



Bringing the Power of qPCR to Protein Quantitation



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# Rapid molecular methods for pharmaceutical manufacturing

#### **Product Safety**

Microbial Identification and Detection



#### **Product Quality**

**Impurity Analysis** 



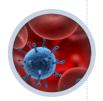
Real-Time PCR



**Bacterial ID** 



Fungal ID



Virus Detection



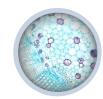
Mycoplasma



Residual DNA



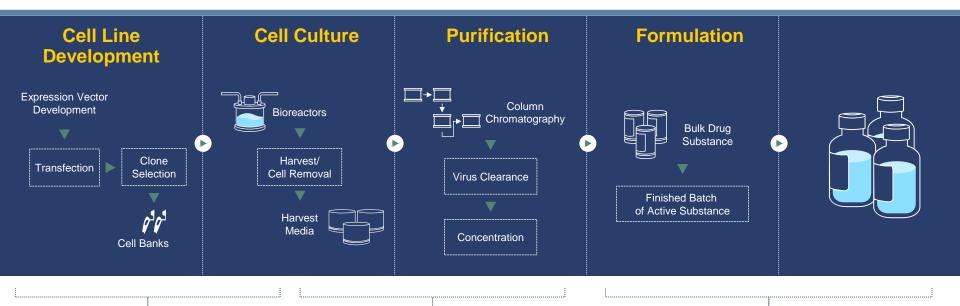
Protein A



**Custom HCP** 



### Analytical Solutions for BioProduction





MycoSEQ™ Mycoplasma Detection System

ViralSEQ™ Virus Detection System





resDNASEQ™ Residual DNA Quantitation System



ProteinSEQ™ HCP Quantitation System

ProteinSEQ™ Protein A Quantitation System (Arrives in 2015)

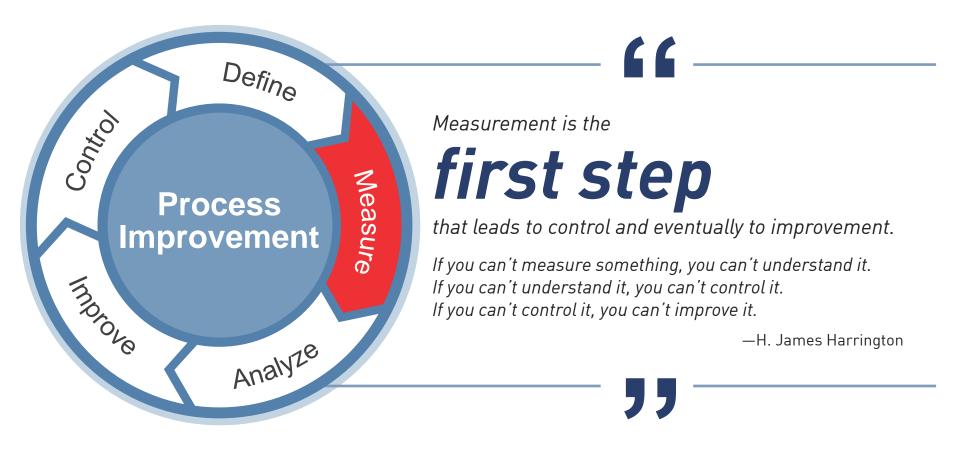




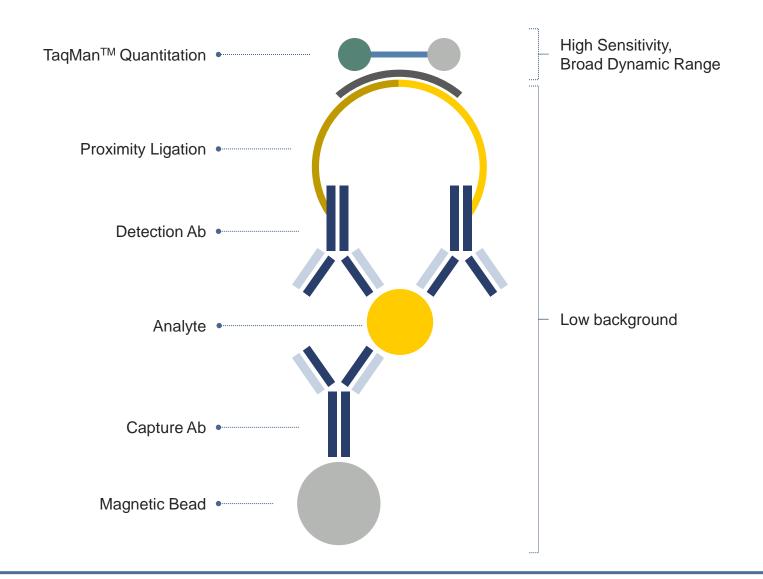
Bacterial & Fungal Identification



# Process Improvement Requires High Performance Analytics



# ProteinSEQ™ System Core Technology





# Key Features for ProteinSEQ™ Quantitation System



4 Log Dynamic Range



High Sensitivity



Robust Dilution Linearity



Robust Efficiency



Semi-Automation



Support Network



## ProteinSEQ™ Protein Quantitation System



#### **ProteinSEQ**™

Host Cell Protein Quantitation Kit



## **Applied Biosystems™ 7500 FAST**

Real-Time PCR Magnetic Particle Processor



### **MagMAX**™

Express-96 Instrument

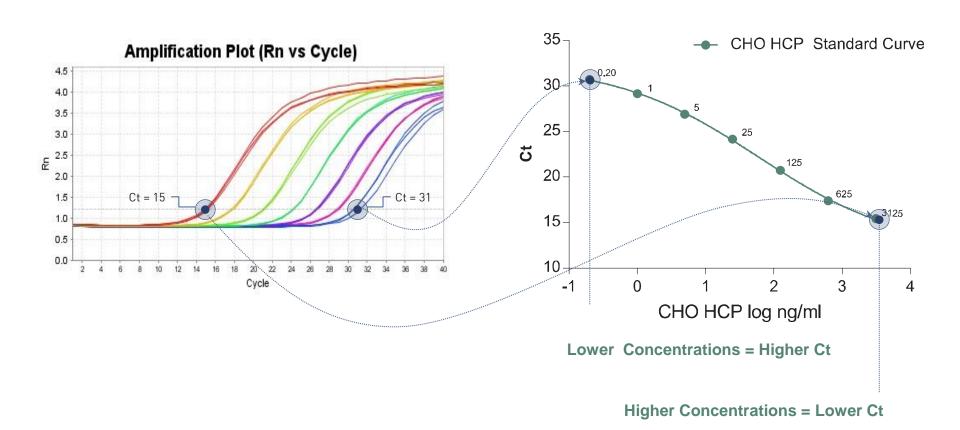


#### **AccuSEQ**<sup>TM</sup>

Software

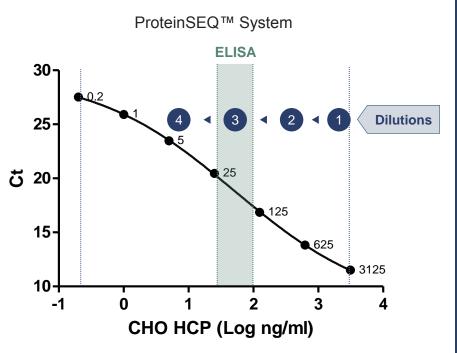


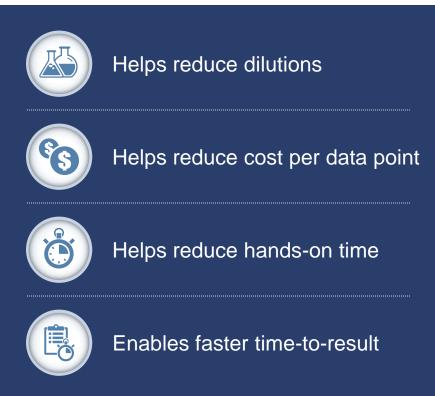
# Quantitation Based on a qPCR Amplification Threshold





## Broad Dynamic Range: High Quality Data

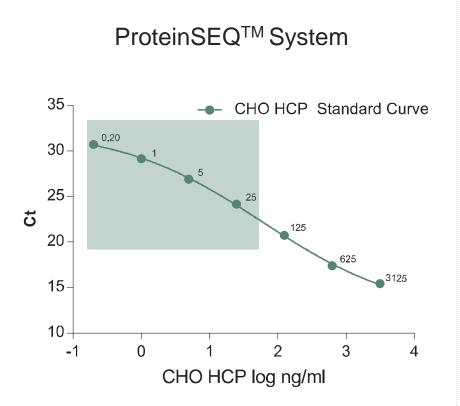


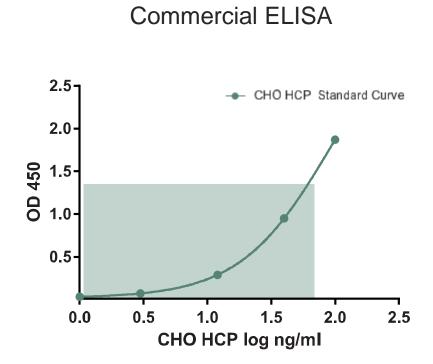


- Higher quality data than ELISA with the same antibody pool
- The platform, not just the antibody, can limit assay performance



## Higher Sensitivity: Improves Process Characterization



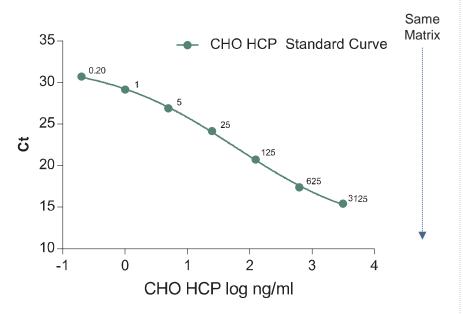


ProteinSEQ™ System retains excellent curve shape to 0.2 ng/mL



## Superior Dilution Linearity and Efficiency

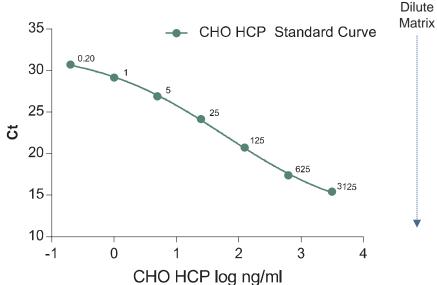
#### Performance across constant matrix



#### Answers the question:

How will the assay perform when an analyte is measured in a specific matrix at a specific concentration?

#### Performance across changing matrix



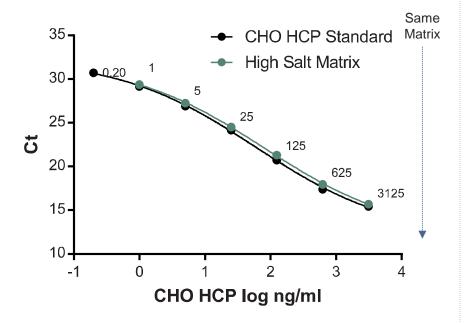
#### Answers the question:

How will the assay perform when the matrix changes over a series of dilutions?



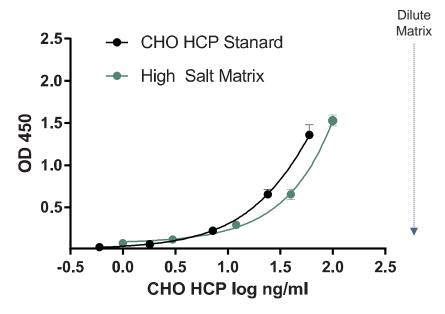
## **Evaluation of Efficiency and Dilution Linearity**

Measure performance across dynamic range with **constant matrix** 



**Efficiency** 

Measure performance across dynamic range with **changing matrix** 

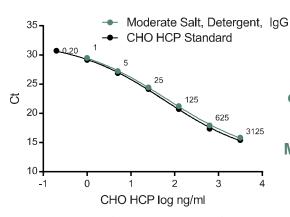


## **Dilution Linearity**



## Highly Efficient Quantitation with High Salt Matrices

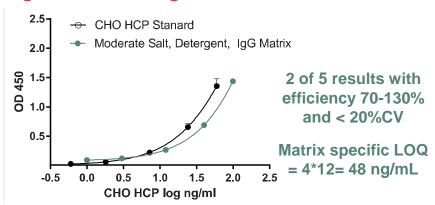
#### 800 mM NaCl, 20 mM NaPO4, pH 7.5,10 mg/mL human IgG / 4 X Dilution



6 of 6 results with efficiency 70-130% and < 20%CV

Matrix specific LOQ = 4\*1= 4 ng/mL

Input	Result	Efficiency	CV%
3125	2266.13	71.74	1.29
3125	2209.89		
3125	2249.61		
625	505.57	80.65	1.12
625	508.79		
625	497.77		
125	89.12	74.15	5.38
125	90.55		
125	98.38		
25	18.91	78.63	3.98
25	19.59		
25	20.47		
5	4.23	86.07	5.54
5	4.11		
5	4.57		
1	0.8575	87.53	16.75
1	0.7384		
1	1.03		



Input	Result	Result Efficiency	
100	74.21609	73.02	6.12
100	76.76676		
100	68.07426		
40	25.31818	66.76	9.53
40	29.64259		
40	25.15164		
12	12.69266	100.49	6.71
12	12.33667		
12	11.14765		
3	5.22759	170.88	5.73
3	4.795592		
3	5.356152		
1	3.227993	322.55	11.52
1	2.852625		
1	3.595807		

ProteinSEQ™ kits demonstrate accurate quantitation in <u>high salt</u>

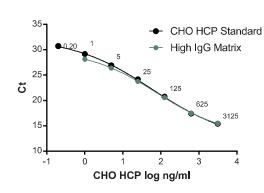
Matrix specific LOQ 12-100X lower than ELISA



# Highly Efficient Quantitation with Complex Samples

100 mM NaPO4, pH 7.5, 350 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA, 0.25% Tween-20, 15 mg/mL human IgG

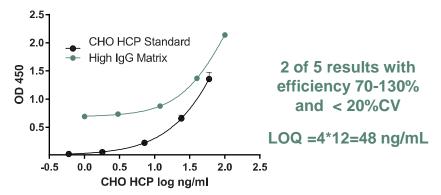
#### **4X Dilution**



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LOQ = 1\*4 = 4 ng/mL

Input	Result	Efficiency	CV%
3125	1964.12	65.34	6.83
3125	2202.93		
3125	1958.96		
625	500.60	81.39	7.55
625	550.52		
625	474.99		
125	96.28	74.93	8.13
125	99.62		
125	85.08		
25	19.64	81.40	5.34
25	21.60		
25	19.81		
5	4.42	87.47	4.44
5	4.54		
5	4.16		
1	0.7979	78.75	8.29
1	0.8469		
1	0.7176		



Input	Result	Efficiency	CV%
100	69.12405	66.89	7.47
100	70.3869		
100	61.17376		
40	28.0132	70.47	4.27
40	29.46998		
40	27.08011		
12	11.10794	93.23	1.23
12	11.34615		
12	11.10794		
3	5.611974	175.65	
3	5.012284		
3	5.184636		
1	3.867462	392.60	8.10
1	4.269155		
1	3.641318		

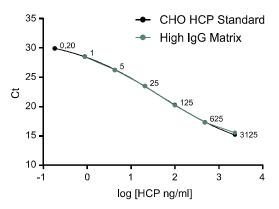
ProteinSEQ™ kits demonstrate accuracy in complex matrices whereas ELISA doesnot

Matrix specific LOQ 12-100X lower than ELISA



# Highly efficient with High IgG Matrix

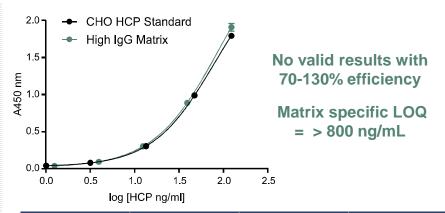
#### 100 mM NaPO4, 100 mg/mL human IgG



4 of 6 results with efficiency 70-130% and < 20%CV

Matrix specific LOQ = 25\*8= 200 ng/mL

Input	Result	Efficiency%	CV%
3125	2655.25	85.75	1.28
3125	2718.96		
3125	2664.66		
625	626.42	105.44	6.52
625	642.84		
625	707.72		
125	125.82	103.03	3.96
125	125.86		
125	134.67		
25	27.83	113.40 1.64	
25	28.49		
25	28.73		
5	7.14	143.40	2.05
5	7.04		
5	7.33		
1	1.85	240.00	20.32
1	2.57		
1	2.78		



Input	Result	Efficiency%	CV%
100	137.8936	129.14	7.74
100	131.2655		
100	118.2532		
40	62.45045	156.45	2.16
40	61.29456		
40	63.99461		
12	39.98194	304.14	8.69
12	33.77962		
12	35.72802		
3	29.68579	1005.76	6.28
3	32.26471		
3	28.56804		
1	29.64259	2843.73	13.30
1	31.47141		
1	24.19804		

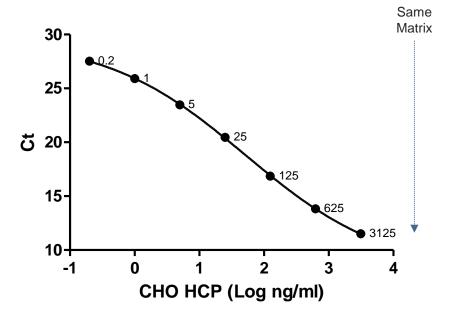
ProteinSEQ™ kits demonstrated accuracy with high IgG whereas ELISA did not

Matrix specific LOQ > 4X lower than ELSIA

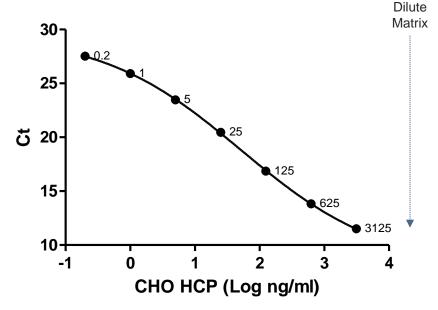


## **Evaluation of Efficiency and Dilution Linearity**

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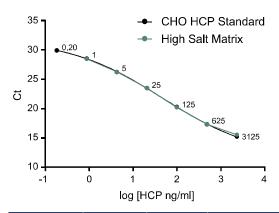
**Efficiency** 

**Dilution Linearity** 



## Consistent in Dilution Linearity with High Salt Matrix

#### 800 mM NaCl, 20 mM NaPO4, pH 7.5,10 mg/mL human IgG

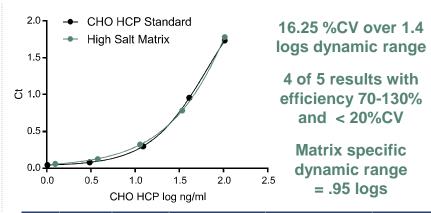


13.1 %CV over 3.5 logs dynamic range

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Matrix specific dynamic range = 3.49 logs

Input	Dilution	Result	Corrected Result	Avg.	Linearity
3125		2304	9216	73.04	
3125	4	2260	9040		
3125		2283	9132		
625		596	11920	102.68	
625	20	671	13420		
625		658	13160		
125		131	13100	103.30	
125	100	130	13000		
125		126	12600		13.1% over
25	500	22.3	11150	101.60	3.5 logs
25		26.0	13000		3
25		25.2	12600		
5		4.78	11950	102.55	
5	2500	5.18	12950		
5		5.52	13800		
1	12500	1.07	13375	96.67	
1		1.13	14125		
1		0.91	11375		



Input	Dilution	Result	Corrected Result	Avg.	Linearity
100		112.60	450.4	104.14	
100	4	98.25	393		
100		101.59	406.36		
33.33		32.91	394.92	92.61	16% over
33.33	12	29.76	357.12		1.4 logs
33.33		29.93	359.16		1.4 log3
11.11		12.25	441	109.22	
11.11	36	12.87	463.32		
11.11		11.28	406.08		
3.7		5.57	601.56	112.57	
3.7	108	3.65	394.2		
3.7		3.27	353.16		
1.23			0	134.62	
1.23	324	1.66	537.84		
1.23			0		

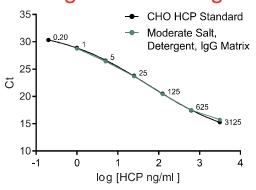
ProteinSEQ™ kits are more linear over a 2X greater dynamic range in high salt



## Consistent in Dilution Linearity with Complex Samples

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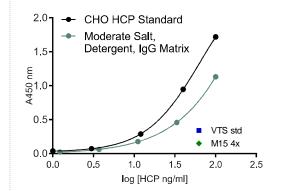


%CV = 18% over 3.4 logs dynamic range

5 of 6 results with 70-130% efficiency

Matrix specific dynamic range = 3.49 logs

Input	Result	Avg.	CV%
3125	2347	67.24	11.14
3125	2075		
3125	1882		
625	629	101.06	8.97
625	690		
625	577		
125	136	103.90	8.01
125	136		
125	118		
25	25.18	109.43	10.24
25	27.35		
25	24.27		
5	6.04	111.11	10.67
5	6.28		
5	4.90		
1	0.98	108.35	9.79
1	1.17		
1	1.18		
Average			18.0



No valid results with 70-130% efficiency

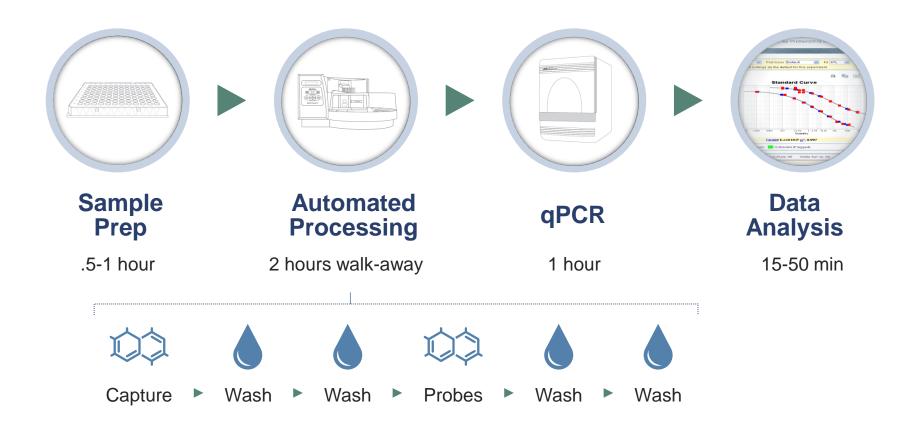
Matrix specific dynamic range = NA

Input	Result	Avg.	CV%
100	47.88	49.05	6.71
100	52.77		
100	46.51		
33.33	17.83	53.43	2.64
33.33	18.26		
33.33	17.32		
11.11	6.42	60.36	4.32
11.11	7.00		
11.11	6.71		
3.7	1.17	33.38	5.08
3.7	1.30		
3.7	1.24		
1.23		0.00	N/A
1.23			
1.23			
Average			21.49

ProteinSEQ™ kits demonstrate accurate quantitation across serial dilutions in a complex matrix whereas ELISA does not



## Semi-Automated ProteinSEQ<sup>TM</sup> System Workflow





## Summary of ProteinSEQ™ System for HCP





#### **Wide Dynamic Range**

4 Log dynamic range reduces dilutions and hands on time



#### **High Sensitivity**

Lower LOQ provides more data for process improvement



#### **Robust Linearity**

Reduces dilutions and simplifies data analysis



#### **Robust Efficiency**

Accurate quantitation in complex matrices



#### **Semi-Automation**

Walk-away processing of 96-well plates



#### **Support Network**

Worldwide technical and validation support and custom capabilities









MagMAX™ Express-96



7500 Fast Real-Time PCR System

















A Real-Time qPCR platform to detect a broad spectrum of common contaminants with optional automation

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# Appendix



# ProteinSEQ<sup>™</sup> System for HCP Requires 3 Epitopes per Antigen

#### The Goal

To quantitate HCPs with the highest sensitivity and reproducibility

- ProteinSEQ<sup>TM</sup> kits are more sensitive and delivers reproducible values at lower concentrations than ELISA
- Higher quality data for downstream steps enables improved process monitoring and development



## HCPs can Have a Variable Number of Epitopes

HCPs can vary in their immunogenicity during preparation of the anti-HCP polyclonal antibody. Regardless of size, some HCPs will reactive strongly with the host animal and others will not.



#### **Crude HCP Sample**

Contains hundreds to thousands of proteins with-all with different immunogenicity towards the host animal. Two are shown below

#### **Polyclonal Antibody**

Diverse antibody species

#### **Antigen Recognition**

Diverse ratio of HCP to antibody binding. The opaque HCP has two epitopes while the blue HCP has 8.



## Variable Epitopes on HCP Quantitation

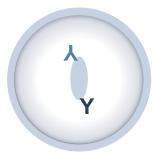
All Ab based HCP assays actually count epitopes not mass. For this reason, the reported metric of "ng/mL" is not an accurate description of the actual measurement.

**Example:** If an HCP is very immunogenic it will generate many antibody species during preparation of the polyclonal antibody reagent in goat/sheep/rabbit/chicken. Removal of a small amount of this protein will lead to a large change in signal. The assay reports a large change in "mass" even though this was not the case.



**IEX Load** 





#### **IEX Eluent**

Blue HCP removed. HCP assay would report 875 ng/mL removed but only 500 ng/mL was actually removed

- Contains blue HCP with 8 epitopes and a opaque HCP with few 2 epitopes
- Proteins are present at equal concentration of 500 ng/mL
- HCP assay reports 1000 ng/mL

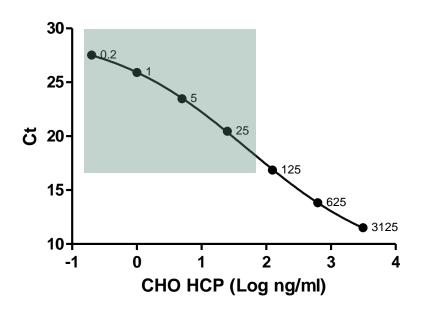
- Blue HCP is removed during purification
- Opaque HCP remains in product
- HCP assay reports 125 ng/mL remains in products
- Result would indicate 8Xdecrease in HCP (1000/125) mass even though it was really only 2X (1000/500)
- HCP assay OVERESTIMATES amount of HCP removed due to epitope variation by 4X (500 ng/mL/125 ng/mL)



## Reduced Coverage Would Reduce Sensitivity

All ProteinSEQ<sup>TM</sup> System assays (to date) compared side-by-side with ELISA are MORE sensitive than ELISA indicating no significant proteins are missed





#### Commercial ELISA

