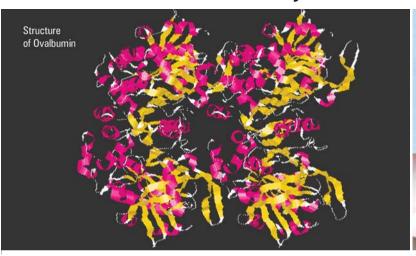


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## Is your ovalbumin contaminated with endotoxin?





# EndoGrade™ Ovalbumin (< 1 EU/mg)

### For in-vivo and in-vitro applications

#### **Ensure accurate results!**

The glycoprotein ovalbumin is a extensively studied protein in animal models. It is also an established model allergen for airway hyper-responsiveness (AHR).

Commercial ovalbumin is often contaminated with lipopolysaccharides and fully activates endothelial cells in *in-vitro* assays. This falsifies the results as it does not accurately reflect the effect of the protein antigen.\*

It is a major challenge to remove the endotoxin contamination from ovalbumin.

To meet the exact requirements of *in-vivo* and *in-vitro* studies with ovalbumin, we provide EndoGrade<sup>TM</sup> Ovalbumin at a quality of < 1 EU/mg (for research use only).

**In-vivo applications** e.g. injection, aerosolization **In-vitro applications** e.g. proliferation assays

#### **Specifications**

- Source Chicken Egg White
- Synonyms Allergen Gal d 2
- **CAS number** 9006-59-1
- Form Lyophilized, contains no salts

- Endotoxin conc. < 1 EU/mg [1 mg/ml]
- **Purity (SDS-Page)** > 98%
- Max. solubility 20 mg/ml

#### **EndoGrade™ Ovalbumin ß-Customer Feedback**

"We do not observe any IL-12 induction and proliferation of dendritic cells after we pulsed them over night with Profos' ovalbumin (completely contrary to other OVA preparations). Cultivation of OVA-T-cell-receptor transgenic T-cells pulsed with DCs leads to T-cell proliferation, which shows the processing and presentation of the antigen. In short: optimal for our assays."

**Literature:** \* Watanabe et al. Endotoxin contamination of ovalbumin suppresses murine immunologic responses and development of airway hyperreactivity. J Biol Chem. 2003 Oct 24; 278(43):42361-8.

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