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# Immunochemicals for Infectious Disease Research

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**MONOTOPE** 

product information for

# **Hepatitis B surface antigen**

### I. Monoclonal Antibody (Mouse) Specificity

Product No.'s		lg class
1834	NA	IgG2a Specific to surface antigen; subtypes ad & ay. High affinity capture antibody (ELISA), IHC & WB.
1835	NA	IgG2a Specific to surface antigen; subtypes ad & ay. High affinity capture antibody (ELISA), IHC & WB.
1836	NA	IgG2a Specific to surface antigen; subtypes ad & ay. High affinity capture antibody (ELISA), IHC & WB.
1837	NA	lgG2a Specific to surface antigen; subtypes ad & ay. High affinity probe antibody (ELISA) & IHC.
1838	NA	lgG2b Specific to surface antigen; subtypes ad & ay. High affinity probe antibody (ELISA) & IHC.

## **II. Purified Preparations**

Product No.'s

1834 1835

1836

1837

1838

MONOTOPE™ purified preparations consist of >90% pure mouse monoclonal antibody which has been purified from ascites fluid or culture medium by protein A chromatography or sequential differential precipitations. The final preparation is formulated to a protein concentration of 100 µg/ml in 0.01 M phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.2 and contains 0.1% sodium azide. Each vial contains 1.0 ml. This product contains no stabilizing proteins and should be stored at 2-8°C until ready for use.

Working dilution must be determined by the user. Suggested starting ranges are 1:10-1:50 for IFA and 1:20-1:200 for ELISA.

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III. Fluorescein Conjugates	Product No.'s	NA
		NA

These MONOTOPE™ products consist of purified monoclonal antibody conjugated with high purity isomer I of fluorescein isothiocyanate. Care is taken to ensure complete removal of any free fluorescein from the final product. The final preparation is formulated to an antibody concentration of of 100  $\mu$ g/ml in 0.01 M phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.2 containing 0.1% sodium azide plus bovine serum albumin at 10 mg/ml. Each vial contains 1.0 ml. This product should be stored at 2-8°C until ready for use. Avoid repeated freeze-thawing by storing multiple aliquots at -20°C. Applications for these products include direct FA staining of target antigen in a permissive tissue culture system. Working strength must be determined by the user for each specific application but a starting range of 1:5 - 1:20 is recommended. Acetone fixation of the antigen source is recommended prior to staining.

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Comments: Best Pairs (capture / probe): 1834 / 1837, 1835 / 1837, 1836 / 1837, 1834 / 1838

1834, 1835 & 1836 function as capture antibodies paired with polyclonal HRP conjugate (#1814) also.

Notes: All clones developed using native antigen. All are negative vs. normal human serum