Mycobacterium tuberculosis, Strain CDC1551, Cytosol Fraction

Catalog No. NR-14835

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Product Description:

NR-14835 is a preparation of the cytosol fraction of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*, strain CDC1551, and contains cytosolic proteins and soluble material released from the cell wall during disruption of the bacilli.

The culture was grown to late log phase in glycerol-alanine-salts medium, washed with PBS and inactivated by gamma irradiation. The bacilli were suspended at a concentration of 2 g/mL in PBS containing 8 mM EDTA, DNase, RNase, and a proteinase inhibitor tablet, and broken in a French Press pressure cell at 4°C. Unbroken cells were removed by low speed (3,000 × g) centrifugation. The cell wall was isolated by centrifugation at 27,000 × g. The supernatant was subjected to a 100,000 × g centrifugation for four hours, then collected and dialyzed against 10 mM ammonium bicarbonate. The protein content was determined using the BCA protein assay.

Material Provided:

Each vial contains approximately 1 mg of NR-14835 provided in 10 mM ammonium bicarbonate.

Packaging/Storage:

NR-14835 was packaged aseptically in cryovials. The product is provided frozen on dry ice and should be stored at -80°C or colder immediately upon arrival. Freeze-thaw cycles should be avoided.

Citation:

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