

## Recombinant Chimeric Chagas Multiantigen, His-tagged

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## PRODUCT INFOMATION

**species** Chagas

Applications Suitable for use in ELISA and Lateral flow. Each laboratory should determine an optimum working titer

for use in its particular application. Other applications have not been tested but use in such assays

should not necessarily be excluded.

Storage Store lyophilized Chagas Multiantigen at 2-8°C. After reconstitution, store at -20°C. Prevent

freeze/thaw cycles.

Buffer lyophilized from 20mM Tris pH-8.5, 100mM Sodium chloride, 20% trehalose and 0.1% Sodium azide

as preservative.

conjugate N/A

Source E. coli

*Tag* His

**Purity** >90% pure as determined by metal affinity chromatography.

Usage The product may not be used as drugs, agricultural or pesticidal products, food additives or household

chemicals.

**Solubility** It is recommended to reconstitute the lyophilized Chimeric Chagas Multiantigen in sterile 18MΩ-cm

H2O not less than 100µg/ml, which can then be further diluted to other aqueous solutions.

## **Background**

Introduction Trypanosoma cruzi, better known as T. cruzi, is a deadly parasite that causes Chagas' disease. This

disease is a chronic infection, which primarily affects the heart and nervous system, causing severe neurological disorders, as well as swelling or denervation of nervous tissue in the heart, colon and esophagus. Chagas' disease often goes undiagnosed due to close association of symptoms to heart disease and a variety of other disorders. The organism can circulate in the blood of infected patients for many years after infection, and can lead to transfusion-acquired infections in blood recipients from these infected donors. Contaminated blood transfusions are suspected to be the primary way in which

the parasite has been transmitted to industrialized countries.

Keywords Trypanosoma cruzi; T. cruzi; Trypanosoma; Trypanosomatida; Kinetoplastida; Chimeric Chagas;

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