## **Technical Data Sheet**

# **FITC Mouse Anti-Human CD42a**

#### **Product Information**

**Material Number:** 558818

Alternate Name: GPIX; GP9; Glycoprotein IX

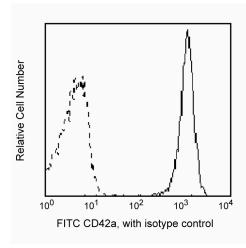
100 Tests Size Vol. per Test: 20 ul Clone: ALMA.16 Isotype: Mouse IgG1, κ Reactivity: QC Testing: Human

Workshop:

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

#### Description

Reacts with a 17-22kD, single chain integral membrane glycoprotein, also known as GPIX. CD42a forms a noncovalently linked complex (GPIb/GPIX/GPV) with CD42b, CD42c and CD42d. It is expressed on platelets and megakaryocytes and is absent on the platelets of patients with Bernadr-Soulier Syndrome (BSS). Although the CD42a function is not fully understood, GPIX glycoprotein is important for the assembly and membrane expression of the complex and for the maintenance of the functional conformation of CD42b (GPIb).



Profile of resting platelets analyzed by flow cytometry

## **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**

#### Application

Flow cytometry Routinely Tested

### **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
555748	FITC Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Control	100 Tests	MOPC-21
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 mL	(none)

#### **Product Notices**

- This reagent has been pre-diluted for use at the recommended Volume per Test. We typically use 1 × 10<sup>6</sup> cells in a 100-μl experimental
- 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.

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- 4. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
- 5. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 6. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.

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