

## Datasheet: MCA1972GA

<b>Description:</b>	MOUSE ANTI PIG CD18a
<b>Specificity:</b>	CD18a
<b>Other names:</b>	INTEGRIN BETA 2 CHAIN
<b>Format:</b>	Purified
<b>Product Type:</b>	Monoclonal Antibody
<b>Clone:</b>	PNK-I
<b>Isotype:</b>	IgG1
<b>Quantity:</b>	0.1 mg

## Product Details

### Applications

This product has been reported to work in the following applications. This information is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information. For general protocol recommendations, please visit [www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols](http://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/protocols).

	Yes	No	Not Determined	Suggested Dilution
Flow Cytometry	▪			1/50 - 1/200
Immunohistology - Frozen			▪	
Immunohistology - Paraffin			▪	
ELISA			▪	
Immunoprecipitation	▪			
Western Blotting			▪	
Functional Assays (1)	▪			

Where this antibody has not been tested for use in a particular technique this does not necessarily exclude its use in such procedures. It is recommended that the user titrates the antibody for use in their own system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

(1) **This product contains sodium azide, removal by dialysis is recommended prior to use in functional assays. Bio-Rad recommend the use of [EQU003](#) for this purpose.**

<b>Target Species</b>	Pig
<b>Species Cross Reactivity</b>	Reacts with: Camel <b>N.B.</b> Antibody reactivity and working conditions may vary between species.
<b>Product Form</b>	Purified IgG - liquid
<b>Preparation</b>	Purified IgG prepared by affinity chromatography on Protein G from tissue culture supernatant
<b>Buffer Solution</b>	Phosphate buffered saline
<b>Preservative Stabilisers</b>	0.09% Sodium Azide (NaN <sub>3</sub> )
<b>Carrier Free</b>	Yes

<b>Approx. Protein Concentrations</b>	IgG concentration 1.0 mg/ml
<b>Immunogen</b>	Porcine large granular lymphocytes.
<b>External Database Links</b>	<p><b>UniProt:</b>  <a href="#">P53714</a>   <a href="#">Related reagents</a></p> <p><b>Entrez Gene:</b>  <a href="#">396943</a>   ITGB2   <a href="#">Related reagents</a></p>
<b>Synonyms</b>	CD18
<b>Fusion Partners</b>	Spleen cells from immunised Balb/c mice were fused with cells of the mouse P3-X63-Ag8.653 myeloma cell line.
<b>Specificity</b>	<p><b>Mouse anti Pig CD18a, clone PNK-I</b> recognizes porcine CD18a. PNK-I was clustered as CD18a at the Second International Workshop to Define Swine Cluster of Differentiation (CD) Antigens (<a href="#">Saalmuller et al. 1998</a>). Clone PNK-I immunoprecipitates proteins of ~166 kDa, ~155 kDa and ~95 kDa under non-reducing conditions, specifically recognizing the 95 kDa protein, consistent with the integrin <math>\beta</math>2 chain (CD18). PNK-I inhibits porcine NK cell activity independent of any effect on antibody dependent cellular cytotoxicity (<a href="#">Dato and Kim 1990</a>).</p> <p>CD18 is a single pass type I transmembrane protein and is expressed on all leukocytes and is involved in a variety of cell functions. CD18 acts as a receptor for several ICAM molecules effecting intercellular adhesion functions, it is also involved in the recognition of a variety of extracellular substrate molecules.</p> <p>CD18 acts as a receptor for a number of leukotoxins produced by fungi and bacteria. Clone PNK-I is able to ameliorate the effects of these leukotoxins by blocking binding of the toxins to the CD18 receptor (<a href="#">Chen et al. 2011</a>).</p>
<b>Flow Cytometry</b>	Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label $10^6$ cells in 100ul.
<b>References</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dato, M.E. &amp; Kim, Y.B. (1990) Characterization and utilization of a monoclonal antibody inhibiting porcine natural killer cell activity for isolation of natural killer and killer cells. <a href="#">J Immunol. 144 (11): 4452-62.</a></li> <li>Haverson, K. <i>et al.</i> (1999) T-cell populations in the pig intestinal lamina propria: memory cells with unusual phenotypic characteristics. <a href="#">Immunology 96: 66-73.</a></li> <li>Vanden Bergh, P.G. <i>et al.</i> (2009) Porcine CD18 mediates Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae ApxIII species-specific toxicity. <a href="#">Vet Res. 40:1-10.</a></li> <li>Chen, Z.W. <i>et al.</i> (2011) Mechanisms underlying Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae exotoxin ApxI induced expression of IL-1<math>\beta</math>, IL-8 and TNF-<math>\alpha</math> in porcine alveolar macrophages. <a href="#">Vet Res. 42:25.</a></li> <li>Vanden Bergh, P.G. <i>et al.</i> (2008) Probing of Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae ApxIIIA toxin-dependent cytotoxicity towards mammalian peripheral blood mononucleated cells. <a href="#">BMC Res Notes 1:121.</a></li> <li>Ebdrup, L. <i>et al.</i> (2008) Dynamic expression of the signal regulatory protein alpha and CD18 on porcine PBMC during acute endotoxaemia. <a href="#">Scand J Immunol. 68:430-7.</a></li> </ol>
<b>Further Reading</b>	1. Piriou-Guzylack, L. (2008) Membrane markers of the immune cells in swine: an update. <a href="#">Vet Res. 39:54.</a>

**Storage** Store at +4°C or at -20°C if preferred.

This product should be stored undiluted.

Storage in frost free freezers is not recommended. Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the antibody. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

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**Guarantee** 12 months from date of despatch

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**Health And Safety Information** Material Safety Datasheet documentation #10040 available at:  
10040: <https://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/uploads/MSDS/10040.pdf>

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**Regulatory** For research purposes only

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## Related Products

### Recommended Secondary Antibodies

Goat Anti Mouse IgG IgA IgM (STAR87...) [Alk. Phos.](#), [HRP](#)  
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR77...) [HRP](#)  
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR12...) [RPE](#)  
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR8...) [DyLight®800](#)  
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR13...) [HRP](#)  
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR76...) [RPE](#)  
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (STAR70...) [FITC](#)  
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (Fc) (STAR120...) [FITC](#), [HRP](#)  
Rabbit Anti Mouse IgG (STAR9...) [FITC](#)  
Goat Anti Mouse IgG (H/L) (STAR117...) [Alk. Phos.](#), [DyLight®488](#), [DyLight®680](#),  
[DyLight®800](#), [FITC](#), [HRP](#)

### Recommended Negative Controls

[MOUSE IgG1 NEGATIVE CONTROL \(MCA928\)](#)

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