hOvalbumin: Cationized with Hexamethylenediamine

Catalog Number: 5606 Size: 10 mg Molecular Weight: 44 kD

Solubility: Soluble in water, giving a clear or yellowish solution.

Description: hOvalbumin is prepared by treating the native ovalbumin with hexamethylenediamines that replace most of

negatively-charged carboxyl groups with positively-charged primary amines, resulting a highly positively-charged hOvalbumin. The cationization significantly increases the immunogenicity compared to native ovalbumin. In addition, the increased number of primary amines provides more conjugation sites available for hapten molecules with general conjugation methods. The modification of ovalbumin with

hexamethylenediamine provides a longer space between the carrier protein and the hapten.

Storage/Stability: Store at -20°C/1 year

Format: Lyophilized in PBS, pH 7.2.

Immunogen: Use as a carrier protein for immunization

Purification: Ovalbumin is purified by a fractionation method, and is supplied with the purity over 97% by SDS.

Applications: hOvalbumin itself acts an excellent immnogen with a greater immunogenicity compared to the native

ovalbumin. With increased number of free amines, more antigen molecules can be coupled to hOvalbumin. When a stronger immunogenicity and a high concentration of hapten are needed, hOvalbumin is a good choice for the immunogen preparation of small hapten molecules, particularly for a longer space between the

carrier protein and the hapten.

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