







RAPID CLEAR® CAP

high-speed clarification of cell culture





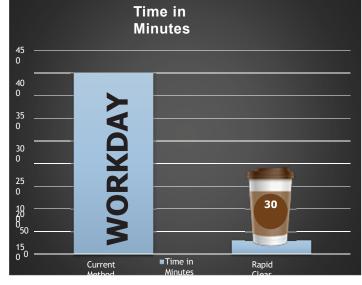
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Faster CHO & **HEK293** Filtration



technique · Cell clarification of low or high density cultures of CHO stable, CHO transient, HEK293, hybridoma, and other mammalian cell lines

Key Features

filter,

· Significant time savings versus classical spin down

multiple filtration steps and in some cases centrifugation

eliminates

• 0.2µm

- · Eliminates transfer steps: The Rapid Clear® Cap screws directly onto the Optimum Growth™ Flask
- · Secondary cap attaches to a new Optimum Growth™ Flask or to a storage container with a Luer lock

Less Waste



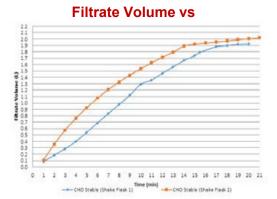
Rapid Clear® Cap 3000 Protocol



When producing biologics, cell yield and viability, effective clarification are critical. Thomson's patented Optimum Growth™ Flask design facilitates good mixing and high gas exchange rates to produce high density yields of viable cells. Thomson Instrument Company has used its expertise in filtration to develop the Rapid Clear® Cap 3000 to speed up the clarification process. This innovation reduces operating costs by increasing efficiency and minimizing the number of consumables used.

Using the Rapid Clear® Cap 3000 is quick and easy. Once the mammalian or insect cell culture is ready for clarification, simply remove the vent cap and replace it with the Rapid Clear® Cap 3000. The chart below provides the approximate time *** to clarify cell cultures based on cell type, viability and volume to be filtered. The higher the viability the faster the filtration.

- Grow cells in a 2.8L or 5L Optimum Growth™ Flask
- Transfer the flask to a hood to replace the Vent Cap with the Rapid Clear® Cap
- Replace the Vent Cap on the receiving 1.6L, 2.8L, or 5L Optimum Growth Flask with the receiving cap that comes with the Rapid Clear® Cap
- Remove from hood and place tubing in the pump head, see pump recommendation below***
- Tilt the flask slightly and run the pump at maximum speed until only a few hundred mL remain
- Slow pump down, then ratchet clamp to maintain pressure, add 400mL of PBS to the Optimum Growth™ Flask to ensure all the culture has been filtered and transferred to the new flask





Rapid Clear® Cap 3000 High-speed clarification of 2L-4L of cell culture | Sterile. Use with 2.8 & 5L Optimum

Growth™ Flasks Part #: 788116 | 4/Case

Fig 1. Volume and time recommendations by cell type.

Cell Line Viability	99%-70%		69%-50%		49%-40%		39%-0% Spin for 7min @ 4000g*	
Cell Type	Volu me (L)	Ti me (mi n)	Volu me (L)	Ti me (mi n)	Volu me (L)	Ti me (mi n)	Volu me (L)	Ti m e (m in)
CHO Stable without Feed	3.0	18	2.5	18	2.0	20	3.5****	35****
CHO Stable, 1 to 2 Feeds	2.0	18	2.0	18	1.5	35		
CHO Stable, 2+ Feeds	Spin for 15 min @ 3000g; ≤3L volume ****							
HEK293 (FreeStyle™ & Expi293)	3.0	18	3.0	23	3.0	25	3.5****	35****
CHO Transient	3.0	18	2.5	18	1.5	35		
ExpiCHO For low viability co Cap 3000.	3.0 Itures, (< 39%	18), centrifuge fo	2.5 r 7 minutes pr	18 or to clarifying	1.0 with the Rapid	18 d Clear®		

^{**} This chart was created from results generated in customer labs.

^{***} All data was generated using a Cole-Parmer pump (pump drive p/n EW-07554-90, pump head p/n EW-77200-62)





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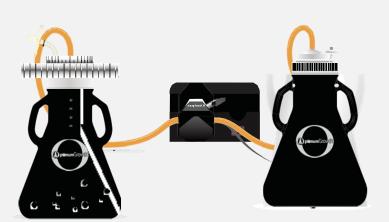
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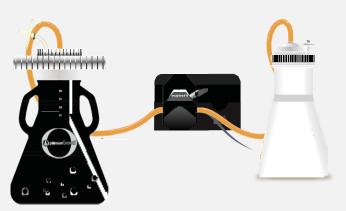
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Sterile.2.8 & 5L Optimum Growth $^{\text{TM}}$ Flasks

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Filter using Rapid Clear® Cap 3000 from one Optimum Growth™ 5L Flask to another 5L Flask



Filter using Rapid Clear® Cap 3000 from one Optimum Growth™ 5L Flask to a 2.8L Optimum Growth™ Flask for storage