# **KBM NK Kit**

## **Applications**

KBM NK kit is selectively cultivates NK cells from PBMC (Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells) derived from human peripheral blood efficiently and easily.

## **Characteristics**

In 10 days of culture, it is able to proliferate cells by 100 to 150 times (Up to 3.6 billion cells at maximum), and more than 50 % of them to be NK cells (\*).

\* Rarely, the NK ratio does not exceed 50% due to individual differences.

The kit is composed by; ①KBM NKCC -1 (Medium for primary culture)

②KBM NKCC -2 (Medium for expansion)

③KBM NKCC-b (culture bag)

④KBM NKCC-c (coating agent)

## **Cell Culture Example**

- 1. PBMC 2.0×10<sup>7</sup> cells were seeded into T75 flasks pre-coated (NKCC-1 20 mL, serum 2 mL added) and incubated in a 5 % CO2 incubator at 37 °C.
- 2. At 5 days of culture, the cells were collected the number of cells reaches to 8.2×107 cells. Transfer cells for expansion of culture (1200 rpm x 5 min).
- 3. Add 200 mL of NKCC-2 so that the cell concentration gets 4.0×105 cells/mL. Add inactivated (56 °C, 30 min) human serum (10 mL) obtained at the time of PBMC separation.
- 4. At 7 days of culture, add the remaining 800 mL of NKCC-2 to the bag, after it was confirmed that the medium had turn to yellow.
- 5. At 10 days of culture, count the number of cells. Confirm the cell surface markers (CD56, CD3) and measure the cytotoxic activity using K 562 (target cancer cell) on a flow cytometer.

### [Culture Conditions]

Cultured Cells	PBMC(Peripheral Blood Mononuclear Cells)
Primary Medium	NKCC-1+10% Human Serum (inactivated)
Expansion Medium	NKCC-2+Human Serum(inactivated)
Culture Vessel	T75 Flask(Corning,430641U) Coated with NKCC-c
Culture Bag	NKCC-b
Primary Culture	PBMC 2.0×10 <sup>7</sup> cells/NKCC-1 20 mL, Serum 2ml
Expansion Culture	4.0×10 <sup>5</sup> cells/NKCC-2 200 mL, Plasma 10 mL collected during PBMC isolation
Culture Environment	Culture under static condition at 37 °C• 5%CO2

Table1 Changes in cell number

Days of Culture	Cell yield	Viability
0	2.0×10 <sup>7</sup>	-
5	8.2×10 <sup>7</sup>	-
10	3.7×10 <sup>9</sup>	94.6%

Table2 Percentage of Cytotoxicity

E/T	Cytotoxicity		
	2 hr	4 hr	
12	100%	100%	
24	100%	100%	

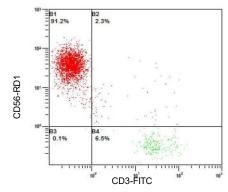


Fig.1 Surface makers by flow cytometer

Product No	Product Name	Size	Price	Shelf Life	Storage
16030210	KBM NK Kit	1 Kit	JPY 57,500	9 months	2-8 °C