



Technical Datasheet

HiGlutaXL™ Minimum Essential Medium Eagle

(Alpha Modification)

With L-Alanyl-L-Glutamine and Sodium bicarbonate
Without Deoxyribonucleosides, Ribonucleosides and Phenol red

Product Code: AL255G

Product Description:

HiGlutaXLTM medium contains the stabilised dipeptide form of L-glutamine, L-alanyl-L-glutamine. HiGlutaXLTM medium offers several advantages over the conventional glutamine containing media. Dipeptide form prevents the intramolecular cyclization reaction, thus preventing toxic build-up of ammonia. L-alanyl-Lglutamine incorporates L-alanine that protects the alpha amino acid group. Aminopeptidases within the cell break the dipeptide, gradually releasing both L-glutamine and L-alanine for use by the cell. The gradual release of Lglutamine obviates the need to supplement L-glutamine frequently and allows liquid media to be stored at 4°C for longer periods.

AL255G is alpha modification of HiGlutaXLTM Minimum Essential Medium Eagle with L-alanyl-L-glutamine and sodium bicarbonate. It is devoid of deoxyribonucleosides, ribonucleosides and phenol red. Users are advised to review the literature for recommendations regarding medium supplementation and physiological growth requirements specific for different cell lines.

Composition:

Ingredients	mg/L
INORGANIC SALTS	
Calcium chloride dihydrate	265.000
Magnesium sulphate anhydrous	97.720
Potassium chloride	400.000
Sodium bicarbonate	2200.000
Sodium chloride	6800.000
Sodium dihydrogen phosphate anhydrous	122.000
AMINO ACIDS	
Glycine	50.000
L-Alanine	25.000
L-Alanyl-L-Glutamine	434.000
L-Arginine hydrochloride	126.000
L-Asparagine monohydrate	44.000
L-Aspartic acid	30.000
L-Cysteine hydrochloride monohydrate	100.000

L-Cystine dihydrochloride	31.300
L-Glutamic acid	75.000
L-Histidine hydrochloride monohydrate	42.000
L-Isoleucine	52.000
L-Leucine	52.000
L-Lysine hydrochloride	72.500
L-Methionine	15.000
L-Phenylalanine	32.000
L-Proline	40.000
L-Serine	25.000
L-Threonine	48.000
L-Tryptophan	10.000
L-Tyrosine disodium salt dihydrate	51.900
L-Valine	46.000
VITAMINS	
Choline chloride	1.000
D-Biotin	0.100
D-Ca-Pantothenate	1.000
Folic acid	1.000
L-Ascorbic acid	50.000
Nicotinamide	1.000
Pyridoxal hydrochloride	1.000
Riboflavin	0.100
Thiamine hydrochloride	1.000
Vitamin B12	1.360
i-Inositol	2.000
OTHERS	1000.000
D-Glucose	1000.000
Lipoic acid	0.200
Sodium pyruvate	110.000

Quality Control:

Appearance

Clear solution, with pink tinge.

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7.00 - 7.60

Osmolality in mOsm/Kg H₂O

280.00 - 320.00

Sterility

No bacterial or fungal growth is observed after 14 days of incubation, as per USP specification.

Cultural Response

The growth promotion capacity of the medium is assessed qualitatively by analyzing the cells for the morphology and quantitatively by estimating the cell counts.

Endotoxin Content

NMT 1EU/ml

Storage and Shelf Life:

Store at 2-8°C away from bright light. Shelf life is 18 months. Use before expiry date given on the product label.

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