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**Patentkrav**

**1.** Et isolert, blokkerende anti-PD-L1 antistoff full-lengde som omfatter en tung kjede og en lett kjede variabel regionsekvens og en konstant region, hvori:

(a) den tunge kjeden omfatter sekvensen:

EVQLVESGGGLVQPGGSLRLSCAASGFTFSDSWIHVVVRQAPGKGLEWVAWISPYGGSTYYADSV  
KGRFTISADTSKNTAYLQMNSLRAEDTAVYYCARRHWPGGFDYWGQGTLVTVSA (SEQ ID  
NO:20),

og

(b) den lette kjeden omfatter sekvensen:

DIQMTQSPSSLSASVGRVTITCRASQDVSTAVAWYQQKPGKAPKLLIYSASFLYSGVPSRFRSGSGS  
GTDFTLTISLQPEDFATYYCQYLYHPATFGQGTKVEIKR (SEQ ID NO:21)

og den konstante regionen er en human IgG1 konstant region.

**2.** En sammensetning omfattende det isolerte, blokkerende anti-PD-L1 full-lengde antistoffet ifølge krav 1 og minst én farmasøytisk akseptabel bærer.