# **HyClone™** ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated

# HYCLONE™ MEDIA AND SUPPLEMENTS

HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated products have 3% active simethicone. Sterilization of these products is performed using a validated gamma-irradiation process. The products are delivered in single-use bags designed with tubing lines and fittings to enable easy connection and delivery to various cell culture systems (Fig 1). HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated has been shown to effectively prevent foam from occurring in cell culture systems, as well as to quickly eliminate foam already formed.

Key features of irradiated antifoam products include:

- Easy to use and ready for immediate application
- Validated gamma-irradiation process to a sterility assurance level (SAL) of 10<sup>-6</sup>
- Provided in single-use bags with convenient tubing and fitting designs (customization possible)
- Animal-derived component free (ADCF) for improved batchto-batch consistency and reduced risk of viral contamination

# **Specifications**

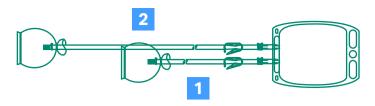
HyClone<sup>™</sup> ADCF<sup>™</sup> Antifoam, Irradiated has 3% active simethicone concentration. The products are formulated by dilution of 30% simethicone emulsion using water for injection (WFI) quality water. Gamma-irradiation treatment of these products has been validated to a sterility assurance level (SAL) of 10<sup>-6</sup>. The gamma-radiation process is based on the Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation (AAMI) technical information report (1). A sublethal sterilization dose was determined according to AAMI/ANSI/ISO11137-2, method VDmax25. This process validates a radiation dose based on the determination of the product bioburden and a comparison of that bioburden with a model population having a defined resistance to radiation.

Our irradiated antifoam products are provided in single-use bags with convenient tubing and fitting designs (Fig 2 to 4). The single-use bags can also be customized to fit your specific needs.



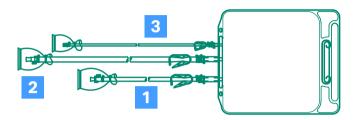
**Fig 1.** HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam Irradiated products are supplied ready to use in packaging from 500 mL to 10 L.





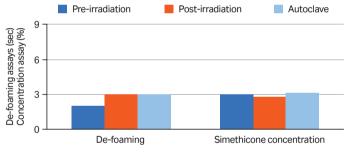
1 L container	Size	Material	Tubing size	Fittings
Line 1	16" (41 cm)	Medical-grade PV	C 1/8" i.d. × 1/16" wall	Female luer lock
Line 2	36" (91 cm)	C-Flex	1/8" i.d. × 1/16" wall	Female luer lock

Fig 2. Antifoam 500 mL is supplied in a 1 L single-use container system.



5 L and 10 L containers		Material	Tubing size	Fittings
Line 1	10.5" (27 cm)	Silicone	3/8" i.d. × 1/16" wall	Quick connect body
Line 2	36" (91 cm)	C-Flex	3/8" i.d. × 1/8" wall	Quick connect body
Line 3	36" (91 cm)	C-Flex	1/8 i.d. × 1/16" wall	Female luer lock

Fig 3. Antifoam 5 L and 10 L are supplied in 10 L single-use container systems.



**Fig 4.** Comparison of HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated with an autoclaved simethicone solution. HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated provides the same level of defoaming activity as an autoclaved antifoam solution.

# Suggested preparation

HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated products are delivered ready for immediate application. Because of the characteristics of simethicone emulsions, some product separation can occur during shipping and storage. Shake irradaited antifoam products vigorously before use. Note that some residue might remain in the filling tube upon receipt, and is inherent to the filling process. The residue has no impact on the product or its performance.

### General culture recommendations

HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated has been demonstrated to directly replace autoclaved simethicone solutions (Fig 4). As individual systems might vary, optimal concentrations and conditions should be determined prior to use. As the solutions are not filterable, aseptic techniques and processing are required to deliver HyClone™ ADCF™ Antifoam, Irradiated products to cell culture systems and media.

### Reference

 Technical information report: Sterilization of health care products — radiation — substantiation of a selected sterilization dose — Method VDmax, AAMI TIR33:2005, ISBN 1-57020-270-2, Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation, Arlington, VA, USA (2006)

# Ordering information

Product	Description	Size	Product code
,	ADCF™ Q7-2587, simethicone Antifoam, emulsion USP manufactured	500 mL	SH30897.01
ADCF™ Antifoam,		8 × 500 mL	SH30897.04
Irradiated		2.5 L	SH30897.02
		2 × 2.5 L	SH30897.05
		5 L	SH30897.07
		10 L	SH30897.08

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