

**MONOTOPE™** product information for

**Chlamydia trachomatis**

**I. Monoclonal Antibody (Mouse) Specificity**

Product No.'s	Ig class	
1644	1649	IgG2b Highest affinity for LPS. ELISA pairing below. Genus specific (C. trachomatis, C. pneumoniae & C. psittaci)
1645	NA	IgG2b High affinity for LPS. ELISA pairing below. Genus specific (C. trachomatis, C. pneumoniae & C. psittaci)
1646	NA	IgG2b High affinity for LPS. ELISA pairing below. Genus specific (C. trachomatis, C. pneumoniae & C. psittaci)
1647	NA	IgG2b High affinity for LPS. ELISA pairing below. Genus specific (C. trachomatis, C. pneumoniae & C. psittaci)
1681	1683	IgG1 LPS, Genus specific*, crossreactive with C. pneumoniae & C. psittaci. Functions in IFA, ELISA & IHC
1685	NA	IgG1 LPS, Genus specific*, crossreactive with C. pneumoniae & C. psittaci. Functions in ELISA, IFA & IHC
<del>1671</del>	<del>1673</del>	<del>IgG2a Specific to MOMP. Recognizes 15 serovars of C. trachomatis. Functions in ELISA, IFA &amp; IHC DISCONTINUED</del>

**II. Purified Preparations**

Product No.'s
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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
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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 100 µg/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 LPS ELISA pairs (Capture/Conjugate): 1645/1644, 1644/1644, 1646/1644, 1647/1644