



Mepivacaine [BSA] (DAG346S)

This product is for research use only and is not intended for diagnostic use.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

| Antigen Description | Mepivacaine, covalently linked to bovine serum albumin |
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| Species | N/A |
| Purity | chromatography, dialysis |
| Conjugate | BSA |
| Applications | e.g. allergy test, immunoassays etc. |
| Molecular Weight | app. 65 kDa |
| Format | Liquid |
| Concentration | 1 mg/mL, conjugation ratio is app. 1:10 - 1:40. |
| Size | 1 mg |
| Buffer | PBS |
| Preservative | 0.05% sodium azide |
| Storage | Store at 4°C. |

BACKGROUND

Introduction

Mepivacaine is an amide-type local anesthetic agent. At the injection site, mepivacaine binds to specific voltage-gated sodium ion channels in neuronal cell membranes, which inhibits both sodium influx and membrane depolarization. This leads to a blockage of nerve impulse initiation and conduction and results in a reversible loss of sensation. Compared to other local anesthetics, this agent has a more rapid onset and moderate duration of action.

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