

# Recombinant Hepatitis B Virus major surface antigen adw Mutant Q-129-L

DAG4720 HBV

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#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product overview Recombinant Hepatitis B Virus major surface antigen adw Mutant Q-129-L

Antigen Description HBsAg is the surface antigen of the Hepatitis-B-Virus (HBV). It indicates current Hepatitis B infection.

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**Source** Pichia pastoris

**Species** HBV

**Specificity** Immunoreactive with sera of HBV-infected individuals.

Form Liquid. Supplied in 20mM Na2HPO4, 0.03M NaCl and 0.001% Thimerosal pH 7.4.

Purity >85% by SDS-PAGE

Applications Antigen in ELISA and Western blots, excellent antigen for detection of HBV with minimal specificity

problems.

### **PACKAGING**

**Storage** Quality guaranteed for 12 months Store at 4°C

## **BACKGROUND**

Introduction Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) infection induces a disease state which manifests itself in a variety of ways,

characterized by the extent of liver damage, inflammation and viral persistence. HBV infection is also associated with a 100 fold increased risk of hepatocellular carcinoma and currently infects over 250 million people worldwide. HBV has a partially double stranded 3.2 kilobase DNA genome which contains four open reading frames. One of these encodes a 154 amino acid protein called the HBx protein. HBx has been shown to be a transcriptional transactivator of both viral and cellular promoters. Lacking a DNA binding domain and nuclear localization signal, HBx is believed to exert transcriptional

activity through protein protein interaction.

**Keywords** HBsAg; Hep B surface antigen; Hepatitis B Virus major surface antigen; Hepatitis B virus S antigen;

Large envelope protein; Large surface protein; LHB; Major surface antigen; Hepadnaviridae;

Orthohepadnavirus

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