

Chicken Type II Collagen, Soluble

Catalog Number 804002-Sol

For research use only

DESCRIPTION Highly purified chicken type II collagen

APPLICATION Used for the induction of collagen-induced arthritis (CIA) in experimental animals.

FORM 2 mg/mL in dilute acetic acid

SOURCE Chick sternum

MOLECULAR WEIGHT 300 kDa

PURITY > 99%, as determined by SDS-PAGE and visualized by Coomassie blue staining.

PURIFICATION Differential salt precipitation

STORAGE Collagen dissolved in acetic acid is stable at 4 °C for 1 month. May be stored in dark at -20 °C for long term storage but will gradually degrade under neutral conditions.

TECHNICAL HINTS

- To ensure collagen retains its native structure, always use pre-chilled pipette tips, glassware, and diluent.
- Keep collagen on ice during use.
- When preparing emulsion for CIA, ensure that emulsion is thick to give best rate of incidence
- Use high quality CFA (Complete Freund's Adjuvant) at a concentration up to 4mg/mL.

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