

# KPL *Peroxidase*-Labeled Antibody to Human IgM (μ), F(ab')<sub>2</sub>

Produced in Goat	
Catalog No.	<u>Size</u>
5220-0391 (214-1003)	0.5 mg

# DESCRIPTION

F(ab')<sub>2</sub> fragment, purified by size excusion from a pepsin digest of affinity purified antibody isolated from a pool of serum from goats immunized with purified human IgM was labeled with peroxidase by the periodate method of Nakane and Kawaoi <sup>(1)</sup>.

## FORM/STORAGE

Lyophilized. Store at 2-8°C until rehydrated. Stable for a minimum of 1 year when stored at 2-8°C.

# STABILIZER AND PRESERVATIVE

Goat serum added as a protein stabilizer. No preservative added. Additional biological protection may be provided with 0.01% thimerosal. DO NOT USE SODIUM AZIDE. Non-sterile.

# ANTIBODY CONCENTRATION

The concentration of affinity purified antibody is 0.5 mg as determined by UV absorbance at 280 nm.

# **E/P RATIO**

Molar enzyme/antibody protein ratio = 5.5:1

#### SPECIFICITY/CROSS REACTIVITY

Tested by gel diffusion and ELISA techniques as applicable. This product reacts specifically with human IgM. This antibody will not bind to the Fc receptors present on certain cell surfaces. Antibodies to human IgM may cross-react with immunoglobulins of other mammalian species if common binding sites are shared. Product has been adsorbed with purified human IgA and IgG. Reactivity has not been characterized to other human immunoglobulins.

# **REHYDRATION/STORAGE**

**Note:** Rehydration of antibodies in TBS or buffers other than those listed here is not recommended.

#### Procedure A: 50% Glycerol

At a working dilution, the level of glycerol is too small to affect most assays. The use of glycerol is not recommended when the conjugate is used in live cell work.

<u>Rehydration</u>: Add 0.5 mL reagent quality water to the product vial. Rotate the vial until the lyophilized pellet is

totally dissolved. Add 0.5 mL glycerol to the product vial. Pipette up and down several times to ensure proper mixing.

<u>Storage</u>: This product may be stored either refrigerated or frozen as desired. Stable for a minimum of 1 year.

## Procedure B: KPL HRP Stabilizer

<u>Rehydration</u>: Rehydrate with 1 mL of KPL HRP Stabilizer. Rotate the vial until the lyophilized pellet is totally dissolved.

<u>Storage</u>: This product should be stored at 2-8°C. Stable for a minimum of 1 year.

## Procedure C: H<sub>2</sub>O

<u>Rehydration</u>: Rehydrate with 1 mL of reagent quality water. Rotate the vial until the lyophilized pellet is totally dissolved.

<u>Storage</u>: This product may be stored for up to 1 week refrigerated; thereafter, it should be stored frozen. Stable for a minimum of 1 year at -20°C.

# SUGGESTED WORKING DILUTIONS

Optimal working concentrations should be determined experimentally. Prepare working dilution in TBS or other buffer such as BSA or KPL Milk Diluent/Blocking Solution immediately before use. These buffers not recommended for long term storage. Suggested starting dilutions are as follows. In many cases, the antibody may be diluted further than indicated.

#### ELISA:

 1:500 - 1:2500
 1.0 μg/mL - 0.2 μg/mL

 Blotting:
 1:2500 - 1:10000

 1:2500 - 1:10000
 0.2 μg/mL - 0.05 μg/mL

 Histo/Cytochemical Procedures:
 1:10 - 1:250

 5.0 μg/mL - 2.0 μg/mL

# **PRODUCT SAFETY AND HANDLING**

This product is considered non-hazardous as defined by The Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). Avoid contact with skin and eyes. In case of contact or spillage, clean with copious amounts of water. Disposal via sanitary sewer

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# REFERENCES

1. Nakane, P K., and Kawaoi, A. (1974). *J. Histochem. Cytochem.* 22:1084.

RELATED PRODUCTS	CAT. NO.
KPL HRP Stabilizer	5290-0005 (54-15-01)
KPL 5X Detector™ Block	5920-0004 (71-83-00)
KPL Milk Diluent/Blocking Solution	5140-0011 (50-82-01)
KPL Coating Solution	5150-0014 (50-84-00)
KPL Wash Solution	5150-0008 (50-63-00)
KPL SureBlue™ Microwell Substrate	5120-0075 (52-00-01)
KPL ABTS Microwell Substrate	5120-0041 (50-66-00)
KPL TMB Membrane Substrate	5420-0027 (50-77-03)
KPL HistoMark® TrueBlue	5510-0035 (54-78-00)
KPL BSA Diluent/Blocking Solution	5140-0006 (50-61-00)

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