# **Technical Data Sheet**

# PE Rat Anti-Mouse CD18

#### **Product Information**

553293 **Material Number:** 

Alternate Name: Integrin β2 chain

0.1 mg 0.2 mg/mlConcentration: C71/16 Clone:

Cell membrane glycoproteins from mouse T-cell lymphoma BW5147 Immunogen:

Rat (LEW) IgG2a, κ Isotype: Reactivity: QC Testing: Mouse

Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing ≤0.09% sodium azide.

# Description

The C71/16 antibody reacts with the common β2 chain of LFA-1 (CD11a/CD18, αLβ2 integrin), Mac-1 (CD11b/CD18, αMβ2 integrin), and gp150, 95 (CD11c/CD18, αxβ2 integrin). Expression of CD18 is limited to leukocytes, where it is widely distributed in consort with the three integrin α chains (CD11a, CD11b, and CD11c). Among splenocytes, NK cells have the highest density of CD18, and T lymphocytes express a higher density than the remaining cells. The β2 integrins are important mediators of leukocyte-endothelium interactions.

### **Preparation and Storage**

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography.

The antibody was conjugated with R-PE under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PE were removed.

Store undiluted at 4° C.

## **Application Notes**

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## **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
553930	PE Rat IgG2a, κ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	R35-95

#### **Product Notices**

- Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
- Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
- Caution: Sodium azide yields highly toxic hydrazoic acid under acidic conditions. Dilute azide compounds in running water before discarding to avoid accumulation of potentially explosive deposits in plumbing.

### References

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