

## Anti-CD3/CD28 stimulus for human PBMC

Catalog No. CMC443 Quantity: 50 tests

Contents: Optimal amount of both CD3 and CD28 monoclonal antibodies for ELISPOT analyses.

Buffer prior to lyophilization: 0.5 ml PBS + 125 mM trehalose + 1% BSA.

Preservative free.

Sterility: Membrane filtered (0.2 µm).

**Packaging:** 10 ml clear glass bottle.

**Application:** Reconstitute the lyophilized contents by injecting 500 µl sterile distilled water into the vial.

Mix the solution gently for approximately 15 seconds and allow it to stand for 2 minutes at

room temperature. Avoid vigorous shaking.

Working concentration: 100x in culture medium containing  $\geq 10^4$  human PBMC/ml. Add 10  $\mu$ l of the stock solution to 990  $\mu$ l culture medium containing  $\geq 10^4$  human

PBMC/ml (50 tests per vial).

**Formulation:** A white pancake-like powder. After reconstitution: a clear solution. Do not use if the

solution is or has become turbid.

**Specificity:** To be used as a polyclonal T-cell activator in the human cytokine ELISPOT analyses.

The vial contains two antibodies specific for human CD3 and CD28. A variety of different cytokines are elicited by this antibody combination including IFN-g, IL-2, IL-4, IL-5, IL-10

and IL-13.

Safety: No toxic or hazardous material.

Storage & Stability: The lyophilized peptide pool can be safely stored at 4°C for a defined length of time

(expiry date indicated on vial).

After reconstitution, the peptides are stable for at least 12 months at  $4^{\circ}$ C when kept sterile. However, it is strongly recommended to divide the reconstituted peptides into small aliquots for single use. These aliquots should be stored at  $\leq$  -  $70^{\circ}$ C. Under these

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conditions the peptides are stable for minimal 4 years.

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