

# **Tet System Approved FBS**

**Catalog No(s).** 631106

Amount 500 ml Lot Number A13014

# 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 its 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.

# **Storage Conditions**

• Store at  $-20^{\circ}$ C.

### Shelf Life

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

# **Shipping Conditions**

• Dry ice  $(-70^{\circ}C)$ 

# **Quality Control Data**

#### **Functional testing:**

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

### Manufacturer testing:

The raw fetal bovine serum used in the manufacture of this material was collected and processed from abattoirs located in Mexico. The maternal animals from which the fetal blood was derived received ante- and post- mortem inspections at the time of slaughter under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian and appeared free of infectious and contagious diseases and parasites. This material has been tested via 9CFR113.53 for Adventitious Viral Agents. The Fetal Bovine Serum (FBS) was processed in California, USA. The lot was quarantined until USDA safety tested and approved this lot for commercial distribution.

The cattle have never been in contact with or have never had any association to any herds that have had any 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).

### Country of Raw Material Origin: Mexico

### Country of Final Processing: United States

Filtration: Triple 0.1 µm filtered.

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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
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	1:4
BVDV Antibody Type 2	Undiluted
USDA Safety Testing	Pass
pH at RT	6.5-8.5
Osmolality	260-350 mOsm/kg
Endotoxin	≤10.0 EU/ml
Hemoglobin	≤30.0 mg/dl
Total Protein	3.0–5.0 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	Result	5			
<b>Biochemical Assay</b> -	-Protein	s/Other			
Alkaline	249	IU/I			
Phosphatase	249	10/1			
AST (SGOT)	47	IU/l			
ALT (SGPT)	6	IU/l			
GGT	6	IU/l			
Total Bilirubin	0.3	mg/dl			
BUN	16	mg/dl			
Cholesterol	32	mg/dl			
Glucose	108	mg/dl			
Uric Acid	2.9	mg/dl			
Triglyceride	60	mg/dl			
Creatinine	2.9	mg/dl			
Bovine IgG	168.7	µg/ml			
(ELISA)					
Total Protein	3.7	g/dl			
Albumin	2.2	g/dl			
Alpha 1,2	1.2	g/dl			
Beta	0.3	g/dl			
Gamma	0.0	g/dl			
<b>Biochemical Assay—Trace Metals</b>					
Calcium	14.0	mg/dl			
Chloride	102	mEq/l			
Phosphorus	9.7	mg/dl			
Potassium	>10.0	mEq/l			
Serum Iron	187	µg/dl			
Magnesium	3.2	mg/dl			
Sodium	138	mEq/l			
Biochemical Assay—Hormones					
Testosterone	0.09	ng/ml			
Estradiol	51.24	pg/ml			
Insulin	7.06	µIU/ml			
Cortisol	< 0.2	µg/dl			
Progesterone	< 0.1	ng/ml			
T3	100	ng/dl			
T4	12.4	µg/dl			



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