

## Technical Data Sheet

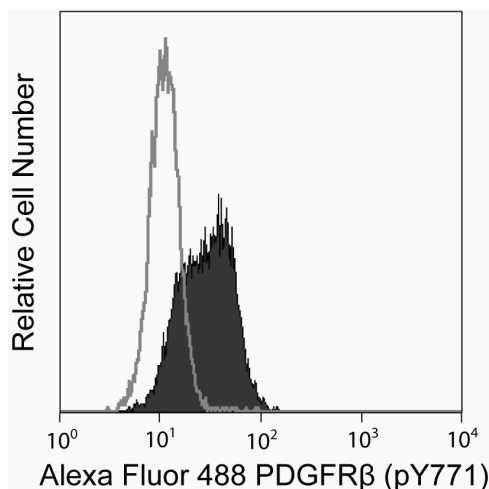
**Alexa Fluor® 488 Mouse anti-PDGFRβ (CD140b) (pY771)****Product Information**

<b>Material Number:</b>	558424
<b>Size:</b>	50 tests
<b>Vol. per Test:</b>	20 µl
<b>Clone:</b>	J23-1044
<b>Immunogen:</b>	Phosphorylated Human PDGFRβ Peptide
<b>Isotype:</b>	Mouse IgG1, κ
<b>Reactivity:</b>	Tested: Mouse Predicted: Human
<b>Storage Buffer:</b>	Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

**Description**

Platelet-derived growth factor (PDGF) is a potent mitogen for cells of mesenchymal origin and exerts its effects by binding to the PDGF receptor (PDGFR), a transmembrane protein tyrosine kinase. PDGFR is composed of PDGFRα (CD140a) and/or PDGFRβ (CD140b) polypeptides. Both PDGF and PDGFR consist of subunits that form homo- or heterodimers with varying specificities: PDGF-AA binds only to αα PDGFR, PDGF-AB binds to both αα and αβ PDGFR, and PDGF-BB binds to all three PDGFRs. Ligand binding induces dimerization and activation of the receptor. Upon activation, CD140b is phosphorylated at multiple tyrosine sites and, in turn, an intracellular phosphorylation cascade is initiated. PDGFR localizes primarily to membrane invaginations termed caveolae, compartments that are enriched in several of its downstream effectors, including phosphatidylinositol 3'-kinase, Src, and phospholipase C-γ.

The J23-1044 monoclonal antibody recognizes the phosphorylated tyrosine 771 (pY771) in the kinase insert domain of CD140b. pY771 interacts with GTPase-activating protein, a negative regulator of Ras, and weakly with Shc, which indirectly promotes the activation of Ras.



**Analysis of PDGFRβ (CD140b) (pY771) in mouse embryonic fibroblasts.** Serum-starved NIH/3T3 cells were either stimulated with PDGF-BB (Cat. No. 354051, shaded histogram) or unstimulated (open histogram). The cells were fixed (BD™ Phosflow Fix Buffer I, Cat. No. 557870) for 10 minutes at 37 °C, then permeabilized (BD™ Phosflow Perm Buffer III, Cat. No. 558050) on ice for at least 30 minutes, and then stained with Alexa Fluor® 488 anti-PDGFRβ (CD140b) (pY771). Flow cytometry was performed on a BD™ FACSCalibur flow cytometry system.

**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 to Alexa Fluor® 488 under optimum conditions, and unreacted Alexa Fluor® 488 was removed.

**Application Notes****Application**

Intracellular staining (flow cytometry)	Routinely Tested
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**Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
558050	Perm Buffer III	125 ml	(none)
557870	Fix Buffer I	250 ml	(none)

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## Product Notices

1. This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use  $1 \times 10^6$  cells in a 100- $\mu$ l experimental sample (a test).
2. Alexa Fluor® 488 fluorochrome emission is collected at the same instrument settings as for fluorescein isothiocyanate (FITC).
3. Alexa Fluor® is a registered trademark of Molecular Probes, Inc., Eugene, OR.
4. The Alexa Fluor®, Pacific Blue™, and Cascade Blue® dye antibody conjugates in this product are sold under license from Molecular Probes, Inc. for research use only, excluding use in combination with microarrays, or as analyte specific reagents. The Alexa Fluor® dyes (except for Alexa Fluor® 430), Pacific Blue™ dye, and Cascade Blue® dye are covered by pending and issued patents.
5. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
6. 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.
7. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Fluorochrome Web Page at [www.bdbiosciences.com/colors](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/colors).
8. Please refer to [www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols](http://www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols) for technical protocols.

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