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Anti-Mouse CD4 Functional Grade Purified

Catalog Number: 16-0043
Also Known As:L3T4, Ly-4
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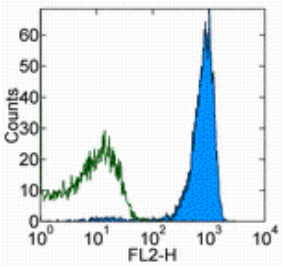

Staining of C57Bl/6 thymocytes with 0.25 ug of Rat IgG2b K Isotype Control Purified (cat. 14-4031) (open histogram) or 0.25 ug of Anti-Mouse CD4 Purified (filled histogram) followed by Anti-Rat IgG Biotin (cat. 13-4813) and Streptavidin PE (cat. 12-4317). Cells in the lymphocyte gate were used for analysis.

Product Information

Contents: Anti-Mouse CD4 Functional Grade Purified
REF **Catalog Number:** 16-0043
Clone: RM4-4
Concentration: 1 mg/mL
Host/Isotype: Rat IgG2b, kappa
Handling Conditions: Use in sterile environment.
Endotoxin Level: Less than 0.001 ng/ug antibody, as determined by the LAL assay.

Formulation: aqueous buffer, no sodium azide
Temperature Limitation: Store at 2-8°C.
LOT **Batch Code:** Refer to Vial
Use By: Refer to Vial

Description

The RM4-4 monoclonal antibody reacts with the mouse CD4 molecule, a 55 kDa cell surface receptor expressed by the majority of thymocytes, a 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 the protein tyrosine kinase lck through its cytoplasmic tail. Binding of RM4-4 does not block binding of the CD4 monoclonal antibodies RM4-5 or GK1.5.

Applications Reported

This RM4-4 antibody has been reported for use in flow cytometric analysis.

Applications Tested

This RM4-4 antibody has been tested by flow cytometric analysis of mouse splenocytes and thymocytes. This can be used at less than or equal to 0.5 µg per test. A test is defined as the amount (µg) of antibody that will stain a cell sample in a final volume of 100 µL. Cell number should be determined empirically but can range from 10^5 to 10^8 cells/test. It is recommended that the antibody be carefully titrated for optimal performance in the assay of interest.

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16-0041 Anti-Mouse CD4 Functional Grade Purified (GK1.5)
16-4031 Rat IgG2b K Isotype Control Functional Grade Purified

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