Technical Data Sheet

FITC Mouse Anti-Mouse I-A[k]

Product Information

Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing protein stabilizer and ≤0.09% sodium

azide.

Description

The 10-3.6 antibody reacts with the β chain of the I-A[k] MHC class II alloantigen. It cross-reacts with splenocytes from mice of the H-2[f], H-2[r], and H-2[s] haplotypes, from nonobese diabetic (NOD, H-2[g7]) mice, and with lymph node cells of BN, DA, WRA, and WRC rats. Reactivity with other haplotypes (*e.g.*, *b*, *d*, *p*, *q*) has not been observed. Long-term *in vivo* treatment with 10-3.6 mAb has been reported to prevent the spontaneous development of autoimmune insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus (IDDM) in female NOD mice.

Preparation and Storage

Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

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

The antibody was conjugated with FITC under optimum conditions, and unreacted FITC was removed.

Application Notes

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Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested	

Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
553456	FITC Mouse IgG2a, κ Isotype Control	0.25 mg	G155-178
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)
553089	PE Rat Anti-Mouse CD45R/B220	0.1 mg	RA3-6B2

Product Notices

- 1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
- 2. 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.
- For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 5. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.

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