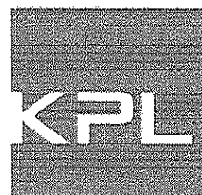


# Cy<sup>TM</sup>5 - Labeled Antibody To Human IgM ( $\mu$ )

*Produced in Goat*

<u>Catalog No.</u>	<u>Size</u>
072-02-10-03	1.0 mg



## DESCRIPTION

Affinity purified antibody isolated from a pool of serum from goats immunized with purified human IgM was labeled with Cy5 using a proprietary method. Cy conjugates provide increased brightness and greater photostability than other fluorophores (ex. - FITC). This conjugate is designed for use in immunofluorescence assays, including flow cytometry, immunohistology, Western blotting and microarrays.

## FORM/STORAGE

Lyophilized. Store at 2-8°C until rehydrated. Stable for a minimum of 1 year when stored at 2-8°C.

## STABILIZER AND PRESERVATIVE

IgG free bovine serum albumin (BSA) is added as a protein stabilizer. Non-sterile.

## ANTIBODY CONCENTRATION

The quantity of affinity purified antibody is 1.0 mg as determined by UV absorbance at 280 nm. Upon rehydration with water, the solution will contain 1% BSA, 100 mM phosphate, 150 mM sodium chloride, 0.02% sodium azide, pH 7.4. The conjugate will be at a concentration of 1.0 mg/mL.

## F/P RATIO

Molar fluorophore/antibody protein ratio is from 0.8:1 - 4:1.

## EXCITATION/EMISSION VALUES

Cy5 is excited at 650 nm and emits at 670 nm.

## SPECIFICITY/CROSS REACTIVITY

Tested by gel diffusion and ELISA techniques as applicable. This product reacts specifically with human IgM. Antibodies to human IgM may cross-react with immunoglobulins of other mammalian species if common binding sites are shared. Product has been adsorbed with purified human IgA and IgG. Reactivity has not been characterized to other human immunoglobulins.

## REHYDRATION AND STORAGE

**Note:** Rehydration of antibodies in buffers other than those listed here is not recommended.

**Rehydration:** Rehydrate with 1 mL of reagent quality water. Rotate the vial until the lyophilized pellet is totally dissolved.

**Use:** Prior to use, dilute to desired concentration with PBS or 1% BSA Diluent/Blocking Solution. The diluted conjugate should be used immediately.

**Storage:** The rehydrated product is stable for a minimum of 1 year at 2-8°C.

## SUGGESTED WORKING DILUTIONS

Optimal working concentrations should be determined experimentally for each application. Prepare working dilution in PBS or other buffer such as BSA Diluent/Blocking Solution (See RELATED PRODUCTS). Dilution is not recommended for long-term storage. Suggested starting dilutions are listed below:

### Histo/Cytochemical/Flow Cytometry:

1:100 - 1:1,000                      10  $\mu$ g/mL - 1  $\mu$ g/mL

## PRODUCT SAFETY AND HANDLING

This product is considered non-hazardous as defined by The Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). Avoid contact with skin and eyes. In case of contact or spillage, clean with copious amounts of water. Dispose of via institutional guidelines.

## TRADEMARKS

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	Cat. No. 50-61-10
Coating Solution	Cat. No. 50-84-00
Wash Solution	Cat. No. 50-63-00
	Cat. No. 50-63-04
Fluorescent Mounting Medium	Cat. No. 71-00-06
10X PBS	Cat. No. 51-13-01
	Cat. No. 51-13-02

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