

## Datasheet: MCA341R

**BATCH NUMBER 148924B**

Description:	MOUSE ANTI RAT CD68
Specificity:	CD68
Other names:	ED1
Format:	Purified
Product Type:	Monoclonal Antibody
Clone:	ED1
Isotype:	IgG1
Quantity:	0.25 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)	■			1/50 - 1/100
Immunohistology - Frozen	■			
Immunohistology - Paraffin (2)	■			1/100
ELISA			■	
Immunoprecipitation	■			
Western Blotting	■			
Immunofluorescence	■			
Radioimmunoassays	■			

Where this product has not been tested for use in a particular technique this does not necessarily exclude its use in such procedures. Suggested working dilutions are given as a guide only. It is recommended that the user titrates the product for use in their own system using appropriate negative/positive controls.

(1) **Membrane permeabilisation is required for this application. Bio-Rad recommends the use of Leucoperm™ (Product Code [BUF09](#)) for this purpose.**

(2) **This product requires protein digestion pre-treatment of paraffin sections e.g. trypsin or pronase**

Target Species	Rat
Species Cross Reactivity	Reacts with: Bovine Does not react with:Horse

**N.B.** Antibody reactivity and working conditions may vary between species. Cross reactivity is derived from testing within our laboratories, peer-reviewed publications or personal communications from the originators. Please refer to references indicated for further information.

<b>Product Form</b>	Purified IgG - liquid
<b>Preparation</b>	Purified IgG prepared by affinity chromatography on Protein A from tissue culture supernatant.
<b>Buffer Solution</b>	Phosphate buffered saline.
<b>Preservative Stabilisers</b>	0.09% sodium azide.
<b>Carrier Free</b>	Yes
<b>Approx. Protein Concentrations</b>	IgG concentration 1.0 mg/ml
<b>Immunogen</b>	Rat spleen cells
<b>External Database Links</b>	<b>UniProt:</b> <a href="#">Q4FZY1</a> <a href="#">Related reagents</a>
<b>RRID</b>	AB_2291300
<b>Fusion Partners</b>	Spleen cells from immunised BALB/c mice were fused with cells of the SP2/0-Ag14 mouse myeloma cell line.
<b>Specificity</b>	<b>Mouse anti rat CD68, clone ED1</b> recognizes the rat ED1 antigen, a heavily glycosylated protein of ~90 -110 KDa, also known as rat CD68 ( <a href="#">Dijkstra et al. 1985</a> ).  The ED1 antigen is expressed on most macrophages populations, as well as on monocytes and is considered as a pan-macrophage marker in the rat ( <a href="#">Damoiseaux et al. 1994</a> ). ED1 is expressed predominantly on the lysosomal membrane and lightly on the cell surface ( <a href="#">Dijkstra et al. 1985</a> ).  The expression of ED1 antigen being predominantly cytoplasmic ( <a href="#">Dijkstra et al. 1985</a> ), flow cytometry results are improved by the use of a membrane permeabilization procedure, such as <a href="#">Leucoperm</a> , prior to staining.
<b>Flow Cytometry</b>	Use 10ul of the suggested working dilution to label $1 \times 10^6$ cells in 100ul.
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**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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