

Technical Data Sheet

Purified NA/LE Rat Anti-Mouse CD11a

Product Information

Material Number:	553337
Alternate Name:	Integrin α L Chain, LFA-1 α
Size:	0.5 mg
Concentration:	1.0 mg/ml
Clone:	M17/4
Immunogen:	C57BL/6 Mouse Splenic Secondary Cytotoxic T Lymphocytes
Isotype:	Rat (WF) IgG2a, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Mouse
Storage Buffer:	No azide/low endotoxin: Aqueous buffered solution containing no preservative, 0.2 μ m sterile filtered. Endotoxin level is ≤ 0.01 EU/ μ g (≤ 0.001 ng/ μ g) of protein as determined by the LAL assay.

Description

The M17/4 antibody reacts with the 180 kDa α L chain of LFA-1 (CD11a/CD18, α L β 2 integrin), a heterodimeric surface glycoprotein expressed on almost all leukocytes. CD8a+CD8b- intestinal intraepithelial T lymphocytes, which are believed to be thymus independent, do not express CD11a. LFA-1 mediates a variety of heterotypic and homotypic intercellular adhesions through interaction with ICAM-1 (CD54) and ICAM-2 (CD102), including participation in the immunological synapses between CD8+ T lymphocytes and antigen-presenting cells. mAb M17/4 blocks a variety of LFA-1-mediated cells interactions in vitro, and costimulatory effects have also been described. In vivo treatment with M17/4 mAb reduces the severity of graft-versus-host reactions, prolongs allograft survival, inhibits the development of autoimmunity, and blocks substance P-induced leukocyte migration. The M17/4 and 2D7 (Cat. No. 553120) antibodies are reported to recognize different epitopes of the CD11a molecule.

Preparation and Storage

Store undiluted at 4°C.

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

This preparation contains no preservatives, thus it should be handled under aseptic conditions.

Application Notes

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Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
Blocking	Reported
Immunoprecipitation	Reported
Western blot	Not Recommended

Recommended Assay Procedure:

For IHC, we recommend the use of purified M17/4 mAb in our special formulation for immunohistochemistry, Cat. No. 550528.

Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
554016	FITC Goat Anti-Rat Ig	0.5 mg	Polyclonal
553926	Purified NA/LE Rat IgG2a κ Isotype Control	0.5 mg	R35-95
550528	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD11a	1.0 ml	M17/4

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.

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