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Product Information Sheet for NR-50259

Monoclonal Anti-*Toxoplasma gondii* Surface Antigen P35 Protein, Clone T4 3F12 (produced *in vitro*)

Catalog No. NR-50259

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Product Description:

Antibody Class: IgG2ak

Mouse monoclonal antibody prepared against the surface antigen P35 protein of *Toxoplasma gondii* (*T. gondii*) clone T4 3F12 was purified from the hybridoma supernatant by protein G affinity chromatography. The B cell hybridoma was generated by the fusion of SP2/0 myeloma cells with immunized BALB/c mouse splenocytes. Clone T4 3F12 recognizes the P35 protein.^{1,2} The P35 protein (~ 35 kDa) is one of five major surface proteins of *T. gondii* tachyzoites, all of which are anchored to the plasma membrane via glycosylphosphatidyl-inositols.³

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 100 μL of purified monoclonal antibody in PBS (pH 7.4). The concentration, expressed as mg per mL, is shown on the Certificate of Analysis.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-50259 was packaged aseptically in screw-capped plastic vials and is provided frozen on dry ice. The product should be stored at -20°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Freezethaw cycles should be avoided.

Functional Activity:

NR-50259 is reported to react with native P35 and to function in immunofluorescence and immunoblot assays. 1,2

Citation:

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Biosafety Level: 1

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Public Health Service, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and National Institutes of Health. Biosafety in Microbiological and Biomedical Laboratories. 5th ed. Washington, DC: U.S. Government Printing Office, 2009; see www.cdc.gov/biosafety/publications/bmbl5/index.htm.

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