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# Product datasheet

# Human Anti-Toxoplasma gondii IgM ELISA Kit ab 108778

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Overview

**Product name** 

Human Anti-Toxoplasma gondii IgM ELISA Kit

**Detection method** 

Colorimetric

**Precision** 

Sample	n	Mean	SD	CV%
Serum 1	24			2.9%
Serum 2	24			1.5%

Inter-assay

Intra-assay

Sample	n	Mean	SD	CV%
Serum 2	12			6.5%
Serum 3	12			4.5%

Sample type Serum, Hep Plasma, Cit plasma

Assay type Sandwich (qualitative)

Assay duration Multiple steps standard assay

Species reactivity Reacts with: Human

**Product overview** ab108778 Toxoplasma gondii lgM Human ELISA Kit is intended for the qualitative determination of lgM class antibodies against Toxoplasma gondii in human serum or plasma (citrate).

Toxoplasma gondii is a small intracellular parasite, whose live cycle has a sexual and an asexual phase. Sexual development is restricted to the intestinal cells of (probably exclusively) cats; the oocysts formed are excreted and due to their resistant cell walls they may be infectious under advantageous circumstances for at least 1 year. Animals and man are intermediate hosts for the asexual proliferation of T. gondii: the ingested parasites will proliferate explosively within the host cells lysing them eventually. They disseminate throughout the body via circulation and lymphatic system and may infect any cell type. In muscle and brain cells cysts are formed which are spheroidal and about 5-100  $\mu$ m in diameter. Cysts are virtually immortal in the intermediate host.

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Toxoplasma gondii is the most common parasite in humans, but its abundance (7-80%) is highly dependent on the geographic area, the socio-economic status and the nutritional customs. Infection only rarely causes toxoplasmosis and usually clinical symptoms are absent, but may produce severe problems in immunosuppressed persons and fetus.

**Platform** 

Microplate

#### **Properties**

# Storage instructions

Store at +4°C. Please refer to protocols.

Components	Identifier	1 x 96 tests
20X Washing Solution	White cap	1 x 50ml
Anti-Human (lgM) Coated Microplate (12 x 8 wells)	12 strips of 8 wells	1 unit
Cover foil		1 unit
lgM Sample Diluent	Colored yellow	1 x 100ml
Stop Solution	red cap	1 x 15ml
Strip holder		1 unit
TMB Substrate Solution	Yellow cap	1 x 15ml
Toxoplasma gondii HRP Conjugate		1 x 15ml
Toxoplasma gondii lgM Cut-off Control	Colored yellow; Green cap	1 x 3ml
Toxoplasma gondii IgM Negative Control	Colored yellow; Blue cap	1 x 2ml
Toxoplasma gondii lgM Positive Control	Colored yellow; Red cap	1 x 2ml

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