

# Mouse IgM ELISA development kit

Product Code: 3885-1H-6

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CONTENTS, development kit for 6 plates:

**Vial 1 (green top)**

Monoclonal antibody MT6A3 (300  $\mu$ l)

Concentration: 0.5 mg/ml

**Vial 2 (yellow top)**

Biotinylated monoclonal antibody MT9A2 (80  $\mu$ l)

Concentration: 0.5 mg/ml

**Vial 3 (white top)**

Streptavidin-Horseradish Peroxidase (80  $\mu$ l)

**Vial 4**

Lyophilised mouse IgM standard

To ensure total recovery of stated quantity, vials have been overfilled.

**STORAGE:**

Shipped at ambient temperature. On arrival box 1 should be stored refrigerated at 4-8°C and box 2 should be stored frozen at -20°C.

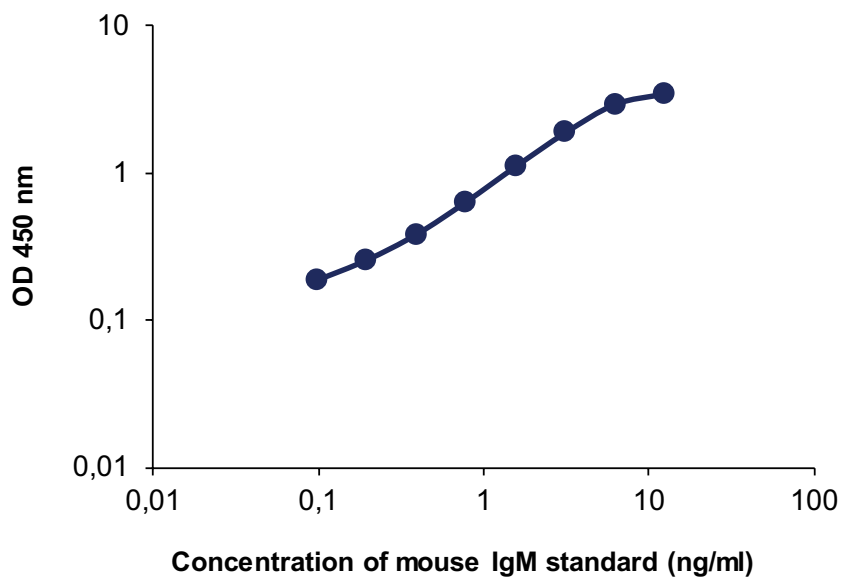
# General

**Intended use:** For quantitative determination of native mouse IgM in serum, plasma or cell supernatant.

**Reagents:** Antibodies are supplied in sterile-filtered (0.2  $\mu\text{m}$ ) PBS with sodium azide (0.02%). Streptavidin-HRP is supplied in PBS with 1% BSA and 0.002% Kathon CG.

**Standard range:** Recommended standard dilution 0.1-20 ng/ml

**Standard calibration:** No international standard exists for calibration



# Guidelines for Mouse IgM ELISA

- Day 1**
1. Coat a high protein binding ELISA plate with mAbs MT6A3, diluted to 2 µg/ml in PBS, pH 7.4, by adding 100 µl/well. Incubate overnight at 4-8°C.
- Day 2**
2. Wash twice with PBS (200 µl/well).
  3. Block plate by adding 200 µl/well of PBS with 0.05% Tween 20 containing 0.1% BSA (incubation buffer). Incubate for 1 hour at room temperature.
  4. Wash five times with PBS containing 0.05% Tween.
  5. Prepare mouse IgM standard by reconstituting contents of vial 3 in 500 µl PBS to make up a stock solution of 50 µg/ml. The stock solution should be used immediately or stored in aliquots at -20°C for future use. We recommend the aliquots not be refrozen after initial use. For the test, prepare dilutions of the stock using the standard range as a guideline.
  6. Add 100 µl/well of samples or standards diluted in incubation buffer. It is recommended to make serial dilutions of samples to obtain results within the standard range. Incubate for 2 hours at room temperature.
  7. Wash as in step 4.
  8. Add 100 µl/well of mAb MT9A2-biotin at 0.5 µg/ml in incubation buffer. Incubate for 1 hour at room temperature.
  9. Wash as in step 4.
  10. Add 100 µl/well of Streptavidin-HRP diluted 1:1000 in incubation buffer. Incubate for 1 hour at room temperature. **Please note that sodium azide used in buffers will inhibit HRP activity.**
  11. Wash as in step 4.
  12. Add 100 µl/well of appropriate substrate solution e.g. TMB, available from Mabtech product code 3652-F10.
  13. Measure the optical density in an ELISA reader after suitable developing time. If required stop the reaction first.

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