# **Dried Complement "SEIKEN"**

This is lyophilized complement from Guinea pigs and is intended for use in complement fixation tests to determine human serum antibody levels to various target viruses involved in infectious diseases.

#### PRODUCT

A mixture of fresh sera taken from more than ten healthy guinea pigs.

Titer: The CH<sub>50</sub> of this product is guaranteed to be greater than 1:200 (Nishioka's method).

#### **PROCEDURES**

## 1. Reagent preparation

Reconstitute the reagent by adding the prescribed volume of distilled water (or Green's solution\*). The water used for reconstitution should be cooled to below 10°C prior to use.

If the complement is reconstituted with Green's solution and kept at 4°C, there will be no drop in titer for up to 1 week.

#### 2. CF test

Choose the most appropriate CF test procedure according to your purpose, and confirm the dilution factor in a preliminary test.

## STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE

Storage:

2~10 ℃

Expiration: Up to expiration date on the label

#### PACKAGE CONTENT

Dried complement "SEIKEN"

1 ml equivalent  $\times$  10 (Product Code 500101)

Dried complement "SEIKEN"

5 ml equivalent  $\times$  5 (Product Code 500202)

The following products are available separately from us.

## Miscellaneous Reagents for Complement Fixation Test

## Green's solution

This solution is used to reconstitute complement and contains 12 w/v% sodium acetate, 4 w/v% borate.

[STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE] Storage temperature: 2 – 10 °C

Shelf life: I year after production

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Green's solution "SEIKEN" 20 ml (Product Code 500901)

### Hemolysin "SEIKEN"

Rabbits are immunized with fresh sheep RBCs, and the resulting serum is taken and heated at 56°C for 30 minutes. Sodium azide at the ratio of 0.1 w/v% is added as stabilizer.

Titer: about 5000 units (Ogata's method)

[STORAGE AND SHELF LIFE] Storage temperature: 2 – 10°C

Shelf life: I year after production

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Hemolysin "SEIKEN"

3 ml (Product Code 500801)