

Antisera and Vaccines

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1. Vaccine Introduction

A. Definitions

- i. Immunity
- ii. Susceptibility

B. Process and Goal

- i. Herd Immunity (Page 458)
- ii. Critical Mass
 - Small Pox (Page 456)

2. Immune Classifications

A. Natural Immunity (non-acquired)

B. Acquired Immunity (Page 457)

i. Active Acquired Immunity

a. Naturally Acquired

b. Artificially Acquired

ii. Passive (Inactive Acquired) Immunity

a. Natural Passive Immunity

- IgG

- IgA

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b. Artificially Acquired Passive Immunity

• Classifications

* Antiserum

* Antitoxin

• Sources

* Heterologous

* Homologous

3. What Makes a Good Vaccine (Page 458)

- A. Stimulate life long immunity
- B. Be completely safe
- C. Require only one administration (i.e., no boosters)
- D. Be easy to produce
- E. Be stable in storage

4. Vaccine Types (Pages 460 - 461)

A. Live Attenuated (whole-agent) Vaccines (Page 460)

i. Advantages

ii. Disadvantages

B. Inactivated Vaccines (Pages 460 - 461)

i. Advantages

ii. Disadvantages

a. Boosters

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iii. Inactivated Vaccine Classifications (Pages 460 - 461) SEE HANDOUT

a. Inactivated Whole Agent Vaccines

- Example: Rabies

b. Toxoid Vaccines

- Examples: Tetanus, Diphtheria

c. Subunit Vaccines

- Example: Pertussis (acellular) aP
- Example: Hepatitis B

d. Polysaccharid Vaccines

- Examples: Example: *Streptococcus pneumoniae*

e. Conjugate Vaccines

- *Haemophilus influenzae* type b

C. Adjuvant (Page 461)

i. Enhanced Inflammation

a. Alum

ii. Enhanced Transport and Uptake

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4. Polio Example (Pages 461 - 462)

A. Trivalent

i. Salk Vaccine - Inactivated Polio Vaccine (IPV)

a. Boosters

ii Sabin Vaccine - Oral Polio Vaccine (OPV)

a. Effectiveness

- Immunocompromised Individuals
- “Back Mutate”

5. Immunization Schedules (pages 506 - 507) (see also vaccine schedules at link below:

<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/recs/schedules/default.htm>

6. Antisera

- Serum Sickness

A. Antitoxin

i. Tetanus

B. Antivenom

7. Diagnostics (Pages 464 - 473)

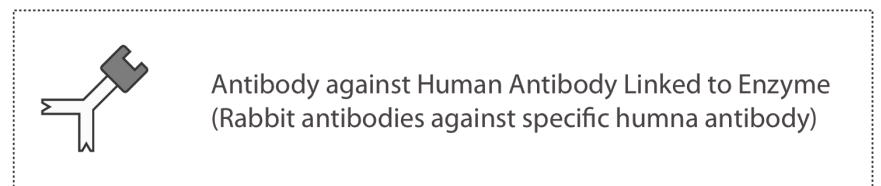
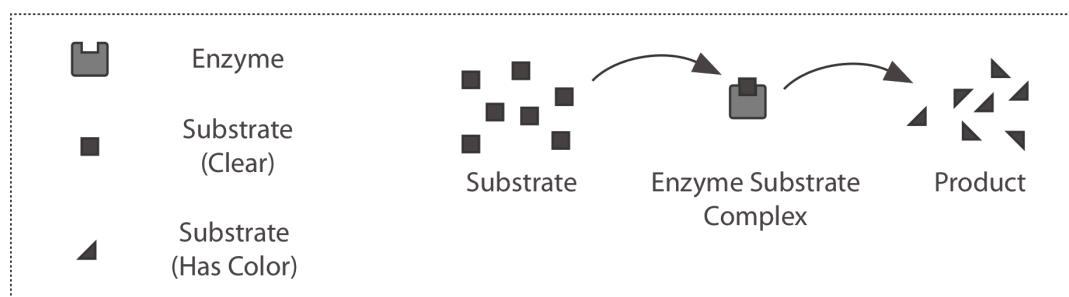
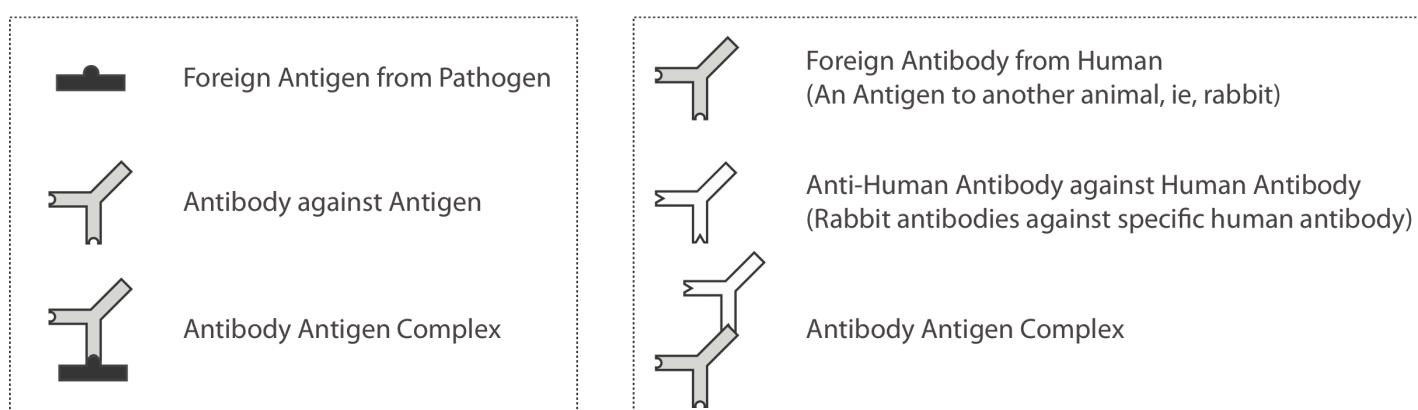
A. Introduction

- i. Plasma
- ii. Serum
- iii. Seroconversion
- iv. Titer

B. Monoclonal Antibodies (Pages 465 - 467) SEE Handout

C. Immunoassays

- i. Terminology
 - a. Assay
 - b. Secondary Antibodies
 - “Anti-human antibodies”



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ii. Direct Immunoassays (Look for Antigen)

iii. Indirect Immunoassays (Look for Antibody)

D. Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay (ELISA) (Pages 468 - 470)

* SEE HANDOUT !!

i. Direct ELISA

ii. Indirect ELISA

E. Western Blot (Pages 470 - 471)

* SEE HANDOUT !!

F. Agglutination Reactions (Pages 470 - 471)