

Tet System Approved FBS, US-Sourced

Catalog No(s).	Amount	Lot Number
631101	500 ml	A15003

Description

Fetal Bovine Serum (FBS) that has been functionally tested for optimal use with all of our Tet Systems. This FBS does not contain trace levels of tetracycline (or derivatives) which have been observed to interfere with proper regulation of TRE-controlled gene expression. Use of this serum ensures the maximal range of induction possible with the Tet Systems. This FBS has been processed in the United States.

Storage Conditions

- Store at -20°C .

Shelf Life

- 1 year from date of receipt under proper storage conditions.

Shipping Conditions

- Dry ice (-70°C)

Quality Control Data

Functional testing:

Tet System Approved Fetal Bovine Serum has been tested at Clontech® with the Tet-Off® CHOAA8-Luc cell line which is sensitive to nanogram concentrations of tetracyclines. The full range of induction possible with the Tet system was observed.

Manufacturer testing:

This material was collected at USDA approved abattoirs located in the United States. The dams of the fetuses received ante and post mortem inspection and are found free of contagious disease. The product meets European Union requirements for production of technical blood products.

The cattle have never been in contact with or have never had any association to any herds that have had a breakout of BSE (Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy). The cattle have never had any association with any other animal or animals that could transfer TSE (Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy). The country of origin of the crude blood (donor cow) is USA.

Filtration:

Triple 0.1 μm filtered.

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Certificate of Analysis

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Product Integrity Analysis:

This serum has been tested by the manufacturer and observed to conform to the following specifications:

Test	Specification
Appearance	Clear Amber Liquid
Sterility	Negative for Growth
Bacteria and Fungi	Not Detected
Mycoplasma	Not Detected
DNA	Not Detected
Virus Testing:	
BAV1	Not Detected
BAV5	Not Detected
BVDV	
Type 1, 2 BVD, Cytopathic BVD	Not Detected
BPV	Not Detected
BRSV	Not Detected
BTV	Not Detected
Rabies	Not Detected
REO	Not Detected
CPE—Giemsa (IBR)	Not Detected
Hemadsorption Agents (P13)	Not Detected
Serum Neutralization	
BVDV Antibody Type 1	<Undiluted
BVDV Antibody Type 2	< Undiluted
pH at RT	6.5–8.5
Osmolality	260–350 mOsm/kg
Endotoxin	≤10.0 EU/ml
Hemoglobin	≤30.0 mg/dl
Total Protein	2.5–4.0 g/dl
Electrophoretic Pattern	Normal
Performance Testing	
MTT Assay	>75% of Control
Cytotoxicity Assay	None Observed
Hybridoma Screened	>75% of Control

Product Chemical Analysis:

Test	Results
Biochemical Assay—Proteins/Other	
Alkaline Phosphatase	198 IU/l
AST (SGOT)	40 IU/l
ALT (SGPT)	4 IU/l
GGT	4 IU/l
Total Bilirubin	0.2 mg/dl
BUN	14 mg/dl
Cholesterol	31 mg/dl
Glucose	123 mg/dl
Uric Acid	2.3 mg/dl
Triglyceride	65 mg/dl
Creatinine	3.0 mg/dl
Bovine IgG (ELISA)	111.7 µg/ml
Total Protein	3.6 g/dl
Albumin	2.1 g/dl
Alpha 1,2	1.2 g/dl
Beta	0.3 g/dl
Gamma	0.0 g/dl
Biochemical Assay—Trace Metals	
Calcium	13.9 mg/dl
Chloride	100 mEq/l
Phosphorus	9.7 mg/dl
Potassium	>10.0 mEq/l
Serum Iron	189 µg/dl
Magnesium	3.2 mg/dl
Sodium	138 mEq/l
Biochemical Assay—Hormones	
Testosterone	<0.01 ng/ml
Estradiol	35.35 pg/ml
Insulin	6.08 µIU/ml
Cortisol	0.4 µg/dl
Progesterone	<0.1 ng/ml
T3	155 ng/dl
T4	<0.2 µg/dl

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