

## Certificate of Analysis for NR-46446

## Ehrlichia chaffeensis, Strain Liberty

## Catalog No. NR-46446

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**Product Description:** Cell lysate and supernatant from *Canis familiaris* macrophage-monocyte cells<sup>1</sup> infected with *Ehrlichia chaffeensis* (*E. chaffeensis*), strain Liberty, containing 13% fetal bovine serum and 2% DMSO (final concentrations).

Lot<sup>2</sup>: 62795201 Manufacturing Date: 19AUG2014

TEST	SPECIFICATIONS	RESULTS
Identification by Infectivity in DH82 Cells <sup>1</sup>	Report results	Cell rounding and granularity
Identification by Sequencing of Species-Specific Region (897 nucleotides)	Consistent with <i>E. chaffeensis</i> , strain Liberty	100% identity with <i>E.</i> chaffeensis, strain Liberty (GenBank: CP007476)
Titer by TCID <sub>50</sub> Assay <sup>3,4</sup> in DH82 Cells <sup>1</sup> by IFA <sup>5</sup>	Report results	5.0 × 10 <sup>5</sup> TCID <sub>50</sub> per mL
Sterility (21-day incubation) Harpo's HTYE broth <sup>6</sup> , 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Trypticase soy broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sabouraud broth, 37°C and 26°C, aerobic Sheep blood agar, 37°C, aerobic Brucella agar, 37°C, anaerobic Thioglycollate broth, 37°C, anaerobic DMEM with 10% FBS, 37°C and 5% CO <sub>2</sub>	No growth	No growth
Mycoplasma Contamination  Agar and broth culture (14-day incubation at 37°C)  DNA detection by PCR of extracted Test Article nucleic acid	None detected None detected	None detected None detected

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>DH82 cells: ATCC<sup>®</sup> CRL-10389™

Signature:

Date: 06 APR 2016

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Grown in Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium containing 4 mM L-glutamine, 4500 mg per L glucose, 1 mM sodium pyruvate, and 1500 mg per L sodium bicarbonate (ATCC® 30-2002), supplemented with cycloheximide (Sigma C 4859), 10% fetal bovine serum (ATCC® 30-2020), and an additional 2 mM L-glutamine (Corning® Mediatech 25-005-CL) for 6 days at 37°C with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>
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<sup>414</sup> days at 37°C and 5% CO<sub>2</sub>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Using Ehrlichia chaffeensis IFA IgG reagent kit (Fuller Laboratories ECHG-120)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Atlas, Ronald M. Handbook of Microbiological Media. 3rd ed. Ed. Lawrence C. Parks. Boca Raton: CRC Press, 2004, p. 798.