

Product datasheet for AM32120LE-N

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Polymyxin B (PMB) Mouse Monoclonal Antibody [Clone ID: 45]

Product data:

Product Type: Primary Antibodies

Clone Name: 45

Applications: ELISA, WB

Recommended Dilution: Western blotting: Use 1/50 as starting working dilution.

Immunoassays.

Reactivity: Broad

Host: Mouse

Isotype: IgM

Clonality: Monoclonal

Specificity: This Monoclonal antibody clone 45 reacts with Polymyxin B. It binds to free Polymyxin B as

well as to Polymyxin B already bound to LPS.

This antibody enables the possibilities to study quantitatively the interaction of PMB and LPS.

Formulation: PBS with 0.1% BSA and 0.02% Sodium Azide.

State: Culture Medium with a Low Endotoxin.

Concentration: lot specific

Conjugation: Unconjugated

Storage: Store the antibody undiluted at 2-8°C.

Stability: Shelf life: one year from despatch.

Background: The peptide antibiotic Polymyxin B (PMB) binds to bacterial endotoxin (lipopolysaccharide,

LPS). The interaction of PMB with LPS involves ionic forces between amino groups in PMB and negatively charged phosphate and carboxyl groups in the lipid A-Kdo region. PMB has relevance for endotoxin research in at least two ways: first, PMB reacts with LPS of many species regardless of varied serospecificity, and thus it can be used as a general probe for

measuring or detecting LPS or lipid A. Second, binding of PMB to LPS may result in

neutralization of the detrimental effects of LPS either in vitro or in vivo.