

Tribo[™] MSC Prime Medium (TBS8022)

Product Overview

Expansion of mesenchymal stem cells (MSCs) in serum-free media such as MSC Medium is a critical step towards clinical application. However, isolation of primary MSCs from human tissues in serum-free media suffers from low efficiency due to a lack of cell adhesion proteins. **MSC Prime** is developed to resolve this deficiency. **MSC Prime** is serum-free (no human or animal serum added) and chemically-defined (all ingredients are either purified or recombinant) for primary MSC isolation:

- 1 Increase plating efficiency of primary MSCs
- 2 Result in more homogeneous and morphologically-desirable MSCs
- 3 Better lot-to-lot consistency than serum or other undefined supplements.

Package size and storage

MSC Prime is a concentrated solution (25 X) and shipped in three package sizes frozen:

	Catalog #	Size (25 X)	Diluted Volume
	TBS8022-01	1 mL	25 mL
MSC Prime	TBS8022-05	5 mL	125 mL
	TBS8022-25	25 mL	625 mL

- •Storage and Shelf life: MSC Prime can be stored at -80°C for 6 months. Diluted MSC Prime can be stored at 2 to 8°C for 2 weeks.
- Avoid freeze and thaw.

Application Instruction

- •Prior to use, thaw MSCprime® at 2 to 8°C overnight.
- •Add primary cell isolate containing MSCs (e.g., MNC layer of bone marrow aspirate) into 10X volume of MSC Medium (TBS8021), spin cells down at 1500 rpm for 10 min.
- •During cell spinning, dilute MSC Prime into complete MSC Medium at a ratio of 1:24.
- •Resuspend the cell pellet in the diluted MSC Prime / MSC Medium and transfer into a CellBIND® tissue culture flask. Place the flask in 37°C, 5% CO2 incubator.
- •Change medium to MSC Medium in 2 to 6 days. The optimal time of the medium change to MSC Medium may vary between tissue types. We have successfully isolated MSCs from bone marrow after 2 days and umbilical cord after 6 days in MSC Prime /MSC Medium. The appearance of MSC-like colonies can be used as a guide

Expected Results:

MSC Prime: Isolated homogeneous/smaller MSCs subsequently expanded in MSC Medium:

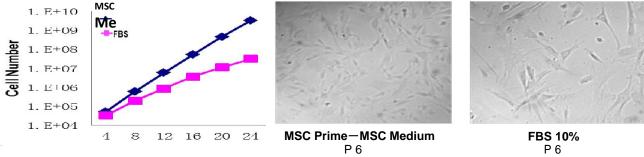


Fig. 2. MSCs isolated by MSC Prime expand faster in MSC Medium with more desirable morphology than in FBS.