# Cryo-SFM Plus



# Instruction manual

Product	Size	Catalog number
Cryo-SFM Plus	30 ml 125 ml	C-29920 C-29922

## **Product description**

Our Cryo-SFM Plus is a defined, animal component-free, and protein-free cryopreservation medium. The optimized formulation is based on methylcellulose, DMSO and other cryoprotectants. Cryo-SFM Plus provides excellent results with all types of cells including primary human cells, stem cells and cell lines. Cells frozen in Cryo-SFM Plus exhibit superior viability, attachment, and subsequent growth performance after thawing.

#### Instruction of use

Detach adherent cells using the DetachKit (C-41200, C-41210, C-41220). Resuspend the

cells in cold or room temperature Cryo-SFM Plus at a concentration of 0.1–10 million cells/ml. Transfer the cell suspension into cryovials, freeze them gradually (-1°C/minute) to -70°C or lower overnight and subsequently store the vials in liquid nitrogen.

**Note:** Each freeze/thaw cycle leads to a loss in proliferation potential and cell number, particularly when working with fragile primary cells. If freezing the cells, please do so at as low a passage number as possible.

# Storage and stability

Store Cryo-SFM Plus at 4 to  $8^{\circ}$ C in the dark immediately after arrival. If stored properly, the product is stable until the expiry date stated on the label.

## Quality control

All lots of PromoCell Cryo-SFM Plus are subjected to comprehensive quality control tests. Each lot is routinely tested for its performance with primary human cells. Approved in-house lots are used as a reference.

In addition, all lots of Cryo-SFM Plus have been tested for the absence of microbial contaminants (fungi and bacteria).

#### Intended use

The products are for *in vitro* research use only and not for diagnostic or therapeutic procedures. For safety precautions please see appropriate MSDS.

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