## Technical Data Sheet

# **BV421 Mouse Anti-Human CD95**

### **Product Information**

Material Number: 562648

Alternate Name: APO-1; FAS; TNFRSF6; APT1; ALPS1A; FAST1; FASTM; FASLG receptor

 Size:
 50 tes

 Vol. per Test:
 5 µl

 Clone:
 DX2

Immunogen: Human CD95-transfected L ceils

**Isotype:** Mouse (C3H) IgG1, κ

Reactivity: Human

QC Testing: Rhesus, Cynomolgus, Baboon

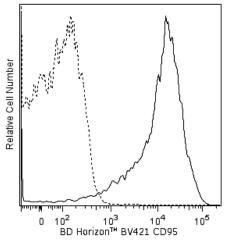
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**Storage Buffer:** Aqueous buffered solution containing BSA and ≤0.09% sodium azide.

## Description

The DX2 monoclonal antibody specifically binds to the human Fas antigen (also called APO-1). This 45 kDa transmembrane cell surface molecule was designated as CD95 at the Fifth HLDA Workshop. Fas is a member of the TNF-receptor superfamily and is also known as Tumor necrosis factor receptor superfamily member 6 (TNFRSF6). It is expressed on a variety of normal and neoplastic cells including activated T and B lymphocytes and some undifferentiated thymocytes. The Fas/CD95 antigen is a polypeptide that plays a role in the programmed sequence of events leading to cell death, termed apoptosis. The DX2 clone specifically reacts with murine L cells, murine L1210 leukemia cells and murine P815 mastocytoma cells transfected with human Fas cDNA but not with untransfected parental cell lines. Crosslinking CD95 with DX2 antibody delivers an apoptotic signal indicating that DX2 recognizes a functional epitope of the CD95 antigen.

The antibody was conjugated to BD Horizon™ BV421 which is part of the BD Horizon™ Brilliant Violet™ family of dyes. With an Ex Max of 407-nm and Em Max at 421-nm, BD Horizon™ BV421 can be excited by the violet laser and detected in the standard Pacific Blue™ filter set (eg, 450/50-nm filter). BD Horizon™ BV421 conjugates are very bright, often exhibiting a 10 fold improvement in brightness compared to Pacific Blue™ conjugates.



Flow cytometric analysis of CD95 expression on Rhesus peripheral blood lymphocytes. Whole blood was stained with either BD Horizon™ BV421 Mouse Anti-Human CD95 antibody (Cat. No. 562648; solid line histogram) or with a BD Horizon™ BV421 Mouse IgG1, κ Isotype Control (Cat. No. 562438; dashed line histogram). The erythrocytes were lysed with BD Pharm Lyse™ Lysing Buffer (Cat. No. 555899). The fluorescence histograms were derived from events with the forward and side light-scatter characteristics of viable lymphocytes. Flow cytometry was performed using a BD™ LSR II Flow Cytometer 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 with BD Horizon™ BV421 under optimum conditions, and unconjugated antibody and free BD Horizon™ BV421 were removed.

### **Application Notes**

Application

Flow cytometry Routinely Tested

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### **Suggested Companion Products**

Catalog Number	Name	Size	Clone
562438	BV421 Mouse IgG1, k Isotype Control	50 μg	X40
554656	Stain Buffer (FBS)	500 ml	(none)
555899	Lysing Buffer	100 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. Source of all serum proteins is from USDA inspected abattoirs located in the United States.
- 3. An isotype control should be used at the same concentration as the antibody of interest.
- 4. 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.
- 6. For fluorochrome spectra and suitable instrument settings, please refer to our Multicolor Flow Cytometry web page at www.bdbiosciences.com/colors.
- 7. Pacific Blue<sup>TM</sup> is a trademark of Molecular Probes, Inc., Eugene, OR.
- 8. Brilliant Violet™ 421 is a trademark of Sirigen.

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