

## Purified anti-mouse CD140a

**Catalog # / Size:** 135901 / 25 µg  
135902 / 100 µg

**Clone:** APA5

**Isotype:** Rat IgG2a, κ

**Immunogen:** Mouse PDGFR-α-hlgG1 recombinant fusion protein

**Reactivity:** Mouse

**Preparation:** The antibody was purified by affinity chromatography.

**Formulation:** Phosphate-buffered solution, pH 7.2, containing 0.09% sodium azide.

**Concentration:** 0.5 mg/ml

**Storage:** The antibody solution should be stored undiluted at 4°C.

## Applications:

**Applications:** FC - *Quality tested*  
WB, IHC - *Reported in the literature*

**Recommended Usage:** Each lot of this antibody is quality control tested by immunofluorescent staining with flow cytometric analysis. For immunofluorescent staining, the suggested use of this reagent is ≤0.25 µg per million cells in 100 µl volume. It is recommended that the reagent be titrated for optimal performance for each application.

**Application Notes:** Additional reported (for relevant formats) applications include: Western Blot, blocking function<sup>2</sup>, and immunohistochemical staining of paraffin and frozen sections. The LEAF™ purified antibody is recommended for functional assays.

**Application References:** 1. Takakura N, *et al.* 1996. *J. Invest. Dermatol.* 107:770.  
2. Liao C, *et al.* 2010. *J. Clin. Invest.* 120:242. (Block)

**Description:** Platelet-derived growth factor receptor-α (PDGFR-α), CD140a, is one of two receptors for platelet-derived growth factors (PDGFs) and binds to all isoforms of PDGFs: PDGF-AA, PDGF-AB, and PDGF-BB. PDGFRα is a receptor tyrosine kinase that forms homodimers or heterodimers on the surface upon ligand binding and phosphorylates substrates. PDGFRs consist of either homodimers of α/α, β/β, or heterodimers of α/β. PDGF receptors, α and β, are single glycoproteins with intracellular tyrosine kinase domain. Their ligand, PDGF, is a mitogen for connective tissue and glial cells. CD140a is expressed on embryonic tissues and mesenchymal-derived cells of adult mice. PDGF plays a role in wound healing and acts as a chemoattractant for fibroblasts, smooth muscle cells, glial cells, monocytes, and neutrophils.

**Antigen References:** 1. Mukoyama YS, *et al.* 2006. *Proc Natl Acad Sci USA.* 103(5):1551  
2. Miyawaki T, *et al.* 2004. *J Neurosci.* 24(37):8124  
3. Takakura N, *et al.* 1997. *J Histochem Cytochem.* 45(6):883

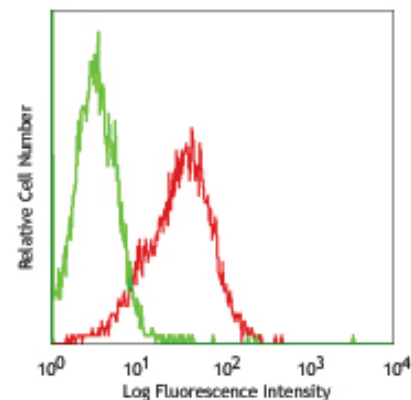
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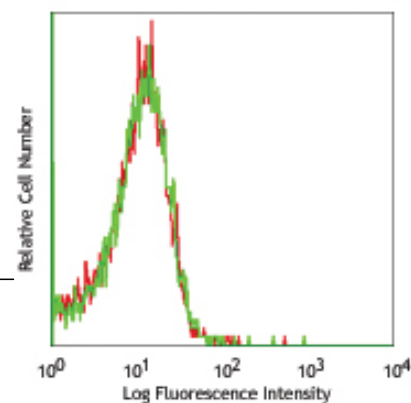
**Clone**  
RTK2758

### Application

FC, ICC, IF, IHC, IP, WB  
FC, ICC, ICFC  
FC, ICFC



Mouse fibroblast cell line NIH/3T3 stained with APA5 PE



C57BL/6 splenocytes stained with APA5 PE



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