Technical Data Sheet

PE-Cy[™]7 Mouse IgG2a, κ Isotype Control

Product Information

Material Number: 557907 Size: 100 tests 5 µl Vol. per Test: G155-178 Clone:

Immunogen: TNP-keyhole limpet hemocyanin **Isotype:** Mouse (BALB/c) IgG2a, κ

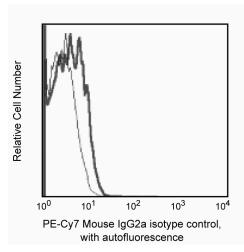
Storage Buffer: Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

Description

The G155-178 clone has an unknown specificity. Trinitrophenol (TNP), the immunogen, is a hapten not expressed on human, mouse, rat or non-human primate cells. In the absence of specific binding, this antibody may bind non-specifically to immunoglobulin Fc receptors. The immunoglobulin secreted by the G155-178 hybridoma was selected as an mouse IgG2a, κ isotype control following screening for low background binding on a variety of mouse and human tissues.

This immunoglobulin is specific for trinitrophenol (TNP), a hapten not expressed on human cells or human cell lines. In the absence of specific binding, this immunoglobulin may bind non-specifically to Fc receptors.

This antibody is routinely tested on peripheral blood by flow cytometric analysis. Other applications were tested at BD Biosciences Pharmingen during antibody development only or reported in the literature.



Profile of Mouse IgG2a, G155-178 on peripheral blood lymphocytes analyzed by flow cytometry.

Preparation and Storage

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

The antibody was conjugated with PE-Cy7 under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free PE-Cy7 were removed. Store undiluted at 4°C and protected from prolonged exposure to light. Do not freeze.

Application Notes

Application

Isotype control	Routinely Tested
Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested

Product Notices

- This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use $1 \times 10^{\circ}6$ cells in a 100- μ l experimental
- Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
- Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.

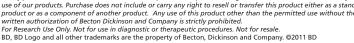
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- 4. PE-Cy7 is a tandem fluorochrome composed of R-phycoerythrin (PE), which is excited by 488-nm light and serves as an energy donor, coupled to the cyanine dye Cy7, which acts as an energy acceptor and fluoresces maximally at 780 nm. PE-Cy7 tandem fluorochrome emission is collected in a detector for fluorescence wavelengths of 750 nm and higher. Although every effort is made to minimize the lot-to-lot variation in the efficiency of the fluorochrome energy transfer, differences in the residual emission from PE may be observed. Therefore, we recommend that individual compensation controls be performed for every PE-Cy7 conjugate. PE-Cy7 is optimized for use with a single argon ion laser emitting 488-nm light, and there is no significant overlap between PE-Cy7 and FITC emission spectra. When using dual-laser cytometers, which may directly excite both PE and Cy7, we recommend the use of cross-beam compensation during data acquisition or software compensation during data analysis.
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- 7. Please observe the following precautions: Absorption of visible light can significantly alter the energy transfer occurring in any tandem fluorochrome conjugate; therefore, we recommend that special precautions be taken (such as wrapping vials, tubes, or racks in aluminum foil) to prevent exposure of conjugated reagents, including cells stained with those reagents, to room illumination.
- 8. Warning: Some APC-Cy7 and PE-Cy7 conjugates show changes in their emission spectrum with prolonged exposure to formaldehyde. If you are unable to analyze fixed samples within four hours, we recommend that you use BDTM Stabilizing Fixative (Cat. No. 338036).
- 9. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Fluorochrome Web Page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 10. 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.
- 11. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.

References

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