# **Technical Data Sheet**

# V450 Mouse anti-Human Ki-67

#### **Product Information**

Material Number: 561281

Alternate Name: MKI67; Antigen identified by monoclonal antibody Ki-67; KIA

 Size:
 50 tests

 Vol. per Test:
 5 μl

 Clone:
 B56

 Immunogen:
 Human Ki-67

 Isotype:
 Mouse IgG1,  $\kappa$  

 Reactivity:
 QC Testing: Human

Reported: Mouse, Rat, Chicken, Dog

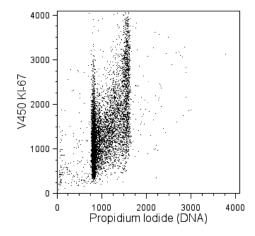
**Storage Buffer:** Aqueous buffered solution containing protein stabilizer and ≤0.09% sodium

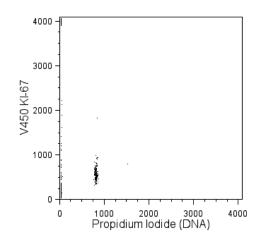
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### Description

The B56 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to the Ki-67 antigen that is expressed in the nucleus of cycling cells (G1, S, G2, M cell cycle phases). During the G0 phase, the antigen cannot be detected. During interphase of the cell cycle, it is associated with nucleolar components, and it is on the surface of the chromosomes during M phase. Ki-67 is a large protein having 2 alternatively spliced isoforms, an N-terminal forkhead-associated domain, a C-terminal domain that binds to heterochromatin proteins, and multiple phosphorylation sites, the functions of which are still unclear. Because of the strict association of Ki-67 expression with cell proliferation, anti-Ki-67 antibodies are useful for the identification, quantification, and monitoring of growing cell populations.

The antibody is conjugated to BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450, which has been developed for use in multicolor flow cytometry experiments and is available exclusively from BD Biosciences. It is excited by the Violet laser Ex max of 406 nm and has an Em Max at 450 nm. Conjugates with BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450 can be used in place of Pacific Blue<sup>TM</sup> conjugates.





Flow cytometric analysis of Ki-67 expression by proliferating Jurkat and noncycling human peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMC). Human Jurkat and PBMC were fixed and permeabilized with 70% ice cold ethanol, washed, and stained with BD Horizon™ V450 Mouse anti-Human Ki-67 antibody (Cat. No. 561281) according to the BD Biosciences support protocol, Flow Cytometry Staining Protocol for Detection of Ki-67. The cells were then RNase A (Sigma Cat. No. R-5500) treated and counterstained with Propidium lodide Staining Solution (Cat. No. 556463) to stain double-stranded DNA. A two-color flow cytometric dot plot showing the correlated expression patterns of Propidium lodide (DNA) staining versus Ki-67 was derived from gated events with the forward and side light-scatter characteristics of intact Jurkat cells (Left Panel) or PBMC (Right Panel). Flow cytometry was performed using a BD LSR™ II Flow Cytometer System.

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### **Preparation and Storage**

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

The antibody was conjugated with BD Horizon™ V450 under optimum conditions, and unreacted BD Horizon™ V450 was removed.

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

### **Application Notes**

#### Application

In	ntracellular staining (flow cytometry)	Routinely Tested

## **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
556463	Propidium Iodide Staining Solution	2.0 ml	(none)
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 sample (a test).
- $2. \quad \ \ Please \ refer \ to \ www.bdbiosciences.com/pharmingen/protocols \ for \ technical \ protocols.$
- 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.
- 4. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Fluorochrome Web Page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- BD Horizon<sup>TM</sup> V450 has a maximum absorption of 406 nm and maximum emission of 450 nm. Before staining with this reagent, please
  confirm that your flow cytometer is capable of exciting the fluorochrome and discriminating the resulting fluorescence.
- 6. Pacific Blue<sup>TM</sup> is a trademark of Molecular Probes, Inc., Eugene, OR.

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