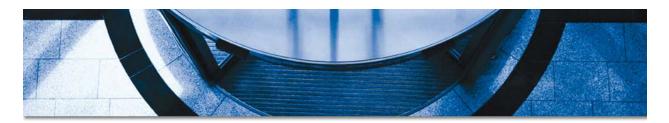
# MIKROGEN DIAGNOSTIK



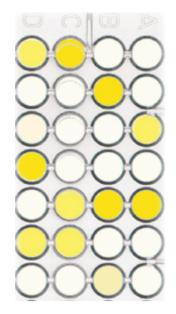
NEW recomWell Chlamydia pneumoniae IgG recomWell Chlamydia pneumoniae IgM recomWell Chlamydia pneumoniae IgA

ELISA format based on *Chlamydia pneumoniae* specific antigen (COMC) for detection of IgG, IgM, or IgA antibodies to *Chlamydia pneumoniae*.

*Chlamydia pneumoniae* is an obligate intracellular bacterium that targets the respiratory tract. Although most infections are asymptomatic or mildly symptomatic, more severe infections do occur, often in elderly people.

Chlamydiae reproduce in a biphasic development cycle: extracellular infectious elementary bodies and intracellular metabolically active non-infectious reticular bodies. This type of reproduction facilitates persistent, chronic infections.

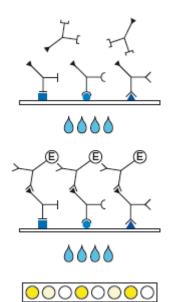
*recom*Well Chlamydia pneumoniae are highlyspecific assays that incorporate recombinant antigens of the outer membrane complex of *Chlamydia pneumoniae* (COMC) elementary bodies and reticular bodies.



### **Product advantages**

- High sensitivity and specificity.
- Excellent discrimination between negative and positive results.
- Separate detection of IgG, IgM, and IgA antibodies is possible.
- Simple, user-friendly assay procedure.
- Assay procedure and reagents identical in all MIKROGEN *recom*Well products reagents exchangeable.

### Test principle and procedure



**Storage** Store products at 2-8°C.

Product no. 6104 recomWell Chlamydia pneumoniae IgG (Reagents for 96 determinations)

Product no. 6105 recomWell Chlamydia pneumoniae IgM

Product no. 6106 recomWell Chlamydia pneumoniae IgA (Reagents for 96 determinations) Indirect ELISA format. Recombinant antigens are bound to the solid phase.

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Incubation

Add samples (10µl of serum or plasma) diluted 1:100, incubate for **1 h** at 37 °C. Wash 4 times.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Incubation

Add peroxidase conjugated anti-human IgG, IgM, or IgA antibodies (conjugate), incubate for **30 min** at 37 °C. Wash 4 times.

#### **Color reaction**

Add ready-to-use TMB solution and incubate for **30 min** at room temperature. Stop the substrate reaction with  $H_3PO_4$  and measure the extinction at 450 nm.

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