

Fresh Product

Peripheral Blood CD36+ Erythroid Progenitor Cells

Catalog#	PB36001F	1.0 million cells
	PB36002.5F	2.5 million cells

Product Description

Human Peripheral Blood CD36+ Erythroid Progenitor Cells are derived from cultured peripheral blood CD34+ hematopoietic stem cells (HSCs).

Peripheral blood mononuclear cells are collected using the Spectra Optia[®] Apheresis System. CD34+ cells are selected from the mononuclear cell pool using immunomagnetic anti-CD34 microbeads. The isolated CD34+ cells are then cultured in StemSpan[™] SFEM, a serum-free expansion media for hematopoietic cells, supplemented with SCF, EPO and IL-3, to generate CD36+ cells. Cultured cells are harvested after 10 days and checked for the expression of CD36.

Fresh products have a high viability without the detrimental effects of freezing, thawing, and exposure to cryoprotectants.

Cells were obtained using Institutional Review Board (IRB) approved consent forms and protocols.

Sample Collection and Processing

All samples are collected on-site at our Stem Cell Collection Center. Apheresis donors are transfused with ACD-A during the collection process. Samples are then quickly processed in our on-site laboratory to achieve maximum viability and quality.

Infectious disease testing for HIV, HBV, and HCV is performed on a sample of donor blood. Only samples with negative results within 90 days of collection are shipped unless approved by the customer. All testing is performed by a CLIA-certified lab.

Format

Isolated stem/progenitor cells are shipped in StemSpan. We normally ship isolated cells on wet ice, but we can also use gel packs at the customer's request. These techniques minimize cellular damage during transportation while helping to ensure the viability you need.

Specific containers and media can also be prepared as requested by the customer.

Storage

Fresh products should be used or processed immediately upon receipt. The warranty only covers items whose specifications are tested at the time they are received.

Cell Counting Instructions

Important: This cell viability/counting step is required to ensure the quantity of cells provided. Be sure to count the cells before washing. Be aware that cell loss is expected and may be up to 30% during wash steps. Recovery rates vary depending on technique.

Materials

- Cleaned hemocytometer
- Trypan Blue

Protocol

1. If removing the cell suspension from the vial in which it was shipped, be sure to rinse the vial to collect all of the cells.
2. Gently mix the cell suspension and measure the volume.
3. Make a 1-in-2 dilution with 20 μ L each of well-mixed cell suspension and Trypan Blue.
4. Load one side of the hemocytometer, being careful not to over- or under-fill the chamber.
5. Count viable (clear, round, bright) and non-viable (blue, irregular shape, dull) cells in the four corner squares. Adjust your dilution if there are more than 100 cells/square.
6. Determine the number of total viable cells in the original sample. One square is equal to 100 nL.

Viability = live cells/all cells

Cell Concentration = Mean cells/square \times Dilution Factor \times 104

Total Cell Count = Cell Concentration \times Starting Volume

Total Viable Cell Count = Total Cell Count \times Viability

Warning

This product contains human tissue or other biological material and MUST be handled at Biosafety Level 2 or higher. All biological products should be treated as potentially infectious or contaminated material, even if infectious disease screening reports are negative. Follow universal precautions and wear appropriate personal protective equipment.

Product Warranty

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