

# StemSpan™ Erythroid Expansion Supplement (100X)

**Serum-free culture supplement for expansion of human erythroid cells**

Catalog # 02692

1 mL



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## Product Description

StemSpan™ Erythroid Expansion Supplement (100X) contains a combination of recombinant human cytokines formulated to selectively promote the expansion and differentiation of erythroid progenitor cells from CD34+ cells isolated from human cord blood (CB) or bone marrow (BM) samples.

StemSpan™ Erythroid Expansion Supplement (100X) is intended for use in combination with any of the following StemSpan™ media:

- StemSpan™ SFEM (Catalog #09600) serum-free medium
- StemSpan™ SFEM II (Catalog #09605) improved version of SFEM serum-free medium

Advantages:

- Formulated to produce large numbers of human erythroid cells in liquid cultures initiated with CD34+ CB or BM cells.
- Optimized for use with StemSpan™ media. When combined with StemSpan™ SFEM II in particular, supports up to 4-fold higher expansion of erythroid cells from human CD34+ CB cells than other serum-free media on the market.
- Supplied as a 100X concentrate. After thawing and mixing, the tube contents can be added directly to any hematopoietic cell expansion medium of choice.

## Properties

**Storage:** Store at -20°C to -70°C.

**Shelf Life:** Stable until expiry date (EXP) on label.

**Contains:**

- Recombinant human stem cell factor (SCF)
- Recombinant human interleukin 3 (IL-3)
- Recombinant human erythropoietin (EPO)

## Handling / Directions For Use

1. Thaw StemSpan™ Erythroid Expansion Supplement at room temperature (15 - 25°C) until just thawed and mix well.  
NOTE: If necessary, centrifuge for 30 seconds to recover liquid from cap.  
NOTE: Once thawed, store supplement at 2 - 8°C for up to 1 month. Alternatively, aliquot and store at -20°C. After thawing aliquots, do not re-freeze.
2. Add StemSpan™ Erythroid Expansion Supplement to culture medium at a 1 in 100 dilution (e.g. add 1 mL of Supplement to 99 mL of culture medium). Mix well.

### ASSESSMENT OF DIFFERENTIATED CELLS

Assessment of HSPCs before and after culture, and erythroid cells after culture, may be performed by flow cytometry using the following fluorochrome-conjugated antibody clones:

- Anti-Human CD34 Antibody, Clone 581 (Catalog #60013) or Clone 563 (Catalog #60119) or Clone 8G12 (Catalog #60121)
- Anti-Human CD45 Antibody, Clone HI30 (Catalog #60018) or Clone 2D1 (Catalog #60123)
- Anti-Human CD235a (Glycophorin A) Antibody, Clone 2B7 (Catalog #60152)
- Anti-Human CD71 (Transferrin Receptor) Antibody, Clone OKT9 (Catalog #60106)

## Notes and Tips

### RELATED PRODUCTS

For related products, including specialized culture and storage media, supplements, antibodies, cytokines, and small molecules, visit [www.stemcell.com/HSPCworkflow](http://www.stemcell.com/HSPCworkflow) or contact us at [techsupport@stemcell.com](mailto:techsupport@stemcell.com). For available fresh and cryopreserved peripheral blood, cord blood, and bone marrow products in your region, visit [www.stemcell.com/primarycells](http://www.stemcell.com/primarycells).

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