid repeated freezing and thawing). If slight turbidity appears clarify by centrifugation before use.

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SPECIFICATIONS:

Clone: 5H3

Immunogen: Nour 6, an EP procyclin knockout of Trypanosoma brucei

procyclic trypanosomes

Immunocyte donor: BALB/c spleen

Fusion Partner X63 Ag8.6.5.3 parental myeloma (mouse)

Ig class: Mouse IgG₁

Recommended Working Dilution:

ELISA: 1:2000 (Use secondary antibody @ 1/2000).

IMMUNOFLUORESCENCE: 1:10-1:500

Optimal concentrations for staining may vary depending on individual requirements.

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