Organism: *Mus musculus* (B cell); *Mus musculus* (myeloma), mouse (B cell); mouse (myeloma)
Isotype: IgG2a; kappa light chain
Cell Type: hybridoma; B lymphocyte
Morphology: lymphoblast
Growth Properties: suspension

**Intended Use**

This product is intended for research use only. It is not intended for any animal or human therapeutic or diagnostic use.

**Complete Growth Medium**

The base medium for this cell line is ATCC-formulated Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium, Catalog No. 30-2002. To make the complete growth medium, add the following components to the base medium: fetal bovine serum to a final concentration of 10%
Culture Medium: Dulbecco's modified Eagle's medium with 4 mM L-glutamine adjusted to contain 1.5 g/L sodium bicarbonate, 4.5 g/L glucose, and 1.0 mM sodium pyruvate, 90%; fetal bovine serum, 10%.

**Citation of Strain**

If use of this culture results in a scientific publication, it should be cited in that manuscript in the following manner: E5BB3IIA2 (ATCC® HB-121™)

**Batch-Specific Information**

Refer to the Certificate of Analysis for batch-specific test results.

**SAFETY PRECAUTION**

ATCC highly recommends that protective gloves and clothing always be used and a full face mask always be worn when handling frozen vials. It is important to note that some vials leak when submersed in liquid nitrogen and will slowly fill with liquid nitrogen. Upon thawing, the conversion of the liquid nitrogen back to its gas phase may result in the vessel exploding or blowing off its cap with dangerous force creating flying debris.

**Unpacking & 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.

**Handling Procedure for Frozen Cells**

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.

Part B. FLASK CULTURES  
Recommended Handling Upon Receipt: Suspension Cultures: The culture flasks have been completely filled with medium for shipment. Remove the entire contents of the flask and centrifuge at 300 x g for 15 minutes. Resuspend the cell pellet as suggested under subculture procedure described above.

**Subculturering 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 exp5 cells/ml and maintain between 1 X 10 exp5 and 1 X 10 exp6 cells/ml.

**Comments**

Animals were immunized with purified IgE myeloma protein. Spleen cells were fused with P3X63Ag8.653 myeloma cells. The antibody induces histamine release from human basophils. Tested and found negative for ectromelia virus (mousepox).

**References**

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**Biosafety Level: 1**

Appropriate safety procedures should always be used with this material. Laboratory safety is discussed in
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