MA2.1
HB-54™

Description
Organism: *Mus musculus* (B cell); *Mus musculus* (myeloma), mouse (B cell); mouse (myeloma)
Cell Type: hybridoma: b lymphocyte
Morphology: lymphoblast
Growth properties: Suspension

Storage Conditions
Product format: Frozen

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Handling Procedures

Unpacking and storage instructions:

1. Check all containers for leakage or breakage.
2. Remove the frozen cells from the dry ice packaging and immediately place the cells at a temperature below -130°C, preferably in liquid nitrogen vapor, until ready for use.

Complete medium: RPMI medium 1640, 80%; fetal bovine serum, 20%

Handling Procedure: Part A. FROZEN CELLS
Vol./Ampule: 1.0 mL.
Recommended Handling Upon Receipt: Initiate culture as soon as possible upon receipt. Thaw by rapid agitation in 37°C water bath. See instructions on back.
Dilute ampule contents with culture medium (see batch data above). Add fresh medium (depending on cell density) every 2-3 days.
Subculturing procedure:
**Medium Renewal:** Every 2 to 3 days
Cultures can be maintained by addition or replacement of fresh medium.
Start cultures at 1 X 10^5 cells/ml and maintain between 1 X 10^5 and 1 X 10^6 cells/ml.

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