

## Allergen, *Helminthosporium halodes* (m8) IgE

Test ID: 3250

CPT: 86003

### Clinical Significance

Code: m8  
Latin name: *Setomelanomma rostrata*/Helminthosporium halodes  
Source material: Spores and mycelium  
Helminthosporium almost always occurs seasonally and the spores are released on dry, hot days.  
Allergen Exposure  
Species of Helminthosporium are best known as parasites of cereals and grasses. It is frequently isolated from grains, grasses, sugar cane, soil and textiles.

### Test Details

#### Components:

**Methodology:** Immunoassay (IA)

### Reference Range

< 0.35 KU/L<sup>TM</sup>

### Container

Serum Separator Tube (SST)

### Transport Temperature

Refrigerated

### Specimen(s)

Serum

### Specimen Stability

Refrigerated: 7 days  
Frozen: 30 days

### Reject Criteria

### Days Performed

Mon-Sat

### Collection Instructions

Separate serum from cells within 45 minutes of venipuncture.

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