

# Clophosome® - Neutral Liposomal Clodronate for Macrophage Depletion

Clophosome<sup>®</sup>, neutral clodronate liposomes, offers highly efficient in vivo macrophage depletion. Clodronate molecules are encapsulated in small LUV liposomes for superior activity, physical and chemical stability, and convenience of use. It is formulated to exceptionally high clodronate/lipid ratio and the encapsulation efficiency of clodronate is above 90%. Clophosome liposomes remain homogenous and free-flow after long term storage. The product is suitable for dosing with various routes including intravenous, intraperitoneal, subcutaneous, intranasal, intratracheal etc. A starting dose of 0.2 mL (i.v. or i.p.) for 20-25g animal body weight is recommended. Optimization is recommended for specific applications.

#### ALWAYS CLEAN WITH ALCOHOL AND DO NOT REUSE THE NEEDLES

Animals become sensitive to infection when macrophages are depleted and the immune system is compromised. It is extremely important to conduct the injection in a clean environment particularly for long-term depletions. Withdraw the liposomes through the rubber stopper (clean with alcohol first) with a new sterile needle. Always clean the injection site with alcohol and use a new and sterile needle for each injection.

PRODUCT CODE #: F70101C-N BATCH #: 11211301 DATE OF PRODUCTION: 11/23/2013

LIPID COMPOSITION: Phosphatidylcholine and cholesterol

ACTIVE: Clodronate, (Dichloromethylene) bisphosphonic acid disodium salt

(CAS:88416-50-6, 22560-50-5)

**CLODRONATE Concentration:** 7 mg/mL **CLODRONATE ENCAPSULATION:** > 90%

**PARTICLE SIZE:** Meet specification

**BULK SOLUTION:** PBS (10% sucrose, 20mM Na PO<sub>4</sub>), pH 7.0-7.4

For macrophage depletion up to one week: 200 µL day 1 (for 20-25g body wt). **RECOMMENDED DOSE:** 

For more consistent results inject 2 days in advance

For longer macrophage depletion: 200µL first dose, 100µL every 4 days

FORM/COLOR: Milky and free flow liposomal dispersion. There may be some settlement of the liposomes which

should disperse with proper mixing.

#### STORAGE AND HANDLING:

Store refrigerated (2-8 deg C). Avoid freezing. Warm to room temperature and mix well before use

#### STABILITY AND GUARANTEE:

Product is sterile filtered and filled in autoclaved glass vials. Formulation stability and sterility are guaranteed (exchange only) for 6 month for unused vials stored at 2 – 8 °C

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# Plain Control Liposomes for Clophosome® (Neutral)

This empty liposome product is to be used as a negative control for Clophosome<sup>®</sup> in macrophage depletion studies. It has the same lipid composition and concentration as for Clophosome<sup>®</sup>.

 PRODUCT CODE #:
 F70101-N

 BATCH #:
 05151401

**DATE OF PRODUCTION:** 05/16/2014

**LIPID COMPOSITION:** Phosphatidylcholine and cholesterol

ACTIVE: None CLODRONATE CONCENTRATION: Zero

**CLODRONATE ENCAPSULATION:** n/a

PARTICLE SIZE: Meet specification

BULK BUFFER SOLUTION: PBS (20mM NaPO4, 10% sucrose), pH 7.2

**RECOMMENDED DOSE:** Recommended dose: equivalent to the Clophosome<sup>®</sup> dose

FORM/COLOR:

Milky and free flow liposomal dispersion, There may be some settlement of the liposome particles which should disperse with gentle mixing

#### STABILITY AND GUARANTEE:

Product is sterile and filled in autoclaved glass vials. Stability and sterility are guaranteed (exchange only) for 6 month for unused vials stored at 2 – 8 °C

#### STORAGE AND HANDLING:

- Store refrigerated (2-8 deg C). Avoid freezing. Warm to room temperature and mix well before use.
- Dilute in PBS or other isotonic buffer solutions if necessary.

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### Clophosome®-A - Anionic Liposomal Clodronate for Macrophage Depletion

Clophosome<sup>®</sup>-A, clodronate liposomes, is formulated for superior efficiency of macrophage depletion *in vivo*. Clodronate molecules are encapsulated in anionic phosphatidylglycerol LUV liposomes for superior activity, physical and chemical stability, and convenience of use and handling. The liposomal encapsulation efficiency of clodronate is no less than 90%. The product is suitable for dosing with various routes including intravenous, intraperitoneal, subcutaneous and etc. It is sterile filtered for long term shelf-life. A starting dose of 0.2 mL (*i.v.* or *i.p.*) for 20 - 25g animal body weight is recommended, optimize if necessary.

#### IMPORTANT NOTES: ALWAYS CLEAN WITH ALCOHOL AND DO NOT REUSE THE NEEDLE

Animals become sensitive to infection when macrophages are depleted and the immune system is compromised. It is extremely important to conduct the injection in a clean environment. Withdraw the liposomes through the rubber stopper (clean with alcohol first) with a new sterile needle. Always clean the injection site with alcohol and use a new and sterile needle for each injection.

CATALOGUE #: F70101C-A

BATCH #: 12031302

DATE OF PRODUCTION: 12/06/2013

LIPID COMPOSITION: Phosphatidylglycerol, phosphatidylcholine and cholesterol

**ACTIVE:** Clodronate: (Dichloromethylene) bisphosphonic acid disodium salt tetrahydrate

(CAS:88416-50-6, 22560-50-5)

**CLODRONATE CONCENTRATION:** 7 mg/mL **CLODRONATE ENCAPSULATION:** > 90%

BULK SOLUTION: PBS (10% sucrose, 20mM Na PO<sub>4</sub>), pH 7.0-7.4

**RECOMMENDED DOSE:** For macrophage depletion up to one week: 200 uL day 1 (for 20-25g mouse) For

more consistent results inject 2 days in advance

For longer macrophage depletion: 200uL first dose, 100uL every 4 days

**FORM/COLOR:** Milky and free flow liposomal dispersion, Some settlement of the liposome particles may occur

which should disperse with proper mixing.

#### STORAGE AND HANDLING:

Store refrigerated (2-8 deg C). Avoid freezing. Warm to room temperature and mix well before use

#### STABILITY AND GUARANTEE:

Product is sterile filtered and filled in autoclaved glass vials. Formulation stability and sterility are guaranteed (exchange only) for 6 month for unused vials stored at 2-8 °C

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# Placebo Control Liposomes for Clophosome®-A (Anionic)

This empty liposome product is to be used as a negative control for Clophosome<sup>®</sup>-A in macrophage depletion studies. It has the same lipid composition and concentration as for Clophosome<sup>®</sup>-A (F70101C-A).

PRODUCT CODE #: F70101-A

BATCH #: 02051402

DATE OF PRODUCTION: 02/10/2014

**LIPID COMPOSITION:** Phosphatidylcholine, phosphatidylglycerol, and cholesterol

ACTIVE: None

**CLODRONATE CONCENTRATION:** n/a **CLODRONATE ENCAPSULATION:** n/a

PARTICLE SIZE: Meet specification

BULK BUFFER SOLUTION: Phosphate buffered sucrose

(20mM sodium phosphate, 10% sucrose), pH 7.2

**RECOMMENDED DOSE:** Recommended dose: equivalent to the Clophosome<sup>®</sup>- A dose

FORM/COLOR:

White and free-flow liposomal dispersion, There may be some settlement of the liposome particles which should disperse with proper mixing

#### **STABILITY AND GUARANTEE:**

Product is sterile filtered and filled in autoclaved glass vials. Formulation stability and sterility are guaranteed (exchange only) for 6 month for unopened vials stored at 2 – 8 °C

#### STORAGE AND HANDLING:

- Store refrigerated (2-8 deg C). Avoid freezing. Warm to room temperature and mix well before use.
- Dilute in PBS or other isotonic buffer solutions if necessary.

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