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(57) Abstract

The subject invention relates a method for the production of monoclonal antibodies. The method utilizes an immunized germfree animal. The invention also provides methods for the use of such monoclonal antibodies, and polyclonal antibodies derived from an immunized germfree animal, for *in vitro* and *in vivo* clinical diagnostics and therapeutics. Also, the subject invention provides a fibrin-specific monoclonal antibody.

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