

Technical Data Sheet

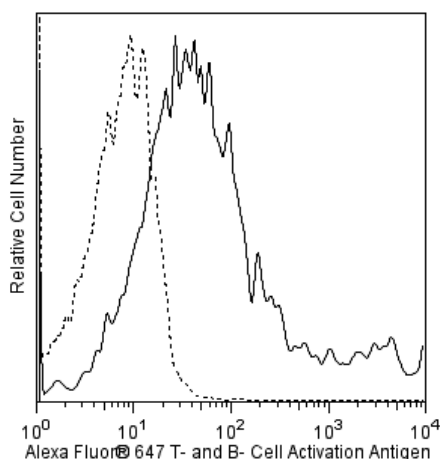
Alexa Fluor® 647 Rat Anti-Mouse T- and B-Cell Activation Antigen

Product Information

Material Number:	561529
Alternate Name:	GL7
Size:	50 µg
Concentration:	0.2 mg/ml
Clone:	GL7
Immunogen:	In vitro-activated T-cell-depleted CBA/Ca mouse splenocytes
Isotype:	Rat (LOU) IgM, κ
Reactivity:	QC Testing: Mouse
Storage Buffer:	Aqueous buffered solution containing ≤0.09% sodium azide.

Description

The GL7 antibody reacts with a 35-kDa cell-surface protein found on T and B lymphocytes activated *in vitro*, on bone marrow Pre-B-II cells, germinal-center B cells, and a subpopulation of the thymocyte fraction expressing high density of CD3e. There is strain variability with respect to antigen distribution on thymocytes and Con A-activated spleen cells, with expression in BALB/c greater than that in C57BL/6.



Flow cytometric analysis for T- and B- Cell Activation Antigen in activated mouse spleen cells. Concanavalin A-stimulated (3 days) BALB/c mouse spleen cells were incubated with Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Fc block, Cat. No. 553141/553142) and were then stained either with an Alexa Fluor® 647 Rat IgM, κ Isotype Control (Cat No. 560892, dashed line histogram) or with the Alexa Fluor® 647 Rat Anti-Mouse T- and B- Cell Activation Antigen antibody (Cat No. 561529, solid line histogram). The fluorescence histograms were derived from events with the forward and side light-scatter characteristics of viable lymphoblasts. Flow cytometry was performed using a BD™ LSR II Flow Cytometer System.

Preparation and Storage

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

The antibody was conjugated to Alexa Fluor® 647 under optimum conditions, and unreacted Alexa Fluor® 647 was removed.

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

Application Notes

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Flow cytometry	Routinely Tested
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Suggested Companion Products

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)
553141	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Mouse BD Fc Block™)	0.1 mg	2.4G2
553142	Purified Rat Anti-Mouse CD16/CD32 (Mouse BD Fc Block™)	0.5 mg	2.4G2
560892	Alexa Fluor® 647 Rat IgM, κ Isotype Control	0.1 mg	R4-22

Product Notices

1. Since applications vary, each investigator should titrate the reagent to obtain optimal results.
2. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.

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6. Alexa Fluor® 647 fluorochrome emission is collected at the same instrument settings as for allophycocyanin (APC).
7. 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.
8. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.

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