

# **Certificate of Analysis for NR-14850**

# Mycobacterium tuberculosis, Strain H37Rv, Purified Lipomannan (LM)

Catalog No. NR-14850

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**Product Description:** NR-14850 is a preparation of the lipomannan (LM) derived from the cell wall of irradiated *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*, strain H37Rv. The culture was grown to late-log phase in glycerol-alanine-salts medium, washed with PBS and inactivated by gamma irradiation. The cells were delipidated, then suspended in a PBS buffer containing 4% Triton X-114 and broken by French Press. This lysate was rocked at 4°C for 18 hours and insoluble material was removed by repeated centrifugation. The Triton X-114 extract was collected, heated at 37°C to allow biphasic partitioning and centrifuged. The detergent layer was collected and macromolecules, including LM, were recovered by ethanol precipitation. The ethanol insoluble material was suspended in PBS, and the proteins were digested and dialyzed out. The crude carbohydrate mixture was fractionated by size exclusion chromatography and the pure LM pooled. Buffer contaminants were removed by extensive dialysis. Contaminating LPS was avoided as all buffers and water used were endotoxin-free.

Lot: 62976462 Manufacturing Date: 31MAR2016

Production and QC testing were performed by Colorado State University (CSU). The CSU documentation for lot 16.Rv.4.01.DMH.LM.a is attached.

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#### WORK SHEET FOR LM

#### General Information

BEI Catalog Number:NR-14850

CSU Lot Number: 16.Rv.4.01.DMH. LM.a Species: Mycobacterium tuberculosis

Strain: H37Rv

#### **Purification Information**

Starting material (lot #): 14.Rv.2.6.10.4.WCg.a

Cells Irradiated: Yes

Viability Test Performed: No Viable Organism Detected

Cell amount (wet weight): 99.5 g

Protocol used (SOP #): PP015.3, PP016.5, PP017.2,

Date started: 10/30/15 Date completed: 03/31/16

Notebook; pages: <u>DMH 3 p.25-93</u>, <u>DMH 4 p.1-5</u>

Additional notes (if applicable): N/A

## **Quality Control Information**

NMR results: pass

Endotoxin amount: 3.1 ng/mg

GC Results: 2.17 mg/ml

Total amount of LM: 7.6 mg

Silver stain date: 03/31/16

Western blot date: 03/31/16

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LM

Antibody used: CS35 Notebook and page(s): DMH 4 p.3

## QC Gel:

LAM LM LAM

**Aliquot Information:** 56 vials @ 100 ug 2 mg in 2 vials unaliquoted 7600 ug total

(Research Associate)