

# Anti-Mouse CD4 Purified

Catalog Number: 14-0042 Also Known As:L3T4, Ly-4 RUO: For Research Use Only



Staining of C57BI/6 splenocytes with 0.25 ug of Rat IgG2a Isotype Control Purified (cat. 14-4321) (open histogram) or 0.25 ug of Anti-Mouse CD4 Purified (filled histogram) followed by Anti-Rat IgG FITC (cat. 11-4811). Total viable cells were used for analysis.

## **Product Information**

Contents: Anti-Mouse CD4 Purified REF Catalog Number: 14-0042 Clone: RM4-5 Concentration: 0.5 mg/mL Host/Isotype: Rat IgG2a, kappa **Formulation:** aqueous buffer, 0.09% sodium azide, may contain carrier protein/stabilizer

**Temperature Limitation:** Store at 2-8°C.

LOT Batch Code: Refer to Vial

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- ▲ Caution, contains Azide

## Description

The RM4-5 monoclonal antibody reacts with the mouse CD4 molecule, a 55 kDa cell surface receptor expressed by a majority of thymocytes, subpopulation of mature T cells and dendritic cells. CD4 binds to MHC class II on the surface of antigen presenting cells and plays an important role both in T cell development and in optimal functioning of mature T cells. In T cells, CD4 associates with protein tyrosine kinase p56lck through its cytoplasmic tail. Binding of RM4-5 is blocked by GK1.5.

## **Applications Reported**

The RM4-5 antibody has been reported for use in flow cytometric analysis, and immunohistochemical staining. It has also been reported in isolation and depletion of CD4<sup>+</sup> cells and blocking of ligand binding. (Please use Functional Grade purified RM4-5, cat. 16-0042, in functional assays.)

#### **Applications Tested**

The RM4-5 antibody has been tested by flow cytometric analysis of mouse thymocyte and splenocyte suspensions. This can be used at less than or equal to 0.5  $\mu$ g per test. A test is defined as the amount ( $\mu$ g) of antibody that will stain a cell sample in a final volume of 100  $\mu$ L. Cell number should be determined empirically but can range from 10<sup>5</sup> to 10<sup>8</sup> cells/test. It is recommended that the antibody be carefully titrated for optimal performance in the assay of interest.

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