

Datasheet: MCA2125F

BATCH NUMBER 154345

Description:	RAT ANTI MOUSE CD49b:FITC
Specificity:	CD49b
Other names:	INTEGRIN ALPHA 2 CHAIN, VLA-2
Format:	FITC
Product Type:	Monoclonal Antibody
Clone:	DX5
Isotype:	IgM
Quantity:	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.

	Yes	No	Not Determined	Suggested Dilution
Flow Cytometry	▪			

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.

Target Species	Mouse						
Product Form	Purified IgM conjugated to Fluorescein Isothiocyanate Isomer 1 (FITC) - liquid						
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Preparation	Purified IgM from tissue culture supernatant						
Buffer Solution	Phosphate buffered saline						
Preservative	0.09% Sodium Azide						
Stabilisers	1% Bovine Serum Albumin						
Approx. Protein Concentrations	IgM concentration 0.1 mg/ml						

Immunogen RIL-2 propagated NK1.1+ cells from C57BL/6 mice.

External Database

Links

UniProt:

[Q62469](#)

[Related reagents](#)

Entrez Gene:

[16398](#)

Itga2

[Related reagents](#)

RRID

AB_323718

Fusion Partners

Spleen cells from immunised Lewis rats were fused with the mouse SP2/0 myeloma cell line.

Specificity

Rat anti Mouse CD49b monoclonal antibody, clone DX5 recognizes mouse CD49b, also known as Very Late Antigen-2 (VLA-2) or alpha-2 integrin. CD49b is a ~160kDa single pass type I membrane protein expressed by NK cells and a small subset of T-cells ([Pellicci *et al.* 2005](#)).

Rat anti mouse CD49b, clone DX5 stains NK cells from all mouse strains tested including Balb/c mice ([Arese *et al.* 2001](#)). CD49b acts as a receptor for collagen, laminin, fibronectin and E-cadherin ([Carafoli *et al.* 2013](#)).

Flow Cytometry

Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label 10⁶ cells in 100ul.

The Fc region of monoclonal antibodies may bind non-specifically to cells expressing low affinity Fc receptors. This may be reduced by using SeroBlock FcR ([BUF041A/B](#)).

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Storage

Store at +4°C only.

DO NOT FREEZE

This product should be stored undiluted. This product is photosensitive and should be protected from light.

Avoid repeated freezing and thawing as this may denature the antibody. Should this product contain a precipitate we recommend microcentrifugation before use.

Guarantee	12 months from date of despatch
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Health And Safety Information	Material Safety Datasheet documentation #10041 available at: https://www.bio-rad-antibodies.com/SDS/MCA2125F 10041
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