Technical Data Sheet

Purified Mouse Anti-Human CD57

Product Information

Material Number:	**559048**
Size:	0.2 mg
Concentration:	1.0 mg/ml
Clone:	HNK-1
Immunogen:	Membrane extracts of the HSB-2 T-lymphoblastoid cell line
Isotype:	Mouse IgM, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Human
Workshop:	NA
Storage Buffer:	Aqueous buffered solution containing ≤0.09% sodium azide.

Description

Anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibody recognizes a 110 kD glycoprotein (CD57) that is expressed on a subset of natural killer (NK) lymphocytes and T lymphocytes. It also recognizes epitopes on neural or neuroectodermal tumors including neurofibromas, malignant melanomas, malignant peripheral neuroectodermal tumors, Ewing's sarcomas, and small-cell lung carcinomas. Anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibody also recognizes a carbohydrate epitope on subpopulations of several cell-adhesion molecules including N-CAM and myelin-associated glycoprotein (MAG).

Preparation and Storage

The monoclonal antibody was purified from tissue culture supernatant or ascites by affinity chromatography.
Store undiluted at 4°C.

Application Notes

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Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
Functional assay	Reported
Immunohistochemistry-paraffin	Reported
Western blot	Reported

Recommended Assay Procedure:

Functional Studies: Anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibody recognizes a subset of NK lymphocytes and T lymphocytes. Unlike the populations of cells recognized by Anti-N-CAM monoclonal antibodies that share the unique ability to mediate direct, non-major histocompatibility complex-restricted cytotoxicity against certain tumor cells, the T lymphocytes recognized by anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibody do not have NK activity. Anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibodies can be used with other anti-N-CAM monoclonal antibodies to better understand the role of HNK-1 and N-CAM in leukocyte cytolytic activity against tumor cells. Anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibody can be used in studies on the role of N-CAM and HNK-1 in the development and regulation of neuroendocrine tissues and muscle regeneration.

Immunohistology: Anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibody can be used to stain paraffin-embedded tissues.

Immunoblotting: Anti-HNK-1 monoclonal antibody can be used in Western blot analysis.

Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
555581	Purified Mouse IgM, κ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	G155-228
555988	FITC Goat Anti-Mouse IgG/IgM	0.5 mg	Polyclonal

Product Notices

1. Please refer to www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols for technical protocols.
2. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.

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3. 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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